## PREFACE

We are pleased to be able to offer another publication, No. 26, by Col. E. Cruikshank, F.R.S.C., to our members and the public generally. To Col. Cruikshank we are highly indebted for several of our publications. No. 1, "The Battle of Fort George," has been reprinted with additions, as No. 12. No. 3, "The Blockade of Fort George," is now out of print. Of No. 9, "Campaigns of 1812-14," the edition is exhausted. No. 17, "Ten Years of the Colony of Niagara," is now followed by "Niagara Colony 1791-3, which will no doubt be well received, Col. Cruikshank being acknowledged as the greatest authority and the most reliable historian of the Niagara Peninsula, and especially of the War of 1812-14, having consulted authorities in all directions with zeal "according to knowledge."