

to perform all the requisite duties of their respective offices. This plan was tried by the Council, but it was found to be attended with much confusion, trouble and inconvenience; and new arrangements have been entered into with the Treasurer, whereby the affairs of the Society are sufficiently attended to, while the former expenses have been reduced one-half.

In conclusion, the Council cannot forbear expressing a hope that the society will have a suitable edifice in which to welcome back again their former friends on their return to Quebec either from the east or the west; and in order to attain this desirable object, it will be requisite to keep up the Society in full working energy in all its details and departments.

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