

Mr. C. Winter read some notes upon the history of the Seaforth Highlanders, explaining the issue of the preceding medals.

Mr. E. E. Needes : Group of medals and orders of General Sir Richard Llewellyn, K.C.B., Colonel-in-Chief of the 39th Regiment, who served in the 28th Regiment of Foot in the Peninsular War, and was promoted to Lieut.-Colonel and made Commander of the Bath for gallantry at Waterloo.

Badge and Star, K.C.B. Also the C.B. in miniature.

Military General Service Medal and clasps, Busaco and Albuhera.

Waterloo. Also in miniature.

Miniature portrait on ivory.

Panel of medals representing the service of the Fourteenth Regiment of Foot from Corunna, 1809, to Afghanistan, 1880.

Silver snuff-box presented to Captain Beardsley of the Fifty-first Light Infantry by his brother officers in 1820.

Mr. Lionel L. Fletcher : London brokers' medals, James Brace and Joshua Leigh Setcole, of the first half of the eighteenth century.

Papers.

THE ORDER OF ST. ANDREW OF RUSSIA.

This decoration, exhibited by Mr. S. M. Spink, was of unusually brilliant and valuable character, even for Russia. The collar was composed of links representing the Russian eagle, trophies of arms, and the cross of St. Andrew of Russia radiated ; whilst the badge was in the form of the eagle, and bore the effigy of St. Andrew in martyrdom. Describing it, Mr. Winter said :—

The Order of St. Andrew was instituted by Peter the Great on the 20th of December, 1693, and is named after the Patron Saint of Russia. The particular collar with its badge before us was presented by the Emperor Paul I, who ascended the throne in 1796 and was assassinated in 1801. The peculiar form of the eagle represented is known as the " Paul Eagle " after him, and is similar to that which