

LAW SOCIETY.

Franklin Gilchriese, Edward John Harper, William Herbert Cawthra, John Francis Lennox, Augustus Grant Malcolm, Honore Latelaine.

Articled Clerk.—Alfred James Fitzgerald Sullivan passed the Articled Clerks' Examination.

MONDAY, 1ST FEBRUARY, 1886.

Convocation met.

Present—Messrs. Britton, Falconbridge, Ferguson, Foy, Hoskin, Irving, Kerr, Mackelcan, MacLennan, Martin, Meredith, Morris, Murray, McCarthy, McMichael, Osler, Purdom, Robertson and Robinson.

Mr. MacLennan was appointed Chairman in the absence of the Treasurer.

The minutes of last meeting were read, approved and signed by the Chairman.

Mr. Murray presented the report of the Finance Committee, which was received, read and ordered to be considered forthwith.

Ordered, That the report be adopted and the deed, relating to the grounds at Osgoode Hall referred to in the report, executed by the Society.

The report of the Legal Education Committee on the case of A. G. McLean was ordered for immediate consideration, and adopted.

Mr. Mackelcan presented the report of the Special Committee on Honors and Scholarships in connection with the First and Second Intermediate. Messrs. H. L. Dunn and F. Smoke passed the First Intermediate, with honors, and Mr. Dunn is entitled to receive one hundred dollars and Mr. Smoke to receive sixty dollars.

Messrs. W. H. Hearst, R. U. McPherson, W. J. Sinclair and A. E. Watts passed the Second Intermediate, with honors, and Mr. Hearst is entitled to get one hundred dollars, Mr. McPherson to get sixty dollars and Mr. Sinclair to get forty dollars.

The report was adopted.

The Secretary reported on the cases of S. T. Hamilton, Peter Franklin Young and J. Percy Lawless, reserved last Term, in respect of their Second Intermediate Examination, that they have complied with the direction of the Committee, and are now entitled to be allowed their examination as of last Term. Ordered accordingly.

Mr. Britton presented the petition of John Shaw Skinner, Captain Prince of Wales Rifles, to be allowed his Second Intermediate Examination as of this Term on account of compulsory absence on military duty.

Ordered, That the petition be granted under the exceptional circumstances of the case, and that Mr. Skinner be allowed his Second Intermediate Examination as of the present Term.

Mr. Osler presented the petition of Alex. Cameron Rutherford, solicitor, of Ottawa, to be allowed his examination for call on the ground of illness during his examination.

Ordered, That he be allowed another oral examination during the present Term.

Mr. Mackelcan presented the report of the Special Committee on the case of Mr. F. S. O'Connor, that he is entitled to be called to the Bar.

The report was received and read, considered and adopted.

Mr. O'Connor was ordered to be called to the Bar accordingly.

Upon the motion of Mr. Morris it was ordered that the Finance Committee prepare and submit to Convocation during present Term a statement in detail of the assets and liabilities of the Society to 31st December, 1885.

Ordered, That the use of the convocation and benchers' rooms and library be granted for the occasion of a dinner to be given by the York Bar Association and the Osgoode Legal and Literary Society.

The Secretary laid on the table a list of voters for the election of benchers under section 15 of the Act relating to the Law Society.

Ordered, That Mr. D. B. Read, Q.C., and Mr. Murray be appointed to act as scrutineers, and Mr. MacLennan to act as and for the Treasurer in case he should be absent during the meetings of scrutineers to count the votes at the ensuing election of benchers, and that each of the scrutineers be paid the sum of twenty dollars for each day's attendance.

Mr. Falconbridge gave notice of motion for to-morrow that he will move that the use of a portion of the ground lying to the west of the building be permitted to members of the Law Society as a lawn tennis court.

Convocation adjourned.