

THE LIBRARY,

OSGOODE HALL, January 31st, 1894.

*To the Chairman and Members
of the Library Committee of the
Law Society of Upper Canada :—*

The Librarian begs to submit the following report for the year 1893 :—

The total expenditure upon Library account during the year was \$7,795.84, being \$204.16 less than the amount estimated. This sum was expended as follows :

Books and Periodicals	\$4,006 94
Binding	365 80
Rebinding, repairs, etc.....	359 07
Supplies, incidentals. etc.....	272 03
Salaries	2,792 00
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A further sum of \$318.61 was spent upon the Phillips Stewart Library for Students. Details of these expenditures will be found in the statements appended to this report.

During the year 1,244 volumes were added to the contents of the Library, as against 1,211 in the previous year. Of these, 182 were donated, 196 came from the bindery, and 866 were purchased, the average cost of the latter having been \$3.62 a volume. These accessions include a number of costly works, as well as many others which, though they represent no great expenditure, will increase in value from year to year. About two-thirds of the books received consisted of legal treatises, reports and statutes, as follows: Legal Treatises, 174 vols.; Reports, 401 vols.; Statutes, 241 vols. Every new English, Canadian and American