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The result of the vote of the profession for the Benchers of the Law Society of Upper Canada has resulted as follows: H. H. Strathy, 940; Chas. Moss, 931; B. M. Britton, 887; Wm. Douglas, 882; Hon. A. S. Hardy, 879; Christopher Robinson, 864; D. B. Maclennan, 852; John Idington, 838; Dr. Hoskin, 836; Colin Macdougall, 835; B. B. Osler, 819; D. Guthrie, 804; M. O'Gara, 801; Geo. C. Gibbons, 797; R. Bayly, 766; A, B. Aylesworth, 730; J. V. Teetzel, 716; A. Bruce, 715; Geo. H. Watson, 700; Wm. Kerr, 681; A. H. Clarke, 669; George F. Shepley, 666; John Bell, 657; Edward Martin, 635; D'Alton McCarthy, 621; C. H. Ritchie, 609; W. R. Riddell, 582; W. D. Hogg, 579; E. B. Edwards, 578; Æmelius Irving, 572. Thirty in all composing the new Bench. Those who came next were: John A. Barron, 567; Z. A. Lash, 552; Walter Barwick, 521; W. B. McMurrich, 518; W. H. McFadden, 507; Geo. Kappele, 465, and J. K. Kerr, 460.

It will be noticed that the names are largely the same as they were during the past five years. We cannot say that we are disappointed in this. It may be said in general terms that those who took charge of the work during the last term of office did their work well and with much devotion to their duties. If work were to be rewarded according to services rendered, the Treasurer of the Law Society, Mr. Irving, would have been at the head, instead of the foot of the list. We are glad, however, that he is on the list, and that in all probability he will retain the position which he has now occupied for several years. The profession naturally knew very little of the time he devoted to the work of the Law Society, and the deep interest he took in it. The same may be said in a