

LAW SOCIETY, EASTER TERM.

his assistant for three weeks during the long vacation.—Carried.

Mr. Read moved, That Mr. Crickmore, the Chairman of the Legal Education Committee, be appointed representative of the Law Society in the Senate of the University of Toronto until the end of Easter Term, 1881.—Carried.

Mr. Crickmore gave notice that, at the next meeting of Convocation, he would move, that the option to take German for the Primary Examination contained in the former curriculum be continued till after next term.

Mr. Blake gave notice that, at next meeting of Convocation, he would move for the appointment of a committee to consider and report a plan for the establishment of scholarships in connection with the Intermediate Examinations.

Mr. Read gave notice that, at the next meeting of Convocation, he would move that the Report of the Select Committee in favour of the abolition of the Law School, adopted by Convocation, be printed in the Journals.

FRIDAY, June 4th.

The Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

The letter of Mr. Prescott, asking for information as to what an English attorney would be required to do in order to be admitted as an attorney, and called to the Bar in Ontario, was read.

Ordered, That Mr. Prescott be referred to the Rules of the Society, and informed that it is contrary to the practice of Convocation to consider cases before they come before it in regular course.

The Report of the Committee on Reporting as to the printing of the Reports of the various Courts, and recommending that the edition of the Reports be increased to 1,350 copies, and that the number of copies of the Supreme Court Reports purchased by the Society for distribution, be increased to 1,350, and further recommending that no change be made at present in the existing arrangements for the publication of the Reports was adopted.

Mr. Read moved that the report of the Select Committee in favour of the abolition of the Law School be printed in the Journals.—Carried.

Mr. Crickmore moved that the option to take German for the Primary Examination contained in the curriculum be continued up to and inclusive of next Michaelmas Term.—Carried.

Mr. Blake moved that a Select Committee, composed of Messrs. Crickmore, Robertson, Leith, Richards, Mackelcan, Martin, MacLennan, McCarthy, and the Treasurer, be appointed to consider and report a plan for establishing Scholarships in connection with the Intermediate Examinations, the Committee to have power to consider the expediency of abolishing the Special Scholarships.—Carried.

Mr. Robertson gave notice that he would, at the next meeting of Convocation, move that the rules for the Call of Barristers in special cases, under 39 Vic. cap. 31, sec. 1, be amended

1st. By striking out sub-section 1 of section 4 of rule 2, and that sub-section 2 of section 1 of same rule be amended so as to cover and include all attorneys, solicitors or writers, of at least five years' standing.

2nd. By amending rule 3, so as to make the fees payable by such candidates for Call to the Bar, in addition to the ordinary fees payable for admission and for Call, three hundred dollars (\$300).

3rd. That rule number 2 for the admission of attorneys and solicitors in special cases, under 39 Vic. cap. 31, sec. 2, be so amended as to make it competent for any Barrister to be admitted as an attorney and solicitor without any further examination as to fitness, &c.

Mr. Mackelcan moves that Mr. MacLennan, Mr. McCarthy, Mr. Bethune, and the mover, be appointed a Committee to confer with the Attorney-General and the Judges upon the subject of short-hand reporting, and the subject of the cost of short-hand writers' notes, and further to urge upon the Attorney-General that the parties should not be required to pay for the copies of evidence furnished to the Judges in Common Law cases, but only for such copies as they may order for their own use.—Carried.

Convocation adjourned.