

II. *The following donation for the Museum was announced and the thanks of the Institute voted to the donor :*

FROM G. B. WYLLIE, ESQ., TORONTO.

Fine Canadian specimen of the Lynx, stuffed.

III. *The following papers were read :*

1. By Professor Hind, M.A.

"On the Qu'apelle or Calling River, and the diversion of the waters of the South branch of the Saskatchewan down the Qu'apelle Valley to the Assiniboine River, and past Fort Garry into Red River, with a view to the establishment of direct Steam Communication from Red River to the foot of the Rocky Mountains, in a line nearly due west from Fort Garry."

2. By Rev. Professor W. Hincks, F.L.S.

"On the Canadian Species of Lynx."

3. By Professor Croft, D.C.L.

"Remarks on the more familiar experiments with Ruhmkoff's Induction Coil."

FOURTEENTH ORDINARY MEETING—SESSION 1858-59.

26th March, 1859.

Hon. G. W. ALLAN, President, in the Chair.

I. *The following Gentleman was elected a Junior Member :*

ROBERT McINTOSH, ESQ., TORONTO.

II. *The Committee of Council appointed for the consideration of the question of arrears reported to the following effect :*

REPORT.

"The Committee to whom was referred the consideration of defaulters due their subscriptions for upwards of two years, report the following list of such, and recommend that notice be sent to each, intimating that unless the arrears are immediately paid up their names will be struck off the roll of members. The Committee further recommend that the *Journal* be forthwith stopped to all such members."

(Signed,) D. CRAWFORD, Convener.

(The list of defaulters was laid on the table with the report.)

*The following papers were read :*

By the Rev. C. Dade, M.A.

"On the Law of Storms."

2. By the Rev. J. McCaul, LL.D.

"New Readings of Old Inscriptions."

FIFTEENTH ORDINARY MEETING—SESSION 1858-59.

2nd April, 1859.

Hon. G. W. ALLAN, President, in the Chair.

I. *The following Gentleman was elected a Member :*

HON. ALEX. KIERSKOWSKI, M.L.C.

II. *The following donations were announced and the thanks of the Institute voted to the donors :*

FROM REV. V. CLEMENTI, B.A., PETERBOROUGH.

A Skin of the Star Nosed Mole, and eleven specimens of Fossils.