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degree of B.C.L. is much more thorough and exhaustice, and a very much better test of a student's knowledge of the law than the semi-annual, ofttimes ill-prepared and ill-digested, examination submitted by the "learned men of the East", composing the Examining Board of the Council of the Bar, and I shall not cease to endeavor to get the Bar Act amended in that sense. I admit that I am not altogether hopeful of any success. With all respect, I am not free from the idea that these semi-annual Bar examinations, accompanied by the student-payment of substantial fees which enable the Examining body to indulge in semi-annual "junketings" to various parts of the Province of Quebec, may seriously obstruct the bringing about of what I desire, and which desire is abundantly shared by some, if not many, of the members of the teaching Staff of our Faculty.

The petition in question was prepared by Mr. Justice Rinfret of the Supreme Court, who is, as you know, one of our Professors. It was signed by Mr. Justice Surveyer, another Professor, who added his qualifications as a Judge of the Superior Court and a Professor of the Law Faculty of McGill. Neither Mr. Justice Rinfret