

Moved by Mr. Seath, seconded by Mr. Connor, That further discussion of Mr. Turnbull's resolution be deferred until the meeting to-morrow, and that it be then taken up as first in order of business.
—*Carried.*

Section adjourned, to meet on Thursday morning at 9 a.m.

THURSDAY, August 16th, 1883.

Section met again at 9 a.m.

Members present—Messrs. McHenry, Hunter (J. M.), Robinson, Spotton, Turnbull, Reid, Stevenson, Jardine, Embree, MacMurchy, Bryant, Carscadden, Smith, Merchant, Morgan, Wilson, Curry, Smellie, Forrest, O'Connor, and Hunter (D. H.)

Mr. H. Strang in the chair.

Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed.

The discussion on Mr. Turnbull's resolution was resumed, in which Messrs. Spotton, MacMurchy, McHenry, Strang, Bryant, Carscadden, Embree, Hunter, and others, took part. The resolution was carried.

The committee appointed to draft a scheme for the professional training of teachers presented their report, which is as follows:—

(1) That as the Regulation touching this question is now suspended until the end of 1883, and as there is no likelihood of immediate legislative action, it would be advisable for the Section to defer until our next meeting any definite suggestions on the subject; (2) that the committee in the meantime issue a circular to High School Headmasters and Trustee Boards, with a view to eliciting general opinion on this question.

Mr. McHenry moved, seconded by Mr. MacMurchy, the adoption of the report, which was carried.

Dr. Tassie, late headmaster of Galt Collegiate Institute, being introduced, asked leave to make an explanation.

Dr. Tassie stated that, as High School masters' representative on the Senate of the University, he had been misrepresented some time ago in the press regarding his attendance at meetings of the Senate. He stated that he had attended the meetings regularly, had discharged his duty faithfully, and had the approval of his colleagues.

Mr. Spotton delivered an address on "Science at Junior Matriculation."

Mr. Bryant moved, seconded by Mr. D. H. Hunter, That the thanks of the Section be tendered to Mr. Spotton for his excellent address.—*Carried.*

The discussion of Mr. Spotton's address was then proceeded with, in which Messrs. Bryant, Hunter (J. M.), Carscadden, Strang, Turnbull, and others, took part.

It was moved by Mr. Bryant, That this Section expresses it