

mittee with instructions to inquire and report upon the petition, and also generally with regard to the expediency of granting relief in similar cases.

In the absence of Mr. Osler, Mr. Moss moved, seconded by Mr. Bayly, that it be referred to the Legal Education Committee to frame such additional rules as may be necessary to give effect to the Act of 1895, 58 Vict., cap. 28.

Mr. Bruce moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. Shepley :—That it is inexpedient to make rules providing for the admission of women as barristers-at-law. The amendment was carried. The original motion was declared lost.

Mr. Martin withdrew the motion of which he had given notice.

The Report of the Special Building Committee was read, and it was Ordered that the report be referred back to the same Committee to continue their enquiries, and report to Convocation the changes proposed, and the cost of such changes.

Mr. Martin from the County Libraries Committee reported with respect to the appointment of an Inspector. Ordered that Mr. Eakins, the Librarian, be appointed Inspector of County Libraries for 1896, and that he be paid \$200 for his services, which sum shall include all his expenses. Ordered that Mr. Fleming be paid fifty dollars in full for his services in inspecting certain county libraries.

The following gentlemen were then introduced and called to the Bar, and were subsequently presented to the Court : Messrs. F. W. Thistlethwaite, O. A. Langley, J. W. Payne, M. A. Secord, O. E. Klein, E. J. Butler, C. B. Pratt, E. J. Deacon, G. H. Thompson, J. E. McMullen, F. W. Tiffin, M. J. O'Reilly, G. L. Smith, A. B. Pottinger, D. A. McDonald, J. E. Macpherson, T. B. German, E. F. Lazier.

The report of the Discipline Committee relating to the complaint of Mrs. McDonald against Messrs. Robinson and Grant, was read. Ordered that the further consideration of the report be proceeded with on Tuesday, 30th June inst., that a copy of the report be sent to each of the parties complained of, and to the complainant, and that they be informed that Convocation will take action on their case at the hour of 12 noon on that day, and that a special call of the Bench be issued for that day for the purpose of dealing with the report.

The Discipline Committee reported on the complaint of J. O. Connors against Mr. Robinette that a prima facie case had been found. Ordered that the complaint stand referred to the Discipline Committee for investigation and report.

The complaint of Mr. R. L. Fraser against Mr. John McGregor was read and referred to the Discipline Committee for investigation and report.

Mr. Douglas gave notice that at the next meeting he would move that the fee payable hereafter for solicitors' certificates shall be reduced to ten dollars.

Mr. Moss gave notice that at the next meeting of Convocation he would move a resolution declaring that the members of Convocation not resident in Toronto or within five miles distance therefrom, are entitled to be paid by way of indemnity a per diem allowance for each day's attendance at meetings of Convocation, and that a committee be appointed to prepare and report a proper scale of allowances and any other necessary regulations in regard thereto.

Mr. Moss gave notice that at the next meeting of Convocation he would move that the County Libraries Committee be requested to consider whether any special arrangements can be made for providing law libraries at Sault Ste. Marie, Rat Portage and Port Arthur.

Mr. Moss gave notice that at the next meeting of Convocation he would move the appointment of a Committee to report to Convocation as to what if any steps should be taken with a view to observing the centennial anniversary of the Law Society of Upper Canada.

Convocation then rose.