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may become, after diligent study and intrepid practice, not perhaps an *orator*, but a ready and effective *speaker*; a speaker who shall express his thoughts in a lucid, accurate, and collected style, so as to penetrate even to the understandings of juries at Nisi Prius, and fill the hearts of judges in Banc with unutterable gratitude.

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MICHAELMAS TERM—36 Victoria.

The following is the *resumé* of the proceedings of the Benchers during last Term, published by authority:—

Monday, 18th November.

The resignation of George Palmer of his seat as a Bencher received and accepted.

The several gentlemen whose names are published in the usual lists were called to the Bar and admitted as Attorneys.

A call of the Benchers was ordered for last Friday of this Term, for the election of a Bencher in the place of Rolland Macdonald, Esq., who resigned last Term.

Tuesday, 19th November.

Examining Committee appointed for next Term, and report of Examining Committee for this year received and adopted.

Balance sheet and Auditor's report laid on the table. Report of Library Committee received and adopted.

A call of the Bench declined in the matter of S. J. Vankoughnet, Esq., but compensation ordered to be paid to him under the late statute, of \$2,000, being one year's allowance according to former arrangement, if he declines the appointment of Reporter of the Court of Common Pleas, under the new arrangement.

Ordered that a grant of forty dollars be made to Mr. Joshua Rordans on the publication of a new edition of his Law List.

Thursday & Friday, November 21 & 22.

Intermediate Examinations.

Saturday, 23rd November.

The Treasurer reported result of Intermediate Examinations.

Letter from Mr. S. J. Vankoughnet, acknowledging receipt of resolution read.

Memorial from Mr. J. C. Cooper, assistant in Library read, and ordered that an additional allowance of one dollar per week be granted, together with a gratuity of twenty-five dollars for his efficient services.

Special case agreed to, if desired by Mr. S. J. Vankoughnet, before compensation resolution is acted on.

Committee on the rules, appointed in Michaelmas Term last revived and reconstructed.

Fifty dollars ordered to be paid to Mr. Evans as Examiner this Term.

Adjourned until Thursday next.

Thursday, 28th November.

Several gentlemen called to the Bar and passed Intermediate Examinations.

Friday, 29th November.

Scholarship Examinations held.

Fourth Year:

No Scholarships awarded.

Third Year:

Scholarship awarded to Mr. McMillan.

Second Year:

Scholarship awarded to Mr. Pepler.

First Year:

Scholarship awarded to Mr. McColl.

Saturday, 30th November.

The Treasurer reported result of Scholarship Examinations.

The following rules were adopted for examination of Articled Clerks:—

Notice to be given by a Bencher in one term for the next term, but notice for next February examination may be given by 1st January next.

Examinations by Examining Committee to be on same days as the examinations of Students.