

not yet been able to procure since the reference was made, should be obtained, and they ask to be allowed to report next term. Ordered accordingly.

Ordered that the report of the Discipline Committee on the complaint of Mr. R. L. Fraser against Mr. John MacGregor be considered on Tuesday, May 18th, 1897, at noon, and that Mr. John MacGregor do show cause why the report should not be adopted and acted upon; and it was ordered that a copy of the report be delivered to Mr. MacGregor personally, and that he be notified to attend the meeting of Convocation on the day and at the hour above mentioned, that a copy of the report be delivered to Mr. Delamere, counsel for the complainant, and that he also be notified to attend if he thinks proper. It was further ordered that a special call of the Bench be made for that day and hour to deal with the said matter.

Mr. Martin stated that in view of the large expenditure which may have to be incurred in relation to the proposed Consolidated Digest, he would withdraw his notice of motion as to supplying the profession with the statutes.

Ordered that the report of the Finance Committee in relation to the discontinuance of the annual grant to the Students' Library be referred back to them for further consideration, with a request to them to invite the Legal Education Committee to reconsider the matter jointly with them, and to report thereon.

Mr. Osler was appointed convener of the Joint Committee, composed of the Finance and Reporting Committees, in respect of the details of the proposed Consolidated Digest.

The report of the Finance Committee, presented to Convocation on Feb. 2nd, recommending the discontinuance of payments to the Canada Law Journal and the Canadian Law Times, for publication of notes of cases, was then adopted.

Mr. Watson, from the Special Committee, appointed on the 4th December, 1896, to enquire into and report on the probable outlay to the Society and the powers of Convocation in relation to the payment of allowances to non-resident members of Convocation, and to report upon the question of the days and times of meeting of Convocation, reported as follows: "That at a meeting of the Committee the questions submitted were considered. Appended hereto is a memorandum of expenses that would be incurred if all the outside members of Convocation attended every meeting of Convocation and also every meeting of the several Committees. The Committee is of opinion that Convocation has jurisdiction to provide for such remuneration, but in view of all the surrounding circumstances and having regard to the financial report presented to Convocation for the last preceding year, and the large expenditure contemplated for Century Digest, and to the custom which has so long prevailed under the constitution: Your Committee is of opinion that no provision should be made at present for the remuneration or reimbursement of expenses to the outside members, and that the resolution in favor of such payment by the Law Society should be rescinded. The Committee also recommends that no change be made at present in the number and times of meeting of Convocation."

Ordered that the report be taken into consideration on Tuesday, 18th May, and that a copy of the report be sent to every member of Convocation and that the notices of motion given by Mr. Watson and Mr. Bayly in reference to the rescission of the resolution of the 15th September, 1896, providing for the payment of allowances to non-resident Benchers, do stand until said 18th of May.

Mr. Moss, from the Legal Education Committee, reported as follows: They have had under consideration the subject of exemption of students in the Law School who have failed in their examination, from further attendance on lectures in the year in which they have failed; and are of opinion that no change should be made in the existing rules with reference to the matter.

Mr. Martin then moved that the report be not adopted, and that rule 179 be rescinded. Lost. The report was then adopted.

Convocation then rose.