## LAW SOCIETY, MICHAELMAS TERM 1879.

Mr. Hodgins' notice, and that it be considered by Convocation on Saturday next, the 29th instant.

Mr. Robertson moved, seconded by Mr. Cameron, that Messrs. Leith, Crickmore and Dr. Smith be a Committee of Benchers, under the rules of June, 1876, provided for special cases, before whom Mr. R. R. Waddell, an applicant for call, may be examined; the said Robert R. Waddell being an Attorney and Solicitor of at least ten years' standing .- Carried .

SATURDAY, Nov. 29th.

Mr. Hodgins presented the Report of the Committee on Legal Education, on the cases of J. B. McKillop, N. P. Graydon, G. Muirhead, E. F. B. Carey and D. G. Downey, which was considered and adopted, and services allowed accordingly.

Mr. Hodgins presented the report of the same committee, on the case of W. H. Barry, which was considered.

Ordered, that Mr. Barry be entered on the books as a Student-at-Law.

Mr. Hodgins presented the Special Report of the same committee, recommending the fitting up of cupboards in the Examiner's room, pursuant to a plan and tender, at an expense of \$104, which was considered and adopted.

Mr. Hodgins presented a Special Report of the same committee, proposing that fees should be charged for certificates of admission, and for Barristers' diplomas.

The report was considered and adopted.

Mr. Maclennan presented the Report of the Committee on Reporting, which was read clause by clause and adopted, with the exception of the third clause.

A letter from Mr. Dwight, the manager in Toronto of the Montreal Telegraph Company, was read, in which he applied for permission to open a branch office of the company in Osgoode Hall.

The letter was referred to the Finance Committee, with power to act.

Mr. Maclennan moved that the Finance Committee be instructed to endeavour to arrange for the placing of a post-office letter box at Osgoode Hall.—Carried.

A letter from Mr. F. E. Hodgins, applying for the use of the lecture room, for the eration of the motion be adjourned to the

delivery of a course of lectures on Logic, was read and referred to the Legal Education Committee, with power to act.

A letter from Mr. Allan Cassels, on the subject of the thefts from the profession, The letter of at Osgoode Hall, was read. Mr. Falconbridge on the same subject, dealt with last meeting, and the action of Convocation thereon, were ordered to be reconsidered.

Ordered, that Mr. Crooks be requested to call the attention of the Government to the circumstances stated in the letters in question, with a view to preventing their recurrence.

The Treasurer reported that, pursuant to the directions of Convocation, he had waited on the Attorney-General, and represented their views on the subject of the access to the offices of the Master in Chancery and Registrar in Appeal, and that the Attorney-General had directed Mr. Tully to report on the possibility of the plan suggested, with a view to its being carried out; that the Treasurer had met Mr. Tully by appointment, at Osgoode Hall, and gone over the ground, when Mr. Tully stated that there was no difficulty in carrying out the plan, and that he would report accordingly.

Mr. Crooks moved, pursuant to notice, the following motion:

Any person having successfully passed the Examination now prescribed for the degree of Bachelor of Laws in the University of Toronto, by its present or any future curriculum, with equivalent requirements, and having obtained such degree, and having also successfully passed an examination before this Society, in the subjects of the Statute Law, and the Practice and Pleadings of the Courts, and in Criminal law, may be called to the Bar, or admitted as an Attorney or Solicitor, upon payment of the usual fees; in the case of a Barrister, after four years from his admission as a Student of this Society, and in the case of an Attorney or Solicitor, after having duly served under Articles of Clerkship for the term of four years, which period may have elapsed either before or concurrently with the passing of said examination for such degree. This rule shall not affect any other provisions of the rules of the Society with respect to graduates.

Mr. Read moved that the further consid-