

V.—*Proceedings.*

## TWENTY-NINTH SESSION—SECOND MEETING.

[Tuesday, 21st December, 1875.]

The Society met at the Leinster Lecture Hall, Molesworth-street, the Right Hon. Mr. Justice Lawson, ex-President, in the chair.

Dr. Hancock read a paper entitled "Complaints against Bankers in Ireland on account of the Saved Capital of Ireland not being lent to a sufficient extent to the Farmers and small Owners of Land, considered."

The ballot for members was examined, and the following were elected :—The Very Rev. H. H. Dickinson, D.D. (Dean of Chapel Royal); Major H. Le G. Geary; David Drummond, Esq., J.P.; William Emmens, Esq.; Captain George A. Gunning; and Thomas W. Grimshaw, Esq., M.D.

## THIRD MEETING.

[Tuesday, 18th January, 1876.]

Professor O'Shaughnessy, Q.C.C., M.R.I.A., F.R.S.L., in the chair.

Professor Ingram, LL.D., read a paper entitled, "Additional Facts and Arguments in relation to the Boarding-out of Pauper Children."

The ballot for members was examined, and the following were elected :—William Augustus Mahony, and James Pim, Jun., Esqrs.

## FOURTH MEETING.

[Tuesday, 15th February, 1876.]

Right Hon. Mountifort Longfield, ex-President, in the chair.

(1) Mr. Findlater read Report of the Charity Organisation Committee, "On proposed Reform in the Law as to Lunatics in humble circumstances, who are within or just above the Pauper Class."

(2) Mr. Garstin read Report of Charity Organisation Committee, "On Amendment of the Law as to Ruined Houses in Towns."

Francis Nolan, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, read selections from his "Prize Essay on Consolidated Statutes."

The ballot for members was examined, and the following were elected :—Patrick J. Blake, Esq., Q.C.; Edward Dwyer Gray, Esq.; Edward O. McDevitt, Esq.; Rt. Hon. George A. C. May (Attorney-General for Ireland); Edward Wm. O'Brien, Esq., D.L.; Murrough O'Brien, Esq.; and Frank P. Trench, Esq.