

VII.—*Proceedings of the Dublin Statistical Society.*

NINTH SESSION—SIXTH MEETING.

[21st April, 1856.]

The Society met at the Royal Dublin Society House, Jonathan Pim, Esq., in the chair.

W. Neilson Hancock, LL.D., read a paper on “The Advantages of Insurances terminable at Sixty-three, or at death, instead of those at death only.”

James A. Lawson, LL.D., read a paper on “The Expediency of a Cheap Land Tribunal.”

J. Moncrieff Wilson, Esq., read a paper on “The Civil Service Superannuations.”

The following gentlemen were elected members of the Society :—
John F. Anster, Esq.; Henry Leland Keily, Esq.; and John R. Wigham, Esq.

SEVENTH MEETING.

[8th May, 1856.]

The Society met at the Royal Dublin Society House, Jonathan Pim, Esq., in the chair.

J. M. Chaytor, Esq., read a paper on “The Currency.”

S. M. Greer, Esq., read a paper on “The Bank Charter Act of 1844.”

EIGHTH MEETING.

[19th May, 1856.]

The Society met at the Royal Dublin Society House, James Haughton, Esq., in the chair.

J. J. Murphy, Esq., read a paper on “The Private and Local Business of Parliament.”

Rev. Thomas Jordan read a paper entitled, “Emigration—how can it be made a mode of improving the condition of the Working Classes?”

The following gentlemen were elected members of the Society :—
Henry Wigham, Esq.; William M. Geoghegan, Esq.; and Richard Galbraith, Esq.

NINTH MEETING.

[16th June, 1856.]

The Society met at the Royal Dublin Society House, James Haughton, Esq., in the chair.

The following resolution, recommended by the Council for the

adoption of the Society, was proposed by one of the Secretaries, and passed unanimously:—

“That the law of the Society, passed the 17th June, 1850, limiting the number of resident members to two hundred, be repealed.”

Professor Hussey Walsh read a paper entitled, “Notes on the Société de Crédit Mobilier.”

Alfred Webb, Esq., read a paper on “The Progress of the Colony of Victoria.”

The following gentlemen were elected members of the Society:— Charles P. Mulvany, Esq.; John Haslam, Esq.; and Robert Morton, Esq.

The election of officers of the Society for the ensuing year then took place. The result of the ballot was as follows:—

President.

HIS GRACE THE ARCHBISHOP OF DUBLIN.

Vice-Presidents.

THE EARL OF ROSSE.
THE BISHOP OF CORK.
MOUNTFORT LONGFIELD, Q.C. LL.D.
LIEUT.-COLONEL T. A. LARCOM, R.E.

THE PROVOST OF TRINITY COLLEGE.
SIR ROBERT KANE.
EDWARD BARRINGTON, ESQ.
JONATHAN PIM, ESQ.

Members of Council.

ROBERT BALL, LL.D.
JAMES HAUGHTON, ESQ.
JAMES A. LAWSON, LL.D.
HENRY DIX HUTTON, ESQ.
CHARLES E. BAGOT, ESQ.
WILLIAM HOGAN, ESQ.

THOMAS H. TODHUNTER, ESQ.
JAMES W. MURLAND, ESQ.
JAMES MONCRIEFF WILSON, ESQ.
SAMUEL M. GREER, ESQ.
CONWAY E. DOBBS, JUN. ESQ.
JOHN E. CAIRNES, ESQ.

Treasurer.

WILLIAM F. LITTLEDALE, ESQ. 9, UPPER ORMOND-QUAY.

Secretaries.

W. NEILSON HANCOCK, LL.D., 74, LOWER GARDINER-STREET.
PROFESSOR INGRAM, LL.D., F.T.C.D., 40, TRINITY COLLEGE.
PROFESSOR HUSSEY WALSH, LL.B., 27, SUMMER-HILL.

VIII.—Notices respecting Barrington Lectures on Political Economy.

The following gentlemen have been elected Barrington Lecturers for the year 1856-7.

Professor Moffett, LL.D.
Frederick G. Evelyn, Esq., LL.B.
David Ross, Esq., A.M., and
Thomas Busted, Esq., A.B.

From amongst the towns which applied for courses of Barrington Lectures, the following have been selected:—

Drogheda, Dundalk, Dungannon, Waterford.

The application from Drogheda was made by the Mechanics' Institute; from Dundalk by the Mechanics' Institute; from Dungannon by the Literary and Scientific Society; and from Waterford by the Mechanics' Institute.