

VI.—*Proceedings of the Statistical and Social Inquiry Society of Ireland.*

FORTY-NINTH SESSION.

FIRST MEETING.

[Tuesday, 28th January, 1896.]

The Society met in the Leinster Lecture Hall, 35 Molesworth-street, at 8.15 p.m.

A Report of the Proceedings of the past Session was read by Mr. Lawson.

The President delivered his "Opening Address," and Mr. C. H. Oldham read a paper entitled "The Fluctuating Character of Modern Employment."

Charles Dawson, Esq., G. A. O'Connor, Esq., C. H. Oldham, Esq., and Arthur W. Samuels, Esq., Q.C., were elected members of the Society.

SECOND MEETING.

[Friday, 7th February, 1896.]

The Society met in the Leinster Lecture Hall, 35 Molesworth-street, at 8.15 p.m.

Mr. Arthur W. Samuels read a paper entitled "A Suggestion for the Removal of Taxes on Litigation in Ireland, as a Condition for the Reduction of the Judicial Establishment."

C. Litton Falkiner, Esq., was elected a member of the Society.

THIRD MEETING.

[Tuesday, 25th February, 1896.]

The Society met in the Leinster Lecture Hall, 35 Molesworth-street, at 8.15 p.m.

Miss Rosa M. Barrett read a paper entitled "Foreign Legislation on behalf of Destitute and Neglected Children."

William Fry, Jun., Esq. and Henry Hunt, Esq., were elected members of the Society.

FOURTH MEETING.

[Thursday, 23rd April, 1896.]

The Society met in the Leinster Lecture Hall, 35 Molesworth-street, at 8.15 p.m.

Charles Dawson read a paper entitled "The Want of Industrial and Practical Education in Irish National Schools."

FIFTH MEETING.

[Friday, 10th July, 1896.]

The Society met at 35 Molesworth-street, at 4.30 p.m., Mr. Joseph T. Pim in the Chair.

The annual election of Officers and Council for the Session 1896-97 was then held, and the following were elected:—

*President*, Joseph T. Pim, Esq. *Hon. Treasurer*, Jonathan Pim, Esq. *Secretaries*, Jonathan Pim, Esq., William Lawson, Esq., C. H. Oldham, Esq. *Members of Council*, Joseph Maguire, Esq., R. R. Cherry, Esq., J. G. Alcorn, Esq., R. E. Matheson, Esq., Rev. T. A. Finlay, S.J., F.R.U.L., George Coffey, Esq., George Sigerson, Esq., M.D., Fletcher Moore, Esq., J.P., G. de L. Willis, Esq., A. H. Bates, Esq., R. M. Barrington, Esq., J.P., A. W. Samuels, Esq., Q.C.