

LEAGUE OF NATIONS

SIXTY-NINTH SESSION OF THE COUNCIL

Minutes

of the

FOURTH SECRET MEETING

held on Monday, October 17th, 1932, at 12.30 p.m.

President: Mr. Sean LESTER

Present: All the representatives of the  
Members of the Council and the  
Secretary-General.

CONFIRMATION OF THE PROVISIONAL VOTE FOR THE ELECTION  
OF THE NEW SECRETARY-GENERAL IN SUCCESSION TO  
SIR ERIC DRUMMOND.

The PRESIDENT submitted the following draft resolution:

"Le Conseil nomme M. Joseph Avenol Secrétaire  
général de la Société des Nations et soumet cette  
nomination à l'approbation de l'Assemblée lors de  
de sa session extraordinaire. La nomination  
prendra effet à partir de la date à laquelle le  
Secrétaire général/abandonnera ses fonctions."  
actuel

The resolution was adopted.

**BERENGER**

M. ~~BERENGER~~ said that he had been greatly touched by the  
congratulations which his other colleagues, and in particular  
his German colleague, had offered him as French representative  
upon the appointment of M. Avenol as the new Secretary-General  
of the League. He desired to add that he considered M. Avenol's  
election as being entirely of an international character and as  
in all respects worthy of the League and its traditions. In  
electing M. Avenol the Council had not consulted the interests  
of any particular State, but the community of nations as a  
whole.

The PRESIDENT said that the resolution would be circulated to the Members of the League.

The Council rose.

