

the date of this order, not having before being so bound been called to the degree of Utter Barrister in England, or taken a degree, as in the said Act mentioned, or passed one of the Examinations, hereinafter required to entitle him to the benefit of the 5th section of the said Act, or one of the Local Examinations, established by the University of Oxford, or one of the Non-Gremial Examinations established by the University of Cambridge, or one of the Matriculation Examinations at the Universities of Dublin and London (though not placed in the first division of such Matriculation Examination), or the Examination for the first-class Certificate of the College of Preceptors, incorporated by Charter of Queen Victoria, 1849, shall produce to the Registrar of Attorneys a Certificate to the effect hereinafter mentioned, showing that he had, before he became bound by such Articles of Clerkship as aforesaid, passed an Examination by Special Examiners already appointed by or in pursuance of the said Orders of the 26th day of July and 26th day of November, 1861, and of our Order of 1st day of December, 1862, or to be hereafter appointed by us or our successors, after the date of this Order.

2. Such last-mentioned Examination shall be held at such times and places as are hereinafter mentioned, and shall be on the following subjects, viz. :—

- i. Reading aloud a passage from some English Author.
- ii. Writing from dictation.
- iii. English Grammar.
- iv. Writing a short English composition.
- v. Arithmetic. The first four rules, simple and compound.
- vi. Geography of Europe and of the British Isles.
- vii. History : Questions on English History.
- viii. Latin : Elementary knowledge of Latin.
- ix. And in some one of the six following languages, according to the selection of the Candidate, viz. :—

1. Latin. 2. Greek, ancient or modern. 3. French. 4. German. 5. Spanish. 6. Italian.

3. With respect to the Examination of Candidates residing in and desiring to be examined in the Country, papers shall be transmitted by the Special Examiners to some local Solicitors to be appointed by them for that purpose in some of the undermentioned Towns in England and Wales, who shall call the Candidates before them at convenient times, to be fixed by the Special Examiners, and require them to read aloud before them as in subject i. before mentioned, and to give written answers in the several other subjects before mentioned in the presence of the persons so appointed, who shall then seal up and send to the Special Examiners the answers so written, and a report as to the reading aloud.

4. The Examinations shall take place at four periods in each year—that is to say, in the months of February, May, July, and October, on such days as the Special Examiners shall from time to time appoint—and they shall be conducted either by the Special Examiners personally, in the Hall of the Incorporated Law Society in Chancery Lane, London, or by and under the supervision of the two local Solicitors to be appointed by the Special Examiners as above-mentioned.

5. Every person applying to be examined shall give One Calendar Month's notice in writing, to the Registrar of Attorneys, of his desire to be examined in the subjects specified in this Order, and shall state in such notice the language in which he proposes to be examined, under the subject of Examination herein mentioned numbered ix., and the place at which he wishes to be examined, and his age and place or mode of education.

6. The said Examiners shall conduct the Examination of every such Applicant in the manner and to the extent hereby directed, and in no other manner and to no further extent, and that at least Five Calendar Months previous to the time appointed for taking such Examination, the Special Examiners shall leave with the Registrar of Attorneys a list of the Books selected by them for Examination in the subjects above mentioned numbered ix., and a copy of such list may immediately thereupon be obtained from the Registrar on application.

7. Each person examined in London, on receiving his Certificate, shall pay the fee of £1, and each person examined in the Country, on receiving his Certificate, shall pay the fee of £2, to the Council of the Incorporated Law Society, towards the expenses of such Examination.

8. If the Special Examiners conducting such Examinations shall be satisfied with the proficiency shown by the Candidate, they shall sign a Certificate to the following effect :—

"We respectively certify that A. B. has been examined by us [or under our direction, in case the Examination should be conducted in the Country], as required by the Order of the Lord Chief Justice of the Court of Queen's Bench, the Master of the Rolls, the Lord Chief Justice of the Court of Common Pleas, and the Lord Chief Baron of the Court of Exchequer, dated the day of [mentioning the date of this Order], in the several subjects of gener-

al knowledge mentioned in the said Order : And we respectively certify, that he has passed a satisfactory Examination.

"Dated this day of 18."

9. The last-mentioned Certificate, or a Certificate, or other evidence to the satisfaction of the Registrar, of having taken a Degree as in the said Act mentioned, or of having passed one or other of the Local, Non-Gremial, or Matriculation Examinations, or the Examination for the first-class Certificate of the College of Preceptors, above-mentioned, shall be produced to the Registrar of Attorneys, by the person entering into Articles of Clerkship before or at the time of producing his Articles of Clerkship to the said Registrar, in pursuance of the 7th section of the said Act.

Dated this 31st day of January, 1863.

A. E. COCKBURN.
JOHN ROMILLY.
WILLIAM ERLE.
FRED. POLLOCK.

Pursuant to the above Order, the Preliminary Examinations in General Knowledge will take place on the following days, viz., the 27th and 28th October, 1863, and the 9th and 10th February, 1864, and will comprise—

1. Reading aloud a passage from some English author.
2. Writing from dictation.
3. English Grammar.
4. Writing a short English composition.
5. Arithmetic.—A competent knowledge of the first four rules, simple and compound.
6. Geography of Europe and of the British Isles.
7. History.—Questions on English History.
8. Latin.—Elementary knowledge of Latin.
9. i. Latin. ii. Greek, Modern or Ancient. iii. French. iv. German. v. Spanish. vi. Italian.

The Special Examiners have selected the following Books, in which Candidates will be examined in the subjects numbered 9 at the Examinations in October, 1863, and February, 1864 :—

27th and 28th of October, 1863.

In Latin.—Cicero, De Officiis, books i. and ii.; and Horace, Odes, book iii.

In Greek.—Homer, Iliad, book i.

In Modern Greek.—Βεκκαρίου περί 'Αδικημάτων και Ποινῶν μεταφρασμένον ἀπὸ τὴν Ἱταλικὴν Γλῶσσαν, 17—80; or, Βεντοτῆς Ἱστορία τῆς Ἀμερικῆς, βιβλίον η'.

In French.—Guillaume Guizot, Alfred le Grand, ou l'Angleterre sous les Anglo-Saxons; or, Jean Racine, Phèdre.

In German.—Schiller, Jungfrau von Orleans; or, Geschichte des 30-jährigen Krieges, 1 volume.

In Spanish.—Cervantes' Don Quixote, capit xxx.—xlv.; or, Fernandez de Moratin, El Si de las Neñas.

In Italian.—Manzoni's Promessi Sposi, cap. xii.—xxii.; or, Torquato Tasso's La Gerusalemme, 6, 7, 8, and 9 Cantos.

9th and 10th of February, 1864.

In Latin.—Sallust, Jugurtha; and Virgil, Æneid, book vi.

In Greek.—Xenophon, Memorabilia.

In Modern Greek.—Βεκκαρίου, περί 'Αδικημάτων και Ποινῶν μεταφρασμένον ἀπὸ τὴν Ἱταλικὴν Γλῶσσαν, 1—12; or, Βεντοτῆς Ἱστορία τῆς Ἀμερικῆς, βιβλίον ζ'.

In French.—P. Corneille, Cinna; Fénelon, Télémaque (Les aventures de.) Liv. i.—vii.

In German.—Schiller's Don Carlos; 1st and 2nd Acts. Tieck's William Lovel, books i.—iv.

In Spanish.—Cervantes' Don Quixote, capit i.—xx.; or, Dom Hartzenbusch La coja y el Encogido.

In Italian.—Manzoni's Promessi Sposi, cap. i.—x.; or, Torquato Tasso's La Gerusalemme, first 4 cantos.

With reference to the subjects numbered 9, each candidate will be examined in one language only, according to his selection. Candidates who select Latin will be examined in both the works above specified. In Modern Greek, French, German, Spanish, and Italian, candidates will have the choice of either of the above-mentioned works.

Candidates are required by the Judges' Orders to give one calendar month's notice to the Incorporated Law Society, as Registrar of Attorneys, of the language in which they propose to be examined, the place, at which they wish to be examined, and their age and place of education. All notices and enquiries should be addressed to the Secretary of the Incorporated Law Society, Chancery Lane, W. C.

E. W. WILLIAMSON, Secretary.

Law Society's Hall, Chancery Lane, London,
August, 1863.

2. FACILITIES FOR THE STUDY OF LAW IN UPPER CANADA.

I.—THE LAW SCHOOL OF OSGOODE HALL.

"In Upper Canada, the profession of the law is divided into two branches, each subject to its own peculiar regulations, and, to a