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CALENDAR FOR JANUARY AND FEBRUARY, 1895.

Legal, Educational, Municipal and Other Appointments.

JANUARY.

New Year's Day,
 By laws for establishing and withdrawal of union of municipalities for High School purposes take effect.—H. S. Act, Section 7 (1).
 Trustees' Annual Report to Inspectors, due—P. S. Act, Section 40 (13).
 By-Law establishing Township Boards takes effect.—P. S. Act, Section (54).
 Separation of Junior Township takes effect.—Mun. Act, Section 28.

 Polling day for Trustees in Public and Separate Schools.—P. S. Act, Section 102 (3);
 S. S. Act, Section 31 (2).

 High School open second term.—H. S. Act, Section 42.

High School open, second term.—H. S. Act, Section 42. Public and Separate School open.—P. S. Act, Section 173 (1); 173 (2); S. S. Act, Sec-

tion 79 (1). Trustees' Report on Truancy to Department, due.

Last day for Clerks to make return to Bureau of Industries under Debentures Registration Act, R. S. O. Chap. 186.
Clerk of municipality to be notified by Separate School supporters of their withdrawal.
S. S. Act, Section 47 (1).
Annual Reports of Boards in cities and towns, to Department, due.—P. S. Act, Section 107 (12).

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Names and addresses of Separate School Trustees and Teachers to be sent to Department.—S. S. Act, Section 28 (12).
Annual Report of High School Boards to Department, due—H. S. Act, Section 14 (12).
Names and Addresses of Public School Trustees and Teachers to be sent to Township Clerk and Inspector.—P. S. Act, Section 40 (10).
Annual Reports of Separate Schools to Department, due—S. S. Act, Section 28 (18; Section 22 (0)).

Section 32 (9).

Minutes of R. C. S. S. Trustees' annual meeting to Department, due.

Application for Legislative apportionment for inspection of Public Schools in cities and towns separated from the county, to Department, due.

Last day for making returns births, deaths and marriages, registered for half-year ending 31st December.—R. S. O., Chap. 40, Section 6.

Last day for Treasurers of Municipalities indebted under Municipal Loan Fund Act, to make return of Taxable Property, Debt and Liabilities to Provincial Treasurer.

First meeting of Public School Boards in Cities, Towns and Incorporated Villages.—P.

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Councils of Townships, Villages, Towns and Cities to hold their first meeting at eleven o'clock a.m.—Mun. Act, Section 223.

Trustees of Police Villages to hold their first meeting at noon.

By law withdrawing from Union Health District takes effect.

Members of Free Library Boards to be appointed by Councils in Cities, Towns and Villages.—Free Libraries Act, Section 3.

Councils to appoint members of Local Boards of Health.—Public Health Act, Section 40.

Appointment of High School Trustees by Municipal Councils.—H.S. Act, Section 11, (3).

County Councils to hold first meeting at 2 p.m., at County Hall or Court House.

County Treasurer to submit to county councils, report of the state of non-resident land fund.—Assessment Act, Section 220.

Last day for all councils to make returns to Bureau of Industries, of the debt of their corporations.—Mun. Act, Section 382.

FEBRUARY

Last day for Railway Companies to transmit to Clerks of Municipalities statements of Railway property.—Assessment Act, Section 26.

Last day for Collectors to return their Roll and pay over proceeds—Assessment Act,

Section 132.

Last day for County Treasurer to furnish Clerks of Local Municipalities with list of lands in arrears for taxes for three years—Assessment Act, Section 140.

First meeting of Board of Education at 7 p.m., or such other hour as may have been fixed by resolution of former Board at the usual place of meeting of such Board.—Public Schools Act, Section 106; High Schools Act, Section 13.