The defence of the plaintiff to a counterclaim is technically the plaintiff's reply, notwithstanding Con. Rule 379, and there can, without leave, be no further pleading by the defendant but a joinder of issue.

To a counter-claim against the plaintiff, who lived out of Ontario, seeking the recovery of a debt contracted out of Ontario, the plaintiff pleaded that the court had no jurisdiction, and the defendant replied, without obtaining leave, that the plaintiff had assets in Ontario to the value of \$200.

Held, that this reply, even if leave were obtained, was bad, because sub-sec. (e.), of Rule 45 O. J. A., has not been incorporated in the Consolidated Rules. See Con. Rule 271.

Semble, that set-off, not in the shape of a counter-claim by cross-action, is now abolished. See Con. Rules 3, 373.

W. M. Douglas, for the plaintiff. Douglas Armour, for the defendant.

Law Students' Department.

EXAMINATION DATES FOR 1889.

Hilary Term commences 4th January. Primary Examination, Tuesday, 15th January. Graduates and Matriculants, Thursday, 17th anuary.

First Intermediate, Tuesday, 22nd January. Second Intermediate, Thursday, 24th January.

Solicitor Examination, Tuesday, 29th January. Barrister Examination, Wednesday, 30th January.

Last day for Call Notices for Easter Term, 16th February.

Last day for Primary Notices, 5th January. Last day for filing papers and fees (final examination) 19th January.

Easter Term commences 20th May. Primary Examination, Tuesday, 30th April. Graduates and Matriculants, Thursday, 2nd May.

First Intermediate, Tuesday, 7th May.
Second Intermediate, Thursday, 9th May.
Solicitor Examination, Tuesday, 14th May.
Barrister Examination, Wednesday, 15th
May.

Last day for Call Notices for Trinity Term, 8th June.

Last day for Primary Notices, 20th April. Last day for filing papers and fees (final examination) 4th May.

Trinity Term commences 2nd September.
Primary Examination, Tuesday, 13th August.
Graduates and Matriculants, Thursday, 15th
August.

First Intermediate, Tuesday, 20th August.
Second Intermediate, Thursday, 22nd
August,

Solicitor Examination, Thursday, 27th August.

Barrister Examination, Wednesday, 28th August.

Last day for Call Notices for Michaelmas Term, 14th September.

Last day for Primary Notices, 3rd August. Last day for filing papers and fees (final examinations) 17th August.

Michaelmas Term commences 18th November.

Primary Examination, Tuesday, 29th October.

Graduates and Matriculants, Thursday, 31st October,

First Intermediate, Tuesday, 5th November. Second Intermediate, Thursday, 7th November.

Solicitor Examination, Tuesday, 12th November.

Barrister Examination, Wednesday, 13th November,

Last day for Call Notices for Hilary Term, 7th December.

Last day for Primary Notices, 19th October. Last day for filing papers and fees (final examinations) 2nd November.

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CALL-HONOURS.

CONTRACTS-EVIDENCE-STATUTES.

1. A is insured by a valued policy on a cargo for \$5,000. He recovers on another policy \$5,000. The true value was \$7,000, and the loss was total. How much can he recover on the valued policy? Why?