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LAW SOCIETY EXAMINATION DATES.

Owing to changes which have been made since our sheet almanac for 1887 was published it is desirable to give our student friends definite and accurate information as to various matters in which they are interested. The following has been kindly prepared for us by Mr. Esten, Secretary of the Law Society:

HILARY TERM, 1888.

COMMENCES 6TH FEBRUARY.

Last day for Call Notices for H. T., 10th December, 1887.Last day for Primary Notices, 7th January, 1888.

Primary Examination, 17th January.

Graduates and Matriculants, 19th January. Last day for filing papers and fees (Final Examinations), 21st January.

First Intermediate Examination, 24th January. Second Intermediate Examination, 26th January. Solicitor Examination, 31st January. Barrister Examination, 1st February.

EASTER TERM.

COMMENCES 21ST MAY.

Last day for Call Notices for E. T., 18th February.

Last day for Primary Notices, 21st April.

Primary Examination, 1st May. Graduates and Matriculants, 3rd May.

Last day for filing papers and fees (Final Examination), 5th May.

First Intermediate Examination, 8th May.
Second Intermediate Examination, 10th May.
Solicitor Examination, 15th May.
Barrister Examination, 16th May.

TRINITY TERM.

COMMENCES 3RD SEPTEMBER.

Last day for Call Notices for T. T., 9th June.
Last day for Primary Notices, 4th August.
Primary Examination, 14th August.
Graduates and Matriculants, 16th August.
Last day for filing papers and fees (Final Examination), 18th August.

First Intermediate Examination, 21st August. Second Intermediate Examination, 23rd August. Solicitor Examination, 28th August. Barrister Examination, 29th August.

MICHAELMAS TERM.

COMMENCES 19TH NOVEMBER.

Last day for Call Notices for M. T., 15th September.

Last day for Primary Notices, 20th October. Primary Examination, 30th October.

Graduates and Matriculants, 1st November.

Last day for filing papers and fees (for Final Examination), 3rd November.

First Intermediate Examination, 6th November Second Intermediate Examination, 8th November Solicitor Examination, 13th November.

Barrister Examination, 14th November.

SUPREME COURT OF CANADA.

GENERAL ORDER No. 83.

Whereas, by "The Supreme and Exchequer Courts Act," sec. 109, as amended by chap. 16 of he Act passed in the 51st year of Her Majesty's reign intituled "An Act to amend 'The Supreme and Exchequer Courts Act,' and to make better provision for the trial of claims against the Crown," it is provided that the judges of the Supreme Court, or any five of them, may, from time to time, make general rules and orders for certain purposes therein mentioned, and among others for empowering the registrar to do any such thing, and to transact any such business, and to exercise any such authority and jurisdiction in respect of the same, as by virtue of any statute or custom, or by the practice of the court, was at the time of the last mentioned act, or might be thereafter, done, transacted, or exercised by a judge of the court sitting in chambers, and as might be specified in such rule or order. It is therefore ordered :-

1. That the registrar of the Supreme Court of Canada be and is hereby empowered and required to do any such thing, and to transact any such business, and to exercise any such authority and jurisdiction in respect of the same, as by virtue of any statute or custom, or by the practice of the court, was at the time of the passing of the said last mentioned Act, and is now, or may be hereafter, done, transacted, or exercised by a judge of the said court sitting in chambers, except in matters relating to:—

(a) Granting writs of habeas corpus and adjudicating upon the return thereof,

(b) Granting writs of certiorari.