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than heretofore will then be necessary to enable them to do what is needful within the time limited, and it will not be the fault of the sub-treasurer if the rule is not strictly complied with.

CALLS TO THE BAR.

Out of twelve gentlemen who presented themselves for examination for Call to the Bar this term the six following passed—the answers of Messrs. Fleming and Stephens being so superior that they were not called upon for an oral examination:—James Fleming, Toronto; J. J. Stephens, Oweh Sound; J. Farley, St. Thomas; H. M. Wilson, Brantford; A. F. Smith, LL.B., Brampton; L. C. Moore, God-erich.

ATTORNEYS.

Certificates of fitness to practice as attorneys in the courts, were, during the same term, granted to the following gentlemen:—Messrs. Wilson, Wright, McFayden, Maron, Nicol, Burns, Read, Morden, Denmark, Jacob, Smith, Holmsted, Coyne.

Twenty-one gentlemen in all went up for examination for admission, out of whom thirteen were successful.

Mr. Coyne was highly complimented upon his answers to the papers. The same gentleman on a former occasion, when up for call, distinguished himself by the correctness and fullness of his answers, and was now as then passed without an oral examination.

OFFICE HOURS.

The following round-robin has been signed by nearly all the practitioners in this city:—

“We, the undersigned, Members of the Legal Profession, practising in the City of Toronto, hereby agree that our respective Offices be closed at three o'clock, instead of the usual Office hours, during the ensuing Midsummer Vacation; and that our respective Offices be closed for business at three o'clock in the afternoon on each SATURDAY throughout each year.”

This is intended to carry out what was talked of and partly done last year. As we said then so say we now, we heartily approve of it, provided the intention is fairly and *bona fide* carried out. The majority of the offices in other places will probably follow the lead.

ACT SUSPENDING THE HABEAS CORPUS ACT.

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE APPREHENSION AND DETENTION UNTIL THE EIGHTH DAY OF JUNE, ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVEN, OF SUCH PERSONS AS SHALL BE SUSPECTED OF COMMITTING ACTS OF HOSTILITY OR CONSPIRING AGAINST HER MAJESTY'S PERSON AND GOVERNMENT.

[As-ented to 8th June, 1866.]

Whereas certain evil disposed persons being subjects or citizens of Foreign Countries at peace with her Majesty, have lawlessly invaded this Province, with hostile intent, and whereas other similar lawless invasions of and hostile incursions into the Province are threatened; Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows:

1. All and every person and persons who is, are or shall be within Prison in this Province at, upon, or after the day of the passing of this Act, by warrant of commitment signed by any two Justices of the Peace, or under capture or arrest made with or without Warrant, by any of the officers, non-commissioned officers or men of Her Majesty's Regular, Militia or Volunteer Militia Forces, or by any of the officers, warrant officers or men of Her Majesty's Navy, and charged;

With being or continuing in arms against Her Majesty within this Province;

Or with any act of hostility therein;

Or with having entered this Province with design or intent to levy war against Her Majesty, or to commit any felony therein;

Or with levying war against Her Majesty in company with any of the subjects or citizens of any Foreign State or Country then at peace with Her Majesty;

Or with entering this Province in company with any such subjects or citizens with intent to levy war on Her Majesty, or to commit any act of Felony therein;

Or with joining himself to any person or persons whatsoever, with the design or intent to aid and assist him or them whether subjects or aliens, who have entered or may enter this Province with design or intent to levy war on Her Majesty, or to commit any felony within the same;

Or charged with High Treason or treasonable practices, or suspicion of High Treason, or treasonable practices;

May be detained in safe custody without Bail or mainprize until the eight day of June, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, and no Judge or Justice of the Peace shall bail or try any such person or persons so committed, captured or arrested without order from Her Majesty's Executive Council, until the eighth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, any Law or Statute to the con-