

CORRESPONDENCE—LAW SOCIETY.

the Law Society could not hold us guilty of unprofessional conduct in doing so, as conveyancing is evidently considered by them as well as our law makers as no longer a branch of the legal profession.

Yours truly, LEX.

26th Feb'y, 1881.

[As the subject-matter referred to above has now been brought formally before the Benchers by one of their number we shall refrain from comment at present.—Ed. C. L. J.]

To the Editor of the LAW JOURNAL :

SIR,—As a Law Student I take the liberty of troubling you with the following question and request an answer through the columns of the LAW JOURNAL. I have sought for the information from several barristers, most of whom differ in their opinions : A, a tenant in fee simple of certain lands, devises them "to B., and his *heirs* except his *grandfather*." What estate does B. take ?

Yours, etc.

J. A. M.

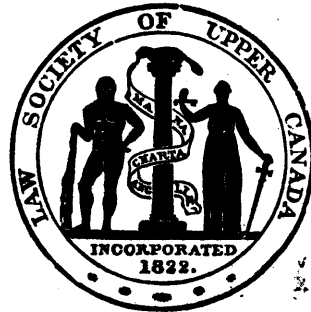
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[Our off-hand impression is that B. takes an estate in fee simple, the exception being void for repugnance. Perhaps some of our young friends will look up the point and give J. A. M. the benefit of their investigations.—Ed. L. J.]

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

F. G. M.—The subjects required of candidates for the Primary Examinations will be found in the last page of the LAW JOURNAL. You will there also see that these examinations can only be dispensed with in two cases : (1) graduates of Universities and (2) students of Universities who can present a certificate of having passed an examination in the prescribed subjects within four years of their application. The next primary examinations will begin on the 3rd of May next.

GENERAL RULES OF THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.—It has been ordered by Rule of Court issued on 11th inst., that rules Nos. 13 and 14 of the General Rules for the trial of controverted elections of members of the House of Commons made as of Michaelmas Term, 42nd Vis. H. T. 1878, be and the same are hereby rescinded.



Law Society of Upper Canada.

OSGOODE HALL.

HILARY TERM, 44TH VICt.

During this Term the following gentlemen were called to the Bar.

The names are arranged in the order in which they entered the Society, and not in the order of merit.

George A. Skinner, John Philpot Curran, Reginald Boulton, Harris Buchanan, Goodwin Gibson, William James Thorley Dickson, James Alexander Allan, Walter Alexander Wilkes, James Harley, William White, Daniel Erastus Sheppard, Wallace Nesbitt, James B. McKillop, Colin Campbell, Philip Henry Drayton, Thomas C. L. Armstrong, John Doherty, Alexander Dawson, Thomas Dickie Cumberland, J. Gordon Jones.

The following gentlemen were admitted into the Society as Students-at-Law.

GRADUATE.

Henry Gordon Mackenzie.

MATRICULANTS OF UNIVERSITIES.

James M. Knowlson, Edwin Mowat Henry, Edward Wilson Boyd, Reginald Rudgerd Boulton, William Arthur Campbell, Arthur Luke Rundle, Frederick Laing Fraser.

JUNIOR CLASS.

James F. Williamson, John Thacker, Edmund Walker Head Van Allen, Robert George Code, William Robert Smyth, William Nassau Irwin, Edward Herbert Ambrose, George Edgar Martin, John Smith Meek, Archibald McKechnie, William Henry Tweedale, Thomas Francis Johnson, Sidney Chilton Mewburn, George Hutchison Esten, William Lawrence Leslie.

The following gentlemen passed their examination as Articled Clerks.

Albert Wesley Benjamin, John Hamby, James Joseph Berry.

RULES

As to Books and Subjects for Examination, as varied in Hilary Term, 1880.

PRIMARY EXAMINATIONS FOR STUDENTS AND ARTICLED CLERKS.

A Graduate in the Faculty of Arts in any University in Her Majesty's Dominions, empowered to grant such Degrees, shall be entitled to admission upon giving six weeks' notice in accordance with the existing rules, and paying the prescribed fees, and