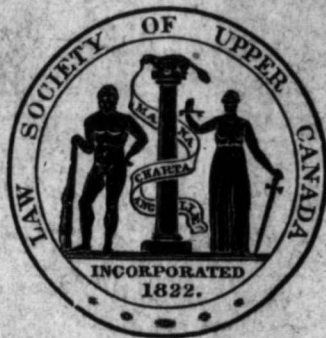


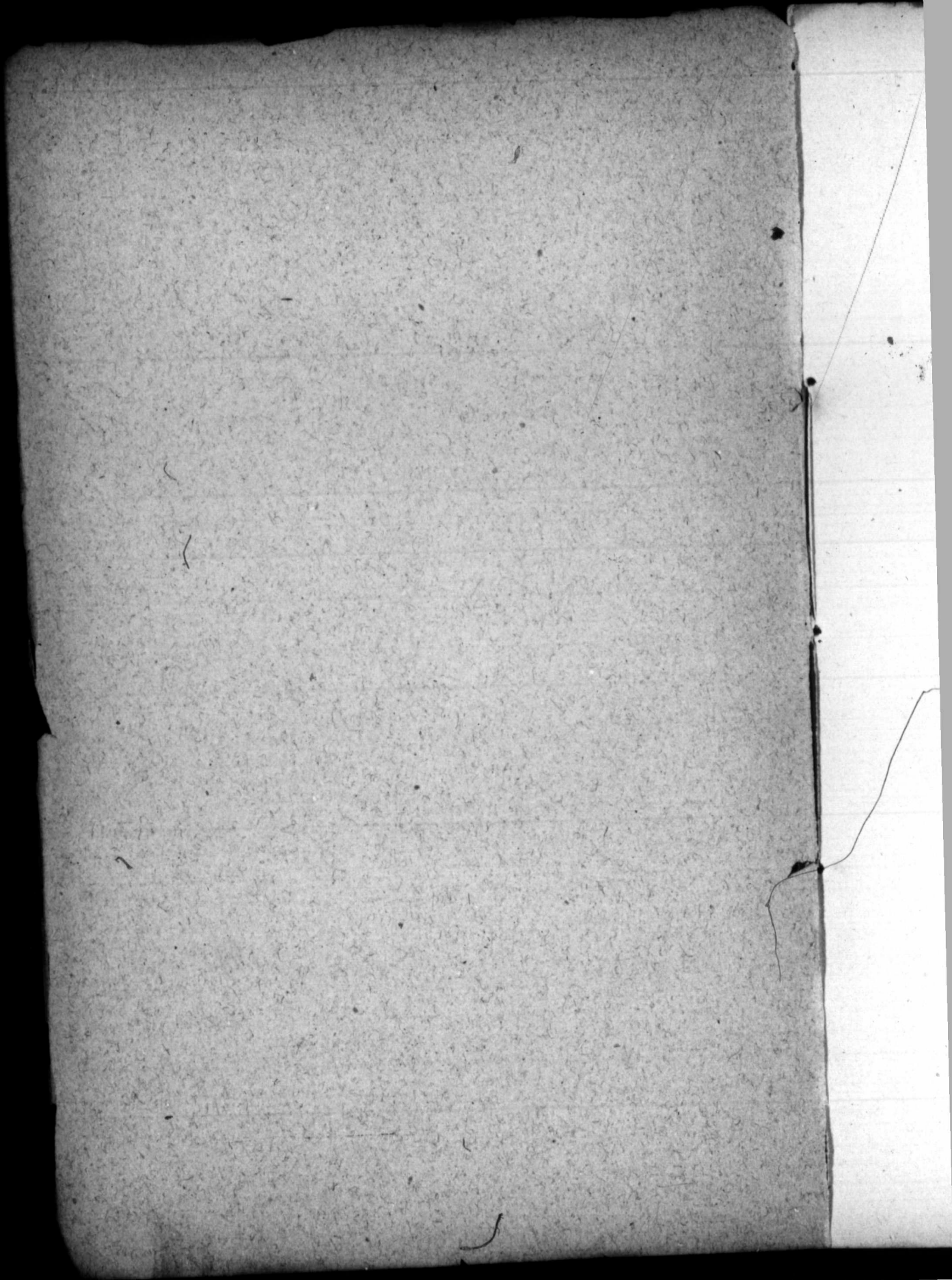
RULES
OF
THE LAW SOCIETY
OF
UPPER CANADA.

PASSED IN CONVOCATION, HILARY TERM,
44 VICTORIA,

AND APPROVED BY THE VISITORS OF THE
SOCIETY.



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THE BENCHERS OF THE LAW SOCIETY IN CONVOCATION, IN
 TRINITY TERM, 1ST & 2ND WM. IV., PASSED THE
 FOLLOWING

RESOLUTIONS OF CONVOCATION.

1. *Resolved*—That the Law Society of Upper Canada was established by Act of Parliament of Upper Canada, of the 37th Geo. III., chap. 13.
2. *Resolved*—That under that Act all persons duly entered of the Society and admitted on its Books, whether as Students or Barristers-at-Law, became by such entry and admission, to all intents and purposes whatsoever, Members of the Society.
3. *Resolved*—That by that Act the Society was empowered, with the approbation of the Judges of the Superior Courts as Visitors of the said Society, to make such Rules and Regulations as might be deemed necessary or proper for the government of the Society.

4. *Resolved*—That by a Rule of the Society of Michaelmas Term, 40th Geo. III., Cap. 2, passed by the Society on the 9th day of November, 1799, at a general meeting summoned by letter to all the Members, for the express purpose of altering and adding to the Rules and Regulations of the Society, and approved of by the Judges, according to the Statute, on the 16th day of January, 1800, it was provided that the Benchers of the Society for the time being should be considered Governors of the said Society, and have full power to make such Rules and Regulations from time to time as should or might be necessary for the welfare of the Society, subject to the inspection of the Judges.

5. *Resolved*—That by that rule the whole power of making Rules and Regulations for the government of the Society was duly transferred to and vested in the Convocation of Benchers.

6. *Resolved*—That by the Act of the Parliament of Upper Canada of 2nd Geo. IV., Cap. 5, the Rule above mentioned and the proceedings of the Benchers under it were recognized and followed up by a legislative enactment incorporating that portion of the Society in which the power of legislating for the whole body had been so vested.

7. *Resolved*—That while this last-mentioned Act of Parliament confers corporate powers upon the Treasurer and Benchers only, under the corporate name of "The Law Society of Upper Canada," it does not interfere with the right of membership of persons duly entered of the Society and admitted on its books as Students or Barristers-at Law, but leaves them members of the Law Society of Upper Canada, though not members of the Corporation of the Law Society of Upper Canada.

8. *Resolved*—That the powers conferred by this last-mentioned Act upon the Treasurer and Benchers, as well as all others with which they have been entrusted, are held by them in trust, and for the benefit of the Society at large, and not for the benefit of the Corporation of the Society only.

9. *Resolved*—That in fulfilling the various and important duties imposed upon it by the Constitution of the Society, the Convocation of the Benchers is frequently called upon to pass Rules for the government of the Society at large; to adopt Resolutions explanatory of the sense entertained by the Benchers of existing regulations, and upon different other matters connected with the profession; to make General Orders for the regulation of its own proceedings as a body;

and finally to direct by Particular Orders the executive business of the institution.

10. *Resolved*—That by the Act of Parliament of the 37th Geo. III., Cap. 13, it is provided that the Rules and Regulations for the Government of the Society shall be made with the approbation of the Judges, as Visitors of the Society.

11. *Resolved*—That the Judges have declined either to assent to, or dissent from resolutions of the Convocation, which did not contain provisions for the general government of the Society, expressly on the ground that their authority as Visitors under the statute did not extend to control any such proceedings of the Convocation.

12. *Resolved*—That under the Act of Parliament of the 37th Geo. III., Cap. 13, the approbation of the Judges is necessary only to the "Rules of the Society," that is, to such regulations as provide for the general government of the Society at large, or, as being general in their operation, contain provisions by which persons not members of the Convocation may be directly affected, and such are in no respect binding on the Society, or any member of it, until the Judges of the Province have duly approved thereof according to law.

13. *Resolved*—That, to "The Resolutions of the Convocation," that is, to such resolutions as are merely explanatory of the sense entertained by the Benchers, of existing rules or regulations, or upon other matters connected with the profession, the approbation of the Judges is in no wise necessary, but such are in every respect effectual for the purposes intended, and binding upon the Society at large, and upon every member thereof without such approbation.

14. *Resolved*—That to "The Standing Orders of the Convocation," that is, to such regulations of the Convocation as provide merely for the regulation of its own proceedings as a body, the approbation of the Judges is in no wise necessary, but such are in every respect effectual for the purposes intended, and binding upon the Society at large, and upon every member thereof without such approbation.

15. *Resolved*—That to "To the Particular Orders of the Convocation," that is, to such orders as are given by the Convocation in directing the executive business of the Institution, the approbation of the Judges is in no wise necessary, but such are in every respect effectual for the purposes intended, and binding upon the Society at large, and upon every member thereof without such approbation.

RULES

PASSED BY

THE LAW SOCIETY OF UPPER CANADA,

WITH THE APPROBATION OF THE

JUDGES OF THE SUPERIOR COURTS,

AS VISITORS OF THE SAID SOCIETY.

Finally passed in Convocation, Hilary Term, 44 Victoria.

[Approved by the Visitors of the Society.]

By the Benchers of the Law Society of Upper Canada in Convocation, with the approbation of the Judges of the Superior Courts, as Visitors of the said Society, it is Ordained as follows:

SEAT OF THE SOCIETY.

1. The permanent seat of the Law Society shall be at Osgoode Hall, in the City of Toronto.

CONVOCATION OF BENCHERS.

2. Any five Benchers shall be a quorum.

3. The Terms of the Society shall be the same as those of the Superior Courts of Common Law, as now defined by by statute.

4. The Convocation of the Benchers shall be held at the seat of the Society, in Term time, and on the last Tuesdays in June and December, in vacation, unless such days be holidays when Convocation shall be held on the following day. But special Meetings of Convocation, in case of Emergency, may be convened in Vacation by the Treasurer, upon the requisition of five members. Notices stating the objects of the Special Meeting are to be sent by post to each Bencher at least five days before the day of meeting.

5. Monday, Tuesday, and Saturday of the first week, Friday of the second week, and Saturday of the third week of Term shall be standing Convocation days, and the hour of meeting half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon, unless otherwise ordered, and the Convocation may adjourn from day to day, to any day previous to the next standing Convocation day. The members of the Bench shall appear in Convocation on the first and second days of meeting in each Term, in the costumes of Barristers appearing in Court.

6. In default of a quorum after the lapse of thirty minutes beyond the hour of meeting, on any Standing Convocation day, or on any adjournment, the Treasurer, or in his absence the Bencher being the senior Barrister present, may adjourn the meeting of Convocation to any other day in the same Term, previous to the next standing Convocation day.

7. The proceedings of the Benchers in Convocation shall be conducted as much as may be according to the ordinary Parliamentary mode.

8. No Draft Rule shall pass through more than two readings on the same day, but may pass through all its stages in the same Term, or be continued from Term to Term.

9. After any question is put, no further debate on the question shall be allowed, but the yeas and the nays shall be recorded at the request of any Bencher.

ORDER OF PROCEEDINGS IN CONVOCATION.

10. The Order of Proceedings at the ordinary meetings of Convocation be as follows :—

1. *On the First Day of Term :*

- (1) Reading the Minutes of last Meeting of Convocation.
- (2) Reports of the Examiners on the Examination of Candidates for Call, received, read, and approved, or otherwise disposed of.

(3) Call of Barristers in Convocation.

(4) Reports of the Examiners on the Examination of Candidates for admission as Attorneys, received, read, and approved, or otherwise disposed of.

(5) Reports of the Examiners on the Intermediate Examinations, received, read, and approved, or otherwise disposed of.

(6) Report of the Committee on Legal Education on the Primary Examinations, received and read.

(7) Reports of Standing or Special Committees received and read, and a time appointed for the consideration or adoption of the same.

(8) Petitions received, read, and referred.

(9) Communications received, read, and disposed of.

(10) Consideration of any other business especially appointed for the First Day of Term.

(11) Motions of which previous notice has been given.

(12) Notices of motion.

(13) Second reading of Draft Rules.

2. On other Business Days of Convocation.

(1) Reading the Minutes.

(2) Reports of Committees on Petitions respecting Call of Barristers, admission of Attorneys, or respecting Students or Clerks, or their Examinations; or on Special Cases under the Rules of June, 1876, and the consideration or adoption of the same.

(3) Reports of Standing or Special Committees, received, read, and a time appointed for the consideration or adoption of the same.

(4) Special Reports from the Examiners or Lecturers.

(5) Petitions received, read, and referred.

(6) Communications received, read, and disposed of.

(7) Consideration of any other business specially appointed for such day.

(8) Motions, of which previous notice has been given.

(9) Notices of motion.

(10) Second readings of draft rules.

11. It shall be the duty of the Secretary, at each meeting of Convocation, to read the minutes of the previous ordinary or special meeting, which, after being approved, shall be signed by the Treasurer, or the Chairman, *pro tem*.

COMMITTEES.

12. Any Committee of Convocation may sit in Vacation as well as in Term time, and may adjourn from time to time.

TREASURER.

13. The Treasurer for the time being shall preside in Convocation.

14. In case of the absence of the Treasurer, a Chairman, to preside in Convocation, shall be appointed by the Benchers present.

15. Such Chairman shall preside in Convocation, and in all things officiate as Treasurer during the absence of the Treasurer.

16. In case of a vacancy in the office of the Treasurer, or of the Treasurer elect, before entering upon the duties of the office, the Benchers present at the first meeting of Convocation next ensuing the occurrence of such vacancy shall, before proceeding to any other business, elect a Bencher to fill the office of Treasurer until the next statutory election.

17. The Treasurer may, if any unseen emergency render it necessary, summon a special meeting of Convocation for any day in Term time by giving notice thereof by telegraph or otherwise, and by affixing such notice in the Library of the Society at least one day previous to the day of meeting. (See form A in Appendix.)

EXAMINATION OF CANDIDATES.

18. There shall be an examination, according to the Rules and Regulations of this Society:

- (1) Of every Candidate for admission on the books of the Society as a Student-at-law.
- (2) Of every Student so admitted becoming a Candidate for call to the Bar.
- (3) Of every Candidate for Articled Clerk.
- (4) Of every Applicant for a certificate of fitness for an Attorney or Solicitor.

19. The examination, for admission on the books as Students-at-law, and for Articled Clerk, shall be conducted by the "Examiner or Examiners for Matriculation," as hereinafter provided.

20. The Examination of Candidates for Call to the Bar shall be partly in writing, by printed or written questions, to be answered in writing, and partly oral, under the supervision of the Examiners,

21. The examination of Applicants for Certificates of Fitness shall be conducted in like manner.

22. 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 on the books of the Society as a Student-at-law, upon giving six weeks notice in accordance with the existing rules, and paying the prescribed fees, and presenting to Convocation his Diploma or a proper Certificate of his having received his Degree without further examination by the Society.

23. All other Candidates for Matriculation shall give six weeks notice, pay the prescribed fees, and pass a satisfactory examination in the subjects and books set forth in the curriculum adopted by Convocation for the time being. (Vide Appendix E.)

24. A Student of any University in this Province, who shall present a Certificate of having passed within four years of his application, an examination in the subjects prescribed in the curriculum for the time being, shall be

entitled to admission as a Student-at-Law, or to be passed for an Articled Clerk, (as the case may be,) on giving the prescribed notice and paying the prescribed fee, without any further examination by the Society.

RULES AS TO EXAMINATION OF CANDIDATES
FOR STUDENT-AT-LAW, AND FOR ARTICLED
CLERK.

25. Notice of the intention of any person to apply for admission as a Student-at-law, or for examination for an Articled Clerk signed by a Bencher, and containing the name, addition, and family residence of the Candidate, must be delivered to the Secretary of the Society, at his office in Osgoode Hall, at least six weeks before the Term in which he seeks admission. (See Form B in the Appendix.)

26. The fees payable shall be as follows: With notice of intention to apply for Examination, one dollar; On presentation for Examination for Student-at-law, fifty dollars, and for Articled Clerk, forty dollars.

27. On failure to pass the Examination, ten dollars of each Examination fee shall be retained, and the rest paid back.

28. Term of service under Articles shall be effectual only from the date of passing Examination.

29. No one who has been admitted as a Student-at-law shall be required to pass a Preliminary Examination for an Articled Clerk.

30. The Examinations shall be partly in writing and partly oral, and shall be conducted in Osgoode Hall, by the "Examiner or Examiners for Matriculation," (who shall be appointed by the Benchers each Term for the succeeding Term,) in presence of the Examining Committee, or any two of them; and shall be commenced on Tuesday in the second week next before each Term, at ten o'clock, A.M.; and the same may be adjourned in such manner as may be found convenient.

31. In the event of no appointment of Examiner or Examiners being made by the Benchers during any Term, the Treasurer shall appoint an Examiner or Examiners for the next ensuing Examinations.

32. Notice of the day on which the Applicants are respectively required to attend for the purpose of being examined, shall, by the Secretary, be transmitted to them by post as soon as may be after each Term.

33. In case no such notice be received, attendance is to be given on the Tuesday above appointed for entering upon the Examinations.

34. No person shall be admitted as a Student-at-law or be passed for Articled Clerk who is not of the full age of sixteen years.

35. The Candidate must be presented to the Examining Committee by an instrument in writing, signed by a Barrister of the Ontario Bar, in a form approved of by the Society.

36. The Secretary shall, as soon as all the notices have been received, make out two lists containing the names, additions, and family residence of all the Candidates, for admission on behalf of whom notices of presentation have been regularly given, and shall affix one of such list in a conspicuous place in his office, and the other in the Convocation Chamber,

37. It shall be the duty of the Examiner or Examiners to prepare Papers on the subjects prescribed in the curriculum for the time being. Such papers shall be printed for use in the Examinations.

38. Candidates shall also be examined orally in the presence of the Examining Committee in Latin, and in such other of the above mentioned subjects as the Examining Committee may think proper, or the Examiners recommend.

PRIMARY EXAMINATIONS COMMITTEE.

39. The Legal Education Committee shall superintend as well the examinations of Candidates for Admission as Students-at-Law, as the examinations of Candidates for Articled Clerks.

40. Three of the said Committee shall be a quorum for the transaction of any business.

41. The said Committee, in concert with the "Examiner or Examiners for Matriculation," are hereby entrusted with the power and duty of superintending the Primary Examinations, and of arranging and settling the details thereof, in all respects not provided for by the Rules or Standing Orders of Convocation. The majority of the Examining Committee and the Examiner or Examiners shall determine upon the sufficiency of the examination of every Candidate, and in case of an equality of votes of the Committee and Examiner the Candidate shall be rejected.

CLASSIFICATION.

42. Graduates and Matriculants of Universities respectively shall be classed according to their rank, if Graduates or Matriculants in the same University; or according to the dates of their diplomas or degrees or certificates, if Graduates or Matriculants of different Universities.

43. Candidates passed in the other class shall be classed according to their merits.

PETITION, PRESENTATION, AND DEPOSIT OF FEES.

44. Every Candidate for admission shall, some convenient time previous to the examination day or the day on which he is to be examined, report himself to and deposit with the Sub-Treasurer, at Osgoode Hall, his presentation and the amount of fees payable on admission, together with his petition for admission, which presentation and petition respectively shall be in the terms, and shall contain the information required by the forms C and D contained in the appendix: and every Candidate for examination for Articled Clerk only shall do the like; his forms of presentation and petition, however, are to be varied to suit his case.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE.

45. The Committee, by a Report signed by the Chairman, shall, on the first day of the Term next after any Examination had, report to the Convocation the result of such Examination, specifying (when several have been examined) the names of those who have passed, and those

(if any) who have been rejected, stating in what branch they were found deficient, and specifying also the order in which those passed have been classed according to the decision of the Committee, except as hereinbefore mentioned; and such report shall, as respects each such Examination, be final, and no objection to the admission of any Candidate so passed shall be raised in Convocation on the ground of his education being deficient.

46. The first Monday of each Term shall be taken to be the admission day of the Students-at-Law who have been examined and reported as passed by the Examining Committee in any term although the report may not have been presented to Convocation upon the first day of the Term.

INTERMEDIATE EXAMINATIONS.

47. Every Articled Clerk presenting himself for Examination in any Term, under the Act respecting Attorneys at Law (Revised Statutes of Ontario chap. 140 sec. 6,) shall, on or before the day of Examination, file with the Secretary of the Law Society a certificate signed by such Clerk, stating the date of his articles of Clerkship, and of the filing thereof, the name of the Attorney to whom he was articulated, the number of assignments, if any, and the year of his service at the time of signing such certificate, and if he is a graduate of any University, stating the same. The particulars of such certificate shall be entered in a book for that purpose, to be kept by the Secretary; and no certificate shall be received or filed without the payment of one dollar to the Secretary.

(1.) From and after Michaelmas Term, 1880, the intermediate examinations shall take place during the third week before the beginning of each Term, the second intermediate shall take place on the Tuesday and Wednesday, and the first intermediate on the Thursday and Friday.

(2.) The Candidates for the second intermediate shall present themselves for examination at 9 o'clock, A.M., on the Tuesday, and Candidates for the first intermediate shall present themselves for examination at 9 o'clock, A.M., on the Thursday of the third week before each Term.

(3.) The Examinations shall be held as well in the Convocation room as in the Lecture room, for the more effectual isolation of the Students until the new Examination Hall shall be built.

(4.) There shall be a paper of questions prepared by each of the four Examiners for each of the two intermediate examinations.

(5.) There shall be a recess of one hour⁴ in each intermediate examination, each examination to begin at 9.30 A.M., and continue until 1 o'clock—then recess—and beginning again at 2 P.M., and ending at 5.30 P.M., two papers to be given out, and answers taken up in the morning session, and two in the afternoon session.

(6.) All four Examiners shall be present, and enter on the business of the examinations not later than 9.30 A.M., on each of the said four days, and shall be present, two in each room, during the whole of the examinations.

(7.) On the second day of each intermediate examination, the Honor and Scholarship Examination shall be conducted in one room, and the orals in the other; and for each of the Honor and Scholarship Examinations a paper of questions shall be prepared by each of the four Examiners, and they shall so manage and regulate the other details of the examinations as to secure the objects of the examinations, and the obtaining of the best and truest tests of the qualifications of the Candidates for the standing honors or scholarships to be awarded.

48. After each Examination is completed, the Examiners shall report and certify to Convocation the names of those examined, and whether they have or have not passed such Examination; and in accordance with such report and certificate after adoption by Convocation, the Secretary shall enter against the name of each in the book aforesaid, "Passed," or "Not Passed," with the date of such certificate and when passed, shall give him a certificate to that effect if required.

49. On the Final Examination for Certificate of Fitness the Secretary shall certify whether the candidate has passed the Preliminary and Intermediate Examinations, and the date of such passing. And any Articled Clerk being also a Student-at-Law, who, as such Student-at-Law,

has passed the Intermediate Examinations required by the next rule during his studentship, shall be allowed such Examinations as Examinations passed under the Statute, without further Examinations, on a certificate to that effect, by the Secretary of the Law Society.

STUDENTS-AT-LAW.

50. Every Student of the Laws entered as such on the books of the Law Society, shall be required to pass two Examinations before the Final Examination for Call to the Bar. The first of such Examinations in the third year after he has been so entered on the said books, and the second of such Examinations in the fourth year after he has been so entered, unless he be a Student of any University entitling him to call in three years from the date of his admission, and in such case the first of such Examinations shall be in his second year, and the third within the first six months of his third year.

51. Any Student being an Articled Clerk who, as such Articled Clerk, has passed the Examinations required by the Statute during his Clerkship, shall be allowed such Examinations as Examinations passed, without further Examination or certificate to that effect by the Secretary of the Law Society.

52. Every Student-at-law shall, on or before the day on which he goes up for Examination, file with the Secretary of the Law Society a certificate signed by him, stating the date when he was admitted on the Books of the Society, and if an Articled Clerk who has passed either or both of the Preliminary Examinations required by the Statute, stating the date or dates when such Examination or Examinations was or were passed, and the Secretary shall enter the said particulars in a book to be kept by him for such purpose, and shall enter in such book against the name of such student, "Passed," or "Not Passed," as the case may be; and no certificate shall be received or filed without the payment of one dollar to the Secretary, unless already paid under rule 47.

53. Every Student-at-law who has passed the said Examination shall be entitled to receive a certificate from the Secretary to that effect.

54. Convocation shall have power to alter the time of Examination in any case for special cause.

55. On the Final Examination for Call to the Bar, the Secretary shall certify whether the student presenting himself for such call has passed the Preliminary and Intermediate Examinations, with the dates thereof.

56. The subjects and books for the Intermediate Examinations shall be those mentioned in the Law Curriculum. (See G, Appendix.)

57. Candidates for Final Examination are subject to Examination on the subjects of the Intermediate Examinations.

SCHOLARSHIPS.

58. In each Term the Candidates who obtain at least three-fourths of the marks obtainable on the papers at either of the Intermediate Examinations, and at least one-third of the marks obtainable on the paper on each subject, shall be entitled to present themselves on the following day for a further written examination for honors on the same subjects, embracing the same number of questions, with the same aggregate value of marks obtainable in each subject.

59. The Candidates obtaining at least three-fourths of the aggregate marks obtainable on the papers in both the Pass and Honor Examinations, and at least one-half of the aggregate marks obtainable on the papers in each subject on both Examinations shall be passed with honors, and each Candidate so passed shall receive a diploma certifying to the fact.

60. Of the Candidates passed with honors, the first shall be entitled to a Scholarship of \$100, the second to a Scholarship of \$60, and the third to a Scholarship of \$40, and each scholar shall receive a diploma certifying to the fact.

EXAMINATION FOR CALL TO THE BAR, AND
FOR CERTIFICATE OF FITNESS.

61. No Student-at-Law upon the Books of this Society shall be called to the Bar until he shall have been five years, or if a graduate, three years, upon the Books; and no Candidate shall be called to the Bar or receive a Certificate of Fitness, unless he be of the full age of 21 years, nor without having been previously examined by the Examiners.

62. The Examinations for call to the Bar shall take place on the Thursday and Friday of the week next before each Term.

63. The Examination for Certificate of Fitness, shall take place on the Wednesday of the same week.

64. The hours for holding the Examinations, and the manner of conducting them, shall be the same as those prescribed for the Intermediate Examinations.

65. The Examiners shall deliver to each respective Candidate a copy of the questions to be by him answered, and each such Candidate shall then and there, under the supervision of such Examiners, frame written answers to such questions, and deliver the same to the Examiners.

66. The answers shall be delivered to the Examiners by 5-30, P.M., on the same day on which the questions are received for answer.

67. The ordinary Examinations prescribed for Call to the Bar shall be passed in all cases where special Acts of the Legislature are obtained for such Call with clauses requiring examination by this Society.

68. The subjects and books for the Examinations for Call and for Certificate of Fitness respectively, shall be those mentioned in the Law Curriculum for the time being for Final Examinations. (See Appendix H. for present Curriculum.)

NOTICE OF INTENDED APPLICATION FOR CALL.

69. Every Candidate for Call to the Bar, must cause a written notice in the form approved of by the Society, of

his intention to present himself for Call, signed by a Bench~~er~~ to be given to the Secretary at his office in Osgoode Hall, some day in the Term next preceding that on which he intends so to present himself. (Appendix I.)

70. The Secretary shall, on or before the second Saturday of every Vacation, make out two lists containing the names, additions, and residences of all the Candidates for Call, on behalf of whom notices of presentation have been regularly given, and shall affix one of such lists in a conspicuous place in his office, and the other in Convocation Chamber.

71. The Sub-Treasurer shall, on the first day of every Term, make a report in writing to the Convocation, stating—

- (1) That in the preceding Term notice of presentation had been properly given for such Candidate.
- (2) The day of the admission of such Candidate into the Society.
- (3) The Class of the Examination passed by such Candidate at the time of his admission, and
- (4) The Intermediate Examinations passed by such Candidate; to which report he shall append such Candidate's petition and presentation. Appendix M.

PRESENTATION FOR CALL.

72. Every Candidate for Call to the Bar must be presented to the Convocation by an instrument in writing, signed by a Barrister of Ontario, (see form J in Appendix) and execute a bond to the Society, with certificate in the forms K and L, contained in the Appendix.

BONDS TO BE GIVEN BY BARRISTERS.

73. Every gentleman shall, previous to his Call to the Bar, give a bond to the Corporation in the penal sum of four hundred dollars, with two responsible sureties to be approved of by the Treasurer, with a condition in the terms and to the effect of the form K contained in the appendix.

74. Every member of this Society, shall, after his Call to the Bar, pay to the Society, through its Treasurer, a Term fee of \$2 per annum.

DEPOSIT OF PETITION, PRESENTATION, BOND, AND FEES.

75. Every Student upon the Books of the Society, being a Candidate for Call to the degree of Barrister-at-Law, whose period of standing on the Books entitling him to present himself, has expired or will expire during the ensuing Term, shall on or before the third Saturday preceding the Term in which such Candidate petitions to be called, report himself to, and deposit with, the Sub-Treasurer, at Osgoode Hall, his presentation and bond, and the amount of fees payable on being called; and the Sub-Treasurer's receipt for such fees shall be sufficient to entitle the Student to appear before the Examiners, and to be by them examined for Call.

76. He shall, at the same time and place, deposit with the Sub-Treasurer his petition for Call, which petition shall contain a statement of his age, of the day on which the period of his standing on the books, necessary to entitle him to be called to the Bar, expired or will expire, the Intermediate Examinations he has passed, and the names of the persons under whose superintendence he has received his professional education, according to the form M, contained in the Appendix, which shall be deposited with the Sub-Treasurer at least fourteen days before the first day of the Term the Student shall desire to be a Candidate.

77. The Oral Examinations for Call shall take place on Friday and Saturday before Term.

78. No Examination shall be had upon any other day unless upon adjournment of all or any Examination not had or completed.

79. Every member of the Society on the Common Roll, being a candidate for Call to the Bar shall, when passed, be admitted to the Degree of Barrister in the order of precedence on the common Roll, unless the Convocation, at the time of his Examination being passed, otherwise order, and every candidate for Call to the Bar, by virtue of his having been called to any other Bar, shall, when called, take precedence next after the members of the Society of longer standing on the books called upon the same day.

80. Every gentleman, upon his being called to the Bar, shall appear before the Convocation in the costume of a Barrister appearing in Court, for the purpose of his being presented to the Superior Courts; and he may be so presented by any Benchers present in Court.

81. The form of the Diploma of Barrister-at-Law of this Society, shall be in the form N, in the Appendix.

82. In case a quorum of five Benchers do not attend in Convocation on any day, or any adjournment thereof, the Benchers present, (being not less than three), may, after the lapse of half an hour beyond the hour appointed for the meeting, proceed in the name and on the behalf of the Society, to dispose of any application for admission on the books as students, or of any application for Call or for certificate of Fitness, by any persons whose petitions stand regularly on the order of such day to be proceeded with, and may hold and dispose of examinations and applications as such Benchers deem proper; and the action of such Benchers thereon, shall have the like validity and effect as if the same had been disposed of in full Convocation.

CERTIFICATES OF FITNESS FOR ADMISSION AS ATTORNEYS OR SOLICITORS.

83. All applications for Certificates of Fitness for Attorney or Solicitor under the Act shall be by petition in writing, addressed to the Benchers of the Society in Convocation, and every such petition, together with the documents required by, and the fees payable to this Society under the said Act, or under the rules of the said Courts, or those of this Society, shall be left with the Secretary of the Society at Osgoode Hall, on or before the third Saturday next before the term in which such a petition is to be presented, and the Sub-Treasurer's receipt for such fees shall be sufficient authority to the "Examiners" to examine the applicant by written or printed questions

84. Every Candidate for a Certificate of Fitness for an Attorney or Solicitor under the said Act, shall with his petition for such certificate, leave with the Secretary of the Society at Osgoode Hall, answers to the several questions

set forth in the Schedule A, to this rule annexed, and also answers to the questions set forth in the Schedule to this rule annexed, marked "B," signed by the Attorney or Solicitor with whom such Articled Clerk has served his clerkship, together with the certificate in the said last-mentioned schedule also contained.

85. In case any such Candidate at the time of leaving his petition for Certificate of Fitness and papers, with the Secretary of this Society as hereinbefore provided, proves to the satisfaction of the said Secretary, that it has not been in his power to procure the answers to the questions contained in the same schedule "B," from the Attorney or Solicitor with whom he may have served any part of the time under his articles, or from the agent of such Attorney or the Certificate of Service therein also contained, the said Secretary shall state such circumstances specially in his report to Convocation on such Articled Clerk's petition.

EXAMINATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF FITNESS.

86. Candidates for Certificates of Fitness shall be examined in writing, and orally in like manner as Candidates for Call "simply."

87. The Secretary shall report upon the petition of every Candidate for Certificate of Fitness for Attorney or Solicitor, and such report, together with the petitions and documents to which they refer, shall be laid on the table of Convocation on the first day of term; he shall also make a Supplementary Report upon the articles of clerkship when received by him, of applicants whose term of service expires during the Term.

SCHEDULE A.

88. The following questions are to be answered by the Clerk himself:

1st. What was your age at the date of your articles?

2nd. Have you served the whole term of your articles at the office where the Attorney or Attorneys to whom you were articled or assigned carried on his or their business? And if not, state the reason.

3rd. Have you, at any time during the term of your articles, been absent without permission of the Attorney

or Attorneys to whom you were articled or assigned? And if so, state the length and occasion of such *absence*.

4th. Have you, during the period of your articles been engaged or concerned in any profession, business, or employment other than your professional employment as clerk to the Attorney or Attorneys to whom you were articled or assigned?

5th. Have you, since the expiration of your articles been engaged or concerned, and for how long a time in any, and what profession, trade, business, or employment, other than the profession of Attorney or Solicitor?

SCHEDULE B.

89. The following questions are to be answered by the Attorney or Solicitor, or his Agent, with whom the Clerk may have served any part of the time under his articles, with the Certificate of such Attorney, Solicitor, or Agent:

1st. Has A. B. served the whole term of his articles at the office where you carry on your business? And if not, state the reason.

2nd. Has the said A. B., at any time during the term of his articles, been absent without your permission? and if so, state the length and occasion of such *absence*.

3rd. Has the said A. B., during the period of his articles, been engaged or concerned in any profession, business, or employment other than his professional employment as your articled clerk?

4th. Has the said A. B., during the whole term of his clerkship, with the exceptions above-mentioned, been faithfully and diligently employed in your professional business of an Attorney or Solicitor?

5th. Has the said A. B., since the expiration of his articles, been engaged or concerned, and for how long a time in any, and what profession, trade, business, or employment other than the profession of an Attorney or Solicitor?

6th. And I do hereby certify that the said A. B. has duly and faithfully served under his articles of clerkship (or assignment, as the case may be) bearing date, &c., for the term therein expressed; and that he is a fit and proper person to be admitted as an Attorney.

90. No Certificate of Fitness shall be signed or issued to the parties entitled till after the rising of Convocation on the day on which Convocation shall have ordered that they should receive their certificate unless it shall be convenient for the Treasurer, or Chairman for the time being of Convocation to sign the same before the rising of Convocation on that day.

HONOR EXAMINATIONS AND REWARDS OF MERIT IN CONNECTION WITH CALL TO THE BAR.

91. Before each Term the persons who obtain at least three-fourths of the marks obtainable on the papers at the the Examination for Call, and at least one-third of the marks obtainable on the paper on each subject, shall be entitled to present themselves on the following day for a further written Examination for Honors in the same subjects, embracing the same number of questions, with the same aggregate value of marks obtainable in each subject.

92. The persons obtaining at least three-fourths of the aggregate number of marks obtainable on the Papers in both the Pass and the Honor Examinations and at least one half of the aggregate marks obtainable on the Papers in each subject in both Examinations, shall be called with Honors, and the Diploma of each person so called shall certify to his Call with Honors.

93. Of the persons called with Honors the first three shall be entitled to Medals, on the following conditions:—

The first : if he has Passed both Intermediate Examinations with Honors, to a Gold Medal otherwise to a Silver Medal :

The second : if he has Passed both Intermediate Examinations with Honors, to a Silver Medal, otherwise to a Bronze Medal :

The third : if he has Passed both Intermediate Examinations with Honors, to a Bronze Medal, and the Diploma of each Medallist shall certify to his being such Medallist.

For the purposes of this rule only, the passing of any Intermediate Examination previously taken without an Oral, shall be deemed equivalent to passing such Examination with Honors.

RULES FOR THE CALL OF BARRISTERS IN
SPECIAL CASES UNDER REVISED STATUTES,
ONTARIO, CHAPTER 138, SECTION 38.

94. The following persons may, as special cases, be called to practice at the Bar in Ontario:

1. Any person who has been duly admitted and enrolled, and has been in actual practice as an Attorney and Solicitor of the Superior Courts of Ontario, or as a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of Judicature in England, or as an Attorney or Solicitor in the Courts of Chancery, Queen's Bench, Common Pleas, or Exchequer, in Ireland, or as a Writer to the Signet or Solicitor in the Superior Courts of Scotland, or an Attorney or Solicitor in the Superior Courts of the other Provinces of the Dominion in which the same privilege is extended to Attorneys and Solicitors of Ontario.

2. Any person who has been duly called to the Bar by any of the Inns of Court, or Societies having authority to call to the Bar of any of the Superior Courts of England, Ireland, or Scotland.

3. Any person who has been duly called to the Bar of any of the Superior Courts of the other Provinces of the Dominion in which the same privilege is extended to Barristers of Ontario.

95. Every such person before being called to the Bar shall furnish proof—

1. That notice of his intention to apply for call to the Bar was given during the term next preceding that in which he presents himself for call, and was also published for at least two months preceding such last mentioned term in the *Ontario Gazette*.

2. That he was duly admitted and enrolled, and has been in actual practice as an Attorney, or Solicitor, or Writer, as mentioned in sub-section 1 of rule 94, and that he still remains duly enrolled as such, and in good standing; and that since his admission, as aforesaid, no adverse application had been made to any Court or Courts to strike him off the roll of any Court, or otherwise to disqualify him from practice as such Attorney, Solicitor, or Writer, and that no charge is pending against him for professional or other misconduct.

3. Or that he was duly called to, and is still a member in good standing of the Bar, as mentioned in sub-sections 2 and 3 of rule 94, and that since his call no adverse application had been made to disbar, or otherwise to disqualify him from practice at the Bar of which he claims to be a member, and that no charge is pending against him for professional or other misconduct.

4. That he has passed one or more examinations as hereinafter prescribed.

(1.) An Attorney, Solicitor, or Writer, of at least five years' standing on the Rolls of any of the Courts mentioned in the said sub-section 1, of rule 94, shall be examined with the ordinary candidates for Call in the subjects prescribed for the final examination of Students-at-Law.

(2.) An Attorney or Solicitor, or Writer, under five years' standing on the rolls of any of the Courts mentioned in the said sub-section 1 of rule 94, shall be examined with candidates for admission in the subjects prescribed for the primary examination of Students-at-Law, and with the ordinary candidates for call in the subjects prescribed for the final examination of Students-at-Law, and such examinations may be passed at the one term or otherwise, as the candidate may desire.

(3.) A Barrister, as mentioned in sub-sections 2 and 3 of rule 94, shall pass such examination as may be prescribed at the time of his application for call.

96. The fees payable by such candidates for call to the Bar, in addition to the ordinary fees payable for admission and for call shall be the sum of two hundred dollars.

RULES FOR THE ADMISSION OF ATTORNEYS
AND SOLICITORS IN SPECIAL CASES UNDER
REVISED STATUTES, ONTARIO, CHAPTER 138,
SECTION 41.

97. The following persons may, as special cases, be admitted and enrolled as Attorneys and Solicitors of the Superior Courts of Ontario.

1. Any person who has been duly called to practise at the Bar in Ontario or in any of the Superior Courts, not having merely local jurisdiction, in England, Ireland, or Scotland, or in any of the Superior Courts in other Provinces of the Dominion, in which the same privilege is extended to Barristers of Ontario.

2. Any person who has been duly admitted and enrolled as a Solicitor in the Supreme Court of Judicature in England, or as an Attorney and Solicitor in the Courts of Chancery, Queen's Bench, Common Pleas, or Exchequer, in Ireland, or as a Writer to the Signet, or Solicitor in the Superior Courts of Scotland, or as an Attorney or Solicitor in the Superior Courts of the other Provinces of the Dominion in which the same privilege is extended to Attorneys and Solicitors of Ontario.

98. Every such person before being admitted to practice as an Attorney and Solicitor, shall furnish proof:—

1. A Barrister, as mentioned in sub-section 1) of rule 97, that he has for three years prior to such application, been in actual practice as such Barrister, and resident in the country in which he has been so called to the Bar.

2. An Attorney, Solicitor, or Writer (as mentioned in sub-section 2 of rule 97,) that he has for five years prior to such application, been in actual practice as such Attorney, Solicitor, or Writer, and resident in the country, in which he has been so admitted; or, that he was bound by a contract in writing to a practising Attorney or Solicitor in Ontario to serve him as his articled clerk for the period of one year.

3. That in case of service as above mentioned, he duly served during the Term specified in his contract of service, and was during the whole of such Term actually employed in the proper practice or business of an Attorney or Solicitor, by the Attorney or Solicitor to whom he was bound,

or for a portion of such term, by the Professional Agent of such Attorney or Solicitor in Toronto.

4. That he has passed the usual examination in the subjects prescribed for the examination of candidates for Certificates of Fitness to practise as Attorneys and Solicitors in Ontario.

5. That notice of his intention to apply for admission as such Attorney and Solicitor was given during the Term next preceding that in which he presents himself for examination and admission, and was also published for at least two months preceding such last mentioned Term in the Ontario *Gazette*.

6. In the case of a Barrister, that prior to his application, he was duly called to the Bar as mentioned in sub-section 1 of rule 97; and that since his call he has been in actual practice and resident as mentioned in sub-section 1 of rule 98; and that no application had been made to disbar or otherwise to disqualify him from practice at the Bar, of which he claims to be a member, and that no charge is pending against him for professional or other misconduct.

7. In the case of an Attorney, Solicitor, or Writer, that he was duly sworn, admitted, and enrolled an Attorney, or Solicitor, or Writer, as mentioned in sub-section 2 of rule 97; and that since his admission as aforesaid he has been in actual practice and resident as mentioned in sub-section 2 of rule 98; and that no application had been made to any such Court or Courts to strike him off the roll of any such Court, or otherwise disqualify him from practice as such Attorney, Solicitor or Writer, and that no charge is pending against him for professional or other misconduct.

99. The fees payable by such Candidates for admission to practice, in addition to the ordinary fees for articled clerks and for admission, shall be the sum of two hundred dollars.

COMMITTEES.

100. The following "Standing" Committees shall be annually elected on the same day on which the Treasurer is elected in Easter Term, and shall hold office until the appointment of their successors:—

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| 1. Finance. | 5. Discipline. |
| 2. Library. | 6. Journals and Printing. |
| 3. Reporting. | 7. County Libraries Aid. |
| 4. Legal Education. | |

101. Each Standing Committee shall consist of seven members in addition to the Treasurer who shall be ex-officio a member of all Standing Committees, and three members of any Committee shall constitute a quorum, unless otherwise specially ordered.

102. Any vacancy in any Committee shall be filled up at the first business meeting of Convocation held after the occurrence of such vacancy.

103. Each Standing Committee charged with the management of business affecting the finances of the Society, shall annually prepare an estimate of the probable receipts and expenditure for the year, in respect of their branches of the business. Such estimates shall be submitted to the Finance Committee during the Vacation prior to Hilary Term in each year, and the Finance Committee shall report thereon to Convocation with its own observations.

COMMITTEE OF FINANCE.

104. The Committee of Finance shall be charged with the management of the Finances of the Society, and all matters relating to its resources and expenditure, and may appropriate from time to time such sums as may be required for expenditure by other Standing Committees, and shall certify such other accounts as may be incurred, and order their payment.

105. The whole executive management and control of those portions of Osgoode Hall, and the grounds attached thereto, in the exclusive occupation of the Society shall be vested in the Finance Committee, subject to the orders and supervision of the Benchers in Convocation.

106. The Finance Committee may make any arrangements that may be deemed advisable for increased accommodation for Examinations.

107. The annual statement of receipts and expenditure shall be printed, and in accordance with the Statute R. S. O. cap. 138 sec. 48, a copy of such statement shall be sent

by mail with the first number of the current Reports, to every practitioner who has taken out his certificates.

108. A cash book shall be opened in which items of receipts and expenditure shall be extended in parallel columns, under several principal heads, from which they are to be posted into the Ledger under such heads.

OFFICERS.

109. Besides the Treasurer, there shall be the following officers of this Society :

1. A Secretary who shall be ex-officio Sub-Treasurer and Librarian.

2. An Editor who shall superintend the publishing of the Reports.

3. A Reporter for each of the Superior Courts of Law and Equity. A Reporter for the Court of Appeal and Election cases ; and two Reporters for Common Law and Chancery Chambers.

4. Four Examiners.

5. An Examiner or Examiners for Matriculation.

6. Two general assistants who are to take their instructions from and obey the orders of the Secretary.

110. The Officers above mentioned shall hold office during the pleasure of Convocation, and shall perform all such duties as may be assigned to them respectively by the rules of the Society, or by the Standing Orders, or by any special orders of Convocation.

111. No person shall be appointed an officer of the Society (other than Examiner, for Matriculation,) except after at least one week's notice by the Secretary, of the intention to appoint, given by circular to each Benchér ; provided it shall, nevertheless, be competent for the Treasurer to temporarily fill any vacancies which the exigencies of the case may require to be filled.

112. On the removal of any Reporter by the Society, his salary shall cease upon his removal.

SALARIES.

OF REPORTERS.

113. The salary of the Editor-in-Chief shall be two thousand dollars per annum. The salary of the Reporter for each of the Superior Courts of Common law and Equity, and for the Court of Appeal and Election cases, shall be twelve hundred dollars per annum. The salary of each of the Reporters for Common Law and Chancery Chambers, shall be three hundred dollars per annum, and each and every of the said salaries shall be payable monthly.

114. The salaries of the Reporters shall not be paid unless upon the Certificate of the Editor-in-Chief that the work of the reporter has been done to his satisfaction.

OF EXAMINERS.

115. The salaries of the Examiners shall be six hundred dollars per annum each, payable quarterly.

116. The Examiners shall in future be elected for four years each, subject to removal at the discretion of Convocation.

117. The Examiners are to carry on their various Examinations on such days and at such hours as are, or may be appointed, or as may be deemed advisable by the Legal Education Committee and the said Examiners, due notice being given.

OF EXAMINERS FOR MATRICULATION.

118. The Examiners for Matriculation shall be paid on the following scale, namely:—That they be allowed sixteen dollars each for preparing their papers as a fixed fee, and a further sum of one dollar each for each student examined by them.

OF SECRETARY, SUB-TREASURER AND LIBRARIAN, AND ASSISTANTS.

119. (1) The salary of the Secretary shall be two thousand dollars per annum, payable monthly.

(2) The salary of one of the General Assistants shall be six hundred dollars per annum, and of the other General Assistant four hundred dollars per annum, payable monthly.

FEES.

120. Every Student upon his admission shall pay the sum of \$50, and the further sum of \$100 when called to the Bar.

121. In case any Candidate for Examination for Articled Clerk, or for admission on the books as a Student, or for Call to the Bar, or for a Certificate of Fitness for an Attorney or Solicitor, fails to pass the necessary Examination, or be rejected on any other ground, the fee required to be deposited by him for the use of the Society according to the Statute or the Rules of the Society, shall be returned to him by the Treasurer less \$10.

122. Every Candidate shall pay with his Notice
for Admission as Student-at-Law\$ 1 00
And previous to his Examination 50 00
123. Every Candidate for Examination for
Articled Clerk with his Notice shall pay ..\$ 1 00
And previous to his Examination 40 00
124. Every Candidate with Notice of Call to
the Degree of Barrister-at-Law shall pay ..\$ 1 00
And previous to his Examination100 00
125. Every Candidate for Certificate of Fitness,
shall on leaving Articles pay\$60 00
126. On every petition to Convocation for special
relief\$ 2 00
- For every Certificate of Admission as Stu-
dent-at-Law, if required 1 00
- For every Certificate of having passed the
Articled Clerk's Examination (Primary),
if required 1 00
- For every Barrister's Diploma, if required.. 2 00

127. Whenever an Attorney receives a Certificate of Fitness as an Attorney, entitled under either a special Statute or General Statutes applying to Attorneys of the Courts of the United Kingdom or Colonies, he shall pay the full fees as if he had been articled and admitted after the usual service in Ontario, in addition to the special fee under the rule 102.

ACCOUNT AND AUDIT.

128. The Sub-Treasurer shall lay before the Finance Committee on the last Friday of each month, a debit and credit statement of account of all moneys received up to and including the last day of the preceding month.

129. Such statement of account shall show all deposits made into the Bank of the Society to the credit of the Society; and of all checks drawn upon such Bank, and shall also show all disbursements made, and be accompanied with vouchers connected therewith.

130. Such accounts shall be audited monthly by a professional auditor appointed for that purpose.

FISCAL MATTERS.

131. The Bank of Toronto shall be the Bank of deposit and account for the "Law Society of Upper Canada," and the Treasurer and Sub-Treasurer, shall from time to time deposit therein and to the credit of the Law Society, all moneys received for and on account of the Society, which being done, such deposit shall exonerate the Treasurer or Sub-Treasurer making such deposit.

132. The moneys of the said Society, deposited in the said Bank, shall be drawn for, and paid out upon a check signed by the Treasurer, or in case of his absence, by the Chairman, or in his absence any other member of the Finance Committee, and always countersigned by the Sub-Treasurer for the payment of salaries, contingencies, and other accounts from time to time required to be paid by the Rules or Orders of the Society, or by any Committee acting under or in accordance with any such Rules or Orders.

DUTIES OF THE SECRETARY.

133. In addition to the duties required of the Secretary by any Statute—

(1.) He shall keep the minutes of the proceedings in Convocation, with a proper index thereto, and record the names of the Benchers present ; make up the journals, conduct all necessary Correspondence prepare all necessary Diplomas, Certificates, and other documents appertaining to his department, and perform all other services incidental to the office.

(2) He shall cause to be published in the *Canada Law Journal* as soon as may be after each Term :

- (a) The names of all Benchers elected or appointed during the previous Term.
- (b) The name of the Treasurer (if any) elected during such Term.
- (c) The names of all gentlemen upon whom the Degree of Barrister-at-Law was conferred during such Term, in the order of their call.
- (d) The names of all members admitted into the Society as Students-at-Law or passed for Articled Clerks, during each Term, with the date, class, and order of their admissions and times of passing.
- (e) Such portions of the Rules or Standing Orders of the Society respecting the Examination of Candidates for admission on the books as Students-at-Law, for Call to the Bar, and for Certificates of Fitness, specifying the subjects and books from time to time prescribed for such Examinations respectively, as shall be sufficient to give every necessary information to all parties interested in the premises.
- (f) A *resumé* of the business of Convocation during Term, under the superintendence of the Journals Committee.

(3.) He shall forthwith, after each Examination, post in a conspicuous place in the Library, a list, shewing the names of successful Candidates.

134. The Secretary, under the direction of the Finance Committee, shall have the general charge of the grounds and buildings thereon, which may be in the exclusive occupation of the Society.

135. The Secretary for the time being shall be required to give security by bond of some Guarantee Company to the Society to the extent of five thousand dollars for the due performance of the duties of the office, the Society to pay one half the premium therefor.

RESIDENCE IN THE HALL.

136. No persons, except Officers or Servants of the Society, shall be permitted to reside in those portions of Osgoode Hall in the exclusive occupation of the Society.

LIBRARY.

LIBRARY COMMITTEE.

137. It shall be the duty of the Library Committee to assume the general supervision and management of the Library, and to purchase books therefor, as in their judgment may be necessary.

138. The Secretary shall have the immediate and general charge of the Library, under the superintendence of the Library Committee.

139. The Library Committee may expend the sum of \$1,000 annually in the purchase of books, for the use of the Library, and the Treasurer and Sub-Treasurer are hereby authorized to pay the amount as from time to time required by the Committee.

STANDING ORDERS FOR THE REGULATION OF THE LIBRARY.

140. The following shall be the Standing Orders for the regulation of the Library :—

(1) The Library shall be kept open for the use of the Members of the Law Society :

- (a) During any sitting of the Court of Chancery and in Term time daily, except Sundays and Holidays, from half-past nine o'clock, A.M., until five o'clock, P.M., or until the Courts rise, if sitting at five o'clock.
- (b) In Vacation daily, except Saturdays, Sundays, and Holidays, from half-past nine o'clock, A.M., until five o'clock, P.M., except in the Long and Christmas Vacations, when it shall be opened at ten A.M., and closed at three o'clock, P.M.
- (c) On Saturdays it shall be opened at half-past nine. A.M., and closed at three, P.M.
- (2) No conversation shall be carried on in the Library,
- (3) No person shall bring his hat into the Library, nor place his greatcoat, cloak, &c., on any table or chair therein.
- (4) No book shall be carried out of the Library, except under the circumstances authorized by order of Convocation.
- (5) It shall be the duty of any person using a book to restore it to its place in the Library, immediately after using the same.
- (6) It shall be the duty of the Librarian to report to the Convocation in Term, any infringement of the Rules or Orders of the Society for the Regulation of the Library.
- (7) It shall be the duty of the Librarian, under the direction of the Library Committee, to procure and place in the Library, from time to time, the reports of the Superior Courts of Law and Equity in England; and such other books as the Committee shall order.
- (8) The County Court Judges of the Province of Ontario shall have the privilege of using the Benchers' rooms while at Osgoode Hall.
- (9) The Judges of the Superior Courts respectively, the Master in Chancery, the Clerk of the Crown and Pleas of the Court of Queen's Bench, and the Referee in Chambers, shall be at liberty to take books from the Library, upon application to the Librarian, and any member of the Law Society requiring the use of any book upon the argument of a case in Osgoode Hall, shall be at liberty to have such book, upon application to the Librarian, such book to be returned to its place in the Library immediately after the close of

the argument for which it may have been required. Books taken from the Library in pursuance of this rule to be in all cases returned the same day, and any person taking any book from the Library otherwise than upon such application, or failing to return the same in the manner hereby directed, to forfeit the benefit allowed by this rule, until restored thereto by order of Convocation or of the Treasurer.

(10) For the application to the Librarian mentioned in the last sub-section, it shall be sufficient to enter the name and volume of the book required and of the person taking the same in a register book, which shall be kept in the Library for that purpose.

141. The Library shall be heated and lighted at the expense of the Society, according to any arrangements which may be from time to time made by the Committee of Finance.

COUNTY LIBRARIES.

Rule adopted June 24th, 1879, in pursuance of the report dated June 17th, 1879.

142. "That Branch Law Libraries for the use of the Courts and the Profession be established in each County Town, on the following conditions:"—

(1.) That to "The County Libraries Aid Committee," shall stand referred all correspondence on the subject, and the Committee shall have power, subject to the directions of Convocation, to work the scheme so far as the Society is concerned; the Finance Committee retaining its control over expenditure.

(2.) That the Practitioners in any County or union of Counties may form a Library Association, under chapter 168 of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, by the name of "The (name of the county town or the county, or union of counties), Law (or Law Library) Association." ♦

(3.) That it shall be provided by the Constitution of the Association, that—

(a) The Trustees thereof shall hold all the books thereof on trust, in case of the dissolution or winding-up of the Association, or the disposal of its property, to satisfy and repay to the Law Society all sums advanced by the Society to the Association.

- (b) That a room for the custody and use of the books, and proper arrangements for their custody, shall be provided if possible in the Court House.
 - (c) That the books shall be for the use of the Judges of the County and of those Practitioners who become members of the Association and pay the prescribed annual and other fees, and also for use, during Courts and hearings before the Master in Chancery, of the Judges, and of all members of the Profession residing out of the county.
 - (d) That the prescribed annual and other fees shall not exceed for those Practitioners who do not keep offices in the county town one-half of the amount fixed for those who do keep offices in the county town.
 - (e) That at least one-half of the said fees and the whole of the aid at any time granted by the Law Society, shall be applied in the purchase, binding, and repairing of books for the Library.
 - (f) That the Association shall make an Annual Report to the Law Society, shewing the state of its finances, and of its library, with such other particulars as may be required by the Standing Committee.
- (4.) That the Association shall transmit to the Law Society proof of its Incorporation, and a copy of its declaration and By-laws containing the above provisions, and proof of the condition of its funds and Library; and proof that it has acquired a suitable room therefor, with such other particulars as may be required by the Standing Committee.
- (5) That the Standing Committee being satisfied that the conditions above named have been complied with, may report thereon to the Finance Committee; stating the amount to which, on the principle hereinafter stated, the Association is entitled, and thereupon the Finance Committee may authorize payment thereof.
- (6) That, it being expedient (with a view to encouraging the formation of the Libraries), to grant more liberal aid during the early years after their institution, the grant in
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aid from the Society shall be for the initiatory or first grant an amount double the amount of the contributions in money actually paid, or of the value of books actually given, from all local sources, such grant, however, not exceeding a maximum sum of six dollars for each practitioner in the county or union of counties; and for each of the first, second, and third years an amount double the amount of the fees actually paid by such practitioners to the Association, such grant, however, not exceeding a maximum sum of four dollars for each practitioner; and for each of the fourth and fifth years an amount equal to the amount of the fees so actually paid; such grant, however, not exceeding four dollars for each practitioner, and that after the end of five years, by which time the working of the scheme will have been tested by practical experience, the whole question be open for reconsideration.

(7) That such annual grant be payable on the 31st day of December in each year next after the termination of the fiscal year of the Association, provided the required reports and information have been supplied on or before the 1st day of the said month of December; and that in case of default the grant be not payable for three months after such reports or information have been supplied.

(8) That the Standing Committee shall report to Convocation on the first day of Hilary Term in each year on their operations for the previous year.

REPORTERS.

143. There shall be an Editor to peruse, select, and publish the decisions of the Superior Courts of Law and Equity; and from time to time distinct Reporters being Barristers-at-Law upon the Roll of this Society appointed by this Society, for the several Courts of Queen's Bench, Chancery, Common Pleas, the Court of Appeal, and Common Law, and Chancery Chambers.

144. The respective Reporters for the time being, of the Courts shall personally attend the sittings of the Court of which they are Reporters, every day in each Term, and in the sittings, after each Term, during the whole period of such Sittings, and one of such Reporters shall attend each sittings of the Court held by a single Judge and such

Reporters shall note concisely the arguments of counsel, prepare a statement of the case, and furnish such judgments as the Courts pronounce, whether *viva voce* or written and thereupon submit them to the Editor with whom the publication is to rest.

145. It shall be the duty of the Reporters to publish in monthly numbers printed reports of the judgments of the Courts of Queen's Bench and Common Pleas without regard to the order of priority of the delivery of the same, with all possible speed, and to print in the margin of each Report the date of the argument of the case and of the delivery of the judgments, but no judgment of any of the Courts shall remain unpublished for a longer period than two months after the delivery thereof; and three copies of each such numbers shall, as soon as published, be obtained by the Secretary of the Society for the use of the Society.

146. The Salaries of the Reporters shall be paid monthly, subject to the production of the usual Certificate from the Editor that they have done their work to his satisfaction.

147. It shall be the duty of the Reporter of the Court of Chancery personally to attend all the Sittings of the said Court of Chancery, and to note concisely all arguments of counsel, prepare a statement of the case, and furnish such judgments as the Courts pronounce, whether *viva voce* or written, and thereupon submit them to the Editor with whom the publication is to rest. It shall in like manner be the duty of the Editor to publish such Judgments in monthly numbers, but none of such Judgments shall remain unpublished for a longer period than two months after the delivery of the same respectively, and three of such monthly numbers shall, as soon as published, be obtained by the Secretary of the Society for the use of the Society.

148. The said several Reports shall be so arranged that twelve numbers shall constitute one volume, and be capable of being bound as such, and the last number of each volume shall contain a general alphabetical index and a conveniently arranged digest of all the cases reported therein.

149. The said Reporters respectively shall, in preparing for publication the said respective Reports hereby required

to be published in manner aforesaid, give a faithful summary of the argument of, and the cases quoted by, the counsel engaged in the cases so reported, together with the Judgments, or (with the approval of the Judges) so much of the Judgments of the said several Judges of the said respective Courts as may be deemed of sufficient importance as to the subject matter or point decided to require publication.

150. In the event of any Reporter being requested by any person to furnish a copy in writing of any Judgment, delivered in the Court of which he is a Reporter, before the publication thereof as hereby required, it shall be the duty of such Reporter to furnish such copy in writing to the person demanding the same with as convenient despatch as possible, upon receiving the sum of ten cents per folio of one hundred words of such Judgment, which sum, and no more, such Reporter is hereby authorized to charge and receive; but no such charge shall be made in the case of a copy in writing being required of any such Judgment after the expiration of two months from the delivery thereof, but if not previously published, such copy shall be then furnished gratis by such Reporter to the party demanding the same.

151. In case of the unavoidable absence of any of the said Reporters respectively, from illness or any other sudden or necessary cause, during any of the sittings of the said several and respective Courts, it shall be competent for the said Reporters respectively, with the assent of the Treasurer of the Society, for the time being to appoint some fit and proper person, being a Barrister-at-Law practising in the Court, to report the judgments to be reported by the said Reporter.

152. Each of the Reporters of the said respective Courts shall be responsible for the due discharge of such duties by such his nominee as aforesaid.

153. It shall at all times be competent for the Benchers of the said Society in Convocation, in their discretion, to grant leave of absence to the said respective Reporters for such period, and under such restrictions and conditions for ensuring the due performance of the duties of the office during such absence, as to the said Benchers in Convocation may seem expedient.

COMMITTEE ON REPORTING.

154. The Committee shall see that the duties of the Reporters are discharged, and the Reports published in accordance with the Statutes and the Rules of the Law Society relating thereto, and report any default to Convocation.

155. The Secretary shall subscribe for one thousand three hundred and fifty copies of the Reports of the Supreme Court of Canada, and a copy shall be supplied at the expense of the Society, to

- (1) Each of the Judges of the Court of Appeal.
- (2) Each of the Judges of the Superior Courts in Ontario.
- (3) The Judges' Libraries of the Superior Courts and Court of Appeal.
- (4) Each of the Judges of the County Courts in Ontario.
- (5) Each member of the profession who has taken out his certificate.
- (6) Each of the County Libraries receiving aid from the Society.

156. A copy of the Ontario Reports published by the Society, shall be supplied at the expense of the Society, to

- (1) Each of the Judges of the Supreme Court of Canada.
- (2) The Judges' Library of the Supreme Court of Canada.
- (3) The Registrar of the Supreme Court of Canada.
- (4) Each of the Judges of the Court of Appeal.
- (5) Each of the Judges of the Superior Courts in Ontario.
- (6) The Judges' Libraries of the Superior Courts and Court of Appeal.
- (7) Each of the Judges of the County Courts in Ontario.
- (8) Each member of the profession who has taken out his certificates.
- (9) Each of the County Libraries receiving aid from the Society.
- (10) The Registrars, Referee, and Master in Ordinary of the Court of Chancery.

ANNUAL CERTIFICATE FEES.

157. In case any Attorney or Solicitor of any of the Superior Courts desirous of obtaining his Annual Certificate, according to the provisions of the Statute in that behalf, pays on any day within the Term of Michaelmas, in any year, to the Treasurer of this Society, the sums hereinafter mentioned according to the scale set forth in the Schedule hereunto annexed, together with all such other fees and dues, if any, as by the said statutes are required to be paid by him on obtaining such an Annual Certificate, such Attorney or Solicitor shall be thereupon entitled to such certificate or certificates respectively for the year commencing with the first day of such Michaelmas Term; and such certificate or certificates shall be thereupon issued to him by the Secretary of this Society, as provided by the said Statute.

For Certificates for all of the said Courts..	\$15 00
For a Certificate of any of the said Courts separately.....	15 00

The sum of fifteen dollars, payable by each Attorney or Solicitor for his Annual Certificate, shall not include the fee of two dollars per annum payable by each Barrister under Rule 74.

158. A list shall be delivered by the Secretary to the Publishers of the Reports immediately after the first day of January, yearly, of all those Attorneys who have taken out their Annual Certificates up to that date.

159. The fines for not taking out Certificates in due time, shall be as follows:—If such Certificate be not taken out before the first day of Hilary Term in addition to the usual fee for Certificates, the further sum of two dollars for each Court. If not taken out before the first day of Easter Term, the further sum of three dollars for each Court in addition to the usual fee for Certificates; and if not taken out before the first day of Trinity Term, the sum of four dollars for each Court in addition to the usual fee for taking out Certificates.

160. A record shall be kept by the Secretary of unpaid Certificates and Term fees, with a view to the easy ascertainment of the amount of defaults.

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161. A fee of two dollars shall be paid to the Secretary of the Society for the use of the Society on the presentation of every petition to the Benchers for special relief.

SUSPENSION OF BARRISTERS STRUCK OFF THE
ROLL OF ATTORNEYS OR SOLICITORS BY ANY
OF THE SUPERIOR COURTS.

162. Upon any order being made by any of Her Majesty's Superior Courts of Law and Equity in Upper Canada, whereby any person being at the time a member of this Society is ordered to be struck off the Roll of Attorneys or Solicitors of such Court, and whereby it is also further ordered, that such order shall be transmitted by the proper officer of such Court to the Treasurer of this Society; such person so ordered to be struck off the Rolls of such Court shall, *ipso facto*, be suspended from the exercise of all and singular the rights, powers, and privileges belonging to him in this Society, or elsewhere, as a member thereof, and such suspension shall continue until such person be restored to the Rolls of such Court as an Attorney or Solicitor thereof, and also to the Rolls of such other of the said Courts as may, on communication of such order or otherwise, have ordered him to be struck off their Rolls respectively.

163. Such suspension shall in no respect be deemed as affirmation on the part of this Society, or any of the authorities thereof, of the correctness of the grounds upon which the decision of such Court or Courts is founded, but as a mere legal consequence attached to such decision.

164. Such suspension shall not preclude the adoption of proceedings by impeachment or otherwise, according to the course of this Society, before the Benchers thereof in Convocation for disbarring and expelling such person from this Society, on the same grounds upon which any such Court may have proceeded to remove him from their Rolls, or any other that may render such proceeding necessary or proper in that behalf.

165. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer of this Society on receipt of any such order from the proper officer of any of the said Courts, to lay the same before the Benchers of

this Society in Convocation at the next meeting; and the same shall be thereupon entered at length upon the Journal of Convocation, but no entry of such suspension shall be entered upon the Rolls of this Society.

166. Upon the Treasurer of this Society being informed of orders having been made by the said Courts, or by the Courts which removed any such person from their Rolls as aforesaid, for the restoration of such person to such Rolls, it shall be his duty to procure office copies of such orders so restoring such person to the Rolls of such Courts, and to lay the same before the Benchers of this Society in Convocation at their next meeting, and the same shall thereupon be entered at length upon the Journals of Convocation.

167. The Secretary shall, after the entry upon the Journals of Convocation of the order of any of the Superior Courts ordering a member of the Society to be struck off the Roll of Attorneys or Solicitors of such Courts, notify by letter each of the Judges of the Superior Courts, and the Judges of the County Courts of the Counties in which the member of the Society affected by such order has practised, and also the said member himself, that the said order has been made and transmitted to the Treasurer of the Society, and the Secretary shall enclose therein for the information of the person addressed a copy of the foregoing rule 166.

168. In every matter wherever application shall be made to any of the Superior Courts, or to any of the Judges thereof, against an Attorney or Solicitor for misconduct, the Reporters shall give in their Reports, the style of the matter and name of the Attorney or Solicitor if a rule be made absolute therein against the Attorney or Solicitor for such misconduct.

169. No petition praying for any special relief respecting fees or the examination, or period of study, of any Student-at-Law, or Candidate for Call, as Barrister; or respecting the service, articles of clerkship, or examination of any articulated clerk, or candidate for Certificate of Fitness; or respecting any Intermediate or Primary Examination, be considered by Convocation, until after having been referred to and reported upon by a Standing or

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Special Committee; and every such petition (except a petition respecting fees which is to stand referred to the Finance Committee) shall forthwith on its receipt by the Secretary, stand referred to the Legal Education Committee, and shall be transmitted by the Secretary to the Chairman of that Committee for its report.

170. On the first Saturday in Easter Term, the second order shall be the Election of Treasurer pursuant to the Statute; and the third order shall be the Nomination of Benchers as members of the various Standing Committees for the ensuing year; after which the orders and subsequent business, as above provided, shall be proceeded with.

171. The proceedings of Convocation during each Term shall be printed under the superintendence of a Standing Committee to be appointed during Easter Term of each year at the same time as the other Standing Committees of Convocation.

172. An index to the Minutes of Convocation shall be prepared after each Term.

RULES AS TO COMPUTATION OF TIME.

173. In the computation of time entitling Students or Articled Clerks to pass Examinations be called to the Bar or receive Certificate of Fitness Examinations passed before or during Term shall be construed as passed at the actual date of the Examination, or as of the first day of Term, whichever shall be most favourable to the Student or Clerk, and all Students entered on the books of the Society during any Term shall be deemed to have been so entered on the first day of the Term.

INTERPRETATION.

174. The interpretation clauses of the Interpretation Acts having force in Ontario, shall, so far as material and appli-

cable, be considered as also applying to the rules and orders of this Society in like manner as if expressly incorporated therewith.

REPEAL OF FORMER RULES.

175. All Rules of this Society inconsistent with the foregoing Rules are hereby repealed.

STANDING ORDERS OF CONVOCATION.

SEAL.

1. The Seal of this Society heretofore in use, and bearing the following device, viz: a shield in the centre whereof stands a doric column, surmounted by a beaver. On the dexter side of the shield stands the figure of Hercules, and on the sinister, the figure of Justice, with the scales in her right hand, and the sword in the left, and the words "*Magna Charta Angliæ*," inscribed on a ribbon floating round the column, together with the words, "Law Society of Upper Canada," upon the exterior circle, and the words and figures, "Incorporated 1822," beneath the column within the exterior circle, shall be, and shall continue to be, the Seal of the Society.

2. The custody of the Seal of this Society shall belong to the Treasurer for the time being, who shall countersign every instrument to which he shall affix such seal,

ROLLS AND OTHER ARCHIVES.

3. The Treasurer shall, during his tenure of office, safely keep the Rolls and Archives of this Society, and shall personally or by the Sub-Treasurer, hand over the same to the Treasurer elect upon his entering on the duties of his office.

4. The Treasurer shall in like manner keep the Seal of the Society, and in like manner hand over the same to his successor.

5. No alteration or addition of what nature or kind soever, shall, upon any pretence whatever be made in or upon the Rolls of this Society except under the personal direction of the Treasurer of the Society for the time being, and the making of such alteration or addition, with the occasion thereof, shall be formally entered on the Journals.

6. On the first day of every Term a Report shall be made by the Treasurer in writing, stating the entries to be made on the Rolls in consequence of the admissions, calls, elections, or appointments of the preceding Term, and the said Report having been carefully examined with the Journals during such Term and adopted, the entries shall be thereupon made by the Secretary in the paper copy of the roll and index continued.

7. The entries in the Parchment Rolls of the Society shall be made by the Secretary from the paper copy, under the superintendence of the Treasurer.

8. Whenever it becomes necessary to attach an additional piece of parchment to any one of the Rolls of this Society, the making of such additions shall be committed to a Select Committee of Benchers, with special instructions to have such addition made in their presence, to the end that the said Rolls may never be out of the actual possession of some member of the Convocation specially appointed for their safe-keeping.

9. Upon every such Committee reporting that they have made such addition, the Seal of the Society shall be again in open Convocation affixed to the Rolls.

APPENDIX.

A.

TREASURER'S SUMMONS FOR A SPECIAL
CONVOCAATION.

LAW SOCIETY OF UPPER CANADA, OSGOODE HALL, TO WIT :

Monday the fifth day of November, in Michaelmas Term,
in the year of the reign of Queen Victoria, A.D.
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GENTLEMEN,—By virtue of the authority vested in me,
as Treasurer of this Society, by the Rules thereof, I have
thought fit to summon and do hereby accordingly sum-
mon, A CONVOCAATION OF THE BENCHERS OF
THIS SOCIETY, to be held in the Convocation-Chamber,
in Osgoode Hall, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon
of , the day of , in this present Term.

This, therefore, is to notify you, and every of you of the
same, pursuant to the Rule above mentioned, and to request
your attendance, and the attendance of each of you at the
time and place aforesaid.

Yours, &c.

J. R.,

Treasurer.

To the Benchers of the Law }
Society of Upper Canada, and }
every of them. }

B.

NOTICE OF PRESENTATION.

LAW SOCIETY OF UPPER CANADA, OSGOODE HALL, TO WIT :

Mr. A. B. (some Bencher) gives notice, that C. D., (names
in full, no initials) of E. in the County of F. in this Pro-
vince, Gentleman, son of G. D., of the same place, Merchant
(or as the case may be), will, next Term, be presented to the
Benchers of this Society, in Convocation, for the purpose of
(being entered and admitted as a Student of the Law), or
(being examined for an articled clerk) as the case may be.

PRESENTATION FOR ADMISSION.

LAW SOCIETY OF UPPER CANADA, OSGOODE HALL, TO WIT :
*To the Benchers of the Law Society of Upper Canada, in
 Convocation.*

GENTLEMEN,—I hereby present to the Examining Committee and to the Convocation, C. D., (names in full, no initials,) of E. in the County of F. in this Province, Gentleman, son of G. D., of the same place, Merchant, (or as the case may be), for the purpose of his being examined and entered and admitted as a Student of the Laws, or Articled Clerk.

(Some member of the Society of the degree of Barrister-at Law.)

PETITION FOR ADMISSION.

LAW SOCIETY OF UPPER CANADA, OSGOODE HALL, TO WIT :
*To the Benchers of the Law Society of Upper Canada, in
 Convocation.*

The Petitioner of C. D., (Christian and surnames at length, no initials,) of E. in the county of F. in this province, Gentleman, son of G. D., of the same place, Merchant, (or as the case may be,) most respectfully sheweth : That your Petitioner is of the full age of — years ; (that he has received an education which he trusts sufficiently qualifies him to commence the study of the profession of the Law ; that he received his education at the University of Oxford ; (or "at Upper Canada College," "Upper Canada Academy," or at the school of G. A., at Z., in the county of F., in this Province or as the case may be, being as full and particular as possible) ; that in the course of such instruction he has read the following books, that is to say, (as the case may be) ; that your Petitioner is desirous of becoming a member of the Law Society of Upper Canada, and of being entered thereof as a Student of the Laws.

Your Petitioner therefore, most respectfully prays that his qualifications being first examined and found sufficient, according to the Rules of the Society, and Standing Orders

of Convocation in that behalf, he may be admitted and entered accordingly; and he doth hereby undertake and promise that he will well, faithfully, and truly submit and conform himself to, and obey, observe, perform, fulfil, and keep all the Rules, Resolutions, Orders, and Regulations of the Society, during such time as he shall continue on the books of the said Society, as a member thereof.

WITNESS,

R. W.

C. D.

Michaelmas Term, 23 Vic.

E.

PRIMARY EXAMINATIONS CURRICULUM.

STUDENTS-AT-LAW.

CLASSICS.

Xenophon, Anabasis, B. V. Homer, Iliad, B. IV.	} 1881.	{ Cicero, in Catilinam, II., III., IV. Ovid, Fasti, B. I., vv. 1-300. Virgil, Æneid, B. I., vv. 1-304.
Xenophon, Anabasis, B. I. Homer, Iliad, B. VI.		
Xenophon, Anabasis, B. II. Homer, Iliad, B. VI.	} 1883.	{ Cæsar, Bellum Britannicum. Cicero, Pro Archia. Virgil, Æneid, B. V., vv. 1-361. Ovid, Heroides, Epistle, V., XIII.
Xenophon, Anabasis, B. II. Homer, Iliad, B. IV.		
Xenophon, Anabasis, B. V. Homer, Iliad, B. IV.	} 1885.	{ Cicero, Cato Major. Virgil, Æneid, B. I., vv. 1-304. Ovid, Fasti, B. I., vv. 1-300.

Translation from English into Latin Prose. Paper on Latin Grammar, on which special stress will be laid.

MATHEMATICS.

Arithmetic. Algebra, to the end of Quadratic Equations. Euclid, B. I., II., & III.

ENGLISH.

A Paper on English Grammar. Composition. Critical analysis of a selected Poem.

1881. Lady of the Lake, with special reference to Cantos V. & VI.
1882. { The Deserted Village.
 { The Task, B. III.
1883. Marmion, with special reference to Cantos V. & VI.
1884. { Elegy in a Country Church Yard.
 { The Traveller.
1885. { Lady of the Lake, with special reference to Canto V.
 { The Task, B. V.

HISTORY AND GEOGRAPHY.

English History from William III. to George III., inclusive. Roman History, from the commencement of the Second Punic War to the death of Augustus. Greek History, from the Persian to the Peloponnesian Wars, both inclusive. Ancient Geography—Greece, Italy, and Asia Minor. Modern Geography—North America and Europe.

Optional Subjects instead of Greek :—

FRENCH.

A Paper on Grammar.

Translation from English into French Prose :—

1882 and 1884. { Souvestre, Un philosophe sous les toits.

1881 and 1885. { Emile de Bonnechose, Lazare Hoche.

or, NATURAL PHILOSOPHY.

Books—Arnett's Elements of Physics, 7th edition, and Somerville's Physical Geography.

ARTICLED CLERKS.

Ovid, Fasti, B. I., vv. 1-300; or, Virgil, Æneid, B. II., vv. 1-317, in the year 1881, and in the years 1882, 1883, 1884, and 1885, in the same portions of Ovid or Virgil (at the option of the candidate) as noted above for Students-at-Law.

Arithmetic.

Euclid, Bb. I., II., and III.

English Grammar and Composition.

English History—Queen Anne to George III.

Modern Geography—North America and Europe.

Elements of Book-keeping.

F.

CERTIFICATES OF ADMISSION INTO THE SOCIETY.

LAW SOCIETY OF UPPER CANADA, OSGOODE HALL, TO WIT :

These are to certify that C. D., of E., in the county of F., Merchant, (or as the case may be,) having passed an examination and been classed in the University (or the senior or junior) Class, (as the case may be,) was by the Benchers of the Law Society of Upper Canada in Convocation, on the day of in the Term of in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and duly admitted into the said Society as a member thereof, and entered as a

Student of the Laws, taking precedence as such in this Society next immediately after Mr. Y. R., and that he now remains on the Books of this Society as a member thereof.

In testimony whereof, I, J. R., Treasurer of the said Society, have to these presents affixed the seal of the said Society at Osgoode Hall, this day of in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and and in the year of Her Majesty's reign.

J. M. C., *Secretary.*

J. R., *Treasurer.*

G.

INTERMEDIATE EXAMINATIONS.

The Subjects and Books for the First Intermediate Examination, to be passed in the third year before the Final Examination shall be:—

Real Property, Williams; Equity, Smith's Manual; Common Law, Smith's Manual; Act respecting the Court of Chancery; O'Sullivan's Manual of Government in Canada; the Dominion and Ontario Statutes relating to Bills of Exchange and Promissory Notes, and Cap. 117, R. S. O., and amending Acts.

The Subjects and Books for the Second Intermediate Examination to be passed in the second year before the Final Examination, shall be as follows:—

Real Property, Leith's Blackstone, Greenwood on the Practice of Conveyancing, (chapters on Agreements, Sales, Purchases, Leases, Mortgages, and Wills); Equity, Snell's Treatise; Common Law, Broom's Common Law; Underhill on Torts; Caps. 49, 95, 107, 108, and 136 of the R. S. O.

H.

FINAL EXAMINATIONS.

FOR CALL.

Blackstone, Vol. I., containing the Introduction and the Rights of Persons, Smith on Contracts, Walkem on Wills, Taylor's Equity Jurisprudence, Harris's Principles of Criminal Law, and Books III. and IV. of Broom's Common Law, Lewis's Equity Pleading, Dart on Vendors and

Purchasers, Best on Evidence, Byles on Bills, the Statute Law, the Pleadings and Practice of the Courts.

FOR CERTIFICATE OF FITNESS.

Leith's Blackstone, Taylor on Titles, Smith's Mercantile Law, Taylor's Equity Jurisprudence, Smith on Contracts, the Statute Law, the Pleadings and Practice of the Courts.

I.

NOTICE OF PRESENTATION FOR CALL.

LAW SOCIETY OF UPPER CANADA, OSGOODE HALL, TO WIT :

Mr. A. B. (some Bencher) gives notice that C. D., (names in full) a member of this Society, now standing on the books as a Student of the Laws, and who has received his professional education under the superintendence of L. J., Esq. one of the Members of this Society, of the Degree of Barrister-at-Law, (or, of I. J. K. L. M. N., members of this Society, of the Degree of Barrister-at-Law, as the case may be) will, next Term, be presented to the Benchers of this Society in Convocation, for the purpose of being called to the Bar.

J.

PRESENTATION FOR CALL.

LAW SOCIETY OF UPPER CANADA, OSGOODE HALL, TO WIT :

To the Benchers of the Law Society of Upper Canada, in Convocation.

GENTLEMEN,—I hereby present to the Convocation C. D., (names in full) a Member of this Society, now standing on the books as a Student of the Laws, and who has received his professional education under my superintendence, (or under the superintendence of K. L., M. N., O. P., Esqrs., members of this Society, of the Degree of Barrister-at-Law,) for the purpose of his being called to the Degree of Barrister-at-Law.

I. J.

Some member of the Society of the Degree of Barrister-at-Law.

K.

BOND.

LAW SOCIETY OF UPPER CANADA, OSGOODE HALL, TO WIT :

Know all men by these presents, that we, C. D., (names in full) of E. in the county of F. in this Province, Gentleman, Member of the Law Society of Upper Canada, now standing on the books of the said Law Society as a Student of the Laws, (or "Esquire, Member of the Honorable Society of Lincoln's Inn, Gray's Inn, the Middle Temple, or the Inner Temple," as the case may be, "duly called to practice at the Bar of Her Majesty's Superior Courts in England," or "Esquire, duly called to practice at the Bar in Her Majesty's Province of Lower Canada," (Nova Scotia, or New Brunswick, &c., as the case may be,) "in North America,") and Z. D. of E. in the County of F., merchant, and V. N. of T. in the County of S., yeoman, are jointly and severally held and firmly bound to the Law Society of Upper Canada in the penal sum of Four Hundred Dollars of lawful money of Upper Canada, to be paid to the Law Society of Upper Canada aforesaid; for which payment to be well and truly made we bind ourselves, and each of us binds himself, our and each, and every one of our heirs, executors, and administrators firmly by these presents. Sealed with our Seals. Dated this day of in the year of Her Majesty's reign, and in the year one thousand eight hundred and

The condition of this obligation is such, that if the above bounded C. D. (names in full) shall and will well and truly pay, or cause to be paid, to the Law Society of Upper Canada aforesaid, all such fees and dues of what nature or kind soever, as now are due or payable by or from him to the said Society, by or under any Statute or by any Rule, Resolution, Order, or Regulation of the said Society, passed by the said Society, or by the Benchers thereof, with the approbation of the Judges of the Province, as Visitors of the said Society, or which shall or may hereafter become due or payable by or for him to the said Society, under the same or under any other Statute or by any other Rule, Resolution, Order, or Regulation to be passed by the Benchers of the said Society in Convocation, with such approbation as aforesaid; and also do and shall moreover well, faithfully and truly obey, observe, perform, fulfil, and keep all the Rules, Resolutions, Orders, and Regulations of the said Society, passed as aforesaid, and now in force, or

hereafter to be passed, as aforesaid, during such time as he shall continue on the books of the said Society as a member thereof—then this obligation shall be void, otherwise shall be and remain in full force, virtue and effect.

Sealed and delivered in the presence of

A. B.

L. S.

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CERTIFICATE ON BOND.

LAW SOCIETY OF UPPER CANADA, OSGOODE HALL, TO WIT:

These are to certify that we, the subscribers hereunto, are well acquainted with the within named Z. D. and V. N., and that they are freeholders of substance amply sufficient to secure the performance of the condition of the within bond.

J. S.

J. R.

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M.

PETITION FOR CALL.

LAW SOCIETY OF UPPER CANADA, OSGOODE HALL, TO WIT :

To the Benchers of the Law Society of Upper Canada, in Convocation.

The Petition of C. D., (Christian and surnames at length, no initials,) of E. in the County of F. in this Province, Gentleman, son of G. D., of the same place, Merchant, (or as the case may be), and a member of this Society, now standing on the books as a Student of the Laws, most respectfully sheweth,—That your Petitioner is of the full age of _____ years; that he has received a professional education which he trusts sufficiently qualifies him to commence the practice of the Profession of the Law; that he is of _____ years' standing in the books of the Society as a Student of the Laws; that he has received his professional education under the superintendence of J. K. (or of J. K. for the space of 2 years, L. M. for 1 year, and N. O. for 2 years, or as the case may be), a member of this Society of the Degree of Barrister-at-Law; that he has since his admission into the Society, passed the first and second Intermediate Examination in the Terms of 18 & and of 18

That he has since his admission into the Society pursued the following branches of general learning that is to say, (as the case may be.)

That in the course of such pursuit he has read the following works, that is to say, (as the case may be.)

That he has particularly studied the following branches of the law, that is to say, (as the case may be.)

That in the course of such study he has read the following works, that is to say, (as the case may be.)

That he is under no articles of Clerkship of any kind whatsoever to any person or persons (or as the case may be); and that he is desirous of being called to the Degree of Barrister-of-Law.

Your Petitioner, therefore, most respectfully prays, that his qualifications being first examined and found sufficient according to the Rules of the Society, and Standing Orders of Convocation in that behalf, he may be called to the said Degree accordingly; and he doth hereby undertake and promise that he will, faithfully, and truly submit and conform himself to, obey, observe, perform, fulfil, and keep all the Rules, Resolutions, Orders, and Regulations of the said Society, during such time as he shall continue on the books of the said Society as a member thereof.

Witness,
N. P.

Michaelmas Term,

C. D.
Vic.

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N.

DIPLOMA OF BARRISTER-AT-LAW.

LAW SOCIETY OF UPPER CANADA, OSGOODE HALL, TO WIT:

Be it remembered that C. D. of E., in the county of F., in this Province, Gentleman, son of G. D., of the same place, Merchant (or, as the case may be,) was by the Benchers of the Law Society of Upper Canada in Convocation, on the day of of the Term of in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and , duly called to the Degree of Barrister-at-Law, and that he now remains on the books of this Society as a Barrister thereof.

In testimony whereof, I., J. R., Treasurer of the said Society, have to these presents affixed the Seal of the said Society at Osgoode Hall, this day of in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and and in the yeai of Her Majesty's reign.

J. M. C., *Secretary.*

J. R., *Treasurer.*

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