

Blanchet, François Xavier Drouin, Queen's Counsel, and Arthur Lachance, esquire, all practising advocates of the city and district of Quebec ;

That, although he has studied in the office of the above mentioned patrons during a period of time longer than that fixed by law, he cannot lawfully be admitted to the practice of the profession of advocate by the Bar of the Province of Quebec, because he was unable for special reasons to pass the examination required for admission to the study of the profession ;

That the majority of the members of the Bar of the district of Quebec have approved and recommended the petition of the said David Henri Dubé ;

Whereas he has prayed, by his petition, that an act be passed to authorize his admission to the practice of law and it is expedient to grant his prayer ;

Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

Bar authorized to admit D. H. Dubé, after examinations.

1. The Bar of the Province of Quebec is authorized to admit David Henri Dubé among its members, and to permit him to practise the profession of advocate, as soon as he shall have passed the examinations for study and for practice required by the law respecting the Bar of the Province of Quebec.

Coming into force.

2. This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction.

C A P. X C V

An Act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Quebec to admit Henry J. Elliott amongst its members, after obtaining a degree of Bachelor of Civil Law and after examination

[Assented to 15th January, 1898]

Preamble.

WHEREAS Henry J. Elliott, of the city of Montreal, student-at-law, hath by his petition represented :

That for the space of six years he has been continuously engaged in the duties of a law student with Messrs. Taylor & Buchan, advocates, of the city of Montreal ;

That during the past two years he has attended the law lectures at McGill University, with the intention of proceeding to the degree of Bachelor of Civil Law ;

That he passed the preliminary examination to the study of law in January, 1897, becoming regularly indentured at that date, and, in the ordinary course, would be unable to present himself for examination for admission to practise law until January, 1900 ;

Whereas he hath prayed that the Bar of the Province of Quebec be authorized to admit him to the practice and profession of the law, after obtaining the said degree and after examination ; and whereas since the presentation of the said petition, the General Council of the Bar has approved of the same by resolution dated the 20th December, 1897 ;

Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

1. The Bar of the Province of Quebec is authorized to admit Henry J. Elliott to the practice of the profession of the law so soon as he shall have obtained a degree of Bachelor of Civil Law and shall have passed the requisite Bar examination.

Bar authorized to admit H. J. Elliott after examination.

2. This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction.

Coming into force.

CAP. XCVI

An Act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Quebec to admit George Albini Lacombe, of Montreal, to the study of the legal profession

[Assented to 15th January, 1898]

WHEREAS, George Albini Lacombe, a member of the Legislative Assembly, and already a Doctor of Medicine of Montreal, has, by petition, represented :

Preamble

That he wishes to undergo a course of legal studies, so as to be admitted a member of the Bar of the Province of Quebec ;

That, on the 1st day of September, 1897, he entered into indentures, for that purpose, with Louis Conrad Pelletier, Esquire, advocate and Queen's counsel, of Montreal, by deed to that effect, before George Hector Demers, notary, of Montreal ;

That he has already, in May, 1883, been duly examined as to his knowledge, aptitude and morals, on sciences and letters with success, for his admission to the study of medicine, as by law provided in such cases ;

That he has thereby established that he possessed the qualifications and capacity required therefor ;

That the matters on which he has so passed such examinations are the same as those required for admission to the study of law ;

That he has thereby given proof of all the qualifications and capacity required for his admission to the study of the legal profession ;