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LL.M. DEGREE (SEMESTER) EXAMINATIONS, JANUARY 2024.

(For the candidates admitted from 2020-2021 to 2022-2023)

First Year – Second Semester

BRANCH VI — CRIMINAL LAW AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE
ADMINISTRATION

Paper VIII : OPTIONAL SUBJECT – MEDICAL JURISPRUDENCE AND FORENSIC SCIENCE	CODE :	PLN
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Time : Three hours

Maximum : 60 marks

PART A — (3 × 12 = 36 marks)

Answer THREE of the following.

1. 'The laws and principles of all the sciences form the bases of Forensic Science. In addition, it has developed its own principles' – Discuss.
2. Briefly explain the importance of Locard's principle in crime investigation.
3. What is the utility of the informations provided by the scene of occurrence of crime?
4. 'The charge of rape is easy to level against a person but difficult to prove' – Discuss.
5. 'The harmful effect produced by a substance does not depend necessarily on the substance, but the amount of the substance, the way in which it is administered and above all and specially the purpose for which the substance is administered' - critically examine.

PART B — (4 × 6 = 24 marks)

Answer FOUR of the following in about 250 words each.

6. What are the tools and techniques used in modern forensic science?
7. Examine the utility of track marks in crime detection.
8. Critically examine the evidentiary value of fingerprints in crime investigations.

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9. Enumerate the factors from which the time that has elapsed after death may be generally deduced.
 10. What are the techniques employed by experts to find out the age of a document?
 11. Write a brief note on the importance of photography.
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