

public-school boy, to every university man, and to every student at the bar. Coming to us as a Newcastle scholar at Eton, gaining at Christ Church, Oxford, all but the highest honors, he has added a name to the almost endless roll of great names of which the two ancient foundations of Oxford and Cambridge proudly boast, and to the bar he brought that extraordinary industry, that wonderful clearness of reasoning, which has already been referred to more appropriately by your lordship. My lord, his career at the bar, at which for thirty years he practised, is known to all who hear me, and, as your lordship has already said, those who remember him there, and particularly who remember him as almost the leader, if not the leader, of the bar in the House of Lords and at the Privy Council, as well as in the Court of Chancery, will remember also the compliments worthily, deservedly, and frequently paid to the force of the arguments which he addressed to the Courts in which he was engaged. My lord, those who knew him felt then, as I feel now, that a more honorable advocate has never adorned the English bar. Then, my lord, upon the bench, called, as your lordship has said, at once from the bar to the position of a Lord Justice of Appeal, he, in that new field, fulfilled the expectations formed from his previous career. It strikes us—as it always struck us—that he was, as a lawyer, learned, clear, and accurate; as a judge patient and courteous; and as a man, considerate and forbearing. Your lordship, indeed, knows the strength which has been given to this division (if I may use the expression) of the Court of Appeal, since it has had the good fortune to have as its president Lord Justice Cotton. I should like to say one word, founded on intimate knowledge shared by bench and bar, that there was no member of our profession who more kindly guarded its best interests, or strove more earnestly to make it present to the young student every possible advantage so as to lead him to become a sound and skilful member of it. As I cannot speak to him again in public, I hope that some of your lordships may be able to convey to him in our own words this message of the bar, ex-

pressing our deep regret at his retirement, our appreciation of the loss which the bench has sustained by his withdrawal from it, and conveying to him for us this genuine expression of our earnest affection and esteem.

#### INSOLVENT NOTICES, ETC.

Quebec Official Gazette, Nov. 22.

##### Judicial Abandonments.

Edmond Beaudry & Fils, traders Weedon, Nov. 17.  
 Napoléon Desjardins, baker, Malbaie, Nov. 14.  
 Dumas & Lortie, traders, Hébertville, Nov. 17.  
 Zotique Garneau, trader, Quebec, Nov. 17.  
 Adèle Hardy, widow of Denis Tardif, trader, Quebec, doing business as A. Tardif & Cie., Nov. 14.

##### Curators Appointed.

Re Georges Amireau, farmer and trader, parish of l'Épiphanie.—J. S. Rivest, N.P., L'Assomption, curator, Nov. 10.  
 Re Beliveau & Archambault, importers, Montreal.—David Seath, Montreal, curator, Nov. 13.  
 Re Thos. Corrigan, Montebello.—Kent & Turcotte, Montreal, joint curator, Nov. 15.  
 Re Louis Deschêne trader, Rivière Ouelle.—P. Langlais, N.P., Fraserville, curator, Nov. 17.  
 Re Henriette Dompierre.—W. A. Caldwell, Montreal, curator, Nov. 15.  
 Re Elzéar Fortier.—C. Desmarteau, Montreal, curator, Nov. 15.  
 Re Evariste Gélinas.—C. Desmarteau, Montreal, curator, Nov. 18.  
 Re Moïse Lapointe.—C. Desmarteau, Montreal, curator, Nov. 15.  
 Re Telesphore Monpas, St. Pierre les Beoquets.—Kent & Turcotte, Montreal, joint curator, Nov. 13.  
 Re A. J. Morissette.—Bilodeau & Renaud, Montreal, joint curator, Nov. 17.  
 Re Charles Ouellette.—Bilodeau & Renaud, Montreal, joint curator, Nov. 15.  
 Re J. W. Richards, Montreal.—Kent & Turcotte, Montreal, joint curator, Nov. 18.  
 Re J. B. A. Trudel & Co., Montreal.—J. McD. Hains, Montreal, curator, Nov. 18.  
 Re J. E. Turgeon.—A. Quesnel, Arthabaskaville, curator, Nov. 14.

##### Dividends.

Re Etienne Beauchemin, trader, St. Monique.—First dividend, payable Dec. 10, C. Milot, St. Monique, curator.  
 Re A. Beauvais, Montreal.—First and final dividend, payable Dec. 15, Kent & Turcotte, Montreal, joint curator.  
 Re F. X. Billy, Victoriaville.—First and final dividend, payable Dec. 15, Kent & Turcotte, Montreal, joint curator.  
 Re Honoré Carrier, trader, Lévis.—First and final dividend, payable Dec. 9, G. E. Roy, Lévis, curator.  
 Re Jos Désaulniers.—Dividend, payable Dec. 8, F. Valentine, Three Rivers, curator.  
 Re Catherine Dagenais, Rolland & Co.—First and final dividend, payable Dec. 10, C. Desmarteau, Montreal, curator.  
 Re E. Donahue & Co., Farnham.—First and final dividend, payable Dec. 9, A. W. Stevenson, Montreal, curator.  
 Re Joseph Landsberg, Sherbrooke.—First dividend, payable Dec. 10, Kent & Turcotte, Montreal, joint curator.  
 Re Pierre Plourde, Fraserville.—First and final dividend, payable Dec. 10, P. Langlais, Fraserville, curator.

##### Separation as to Property.

Etutienne Champagne vs. Victor Trudel, farmer and trader, parish of St. Guillaume d'Upton, Nov. 3.  
 Rosalie Matteau vs. Edouard Laroche, trader, parish of St. Nérée, county of Bellechasse, Nov. 18.