In politics Mr. Murray has much influence on the Conservative side. He is a member of the Royal Arcanum and of the Independent Order of Foresters. He is the first and at present (1907) only Honorary-active-life member of the Argonaut Rowing Club; is the founder of the Toronto Island Aquatic Association—a charter member of the Art Museum of Toronto; a member of the Executive Board of the Central Ontario School of Arts and Design; of the Canadian branch of the Society of Chemical Industry; and of the Society of Arts, Manufacture and Commerce of London, England, and also a member of the National Club, Toronto, and for the years 1906-7 was president of the Empire Club of Canada.

Mr. Murray is a Roman Catholic. In 1878 he married Marie Emelie Caron, of Ste. Eustache, Quebec. Mrs. Murray died in 1881 and in 1884 Mr. Murray married Nano, daughter of Michael Hayes, County Crown Attorney of the county of Perth, Ontario, and she died in 1896. Mr. Murray's six children are: Marguerita E.; Mona F.; Stuart Allan; Hilda A.; William Alexander and James Athol.

ISIDORE FREDERICK HELLMUTH, K.C.

Isidore Frederick Hellmuth, K.C., practising at the Toronto Bar, as a member of the law firm of Kingsmill, Hellmuth, Saunders & Torrance, was born February 21, 1854, in Sherbrooke, Quebec, his parents being Isaac and Catharine (Evans) Hellmuth. The father, a native of Poland, resided in England for some time prior to his arrival in Canada in the '40s. He was an Anglican bishop of Huron for many years, during which time he resided in London, Ontario, but his last days were spent in England, where he passed away in 1901.

Isidore F. Hellmuth supplemented his preliminary education by study in Hellmuth College, at London, Ontario, which institution was founded by his father in 1865. He later became a student in Trinity College, at Cambridge University of England and was graduated with the Bachelor of Law degree in 1877. The same year he was called to the England Bar at London and after returning to Canada was called to the Bar of Ontario in 1877. Locating for practice in Toronto he continued with the firm of