

Council, because of that tribunal's decision in favour of the Street Railway Company and against the city, prompts the *Canada Law Journal* to read the Toronto daily newspapers a much needed lesson as to the manner in which they should accept the decision of the highest court in the Empire. The *Law Journal* is quite right on the general principle; but we are afraid that, published as it is itself in the City of Toronto, it does not quite realize the real folly of the childish spleen of the Toronto dailies over this street railway decision. One has to live at a distance to understand the true attitude of the Toronto press towards the street railway. It is their one safe topic of abuse, the one subject upon which they can unite without fear of political differences and it would be a pity to deprive them altogether of this hobby horse, even if its riding does involve disrespect for the judges of Canada and of the Empire's court of final appeal."

As might be expected, a Toronto journal comes to the rescue of its brother in these words:—"Following this is an article by the editor of the *Canada Law Journal* on 'The Bench and the Press' in which some of the Toronto daily newspapers are censured for criticising the decision of the Privy Council of the Street Railway action. The *Law Journal* is aghast." The only inaccuracies in the above are, (1) the Toronto daily newspapers were not censured for criticising the decision referred to; but for their libellous abuse of the judges. (2) The *Law Journal* was not "aghast." It was only disgusted; as were all respectable readers of the newspaper referred to. Other papers in the Province have published the article in full with approval.

JUDICIAL APPOINTMENTS.

David Grant of the City of Vancouver, B.C., to be junior judge of the County Court of Vancouver. (May 9, 1907.)

COURT OF APPEAL—ONTARIO.

Those who may be interested will please note that the sittings of this Court after the long vacation, have been fixed for September 16 and November 11, instead of September 3 and November 12.