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*Nature of—Insolvent Banks, &c.*, Winding up, B., on *Sir A. Campbell's M.* to refer to a Select Com., *Mr. Alexander* objected, that it should be ref. to the Banking Com. *Mr. Power* sustained the leader of the Govt., but claimed the right of discussion on reception of Com.'s report, in which *Sir A. Campbell* agreed, 38.

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Debate as to proof being sufficient, of due efforts for *personal* service of notice on defendant, 30. On *affidavit* of service, *Sir A. Campbell* pointed out that the Rules required *viva voce* evidence at Bar of Senate, and objected to suspension of Rule; Order of day consequently dischgd., & 2° postponed, 102-5. On M. for ref. to Sel. Com., & objection taken that Com. was *nominated* by Senator in charge of B. (for Petitioner) the Defendant having no voice, *Sir A. Campbell* pointed out that the Senate controlled the fairness of such nomination. The order for Com. to sit on *non-sitting* days was pointed out to be a redundancy, all Coms. having such power. Also, precedents adduced, as to *affidavit* of service (on ques. above discussed) being received as evidence; *Sir A. Campbell* maintained interpretation of the Rule. 128-31. Defendant's expenses allowed, according to precedent of House of Lords & of Senate. 200.

FRANCHISE, *Dominion.*—On *Re-adjustment of Representation B.*, in Com., *Sir A. Campbell* m. addition of clause, empowering Intercolonial Ry. Officials, omitted from Voters' Lists of N. S. as disfranchised under *Provincial* law, to vote at Dom Elections. 738. Carried on divn., 739. On 3°, *Mr. Power* m. Amt. to re-commit & strike out such clause; *Sir A. Campbell* objected to Amt. as out of Order, House having conc. in Rep. of Com.; ques. discussed; Amt. declared lost on same divn.; 740

GOVT. MEASURES, *Procedure* with, and precedence of, in the Senate. See General Index, "Senate." (See also special cases herein quoted).

IMPERIAL *Interests.* The right of the Canadian Parlt. to petition the Throne upon matters affecting the general well-being of *the Empire* is maintained in the passing of the Address on Irish Affairs. See General Index, "Ireland."

JURISDICTION, *Dominion.*—On B. respecting removal, &c., of *County Ct. Judges*, explanation by *Sir A. Campbell*, of the difficulties of proceeding under *Provincial* (or as attempted—under *Imperial* authority) rendering *Dominion* legislation necessary, 38. See also in Com., 81.

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