

was seen and heard daily, but on retiring from professional work he went right away, first to Norfolk and then to Dorsetshire, where he died at a ripe old age. If he ever returned to Lincoln's Inn it must have been at very rare intervals. An extremely active man during the greater part of his professional career, he probably disliked the idea of being a mere onlooker at the game which he had so often played successfully, and we should not be astonished if in his retirement he took up some other occupation to which he devoted the surplus of his vigour. "Old Glasse," as the name almost implies, was in a way perhaps the most popular man in the Lincoln's Inn of his time—even his little vices endeared him to the profession. Vice-Chancellor Bacon's Court was amusing, and also instructive, for the veteran spoke by far the best English on the Chancery bench; and everybody had a look at Vice-Chancellor Stuart, or at any rate at his legs; but no Court in modern times has ever "drawn" like Malins' Court. The principal attraction there was Glasse, but probably his idiosyncrasies would not have been so marked, and his talents would not have been so much brought into play, if he had had a different judge on whom, or rather before whom, to practice. People went to Malins' Court to see some fun, and they seldom came away disappointed. But Vice-Chancellor Malins did a great deal of good work, with the assistance, and sometimes, perhaps, in spite of the opposition, of Mr. Glasse. If a suitor had anything like natural justice on his side, Sir Richard Malins tried his utmost to find an equity in his favour, and his quasi-parental solicitude sometimes tempted the leader of his Court into expressions which led to a conflict with the bench. In these the Vice-Chancellor generally came off second best, for he had a certain amount of dignity to preserve, whereas Glasse did not care twopence for anybody's dignity—certainly not the judge's. Malins' habit of telling anecdotes, principally about himself, also tended to develop the humorous side of Mr. Glasse's character. The squabbles were of daily and almost hourly occurrence, and the combatants got used to them. If Glasse had left the Court the Vice-Chancellor's health would

probably have suffered. After Malins had gone Glasse ceased to practice. Probably each was almost necessary to the other. Glasse, however, had qualities which would have made him leader in any Court. He was a fair lawyer and a bold but scrupulously honest advocate. Though he squabbled with his judge, there was seldom bitterness in their quarrels. He got on well with other judges. He was beloved by the junior bar, and his services were eagerly sought for. Up to the time of his retirement he had shown little physical or mental decay, and there is no painful association in connection with his memory.—*Law Journal (London).*

INSOLVENT NOTICES, ETC.

Quebec Official Gazette, Jan. 17.

Judicial Abandonments.

Amédée Beaupré, Montreal, Jan. 8.
Théophile Chamberland, hotel-keeper, Quebec, Jan. 12.
Alfred Corbeille, trader, Salaberry de Valleyfield, Jan. 8.
John Crichton, jr., trader, Salaberry de Valleyfield, Jan. 7.
Clovis Napoléon Dérageon, trader, Knowlton.

Curators appointed.

Re Amédée Beaupré.—L. G. G. Beliveau, Montreal, curator, Jan. 15.
Re A. Boucher & Co.—Bilodeau & Renaud, Montreal, joint curator, Jan. 9.
Re Dame Marie Adèle Lesieur Desaulniers.—L. A. Beriau, Farnham, curator, Jan. 13.
Re Joseph Gareau.—Bilodeau & Renaud, Montreal, joint curator, Jan. 15.
Re W. F. Johnston.—W. A. Caldwell, Montreal, curator, Jan. 10.
Re L. Marion & Co., Hull.—J. McD. Hains, Montreal, curator, Jan. 12.
Re J. B. Plamondon, St. Louis de Bonsecours.—Kent & Turcotte, Montreal, joint curator, Jan. 5.
Re W. A. Whinfield & Co., Montreal.—A. W. Stevenson, Montreal, curator, Jan. 9.

Dividends.

Re Wm. Beattie, Melbourne.—First dividend, Mairs & Thomas, Melbourne, joint curator.
Re E. R. Bellerose.—Dividend, L. G. G. Beliveau, Montreal, curator.
Re Francis Giroux.—First dividend payable Feb. 25, Kent & Turcotte, Montreal, joint curator.
Re Telephore Monpas, St. Pierre les Becquets.—First dividend payable Feb. 5, Kent & Turcotte, Montreal, joint curator.
Re A. Therriault, Fraserville.—Second and final dividend, payable Feb. 4, N. Matte, Quebec, curator.

Separation as to property.

Zéphirine Cabana vs. Méric Menard, trader, St. Hyacinthe, Jan. 14.

Court Terms Altered.

Court of Queen's Bench, Iberville, 26th March and 25th October. Superior Court, Iberville, 9th to 13th of each month except July and August. Circuit Court, district of Iberville, 14th to 17th of each month except July and August. Circuit Court, county of Iberville, 18th to 26th February, June and October. Circuit Court, county of Napierville, 21st to 23rd February, June and October.