Privy Council

Decisions

In Connection With the Dominion Rivers and Streams Act.

Another Case in Which Provincial Rights Were Upheld.

London, May 26.—Judgment was given by the Imperial Privy Council today on the streams and lakes question, submitted by the Dominion and Provincial governments of Canada. The judgment is considered here as being in favor of the provinces. The case was argued on July 28, 1897. Mr. Edward Blake, Q.C., Mr. A. E. Irving, Q.C., and Mr. J. M. Clark, Q.C., appeared for the Province of Ontario, and Mr. Christopher Robinson, Q.C., and Mr. Lochnis, of the English bar, for the Dominion. Following is a summary of the decision on the points submitted: (1) That the beds of the rivers and lakes are the property of the province; (2) that the public har-bors are vested in the Dominion, but in respect of harbors generally it is dependent on facts whether or not the rbors become Dominion property; (3) fishing regulations seem to be divided between the provinces and the Dominion. The Dominion has power grant monopolies; (4) the right of the Dominion to prevent or permit the erection of works in navigable waters is confirmed. The privy council has reversed the fecision of the supreme court of New-

CABLE NOTES In the bankruptcy court, London, Thursday, a receiving order was issued against Mr. J. W. Young, son of

A dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from Hamburg says the North Gerfran Lloyd steamship Havel has been sold to the Spanish Compania TransAtlantica, and has gone to Bercelone.

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Struck Near Thamesville-One Good for 20 Barrels a Day.

N. A. Coste's company, which has been sinking oil wells in Kent county, near Thamesville, has struck oil in two or them, seven miles apart. Sarnia Observer: Another oil well that has the appearance of being a good producer was finished on Tues-day on the Milne farm, Sarnia township, about five miles out on the London road. The well is about 500 feet deep, and the fluid rises to the surface of the hole. It was sunk by Pennsylvania operators, who have been so successful in their work in the locality. It is thought by some of those interested that this will be good for 20 barrels or more per day.

The Petrolia Advertiser says: During the week there has been some demand for refined in barrels for export, but the engagements have not been heavy. There has, however, been a goodly proportion of the tank fleet on this side, and their requirements have brought the total engagements up to about 272,000 barrels. The price of barreled oil rose on Thursday to \$6 05, and on Friday to \$6 15 for New York loading, MRS. HARRISON SANG. and to \$6 10 for Philadelphia loading. The principal foreign markets are firm. But Not at the Concert-Gave a Rival at Sarnia in the interests of the District Oil Development Company, of Lima, has leased the farms of Messrs, French and Bird, in Sarnia township, The Toledo concern that is operating in the Canadian oil fields has struck a a success in point of numbers. good, fine producer, at about 465 feet. It is rated for 100 barrels, and the product commands \$1 40 per barrel at the well. Thomas McDonald, L. M. Ludwig and Mr. Keenan, of Toledo, and Mac Watts, of St. Marys, are the owners.

ROYAL ARCANUM.

New Method of Levying Assessments Adopted by the Supreme Council at Cleveland,

Cleveland, Ohio, May 27,-A new method of levying assessments was adopted yesterday by the Supreme Council of the Royal Arcanum. It provides for an emergency fund of about \$500,000 a year, and does away with the cutting year after the holders reach the down of certificates in amount year by age of 60 years. Each of the members will also pay a yearly assessment of 80 cents to meet the running expenses.

It was voted not to legislate in a manner against applicants for med bership who are likely to see serv in the war with Spain. The present officers were re-ele with a few exceptions. Henry Good of Boston, declined re-election

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wand chaplain, and E. A. Dow. Wisconsin, was chosen for the off

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man; Donald F. MacWatt, of Barrie, Ont., was made chairman, and A. S. Robinson, of Missouri, was re-elected to the vacant position on the commit-

The Third Trial Of Hammond.

On the Charge of Killing Katie Tough.

Bracebridge, Ont., May 27. - The spring assizes opened here yesterday, Chief Justice Meredith presiding. The chief interest in the assizes centers in the trial of William James Hammond for the murder of his wife, Katie Tough, on the 6th of March, 1896. For this crime Hammond has already been twice tried. On the first occasion the jury disagreed. In December last the second trial took place, when the jury returned a verdict of guilty, and the prisoner was sentenced to be hanged on the 18th of February last. But Mr. Johnson, Q.C., was successful in his application for new trial. At the first trial the evio make regulations regarding open | dence given by the prisoner at the and close seasons, the size of meshes coroner's inquest was not admitted by in nets, etc., but the ownership of the Mr. Justice McMahon. At the second cluded. Mrs. Hammond died from the effect of taking prussic acid. Her husband, the prisoner, purchased a sealed bottle of prussic acid the same day, and does not account for what he did with it, except to say he threw the bottle away. They were married under an assumed name; their marriage was kept a foundland in the case of Fox and others vs. the Government of Newsecret, and deceased's life was insured in prisoner's favor.

Considerable progress was made in the trial yesterday. The crown is putting the case through as quickly as pos-sible, and the defense is not unduly prothe late Brigham Young. His liabilinesses. Mr. Johnson seems to rely very much on his ability to discredit witnesses in order to clear the prisoner.

A Berlin dispatch says Emperor Dr. Campbell were examined. There proceedings." The minister for foreign William, at the annual spring parade is no material difference in the evidence so far from that given at the clared the matter was inopportune and the Crown Princess of Greece, Princess doctor gave some fresh evidence. He sion to continue. Sophia of Prussia, sister of Emperor said that he saw prisoner and Katie PROPOSED NOTE TO THE POWERS peror William has appointed the walking for a short distance in front of him. When they reached Mr. orary colonel of the Queen Elizabeth Tough's shop he passed them. He believes Miss Fough went in. For with-

THEIR CANOE UPSET.

Two Boys Drowned in the River at Guelph.

Guelph, Ont., May 27.-John Ovens, employed in Petrie's drug store, and Tom Wallace, drug clerk in Alex. Stewart's, were both drowned in the river near Victoria Park, last evening about

They had started down the river in a canoe in company with a fellow-druggist named Glendenning, when the be capsized. Clendenning hung on to side of the canoe and was rescued. The other two boys sank almost immediately; neither could swim. The river in this place is very deep, and nothing could be done until grappling from were brought. Both bodies were recovered, but life was extinct. Both boys were well known and were general favorites. Wallace's home is near

Show Free.

[Hamilton Times.] An incident occurred at Dunnville on each of 100 acres, and will put down test wells on the property.

The Flint Oil and Mining Company, Plint Mich, has been incorporated to mong those for whose services negotiated armong the services negotiated armong those for whose services negotiated armong those for whose services negotiated armong the services n Flint, Mich., has been incorporated to operate for oil at Bothwell, Canada, tiations were opened, but finally Mrs. heart of the oil regions, conceded by experts to be exceedingly valuable prop
order. The reorganized company is al
Palmer, Mr. E. T. Martin and Mr. Ed Pearce. of this city, were engaged, and Mrs. Harrison was not. On the shires, Yorkshires, Suffolks and Essex obtained world-wide fame and the inderestion of the world's ready pumping one well, with an out- was in the village. And she sang, but put of 50 barrels a day. Six more wells are to be put down as soon as money. was in the village. And she sang, but cord: W. H. Jones. Mount Elgin; reare to be put down as soon as money. was in the village. And she sang at an serve, G. B. Hood, Guelph. Sweepstake greatest artists, because they The new company is capitalized at \$20,- joyed the music, and as people don't care to pay for music when they can be served free, the concert was not

BOY DROWNED,

Cornwall, May 27 .- Joseph Sauve, aged 11 years, was drowned at the Pitt street wharf here Wednesday night. He was setting off firecrackers with some other boys, and, stubbing his toe, fell into the water. Several men were present, and soon a small crowd gathered, but no one jumped in to help the struggling lad, who was too badly rattled to reach the umbrellas and sticks held out towards him.

ROYAL CANADIAN SOCIETY. Ottawa, May 27.—The Royal Canadian Society yesterday elected officers, as follows: President, T. C. Keefer, C.M.G., Ottawa; vice-president, Rev. Prof. W. dood in the village, receiving a good education, attending also the school honorary secretary, Sir J. S. Bourinot, K.C.M.G., Ottawa; honorary treasurer, James Fletcher, Ottawa. The members of the society were entertained at ncheon at the Government House yesterday by Lord and Lady Aberdeen.

BANK CLOSED. Bracebridge, Ont., May 27.-For about ifteen years Alfred Hunt has run a private bank here. When he started he was wealthy, and, as a banker, he did a large, and, many people thought, a profitable business. Yesterday morning this notice appeared on the door of the bank: "Closed for the present." Interviewed at his private residence, Mr. Hunt said he intended to assign. He has a large amount of property, and if it brings anything like its value it is thought everybody will get all that

is due them. NARROW ESCAPE. Cornwall, May 27.—Some 3,000 people sat in the grand stand at the St. Law-rence park, where the Queen's Birthday elebration was held, and watched Joe Laplante, a local bicyclist, struggling for his life in a big tank, which was used by the high divers, Harman and Seabury. Laplante, who had ridden in simply because it effervesces.

Several Faces, plunged into the tank to clean off the mud with which he was covered. He could not swim, and as the water was six feet deep, he soon exseveral races, plunged into the tank to

Elihu Coleman, of Fon Du Lac, Wis- | hausted himself. The crowd, thinking | at Wardsville and the collegiate insti-

Spain's Crisis.

Another Likely To Be Precipitated in Madrid.

Ministers Disagree as to an Impost on National Debt.

Liberal Denounces Delay Caused by Party Politics-"Enemies Abroad and Famine at Home."

In regard to those indications of a crisis, the Liberal remarks: "The sovereignty, perhaps the independence, of ishing privileges rests in the pro-vinces. The Dominion has the power to issue licenses to parties acquiring of the court of appeal it will be ex-fishing rights from the acquiring of the court of appeal it will be ex-Industry, commerce and agriculture are dead. The flower of Spanish youth is giving its life blood to carry on the war, and weakened mothers are nursing a new generation amidst this accumulation of evils. Patriotism demands our silent inactivity, while the rival partisans of the Liberal party squabble over petty questions, depriving the nation of a strong, united gov-ernment, capable of facing the present struggles. The country may wait while the government arranges its differences with party politics; but Dewey and Sampson, McKinley and Salisbury are not likely to wait."

PRIVATEERING PROPOSED. In the senate Count Almenas introduced the question of privateering, affairs, Duke Almedovar de Rio, de-

According to El Epoca, the Conservative organ, the cabinet council discussed three points in the proposed lieves Miss Tough went in. For withholding this evidence at former trials the doctor came in for severe criticism from Mr. Johnson. However, the doctor came in for severe criticism flag by the American squadring bombardments by the American squadring the severe criticism flag by the American squadring the severe criticism from Mr. Johnson. However, the docby the Americans. Duke Almedovar e Rio conferred until a late hour in the evening with Senor Leon y Castilo, Spanish ambassador to France.

ONTARIO FAT STOCK.

Annual Meeting-Election of Officers -Date of the Show Changed.

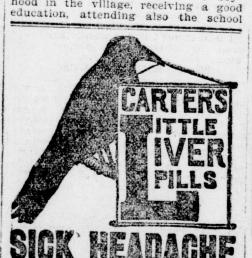
Brantford, May 26 .- The directors of the Provincial Fat Stock Show of Ontario were in session in the Belmont Hotel in this city yesterday. The of-ficers elected for 1898 are as follows: John I. Hobson, president; J. C. Snell, vice-president; F. W. Hodson, secretary-treasurer.

The directors changed the date for this year's show from Dec. 6, 7 and 8 to Nov.30, Dec.1 and 2, one week earlier. The other dates conflicted with those of the Guelph show. At the next show a special class will be made, and \$400 offered in prizes for Acton, and Ovens comes from Mount | bacon pigs. A compensed bacon pig to

be killed at the show. The judges will be-Cattle-Thomas Crawford, M.P.P., Toronto; James Smith, Brantford; J. T. Gibson, Denfield; referee, T. J. Colwell, Whitby. Sheep-Cotswolds-Hardy Shore, Glanworth; James Grant, St. Helens; reprizes are to be awarded by the acting merit it. judges in both classes. Bacon pigs-Chester Freeman, Hamilton; J. Flavelle, Toronto; M. Leach; C. W. Yapp, reserve. Dairy—G. E. Day, O. A. C., Guelph, and J. C. Snelgrove.

MIDDLESEX.

Robt. McKenzie, of Crumlin, for the past two or three days has been busily engaged in raising a fine new barn. About 50 of the neighbors gathered there on Wednesday. The Neepawa, Man., Register announces the death of William Currie. He was born in Glencoe, Ont., July 2, 1857, where his parents were held in high esteem in the community, his father being the late Nathaniel Cur-



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consin, declined to serve further on the committee on laws, and he is succeeded by S. U. Trent, of Pennsylvania; H. H. Morse resigned from the committee. Harman came along, and, realizing the cyclist's condition and danger, plunged and Mrs. Thos. Hodgson, Brinsley, Mr. and Succeeded in rescuing him. and Mrs. Thos. Hodgson, Brinsley, Mc-Gillivray township, on Tuesday last, when their eldest daughter, Clara, was united in marriage to Mr. Thos. Nichols, of Hamilton. Miss Kate Hodgson, sister of the bride, perform-

ed the duties of bridesmaid, while Mr. Geo. Nichel, brother of the groom, acted as best man. Miss Ella Hud-son, 5 years of age, acted as maid of honor. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Yelland, of the Methodist Church. The costumes of the bridal party were becoming and rich. The house was handsomely decorated, and the large number of beautiful and useful gifts bespeak the popularity of the young couple. They will reside in Hamilton.

Mrs. Thorn, wife of William Thorn, con. 3, London township, died very suddenly at the family residence or Madrid, May 27.—The outcome of the financial debate is that both Senor Philosopher the minister of finance and services are services and services are services an Thursday under circumstances that Puigcerver, the minister of finance, and Marquis of Vilaverde, the Conservative expected, the members of the family, post on the national debt. A crisis will be precipitated by the Carlists, Repubmorning, while watching at the bedmorning, while watching at the bedlicans and Romeroists, who intend to side of her husbad, Mrs. Thorn was introduce a resolution in favor of the stricken with paralysis of the brain, impost. This will divide the majority and she rapidly sank until the after-ENEMIES ABROAD AND FAMINE was a well known and highly respectnoon, when death ensued. Deceased ed resident of the township for many years, and her demise will be heard of with regret. All her children are married. The majority of them reside in the United States. The condition of ried. Mr. Thorn is critical.

DIED IN JAIL.

Vancouver, B. C., May 27 .- Jos. Riley, house painter, died in the Vancouver city jail Thursday morning. He was arrested while drunk and fell into a fit from which he did not recover. SEVEN KLONDIKERS DROWNED. Nashua, N. H., May 27.-Information received at the Armenian colony here shows that an entire Klondike party of seven men from this city and Haverhill, Mass., were drowned by the

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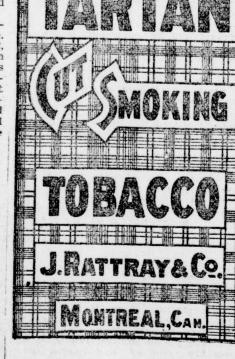
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