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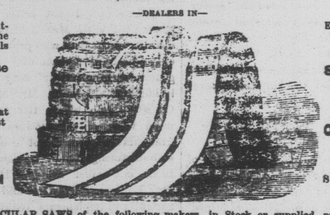

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Law, etc.

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As the Estate of the said late John McDowall, Fireman or Engineer, (a native of Johnstone, Renfrewshire, Scotland) some time in the employment of Jabez B. Snowball, Esq., at his Steam Saw Mill, Chatham, aforesaid, and who was accidentally killed there by the explosion of a boiler, on or about the 18th day of August, 1877, is about to be divided amongst his nearest of kin who are principally residents in Scotland, it will be necessary that all parties claiming an interest in his Estate, communicate with the Subscriber, George B. Fraser, Solicitor, and Notary Public, Chatham, aforesaid, within one month from the date hereof, under certification that if no such claim or claims be made or communicated, the Deceased's Estate will then be divided amongst his next of kin, in Scotland or elsewhere.

G. B. FRASER,

Chatham, June 17th, 1879. 5t21

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Miramichi Advance

CHATHAM, - - - - - - JULY 24, 1879.

Right of Fishing in New Brunswick.

[From the St. John "Telegraph."]

A case was decided in the Supreme Court of New Brunswick in April last which, although it has attracted comparatively little notice, is of great importance to those anglers who have leased rivers in this Province from the Dominion Government, for the purpose of fishing with the rod. The matter came up in the form of an action of trespass brought by the plaintiff, Judge Steadman, against Mr. C. A. Robertson, the gravamen of the action being that while the plaintiff was engaged in fishing for salmon with rod and fly in the South West Miramichi River, on land owned by the Nova Scotia and New Brunswick Land Company, he was assaulted by the defendant and by another man, the Warden of the River, acting under defendant's orders, and his rod, line and reel taken from him. In justification of this assault the defendant pleaded in effect, that he held that portion of the river in which the plaintiff was fishing under lease from the Minister of Marine and Fisheries of Canada for a period of nine years from the 1st January, 1874, for the purpose of fly-fishing for salmon at an annual rent of fifty dollars, and that he had a right in protection of his fishing rights under this lease to seize the plaintiff's rod, reel and line, and to remove them to be dealt with according to law.

There was no dispute as to the facts of the case, the main question at issue being the power of the Minister of Marine and Fisheries to grant the right of fishing in non-tidal waters in this Province, and that this might be tested at the trial before Judge Wetmore, a verdict was entered by consent for $100, with leave reserved to enter a nonsuit or verdict for the defendant, as the Court above might direct. The case was ably argued by Mr. C. W. Weldon, Q. C., for the defendant and Mr. E. L. Wetmore for the plaintiff, and after taking time to consider from the 20th June, 1878, to April 1879, judgment was delivered by Mr. Justice Fisher deciding that the right of fishing was in the owner of the land bounding on the river, and that the Government of Canada had no right to grant licenses to fish in non-tidal rivers in New Brunswick, except where the land bounding on the river is the property of the Dominion. As all the ungranted land in New Brunswick, is the property of the Provincial Government, this decision virtually makes *all fishing licenses* granted by the Dominion Government to fish in non-tidal rivers to be illegal and void.

We may state that Mr. Justice Fisher's judgment, which was an able and exhaustive one, was concurred in by Justices Weldon and Wetmore. Judge Duff said that he had not been able to consider the matter as fully as he should desire to do, and therefore that he was unable to concur in the judgment, at the same time he did not wish to be considered as dissenting from it. The Chief Justice appears to have taken no part in the case. It may be worth while to enter so far into the grounds of this judgment as a non-professional reader will care to go. The grant to the Nova Scotia and New Brunswick Land Company was peculiar in this, that it seemed to except the bed and waters of the South West Miramichi and retain them in the Crown, but the Court held that even if this were so, which they did not assent to, it would not help the defendant, as the right of fishing did not depend on the ownership of the bed of the stream, but on the ownership of the river's bank. In other words, it was held that the riparian proprietor has the exclusive right of fishing in a non-tidal river. This proposition was supported by the very highest authority in recent appeal cases in the House of Lords, which is, as Mr. Justice Fisher observed, "The highest Court of Appeal in the Empire." Having proceeded so far, the next question to be considered was whether there was anything in the "British North America Act, 1867" to change this Common Law right of the subject to fish in a river opposite his own land.

Previous to the Union each Province enacted laws for the regulation of its fisheries, and these laws were in force at the time of the Union. The Union Act gave the Parliament of Canada the right to legislate in regard to "sea coast and inland fisheries," but to the Provincial Legislatures the right to make laws with reference to "property and civil rights." Judge Fisher holds that the power of Parliament to legislate with regard to the fisheries, as given in the Union Act, must be held to be the same power enjoyed by the Provincial Legislatures before the Union to provide for the protection and regulation of the fisheries, and does not authorize Parliament to touch rights of property in the fisheries. Were it otherwise, the learned Judge argues, the authority given to Parliament to legislate with respect to "navigation and shipping" would enable it "to deal with the property in ships of ship-owners. The right in the ship is no higher than the right in the fish to the reparian proprietor." Judge Fisher then goes on to deal with the Act of Parliament 31 Vic., cap. 60, under which the Fishery Licenses were issued, and to contend that it merely contemplated the regulation and protection of the fisheries of Canada, in the same way as they had been formerly dealt with by the individual Provinces, the object being to provide a uniform system for the whole Dominion.

The Minister of Marine and Fisheries by this Act was empowered to grant leases and licenses where the exclusive right of fishing did not already exist by law. This the Judge observes was "substantially what the old Provincial law did." Wherever the right to the fish had been acquired by an individual there was no authority to lease. When the stream was in the Crown the license could issue. Now, with few exceptions in this Province, the land through which the fresh water streams flow has been granted, and the proprietors own the exclusive right to fish, so that the act exempts them from its operation. With the exception of the Indian lands, and any lands reserved for military purposes, the ungranted lands in the Province are in the Crown for the benefit of the people of New Brunswick, and the exclusive right of fishing is an incident to the property in the soil." Judge Fisher, therefore, holds that neither the British North America Act, nor 31st Vic. Cap. 60, authorizes the issuing of a license by the Dominion Government to fish in the fresh water rivers of this Province. We quote the concluding paragraph of his Honor's judgment, in which he sums up the conclusions at which he has arrived:—

I have, therefore, arrived at the following conclusion—That it was not the intention of "The British North America Act, 1867," to give to the Parliament of Canada any greater power than had been previously exercised by the separate legislatures of the Provinces; that is the general power for the regulation and protection of the fisheries; that the Act of the Parliament of Canada, 31 Vic., c. 60, recognises that view, and while it provides for the regulation and protection of the fisheries, it does not interfere with private rights, only authorizing the granting of leases in fresh water rivers, where such rights have not already accrued; that any lease granted by the Minister of Marine and Fisheries to fish in fresh water rivers, which are not the property of the Dominion, is illegal; that where the exclusive right to fish has been acquired by grant of the land through which such rivers flows, there is no authority given by the Canadian Act to grant a right to fish, and also that the ungranted land being in the Crown for the benefit of the people of New Brunswick, the exclusive right to fish follows as an incident, and in such case is in the Crown as trustee for the people of the Province, and a license to fish in such stream is illegal; that the bed of the South West Branch of the Miramichi River in that part where the plaintiff was fishing or attempting to fish, is in the Nova Scotia and New Brunswick Land Company; that the exception of the bed and waters of the South West Miramichi, and of the bed and waters of all the rivers and streams of water which empty themselves either into the river St. John or the Nashwaak in the grant to the Nova Scotia and New Brunswick Land Company, applies to and includes only such portion of each of the said rivers and streams as pass through any of the lands previously granted to individuals so far as they are granted; that even assuming the bed of the river Miramichi was not in the Nova Scotia and New Brunswick Land Company it would not affect their right to the fishery; that the Nova Scotia and New Brunswick Land Company being the grantees of the land through which the South West Miramichi flows, are the riparian proprietors, and as such entitled to the waters and all the incidents thereto, of which the fishery is one, as the right to the waters and its incidents does not depend upon and is not affected by the ownership of the bed of the river but of the *ripa*, the bank; that the defendant, Christian A. Robertson, was not the owner of the land through which the South West Miramichi flows in that part of the river where the plaintiff was fishing or attempting to fish; that the defendant, Christian A. Robertson, was not in the occupation or possession of that part or portion of the South West Miramichi River in which the plaintiff was fishing or attempting to fish; if the bed of the South West Miramichi and of the Miramichi River were in the Crown and drew to them as incidents the right to the fishery, such a right would accrue to the Crown for the benefit of the people of the Province exclusively.

The effect of this judgment will necessarily be to greatly enhance the value of ungranted lands on rivers suitable for salmon fishing, and so increase, to some extent, the revenues of the Province from their sale.

[From the Wilmington Del. "Every Evening." July 10th.]

Dutcher's Case Decided.

Guilty of Drunkenness, Hypocrisy, Improper and Injudicious Conduct—The Report and Verdict in Full—The Evidence withheld from the Public.

The Dutcher Investigating Committee, which has been investigating the charges against Mr. George M. Dutcher, for drunkenness, immoral conduct and hypocrisy, concluded its labors last evening. The evidence taken in the case was voluminous, and much of it the committee deem of such character as would be unfit for publication in a newspaper, which would go into the families of our citizens and be read indiscriminately by the members thereof, and the committee has decided not to make the evidence public, unless it becomes necessary for them to do so.

All the affidavits and the evidence taken before the committee have been carefully preserved for future reference, should it be needed in explanation of the verdict arrived at by the committee.

The Secretary, R. C. Fraim, Esq., was authorized to give a copy of the report to each of the city papers.

Before arriving at the verdict the committee took some documentary evidence, and then agreed upon the following as their report and decision:

REPORT.

Final report of the committee appointed to investigate charges preferred against George M. Dutcher, of Wilmington Del., by the Moral Suasion Reform Association the charges being for drunkenness, immoral conduct and hypocrisy:

WILMINGTON, July 9, 1879.

To the Citizens, Wilmington:—Your committee appointed to investigate charges preferred against George M. Dutcher by the M. S. R. Association, of this city, beg leave to report that they have given the matter their careful attention and serious consideration.

The duty assigned the committee has been a very unpleasant one. Mr. Dutcher, for some two years past, has worked earnestly in this city in the temperance cause, and much good has been accomplished by his persevering labor in the past. Whilst laboring in the city of Philadelphia in February and March last, statements of a serious character and very damaging to Mr. Dutcher's reputation, were published in some of the Philadelphia papers, which were extensively copied by the press in different parts of the United States. Mr. Dutcher, from the public platform pronounced the charges made against him to be false, and demanded that an investigation of the charges be made. He also published a denial in the papers of this city, and demanded an investigation. He also went before Magistrate Cole, of this city, and made solemn oath that the charges made against him were false.

The citizens of Wilmington, who had contributed to the support of the temperance cause in our city, and assisted Mr. Dutcher in his work, demanded that Mr. Dutcher's request be complied with, and that a committee of citizens be appointed to hear and determine the truth or falsity of the charges preferred against him.

Under and by the special request of Mr. Dutcher, we, whose names are hereto annexed, were appointed by the citizens of Wilmington as said committee.

On entering upon our duties, we unanimously decided that no statements would be received by us that were not made under oath. In the examination of this case we have confined ourselves to the specific charges made. We rejected the affidavits sent to us by persons of whom we had no knowledge. We had the persons who had previously made affidavits appear before the committee [or at least two members thereof] and the affidavits were taken in the presence of said committee and they were carefully examined under oath, as to what they knew of the facts in the case before us for investigation.

We have endeavored to perform our duty faithfully, and from the sworn evidence presented to us, we are fully convinced that George M. Dutcher is guilty of drunkenness in the city of New York on March 26, 1879 and that he is also guilty of hypocrisy, and that he has acted improperly and injudiciously.

Yours, very respectfully,
HENRY F. PICKELS,
R. C. FRAIM,
JAMES P. HAYES,
JOHN GREEN,
ALLEN GAWTHROP,
Committee.

Caught at Last.

The notorious depredator Kate-Arrh, who has for so many years eluded the most accomplished and skilful detectives, has been caught at last in Buffalo, N. Y. For further particulars, ask your druggist for a bottle of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, admitted to be the best remedy for catarrh yet compounded.