

and Canning Company, was latterly its President, and enjoyed to a very large extent the confidence and esteem of all connected with that Company.

In politics he was a staunch Conservative and was several times nominated as a standard bearer, and at one by-election only lacked four or five votes of reaching the House of Commons.

Dr. D. H. Muir was married in 1870 to a daughter of the late Hon. J. W. Ritchie. She died in 1895, leaving two sons, John W. Muir, now of Carstairs, N. W. T., and David H. Muir, now a student at McGill, Montreal. Both were at home when their father died.

The funeral obsequies of the late Dr. D. H. Muir took place from St. John's church on March 16th, when hundreds crowded into the church, and lined the streets in the vicinity of St. John's, to pay their last tribute of respect to so prominent and so deeply mourned a citizen.

The pew in St. John's that Dr. Muir had occupied for many years was prettily and artistically adorned with floral tributes, including a wreath from the Provincial Medical Board.

The service in the church was conducted by the Rector of St. John's, Ven. Archdeacon Kaulbach, assisted by Rev. G. R. Martell, Rector of Maitland; at the grave, Rev. J. W. Godfrey, Curate of St. John's, officiated.

Among those from Halifax who were present to pay their last tribute of respect to his memory were Dr. M. A. B. Smith, Dr. J. Stewart, Dr. G. M. Campbell, Dr. L. M. Murray.

The long procession, after the church service, then wended its way to Terrace Hill Cemetery, where was deposited "earth to earth," "ashes to ashes," all that was mortal of the well known and much regretted David Holmes Muir.

Book Reviews.

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