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## THE NEW EDITOR

With this issue the resignation of Mr. J. C. Murray, who for more than six years has occupied the editorial chair of the Canadian Mining Journal, takes effect. Mr. Murray's successor is Mr. Reginald E. Hore.

Mr. Hore is a native of Hamilton, Ontario. Entering the University of Toronto in 1901 with a scholarship granted for general proficiency, Mr. Hore graduated in 1905. During the ensuing year he acted as class assistant in mineralogy and petrography. During 1906-1907 he was attached to the staff of the Ontario Bureau of Mines. He then became instructor in Petrography at the University of Michigan. The summers of 1907 and 1909 were occupied in directing prospecting parties in Cobalt and Temagami districts. During the winter of 1908-09 Mr. Hore acted as lecturer in Geology at the School of Mining, Kingston, since which time he has performed the duties of instructor in Geology and Petrography at the Michigan College of Mines, Houghton.

As Assistant State Geologist of Michigan, which appointment he received in 1910, Mr. Hore has had much valuable experience in Michigan mines. A close study of the Michigan copper industry resulted in a report from Mr. Hore's pen on the mining methods there in vogue. He is also familiar with Michigan iron mining districts.

In the course of his work Mr. Hore has examined many gold and silver prospects and mines in Northern Ontario. Mr. Hore is a member of the Canadian Mining Institute, of the American Institute of Mining Engineers, and of the Lake Superior Mining Institute. He has been a frequent contributor on technical subjects to the leading mining periodicals and to the published transactions of the societies to which he belongs.

Briefly, Mr. Hore is well equipped to guide the destinies of the Canadian Mining Journal. We bespeak for him the fullest support and co-operation from our readers.

J. C. MURRAY.

## THE MODERN BY-PRODUCT COKE OVEN

Mr. Carl A. Meissner, chairman of the Coke Committee of the United States Steel Corporation, has recently compiled a pamphlet treating fully of the modern development of the by-product coke oven. As this subject is of extreme importance to Canada it justifies somewhat extended editorial notice.