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The Hon. Henry George Carroll, Solicitor-General for the Dominion, has accepted the appointment of Judge of the Superior Court of the Province of Quebec for the District of Gaspé, in the place of Judge de Billy, retired. He filled the office of Solicitor-General with much acceptance, but, preferring law to politics, will doubtless be happier in his new position. He is succeeded by Mr. Rodolphe Lemieux, K.C.

We are glad to know that Mr. Benjamin Russell, K.C., D.C.L., is to be the new Chief Justice of the Province of Nova Scotia. No better appointment could be made. His high personal character as well as his legal acquirements would adorn the Bench. It is only by the appointment of such men as Dr. Russell that the high "standing of the judiciary can be maintained. Congratulations may well be extended not only to the recipient of the honor but to the government for making so excellent a selection. Mr. D. C. Fraser, K.C., will become puisne judge in the place of Mr. Justice Henry resigned on account of ill health.

Henry William Newlands, of the City of Dawson, Yukon Territory, K.C., has been appointed puisne judge of the Supreme Court of the North-West Territories, in the room of Hon. Hugh Richardson, resigned. Although Mr. Newlands has not of late years been in active practice, he has had large experience in real property law in connection with his position under the Land Titles Act and has a judicial mind. His appointment meets with the general approval of the Bar over which he will now preside.