

The Hon. Mr. Justice Rose and family, of Toronto, are spending the vacation in Vermont.

Sidney S. Taylor, Q. C., late of Edmonton, N. W. T., is about to practice at Nelson, B. C.

Messrs. White & Williams, barristers, Pembroke, Ont., have started a branch office at Cobden.

Items of personal interest concerning members of the profession will always be gladly received.

Mr. Charles Morse, the well-known reporter of the Exchequer Court, paid Toronto an official visit recently.

F. R. Morris has opened a law office at Fort William, Ont., and will doubtless work up a good practice.

M. S. McCarthy, lately graduated from Osgoode Hall, has entered into partnership with J. Idington, Q. C., Stratford.

Mr. Richard J. Duggan, late of Chicago, but formerly of the law firm of Kilvert & Duggan, Hamilton, died on 6th July at Chicago.

Mr. Alex. Downey, official stenographer, Toronto, met with a bicycle accident recently and sustained a fracture of the arm.

Mr. "Smith-Premier" Will H. Newsome, the popular law stationer, has just returned from a very successful trip to the Maritime Provinces.

The firm of Lister, Cowan & Mackenzie, Sarnia, has dissolved. Messrs. Lister & Cowan remain together and Mr. D. Mackenzie opens an office of his own.

Chancellor Boyd has been appointed a Commissioner by the Dominion Government to inquire into and report upon certain charges preferred against Judge James P. Wood, of Stratford.

John Franklin Hare, of Windsor, Ont., barrister, has been appointed deputy district registrar in Admiralty for the port of Toronto Admiralty district of the Exchequer Court, comprised in the counties of Essex, Elgin, Kent, Lambton, and Middlesex.

T. R. Atkinson, W. B. Laidlaw, A. H. Beaton, H. C. Becher, F. R. Morris, W. H. Barnum, F. B. Goodwillie, J. E. Kerrigan, T. J. O'Connor, V. J. Hughes, W. A. Hodgson, H. A. Little, and D. A. J. McDougall were sworn in and enrolled as solicitors.

Amongst the distinguished visitors entertained at a dinner by the President and Council of the Incorporated Law Society of England on July 8th, were the Right Hon. Sir Samuel H. Strong, Chief Justice of Canada, and Sir W. Whiteway, Premier of Newfoundland.

The firm of Wilson & Campbell, barristers, Vancouver, B. C., has been dissolved. Mr. Campbell retiring therefrom and Mr. J. H. Senkler, a son of Judge Senkler, of St. Catharines, Ont., enters the new firm which will be known as Wilson & Senkler. Mr. Senkler is a graduate of Osgoode Hall.

W. G. Murdoch, the well-known criminal lawyer of Toronto, died suddenly on 2nd July, aged 45. A few days previously Mr. Murdoch had received an accidental injury to his eye in a friendly contest with umbrella sticks, and although it was not at first considered serious, the wound resulted fatally.

On June 29th the following gentlemen were presented to the court by W. R. Riddell, a bencher of the Law Society of Upper Canada, and were sworn in and enrolled as barristers-at-law:—W. B. Laidlaw, A. H. Beaton, H. C. Becher, F. R. Morris, T. R. Atkinson, W. A. Fraser, W. H. Barnum, F. B. Goodwillie, J. E. Kerrigan, T. J. W. O'Connor, L. J. Kehoe, J. U. Vincent, V. J. Hughes, W. A. Hodgson, H. A. Little, D. A. J. McDougall.

IN VACATION.—Smith—"Is young Flywedge practicing law?"

William—"I think not. He was called to the bar, but I think he is practicing economy.—*Illustrated Bits.*"