Judge Hughes was a frequent and valued contributor to the columns of this Journal; and the writer has a very pleasant and grateful remembrance of most valued assistance from him in the preparation of the last edition of his Division Court Manual. Judge Hughes had a thorough mastery of the practice and procedure of the local courts and of the various important matters which come before County Court Judges in the discharge of their duties. He lived an honourable and useful life.

HIS HONOUR ALEXANDER FINKLE, Late Judge of the County Court of Oxford.

We regret to record the death of the late Judge Finkle, which occurred on the 28th ultimo at his residence at Woodstock, at the age of 74 years. The deceased was born at Woodstock, where he resided the greater part of his life. He was educated at the Grammar School there, was called to the Bar in 1862, and in 1886 was appointed County Judge. He resigned that position in October of last year. He was very popular with the profession, an able Judge, and much respected citizen.

JUDICIAL APPOINTMENTS.

His Honour Alphonse Basil Klein, Junior Judge of the County Court of the County of Bruce, Province of Ontario, to be Judge of the County Court of the County of Bruce, vice His Honour Judge Barrett, deceased. (May 12.)

Alfred Mansell Greig, of the Town of Almonte, Province of Ontario, Barrister-at-law, to be the Junior Judge of the County Court of the County of Bruce.

Hon. Wallace Graham, Judge in Equity of the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia, to be Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia, in the room and stead of Sir Charles James Townshend, who has resigned the said office. (April 19, 1915.)

Hon. Mr. Justice Ritchie, one of the Puisne Judges of the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia, to be Judge in Equity of the said Court, in the room and stead of Hon. Wallace Graham, formerly the Judge in Equity, promoted to the Chief Justiceship of the said Court. (May 12, 1915.)