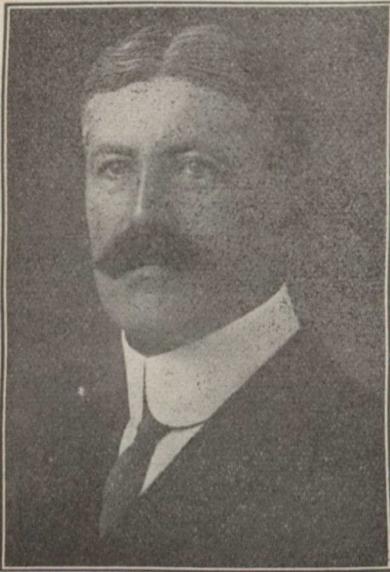


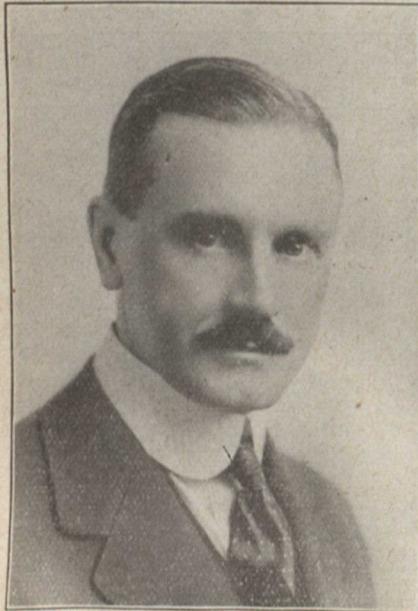
BANK OF COMMERCE SUPERINTENDENTS

Upon the retirement of Vere C. Brown as superintendent of the middle west for the Canadian Bank of Commerce, a



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in the west will be conducted more efficiently. C. W. Rowley has been appointed as superintendent of the Manitoba and Saskatchewan branches, while J. B. Corbet



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was attached to the head office staff, after which he became assistant inspector at Winnipeg, and for the past three years has been senior inspector of the bank's western business, with headquarters at Winnipeg.

new policy has been adopted. Hitherto the superintendency for the middle west has been at Winnipeg and has covered Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. Under the new arrangement, however, this superintendency will be divided into two parts, with one branch at Winnipeg, to cover the provinces of Manitoba and Saskatchewan, and one at Calgary to cover Alberta and the Peace River branches, so that now there are two superintendencies instead of one. Under this arrangement the business of the bank

has been appointed superintendent of the Alberta and Peace River branches. Mr. Rowley's banking career has been confined entirely to the west. From 1892 to 1902 he was accountant at Winnipeg, afterwards for a short time in Vancouver, and from there he went to Calgary to open a branch in that city. Since 1911 he has been manager of the main branch at Winnipeg. Mr. Corbet entered the bank's service at New Westminster in 1901, and in 1903 was brought to Toronto. From that date until 1911 he

OBITUARY

HON. ROBERT BEAVEN, former premier of British Columbia, for nearly twenty years a leading figure in the political life of the province, and at one time mayor of Victoria, died at his home in that city on September 19, at the age of 84 years.

PERSONAL NOTES

W. G. FRISBY, principal of the York Street School, Toronto, has been appointed secretary of the Mothers' Pension Board of Ontario.

E. L. PEASE, vice-president and general manager of the Royal Bank of Canada, is touring the maritime provinces in company with other officials of the bank.

J. A. CAMPBELL, formerly British Columbia manager of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, has become Vancouver manager of the Sovereign Life Assurance Company, of Winnipeg.

COLIN CAMERON has resigned from the directorate of the Canada Foundries and Forgings Company. Mr. Cameron was formerly a partner in the late firm of Thornton, Davidson and Company Montreal.

J. E. COOMBS, who has been manager of the Sterling Bank of Canada, Adelaide St., Toronto, for the past few years, has resigned, and is going to New York to take up a position with the Guaranty Trust Company, of that city.

JAMES E. REILLY, who has been secretary of the Alberta Board of Public Utility Commissioners since that organization was created in 1915, has resigned to accept a position with the Gregory Tire and Rubber Company, of Vancouver.

G. S. LAING, chartered accountant, of Winnipeg, Man., who for the past two years has been engaged by the Board of Grain Supervisors as internal auditor has completed this work and has opened an office at 805 Union Trust Building, Winnipeg, Man.

NAPOLEON LAVOIE, general manager of the La Banque Nationale, left for New York on September 14, from where he will sail for Europe. While in Europe, Mr. Lavoie will visit the Banque Nationale in Paris, and will also study general commercial and finance relations between France and Canada.

HOWARD E. BLIGH, for some years inspector for Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, of the Western Assurance Company of Toronto, with headquarters at Calgary, has relinquished his connection with that company and has been appointed manager of the insurance department of the Northern Securities, Limited, Vancouver.

A. E. HOLT, manager of the Royal Trust Company, Montreal, has retired from that position owing to ill-health. H. B. Mackenzie, formerly general manager of the Bank of British North America and at present one of the assistant general managers of the Bank of Montreal, will, it is understood, be appointed general manager of the Royal Trust Company, having supervision of the head office here and the branches throughout Canada. The board of directors has elected Mr. Holt as a member of the board in order to retain his connection with the institution and to take advantage of his long experience, he having been its first employee.

J. H. C. LAWRENCE, who is well known in Winnipeg financial circles, has been appointed manager of the Canada Permanent Trust Company, succeeding Mr. G. F. Harris. Mr. Lawrence has been with the firm since 1896 in various capacities both in the east and the west. The company is an offshoot of the Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation whose headquarters are at Toronto, and the formation of the trust company was undertaken to work hand-in-hand with the parent company, doing general trust company business.

W. W. STRATTON has been elected to a seat in the Toronto Stock Exchange. Mr. Stratton has just formed a partnership with P. W. Campbell under the name of Campbell, Stratton and Co., and will carry on a general business as stock brokers and bond dealers, as successors to the firm of A. E. Dymont and Company. Mr. Dymont is giving up his seat on the local exchange in order to devote his time more exclusively to other financial interests. The new partners, since their return from overseas, have been engaged in financial work, both in Toronto and Montreal.