Courts and Practice. -

JUDICIAL APPOINTMENTS.

James Magee, of London, K.C., to be a Judge of the Supreme Court of Judicature, and a Justice of the High Court of Justice for Ontario, and a member of the Chancery Division of that Court in the room of Hon. Mr. Justice Ferguson, deceased. Gazetted July 2.

His Honor Edward O'Connor, Junior Judge of Algoma, to be a Surrogate Judge in Admiralty of the Exchequer Court for that District. Gazeited July 2.

THE BAR.

Mr. John S. Ewart, K.C., has removed from Winnipeg to Ottawa, and joined the firm of Wyld & Osler as counsel, the firm hereafter being known as Ewart, Wyld & Osler. Mr. Ewart has enjoyed an extensive practice at the Manitoba Bar during the past twenty years, and he brings a ripe experience to his new sphere of labour. As a writer on the more erudite side of legal literature Mr. Ewart has become well known to the readers of the CANADA LAW JOURNAL. He is the author of a work on "Costs" and one on "Estoppel"; at the present time he is engaged upon a treatise on the equitable doctrine of "Election." We extend our best wishes to Mr. Ewart on his return to Ontario, his domicil of origin, and express the hope that both the courts and the printers will be busied by him for a long time to come.

Book Reviews.

The Yearly Digest of reported cases for the year 1903, decided in the Supreme and other Courts of England, edited by G. R. Bell, M.A., Barrister-at-law, London, Butterworth & Co., 12 Bell Yard, Temple Bar, W.C., 1904.

This necessary yearly addition to every library includes a copious selection of reported cases decided in English, Irish and Scotch Courts. with lists of cases digested, overruled, considered, etc., and all statutes, orders and rules referred to. This digest is a continuation of Mr. Beal's work, taken up by the present editor, who follows on the methods of his predecessor. The selection includes several series of reports in addition to the "authorized." The publishers' work is, of course, as usual, done excellently well.