

Sur.; Mrs. M. H. Perrier, Marquette; Mrs. J. G. Elwell, Water Powers; L. G. Smith, Topo. Sur.; J. J. Freeland, Topo. Sur.; Miss H. Bennett, Accts.; C. H. Holbrook, Topo. Sur.

Justice. — F. N. Kerr, warden, F. W. Dickenson, dep. warden, Saskatchewan.

Library of Parliament.—Miss B. Chevrier.

Marine.—W. R. Tracey, Inside.

Militia.—Miss C. H. George, Miss M. Kennedy, W. L. Flemming, J. O. LeBlanc, Inside.

Mines.—F. Ransom, Geo. C. Aitken.

Gift to Customs Collector.

Customs Collector F. D. Shaw of the Lethbridge port received a very pleasing surprise when at closing time the afternoon before Christmas he was waited on by the staff of the office and presented with a very handsome gold headed cane, suitably inscribed. The presentation was made by Major Burnett in a few well chosen words, and gratefully acknowledged by Mr. Shaw to whom the affair was all the more pleasing because it was such a complete surprise.

Miss McVity of the Immigration Branch, Department of Interior, has been quite poorly, at her home in Aylmer, Que., and her many friends regret that she is still unable to attend the office.

Mr. R. C. Douglas, the well known member of the staff of the Department of Railways and Canals, has been spending a short holiday in his old home, in Nova Scotia.

Mr. Paul Curing, a graduate of the University of New Brunswick, and prominent English Rugby football player, has recently joined the Engineering Branch of the Department of Marine and Fisheries.

Miss Gladys Dix, B.A., of Queen's University, and a resident of Kingston, has become a member of the staff of the Militia Department.

The Department of Indian Affairs, head quarters staff, has been transferred from the East Block to the Booth Building, Sparks street.

Mr. Richard Grigg, Commissioner of Commerce, is in Toronto on business.

Dr. Gussow of the Department of Agriculture has been in Washington looking after the interests of Canadian potato

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His Majesty, at New Years, conferred distinguished honor upon two Canadian public servants. Charles J. Jones, secretary in the Governor-General's office and a civil servant of thirty-eight years' standing, received a Companionship in the Order of St. Michael and St. George. Similar honor was conferred upon Aubrey White, Deputy Minister of Lands and Forests at Toronto, who has served the Ontario government for thirty-five years.

Mr. William Campbell, a veteran Toronto editor and father of Mr. A. C. Campbell of the Hansard staff of the House of Commons, died on December 29th at an advanced age. He had been a resident of To-

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