

PERSONAL NOTES

MR. SYDNEY H. MATCHAM has been appointed manager of the life department of Kern Agencies, Ltd., of Moose Jaw.

MR. H. GOODERHAM has been appointed president of the Union Trust Co., and Dr. J. H. McConnell, vice-president, in the place of the late Mr. H. S. Strathy.

MR. L. L. THERIAULT, who for the past three years has been in the New Brunswick Department of Public Works, has been appointed town manager of Edmundston, N.B.

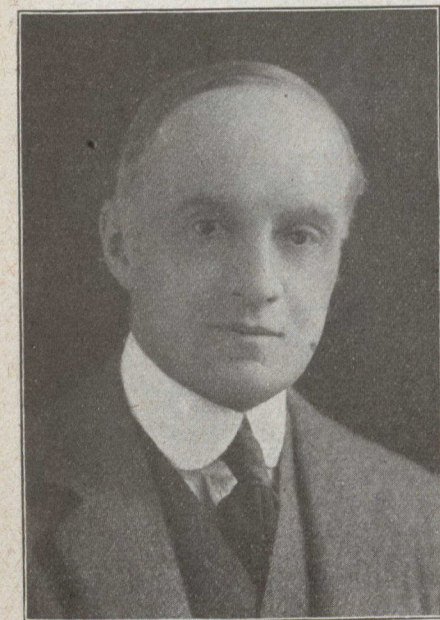
MR. THOMAS BRADSHAW, Commissioner of Finance, Toronto, and Mr. J. H. Gundy, of Wood, Gundy and Co., have been elected to the directorate of the Dominion Life Assurance Co., Waterloo, Ont.

MR. J. O. TURNBULL has retired from the position of inspector in the insurance department of the Manitoba government, which he had creditably filled during the past seven years, to accept an appointment as agency director of the North-Western Life Assurance Co.

MR. E. J. BEAUBAIS, who was previously connected with the Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Co., for many years, latterly as the company's inspector for Montreal, has been appointed assistant to Mr. F. J. Knox in the insurance department of the Montreal Securities Corporation.

MR. J. W. NOXCROSS, president and managing director of Canada Steamship Lines, Ltd., has been elected a director of the Dominion Steel Corporation. The vacancy filled by the election of Mr. Noxcross was caused through the retirement from the directorate of Mr. J. K. Ross more than a month ago.

MR. W. C. NOXON, Canada's new trade representative in London, England, is well known in financial circles here.



He has been for more than ten years a member of the firm of Brent, Noxon and Co., bond dealers, Toronto, though in recent years he has not taken an active part in the business. Mr. Noxon kept in close touch with financial conditions in Great Britain, and was instrumental in bringing considerable old country capital to this country in the pre-war days. He is also a director of the London and Canadian Loan and Agency Company, Toronto. Mr. Harrison Watson,

who will be associated with Mr. Noxon, has for some years past been chief Canadian government trade commissioner in the United Kingdom, with headquarters in London.

MR. G. H. BELTON, of London, Ont., has been elected to the directorate of the Canada Trust Co. He is president of the George H. Belton Lumber Co., vice-president of the South-Western Ontario Lumber Dealers' Association, and a director of the Northern Life Assurance Co. Mr. Hume Blake, B.A., vice-president of the Manning Cold Storage Co., and a director of the Union Bank of Canada, has also been elected to the directorate.

MR. WILLIAM MACKAY, manager for Canada of the Royal Insurance Co., and the Queen's Insurance Co. at Montreal for 15 years, and also president of the Hudson Bay In-

surance Co., is retiring from these companies on May 1st next. He is to be succeeded by Mr. J. H. Labelle, who is at present assistant manager. Three assistant managers are to be appointed: Mr. R. A. Mannings, at present resident secretary of the life department, Royal Insurance Co.; Mr. F. J. Walker, office manager of the Royal, and Mr. A. Glover, inspector of the Royal.

MR. A. T. BARLOW, supervisor, Continental Casualty Co., of Chicago, U.S.A., has just been put in charge of the Canadian head office of the Continental, situated at 47-51 King St. West, Toronto.

He is putting on an intensive campaign for general and local agents.

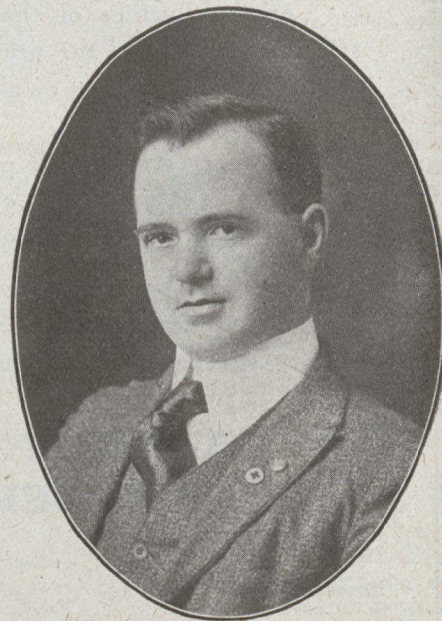
This is one of the largest casualty insurance companies in the United States, having been founded in 1885.

Last year it wrote over \$10,000,000 of business, and its capital and surplus are \$1,000,000, and assets over \$5,000,000. The Continental Casualty Co. was founded in 1885 and incorporated in 1897.

For many years it specialized in accident and

health insurance, but is now writing other casualty lines. The president, H. G. B. Alexander, was a native of England, and has a high standing in insurance circles in the United States. In connection with their Canadian business, the company has already announced the appointment of Dale and Co., Montreal, as general agents for Quebec, and of Jones and Proctor Bros., Toronto, for Ontario.

MR. J. H. O'REILLY, B.C.E., graduate of the University of Manitoba, and associate member of the engineering institute of Canada, has been appointed secretary of the Research Bureau and Civics Bureau of the Winnipeg Board of Trade. The new secretary has had extensive experience in Winnipeg and the west, as a surveyor and engineer, being latterly employed with the Winnipeg Electric Railway Co. as assisting appraisal engineer.



OBITUARIES

MR. O. F. RICE, a former manager of the Toronto branch of the Imperial Bank of Canada, died last week in his 66th year.

MR. W. L. MACKENZIE, president of the wholesale firm of W. L. MacKenzie and Co., Winnipeg, Man., died on February 17th last, at the age of 88 years.

MR. E. SHEPPARD, manager of the Montreal branch of the American Bank Note Co., died last week. Mr. Sheppard has been Montreal manager of the company for fifteen years.

MR. RICHARD BROWN, for sixty years president of Brown Bros., Ltd., manufacturing stationers, died at his home at 446 Jarvis St., Toronto, last week. He was 86 years of age, and was born in Newcastle, England.

MR. E. F. SLACK, president of the Canadian Press, Ltd., and general manager of "The Montreal Gazette," died on February 15th, at his residence, 658 Grosvenor Avenue, Westmount, Que. He was taken ill with influenza a couple of days ago, and this developed into double pneumonia, to which he succumbed.