PERSONAL NOTES

Mr. A. J. Pattison, of A. J. Pattison, Jr. and Company, Toronto, and R. S. Morris, of Morris and Wright, Hamilton, were elected members of the Montreal Stock Exchange, on March 2nd.

MR. MILLER LASH has been elected a director of the Western Assurance Company, and of the British America Assurance Company, succeeding his father, the late Z. A. Lash, K.C., on both boards.

Mr. Francis H. Sisson, who addressed the Dominion Mortgage and Investment Association in Toronto on March 4, is vice-president of the Guaranty Trust Company of New



York. He formerly was prominent in United States railroad circles as assistant chairman of the Railway Executives Advisory Committee. This threw him in close touch with the heart of business in the United States and the relation of financial organizations to business health. Prior to that time, Mr. Sisson had a varied business experience, and had extensive interests in the publishing and advertising fields. He has always been a very keen student of financial problems. Mr. Sisson was born in Galesburg, Ill., and graduated from Knox College

in that city. Subsequently he attended Harvard where he took post-graduate work. In addition to his association with the Guaranty Trust Company of New York, he is a director of the Montana Farming Corporation.

Mr. Thomas Robb, manager and secretary of the Shipping Federation of Canada, at Ottawa, has been appointed to the Lighthouse Board as representative of shipping interests in the Atlantic Division.

MR. RICHARD D. WAUGH, ex-mayor of Winnipeg, and recently Commissioner of the Great Winnipeg Waterway Commission, has been appointed as Canada's representative on the Sarre Valley Commission.

MR. JAS. A. FULLER, manager of the branch factory of of the Dominion Canners, Ltd., West Lorne, Ont., has been appointed superintendent of western branches, The vacancy was caused by the death of Mr. David Marshall, M.P., of Aylmer, Ont.

Mr. George H. Muirhead, Deputy Master of Titles at Osgoode Hall, Toronto, has resigned his position to accept that of estates manager with the Brantford Trust Company. Mr. Muirhead was formerly a member of the firm of Brewster, Muirhead and Heyd, lawyers in Brantford.

MR. J. M. MACKIE, vice-president of the United Financial Corporation, Montreal, and formerly general manager of C. Meredith and Company, Limited, has resigned to devote his entire attention to the Hillcrest Collieries, of which he was general manager before entering the investment business.

MR. WILLIAM S. CHADWICK who since 1912 has been one of the assistant secretaries of the Guarantee Company of North America, Montreal, was appointed secretary and treasurer of the company last week, in succession to Richard B. Scott. Mr. Scott held his office for the past twenty-eight years, and has resigned to return to his home in Florida.

Mr. Chadwick, who is well known in Montreal was born in London, Ont., and joined the staff of the Guarantee Company in 1886.

MR. EDWARD F. SISE, formerly president of the Northern Electric Company, has joined the Montreal stock brokerage firm of H. C. Scott and Company as a partner, and with the present member of the firm, Hope Scott, will conduct business under the old name style. Mr. Sise for many years has been associated with the electrical industry in Canada, organizing in 1899 the Imperial Wire and Cable Company. in which he held the position of managing director. This company was merged in 1914 with the Northern Electric and Manufacturing Company, the merger being the present Northern Electric Company, Limited, of which Mr. Sise was president until he retired from the board of directors in November, 1919. Mr. Scott has had a long experience in stock broking, having been with the clearing house of the Montreal Stock Exchange in 1903 and later with Brown and Company, of the New York Stock Exchange, subsequently becoming floor member for H. C. Scott and Company in 1907.

Mr. E. M. SAUNDERS, treasurer of the Canada Life Assurance Company, presided at the annual meeting of the

Dominion Mortgage and Investments Association in Toronto. March 4 and 5. Approximately, sixty-six million dollars of assets are held by Canada Life, and the responsibility of investing this total safely and profitably keeps Mr. Saunders in close touch with conditions throughout the Dominion. The association has done good work not only for its own members but for security holders as a whole, by keeping a careful watch over mortgage loans and the field of government and municipal bonds. Special questions which required attention in



1919 were the moratoria and so-called "protective legislation," and the difficulties in which some Canadian municipalities found themselves financially.

OBITUARIES

MR. WILLIAM POWER, a well known fire insurance adjuster and valuator, of Toronto, and at one time superintendent of buildings for the Exhibition Association, died February 24th.

Mr. David Weismiller, president and general manager of the London Mutual Insurance Company for many years, until his retirement in 1913, died suddenly in Toronto, last week. He was born in Wellesley, Ont., and was 61 years old.

Dr. Daniel Strachan, industrial welfare administrator of the Imperial Oil Company, died on March 3. He was born in Glencoe, Ont., in 1866, and was a Presbyterian minister before entering the service of the company in August, 1918.

MR. HENRY ACTON FLEMING, Toronto, died last week. For 12 years he had been in partnership with Mr. Stuart A. Marvin in the firm of Fleming and Marvin, on the Standard Mining Exchange. Mr. Fleming was born in Toronto, and was 35 years old. After his graduation from Upper Canada College he was engaged with the Imperial bank at the corner of York and King Sts., and later joined the brokerage firm of Brouse, Mitchell and Company.