

ing sold in the interest of his widow. It contains some excellent hits at some of the eccentricities and inconsistencies of judicial decisions, etc. We trust it will have a large sale.

Bench and Bar.

JUDICIAL APPOINTMENTS.

Hon. Charles James Townshend, a puisne judge of the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia, to be Chief Justice of that Court in the room of the Hon. R. L. Weatherbe, resigned.

Frederick Andrew Laurence, of Truro, N.S., K.C., to be a puisne judge of the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia in the room of the Hon. C. J. Townshend. (November 2.)

ELECTION OF BENCHERS.

The following is the result of the election of Benchers of the Law Society of the Province of Alberta: James Muir, K.C., Calgary, 90; C. F. P. Conybeare, K.C., Lethbridge, 79; W. L. Walsh, K.C., Calgary, 72; J. C. F. Bown, Edmonton, 64; D. G. White, Medicine Hat, 58; Hon. J. A. Lougheed, K.C., Calgary, 55; H. C. Taylor, Edmonton, 51; G. W. Greene, Red Deer, 40; O. M. Biggar, Edmonton, 39.

Flotsam and Jetsam.

One night recently, one Joseph Mirandau was walking down a street in the east end of Montreal when he came across a drunken man attempting to drag across the street a girl who screamed and resisted him. Mirandau promptly came to her rescue and therein found it necessary to handle the ruffian with some vigour. The latter the next day summoned him before the Recorder's Court. Mr. Dupuis, the recorder, approved of the prisoner's action, but sentenced him to \$1.00 and costs, remarking, "The law is here and I must not ignore it." He certainly should not have ignored it. It was not an occasion on which he should have done so. If he had known a little law he would not have done so.