## THE BOARD OF TRADE, SASKATOON



## MALCOLM S. ISBISTER, President of the Board of Trade

Postmaster for seven years and President of the Board of Trade, who has done so much to bring about the very rapid development.

The Hardware Firm of Isbister and Pretty located at 249 Second Avenue, South, are the successors of the old reliable and well known firm of M. Isbister & Son, who came to Saskatoon and opened a Retail Hardware Store in March, 1903.

Mr. Malcolm Isbister has held the position of Postmaster for the past seven years and is also the President of the Board of Trade. He, with his son, Mr. John Isbister (deceased), conducted the business for five years during which time they were very successful, the business growing very rapidly. They confined their stock to strictly hardware lines and thus have always led, they being recognized as the best stocked and kept hardware establishment in the city.

In 1908, Mr. John Isbister was compelled to leave business owing to ill health and his brother, Mr. Jas. A. Isbister, who had been with the Firm from their inception, was left in charge. Two years later when John Isbister died, the business was sold by Mr. Malcolm Isbister to Messrs. Jas. A. Isbister and John A. Pretty, who have continued the business on the lines followed by their predecessors, and during the last two years have more than doubled the turnover.

Mr. J. A. Pretty is a son-in-law of Mr. Malcolm Isbister and was formerly in charge of steel bridge construction in the West for the Canadian Bridge Co. of Walkerville.

of silt. An analysis has been made of the filtered storm water after passing through one of the new filters, and it is found to be above the standard required by the Port of London Authority, so that in future all difficulty should be removed, and the life of the filters prolonged.

Mr. Yorath is the author of several brochures on engineering subjects, including, "The Housing and Town Planning Acts, 1909," "Housing for the Working Classes on Garden City Lines," "Design of a Main Drainage Scheme for a Seaside Town", "Water Supply to Public



Commissioner F. MACLURE SCLANDERS

Also President of St. Andrews Society.

The work that is being accomplished by the able Commissioner of the Board of Trade is appreciated all over the city. To him is due to a great extent the wide spread knowledge of this very modern city. His grain tests in this distsict have proved of great use to the farmer. The amount of literature he is turning out annually is enormous.



ANDREW LESLIE, City Clerk

Mr. Leslie's home was in the North of Ireland, where before coming to Canada he was in the lumber business. He was in the wholesale business in Winnipeg prior to coming to Saskatoon. The present position he holds is one to which he is particularly adapted, and the popularity in which he is held in municipal circles speaks highly for the work he accomplishes.

Baths," "How to Improve the Status of Engineers," "Up-to-date Methods of Road-making," "Acton Refuse Destructor," "The Design of a New City," etc. He has been awarded first and second premiums by eminent engineers for papers on "The Standardisation of Road Materials" and "A Report upon the Road Board's Trials at Sideup."

Mr. Yorath is an associate member of the Institute of Civil Engineers and a member of the Royal Sanitary Institute.