

CHAPTER XXXII.—THE ANNUAL REGISTER

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Section 1.—Official Appointments*

Legislative Appointments

Senate.—A list of the Members of the Senate as at Nov. 15, 1948, appears at pp. 84-85 of this volume. From that date to Dec. 31, 1948, the following were called as Members of the Senate as Senators for provinces indicated: Dec. 1, George Henry Ross, K.C., Calgary, Alta., for Alberta. Dec. 1, the Hon. Joseph Willie Comeau, Digby, N.S., for Nova Scotia.

House of Commons.—By-elections held between the general election of June 11, 1945, and Nov. 15, 1948, are given at pp. 92-93 of this volume. Between that date and the end of 1948 (Dec. 20) a by-election was held for Carleton and George A. Drew, K.C., was elected. On Jan. 10, 1949, Mr. Drew assumed office as Leader of His Majesty's Official Opposition.

Cabinet Appointments

There were no changes in the membership of the Cabinet from Nov. 15, 1948, the date of the table at pp. 81-82 of this volume, to Dec. 31, 1948.

Diplomatic Appointments

The personnel of Canadian diplomatic representatives abroad and of British and foreign envoys to Canada, as at June 30, 1948, is given at pp. 125-133 of this volume. From that date to Feb. 8, 1949, the following representatives of other countries have presented their credentials to His Excellency the Governor General: Laurence A. Steinhardt, United States Ambassador to Canada, Nov. 1, 1948; Mario di Stephano, Italian Ambassador to Canada, Nov. 8, 1948; Vicomte Alain du Parc, Belgian Ambassador to Canada, Feb. 8, 1949. Charles J. Burchell, K.C., was appointed Canadian High Commissioner to Newfoundland on Sept. 7, 1948.

Judicial Appointments

Higher Courts.—1947. Sept. 11, Hon. Josiah H. MacQuarrie, K.C., Halifax, N.S., Attorney General for Nova Scotia: to be a Judge of the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia. Hon. Andrew Knox Dysart, a Judge of the Court of King's Bench for Manitoba: to be a Judge of the Court of Appeal for Manitoba and ex officio a Judge of the Court of King's Bench for Manitoba. Arnold M. Campbell, K.C., Winnipeg, Man.: to be a Judge of the Court of King's Bench for Manitoba. Hon. Norman William Whittiker, K.C., Victoria, B.C.: to be a Judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia. Herbert S. Wood, K.C., Vancouver, B.C.: to be a Judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia. Hector Perrier, K.C., Montreal, Que.: to be a Puisne Judge of the Superior Court for the District of Montreal, Que. Nov. 19, Cesaire Gervais, K.C., Sherbrooke, Que.: to be a Puisne Judge of the Superior Court for the District of

* Extracts from the *Canada Gazette* except for Diplomatic Appointments.