A POPULAR APPOINTMENT.

MR. T. J. M. NAPIER THE NEW JUDGE.

As was generally expected, Mr. T. J. M. Napier, K.C., was on Wednesday in Exchequer Council appointed a Judge of the Supreme Court. The appointment will date from March 1.

The new judge was born at Dumfries, Scotland, on October 24, 1882, the third son of Dr. Leith Napier, Whew.

Mr. Justice Napier was about five years of age the family removed to London, where he was educated at the City of London School, until he left England for South Africa in 1895. He served articles with the Right Hon. O. K. Cunningham, K.C., and continued his studies at the Adelaide University, where he graduated B.A. and LL.B. in 1902. He was admitted to the Bar, and soon afterwards he entered partnership with Mr. A. R. Mclachlan, the firm subsequently joined by Dr. T. D. Muirhead, who is now a member of the firm of Graham, Muirhead, and Muirhead. He was admitted to the Bar, and soon afterwards he entered partnership with Mr. A. R. Mclachlan, the firm subsequently joined by Dr. T. D. Muirhead, who is now a member of the firm of Graham, Muirhead, and Muirhead.

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Mr. Justice Napier was appointed to the Bench in 1908, and has held his present position since that date.

EDUCATION REPORT.

The report of the Director of Education for the year ending June 30, 1924, has been published and is now in the hands of the Government. The report is a thorough and comprehensive one, and covers all the educational work of the State for the year. It is a valuable document, and is sure to be of great interest to all who are concerned with education in the State.

M. Z. Heaton.

Lectures in England about Australia.

An important innovation in the field of education is the series of lectures on Australian life and culture, delivered by an Australian lecturer in England. These lectures have been arranged by Mr. Heaton, who is a well-known authority on Australian life and culture.

The scope of the lecture was comprehensive, and it was well received. Mr. Heaton, who is a lecturer at the Adelaide Technical College, has a deep interest in the subject, and he has a wide knowledge of the various aspects of Australian life and culture.

TEACHERS' TRAINING COLLEGE.

Extension of the Curriculum.

Upon his return from his official visit abroad last year, the Director of Education, Mr. T. M. Napier, forwarded a report to the Minister of Education, Hon. J. C. McPherson, which was subsequently adopted by the Government. The report recommended the extension of the curriculum of the Teachers Training College, by the inclusion of agricultural, industrial and technical subjects. The idea of the inclusion of these subjects is based on the suggestion that education should be more practical and more suited to the needs of the community.

The Children's Library.

Before leaving on a proposed visit to England, Miss W. Saville-Brown, principal of the Adelaides University College of Education, presented the school board with a book of rare and valuable volumes, consisting of rare and valuable volumes.