

Louis A. Herdt, Science, 1893

ORN at Trouville, France. Louis Herdt early in life left his native land to come to Canada. He was educated at the Montreal High School and McGill University, graduating from the latter institution after a brilliant course in electrical engineering. In 1902, he took his degree of Master of Engineering and, in 1910, the degree of Doctor of Science. He holds the degree of Electrical Engineer from the Montefiore Electro-technical Institute of Lièze, Belgium, and is also a graduate of the Laboratoire Central d'Electricité, Paris. He is an Officier d'Académie, France, a Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada and a Fellow of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers. Dr. Herdt is consulting Electrical Engineer and vice-chair-

man of the Montreal Tramways Commission. He is President of the National Committee Canada-International Electrotechnical Commission. Since 1909 he has been Professor and head of the Department of Electrical Engineering, McGill University, and is considered to be one of the leading electrical engineers of Canada.

THE Dean of the Faculty of Applied Science, McGill University, and acting principal of that institution for eighteen months, Dr. Adams ranks amongst the leading scientists of the country. Beginning his career with the Canadian Geological Survey at Ottawa he was, after a few years, induced to return to McGill and, in 1893, became head of the Geological Department. Although a great teacher, Dr. Adams is chiefly noted for his work in research. In

1907, he received the coveted honour of Fellowship in the Royal Society of London for his investigation of the flow of rocks under pressure and heat. During the war Dr. Adams became Deputy Director of the Educational Services of the Canadian Overseas Military Forces. Dr. Adams holds the degree of B.Sc., M.A.Sc., and D.Sc. from McGill, Ph.D., Heidelberg, D.Sc. (Hon.), Tuts College, Hon. LL.D., from both Queen's and Toronto Universities. He has received many honours and was recently

elected Foreign Associate of the National Academy of Sciences, the highest honour American Science can bestow on one who is not an American citizen.



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