

Queen's Privy Council. Was Secretary of State from 9 Jan., 1874, until 16 Oct., 1878, when the MacKenzie Administration, of which he was a mem., resigned. Was Leader of the Opposition in the Senate, until the formation of the Laurier Administration, 13 July, 1896, when he again became Secretary of State. Sat for Ottawa in Can. Assem. from 1857 to 1863, when defeated; and for same seat in Ont. Assem. from g. e., 1867, until Nov., 1873, when he resigned. His principal legislative achievement is the Separate School Law of Ont., which he prepared and carried in 1863, as a private member. The Canada Temperance Act was framed by him, and carried through Parlt., chiefly owing to his exertions. Called to the Senate, 13 March, 1874. A Liberal.—274 *Daly Street; Rideau Club, Ottawa.*

SMITH, *Hon. Sir Frank, Knt., P.C. (Toronto).*

B. at Richhill, Armagh, Irel., 1822. Accompanied his father to Can. in 1832, and settled near Toronto. M. the dau. of John O'Higgins, Esq., J.P. of Stratford, Ont. Was in business as a wholesale grocer at London from 1849 to 1867, when he removed to Toronto, where he continued the trade until 1891, when he retired. Was an Alderman of London for several years and Mayor of the city, 1866. Was Presdt. of the Northern Railroad Co., and is now Presdt. of The Home Loan Co., of the London & Ontario Investment Co. (Limited), of the Niagara Navigation Co. (Ltd.), and of the Ontario Jockey Club. Vice-Presdt. of the Dominion Bank, and of the Dominion Telegraph Co., Dir. of the Toronto General Trusts Co., of the Consumers' Gas Co., Toronto, and of the Northern & Pacific Junction Railway Co. Was Presdt., during its existence, of the Northern Extension Railway Co. Created a Knight Bachelor, 25 June, 1894. Sworn of the Privy Council, 29 July, 1882; and was a mem. of the Macdonald Administration, without portfolio, from that date until the death of the Premier, 6 June, 1891. Was a mem. of the Abbott Administration and Minister of Public Works from 14 Aug., 1891, to 10 Jan., 1892, and afterwards, without portfolio, to 24 Nov., 1892, and again in the Thompson Administration from 5 Dec., 1892, to 12 Dec., 1894, and again in the Bowell Administration from 21 Dec. until 1st May,