

Am. Water-Colour Soc.," and a mem. of the Comtes. of Management of the Salmagundi and N. Y. Water-Colour Clubs. In 1891, the only year in which he submitted any works for its acceptance, the *Salon*, in the Champs Elysées, Paris, hung the full number accorded to any exhibitor. The place of honour, viz., the centre of the line, was filled by "Mauvais Temps," which the great French critic, M. Lejendré, pronounced "strongly original," while another of his pictures, "Au Cœur d'Ecosse," was hung on a separate panel in the best room devoted to Aquarelles—the celebrated "Friedland, 1807," by Meissonier, was placed in exactly the same position at a subsequent exhn.—and all the critics complimented his pictures highly. In 1893, the Internl. jury at the World's Columbian Expn. awarded him the only medal for water-colours given to Can.; subsequently the Cotton States Expn. gave him the medal for water-colours; and in 1894 the Montreal Art Assn. water-colour prize was given to him. Among those who to-day are prominent in the art of Am., and were for yrs. his private pupils, are Horatio Walker, N.A.D., Hy. Sandham, R.C.A., and Wm. Lewis Fraser; and in his public capacity as a teacher in the Ont. Sch. of Art, it was his good fortune for some time to direct the earlier studies of G. A. Reid, R.C.A., Ernest E. Seton Thompson and others whose unusual talents have secured recognition and distinction. During the last two years, though ill-health has seriously interfered with Mr. F.'s efforts, he is not without hope that he may yet produce better representative work than any he has hitherto done.—156 East 92nd St., New York.

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at Knox Coll., in the latter city, (B.D., 1859), and was ordained to the ministry and inducted to the charge of the Presb. Ch., Barrie, Oct., 1867. He was next called to Knox Ch., St. Thomas, 1876, and to his present pastorate over Knox Ch., Hamilton, 1885. He received the degree of M.A. from Lafayette Coll., Pa., 1882, and that of D.D. from the Presb. Univ., Clarksville, Tenn., 1886. Dr. F. m. Oct., 1867, Mary E., dau. of Edwin Hunter, of Newmarket, Ont. Politically, he is a Lib. He has filled the office of sch. trustee, is an Oddfellow, a United Workman, and has been chaplain of several societies.—*Knox Ch. Manse, Hamilton, Ont.*

**FRASER, Oliver Kelly**, barrister, is the young s. of the late J. S. Fraser, of Brockville, Ont., and was b. in that town, Dec. 12, 1858. Ed. at Brockville (R. C.) Sep. Sch., and at the Coll. Inst., he was called to the bar, 1892, and practised in Brockville in partnership with his bro., the late Hon. C. F. Fraser, Q.C. He is now in partnership with M. M. Brown, Co. Crown Atty. and is agent for the Mr. of Justice at Brockville. In 1896 he was apptd. on the Royal comn. entrusted with the duty of enquiring into the management of the Kingston Penit. When their labours were closed he was apptd. on a similar comn. in reference to the management of the Penit. at St. Vincent de Paul, P.Q. A Lib. in politics, he is a mem. of the Ex. Comte. of the Ont. Federation of Young Liberals, V. P. of the Reform Assn. of Ont., and Presdt. of the Brockville Reform Assn. A mem. of the R. C. Ch., he was elected Grand Presdt. of the Grand Council of the Cath. Mutual Benefit Assn. of Can.; 1892, an office he retained up to Augt., 1896. He m. 1893, Miss Margt. Braniff.—*Brockville, Ont.*

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