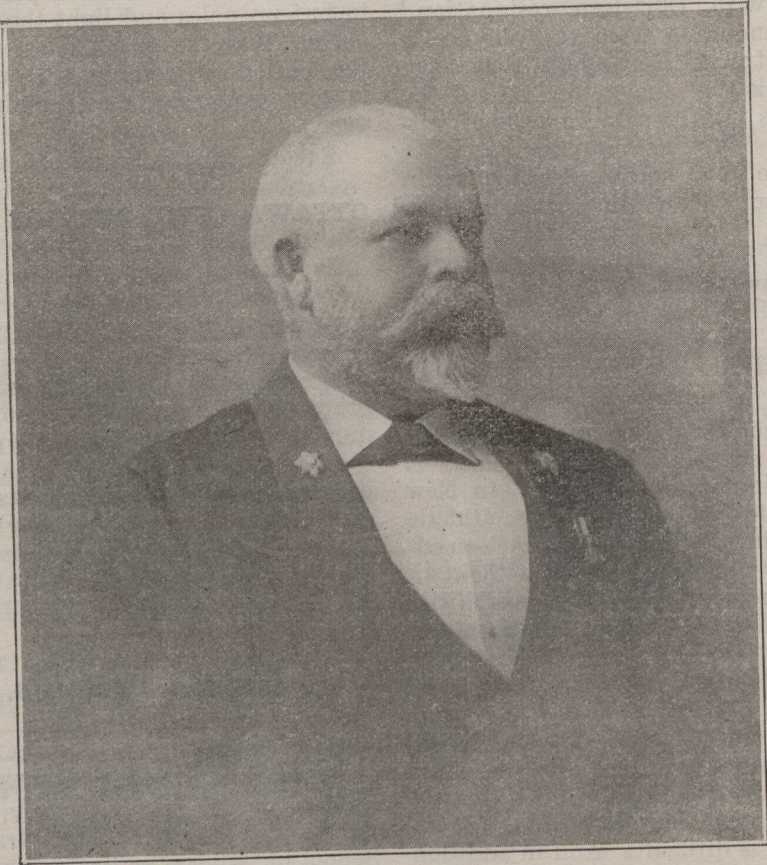


tions of principle has prejudiced his advancement in the service. In 1906 when a division took place in the C. S. Athletic Association of Ottawa, Mr. Rothwell took a strong stand on the side of clean sport and thereby suffered loss of prestige and promotion in his department.

Mr. Rothwell from early days interested himself in the militia, join-

ergetic and resourceful officer popular and respected by all ranks."

Mr. Rothwell has been prominently mentioned as the appointee by the government to the new office of Civil Service Commissioner. As a man who has bumped all the bumps in the way of advancement in the service, Mr. Rothwell should be well qualified for the office, and the members thereof as a body and as individuals would be



THOMAS GAINSFORD ROTHWELL.

ing No. 6 Battery, Ottawa Garrison Artillery, in 1867. He was awarded the General Service medal with clasp for the Fenian raid of 1870. He joined the Governor General's Foot Guards in 1902 and has been paymaster of that corps since 1907. The official account in the Guard's records states that Capt. Rothwell is "an en-

sure of an attentive and sympathetic hearing from one who has been over the hard places himself. "Tom" Rothwell's uncompromising sense of justice would guarantee to the humblest member of the service the same measure of fairplay as that accorded to the higher and more influential ranks of the service.