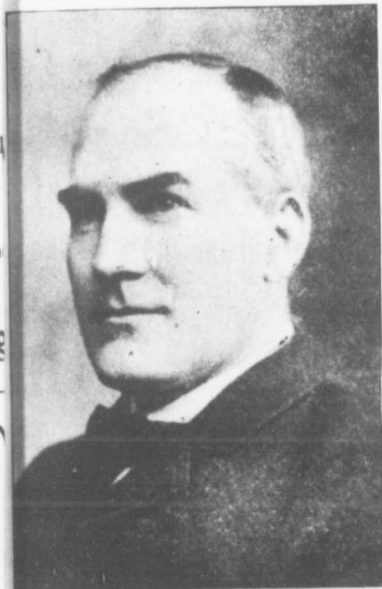


BRO. A. W. FRASER, K.C., P.H.C.R.



HERE we have a brother who is as favorably known to the people of Ottawa as he is to our brethren in Eastern Ontario. In 1882 he commenced his legal career, and five years later was called to the Bar at Osgoode Hall, Toronto. He rapidly rose to a prominent place in his profession, and was appointed a Queen's Counsel in 1899. He was born and received his elementary education in the County of Glengarry, Ont. Though naturally of a retiring disposition, his friends early discerned his executive ability and have forced him forward to his present position of President of the Liberal Association of Ottawa. About a year after he joined Court Ottawa, his brethren recognized his ability when they elected him Chief Ranger, and since that time he continued to rise in the Order till he reached the highest position in the gift of our members in this jurisdiction. After holding the position of High Counsellor for several years he was advanced to the Vice chair, and from there elected to the position of High Chief Ranger, which he occupied with credit to himself and our Order for two years, and then gracefully and with true Forestric spirit retired

to his present position of P. H. C. R., that the honors might go around. That the claims of Eastern Ontario might not be forgotten at the Supreme Court, he attended its sessions at Chicago, London, Toronto and Los Angeles, where his astute mind and thorough knowledge of legal phraseology was ever valuable when our now well-nigh perfect constitution required alteration. As brother Fraser is yet a young man, we may safely say that he is but on the horizon of his career, which, if his success along professional, Forestric and other lines may be taken as a premonition, shall yet have a brilliant zenith.

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