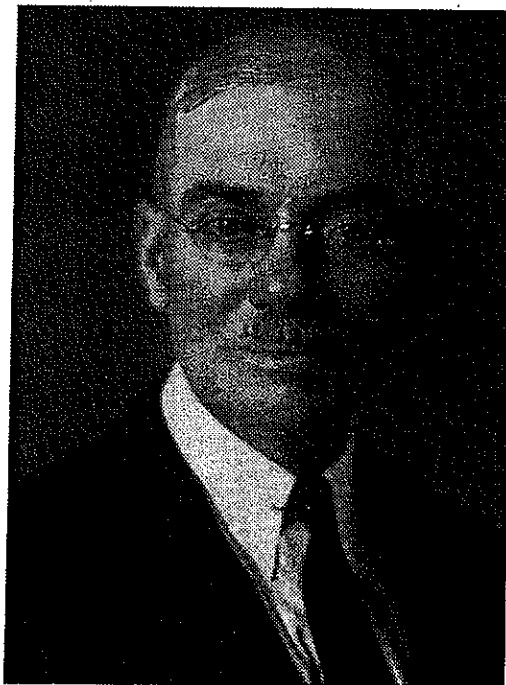


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active service in France and Belgium and for action at Paschendale was awarded the Military Cross.

Upon his return from overseas he resumed his professional career and during 1919-1920 was assistant to the Conservation Commission's chief advisor on town planning and housing. Later he was appointed assistant to the chief traffic advisor of the Grand Trunk Railway Arbitration Board; still later he became chief inspecting engineer on the rehabilitation of the lines of the Toronto Transportation Commission which had just taken over the Toronto Street Railway system.

In 1923 he was recalled to Ottawa as engineer in charge of developing public health engineering policies for the Dominion



Government's Department of Health (now Dept. of National Health and Welfare.) Here followed years of service in establishing studies, codes, and practices, dealing with many varied phases of public health. So continued his Government service till retirement in 1947. His death occurred in Ottawa March 16th, 1951.

Apart from the services previously mentioned, he was Chairman of the Board of technical advisors to the Canadian section of the International Joint Waterways Commission re pollution of the St. Clair River; a member of the American Public Health Association; a past president of the Canadian Institute

on Sewage and Sanitation, and of the American Waterworks Association. He was admitted to practice as an Ontario Land Surveyor on June 19th, 1924. He was a Mason of considerable preferment, being a 32nd degree Scottish Riter and also a Shriner—in religion a Presbyterian.

His widow, Ethel (nee Butterworth) and his son John, survive him and are living in Rockcliffe Park, Ottawa.

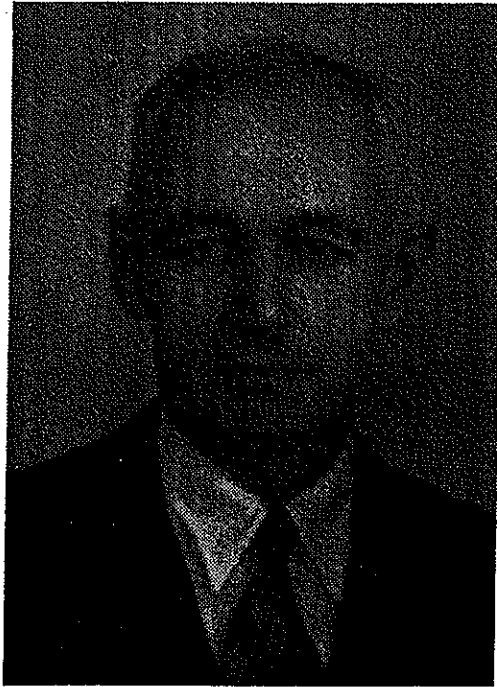
**DONALD JOHN FRASER**

*O.L.S., B.A., D.L.S.*

Mr. Fraser was born in Mount Forest, Ontario, in 1883, and there received his public school education. Then, with the removal

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of the family to Whitby, Ontario, he took his advanced training. Then for several years he taught school and then entered Queen's University at Kingston. From there he graduated in 1907 with the degree of Bachelor of Arts.



Now began his professional career for he moved to Ottawa, secured his D.L.S. degree and entered the service of the Geodetic Survey of Canada in which service he remained some 41 years until his retirement in 1948. During these long years he led many survey parties to British Columbia, the Yukon, to Labrador and Newfoundland.

Subsequent to his retirement from the Federal Government service he was admitted to practice as an Ontario Land Surveyor on April 22nd, 1949, and established himself in practice in London, Ontario. His death occurred there suddenly on No-

vember 1st, 1950, and his body laid to rest there in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

He had been an active supporter of and worker in the United Church of Canada both in Ottawa and London, and also active in the Masonic Order of Canada.

He was survived by his widow, the former Grace Rowntree; by two daughters, Mrs. R. R. Edy, London, England, and Mrs. Graeme Bieman, London, Ontario; by two sons, Gordon and Robert at home.

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### CHARLES VINCENT GALLAGHER

Born in Warkworth, Ontario, August 16th, 1877, the son of Patrick and Charlotte Gallagher, "Charlie" was to become one of those Ontario Land Surveyors, active in bush surveys during a radical change in the means of transportation to remote areas. Canoes and dog teams were giving way to planes and most definitely was this exemplified in the gold rush at Red Lake in the fall of 1925 and spring of 1926. In this rush "Charlie" was very active as one of the first O.L. Surveyors in the field—by all three of the mentioned means of transportation he travelled and surveyed many