

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BIOGRAPHY



RUSSEL REEVES GRANT, B.A.Sc., O.L.S.

MR. GRANT was born at Strathroy on the 9th of April, 1884, the son of William Henry Grant and Ida Reeves.

Following his attendance at Public School in Strathroy and High School in Guelph, he enrolled at the School of Practical Science and graduated in 1909. He served his apprenticeship with G. S. Abrey, O.L.S., and was granted his certificate in March, 1911.

He practised in Toronto in partnership with W. J. Baird, former Secretary of the Association, until 1920. Having qualified as a Chartered Accountant, he established the firm of R. R. Grant and Company as Accountants in Toronto.

Mr. Grant was head of the Foreign Exchange Branch during the Second World War, and following cessation of hostilities, he formed the firm of Grant, Britnell and Moore, Chartered Accountants in Toronto. On his retirement from this firm in 1956, he was appointed Secretary Treasurer of the Association until September when Mr. H. M. Anderson assumed those duties.

Mr. Grant was an active member of Messiah Anglican Church, as well as a member of the University, Hunt, and Toronto Cricket and Skating Clubs. He was a Past Master of the Ionic Lodge A.F. and A.M. He was an ardent curler and golfer.

Mr. Grant died at Toronto on July 1st, 1963, and was survived by his wife, the former Ruth Spencer.