

## HART WILLIAM PROUDFOOT

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Hart William Proudfoot, the younger son of the late Hon. Mr. Justice Proudfoot, was born in Toronto on 29th March, 1876. He was educated at a private school in Lakefield, Ontario, and at Upper Canada College; later he attended the School of Practical Science, Toronto, graduating in Civil Engineering in 1897. After graduating he was articled to his brother, H. B. Proudfoot, as an apprentice, and was admitted to practice as an Ontario Land Surveyor on 6th May, 1905. In the following year he acted as assistant to his brother in surveying mining locations in the Rainy River and Thunder Bay Districts and also as transit man on the location of the Port Arthur, Duluth and Western Railway. In 1900, as a private prospector, he accompanied his brother in the exploration survey from Nipigon to Lake St. Joseph. From 1901 till his death on 31st March, 1906, he acted as assistant on the survey of Dominion Lands in the Provinces of Manitoba and Saskatchewan, and did private work, subdivision, etc., in and around Saskatoon.

