

Lord Tweedsmuir was born in Scotland, August 25, 1875. John, the son of Rev. John Buchan. He was noted Historian and Novelist and was called to the Bar in 1901. From 1927-1935 he was a member of the British House of Commons for Scottish Universities. In 1935 he was titled "Baron Tweedsmuir". He became Governor-General of Canada in 1935 and held this office until 1940. He was a noted Author and a number of his biographies were Sir Walter Raleigh, Juluis Caserer, The Massacre of Glencoe, The Kings' Grace, etc. Some of his novels were "The 39 steps, Salute to Adventures, The Three Hostages, etc. "Memory Hold the Door" was his autobiography and one of his latest works. Lord Tweedsmuir died in Montreal on February 11th, 1940. His library was bequeathed to Queen's University at Kingston, Ontario.

Lady Tweedsmuir - Susan, wife of our beloved Governor-General, was also a noted novelist. She has written many plays, children's books and reminiscences. She was an ardent W. I. Member in England, and was made an Honorary Life Member of F W I O. She advocated that our organizations across Canada compile the histories of our local Communities and Villages. She returned to England following the death of her husband and is still residing there (1962)