

McMurrich med. for best essay upon original work, 1877; M.A., 1878). On leaving the univ. he was apptd. almost immediately to the staff of the Ont. Agricul. Coll., Guelph, and he has retained his connection with that institution almost continuously up to the present time, the exception being during the yrs. 1883 and '84, which were spent in Winnipeg, whither he had gone to accept a more lucrative position. Since 1885 he has been Prof. of Nat. History and Geol. in the Coll., and has done much to make his dept. particularly popular and attractive. Prof. P. has been described as being pre-eminently a teacher, in that he possesses, among other gifts, the art of rendering the technicalities of science simple, clear and attractive, and imparts to his pupils much of his own enthusiasm for the study of nature. He is well known as a public lecturer, and has made frequent tours through the provinces as a del. to Farmers' Insts., imparting instruction to those bodies on the principles of agricul. science. He has personally visited and explored the most noted portions of Am., and, in 1890, made a scientific tour through Yellowstone Park; but undoubtedly, Man. and the N. W. T. of Can. are most indebted to him for bringing before the world their scientific aspect and great natural resources. Besides "Insect Foes and How to Destroy them" (1895), he has written other useful pamphlets, and has contributed to the "Trans. of the Brit. Assn.," and to the scientific press generally. He is a mem. of the Brit. Assn., a Fellow of the Geol. Soc., and a Fellow also of the Philosophical Soc. of Gt. Brit. As a Bible-class teacher his services and merits are known and recognized in the Presb. Ch., in which body he is an elder. He m. 1st, 1880, Mary J., dau. of the late Donald Cattanaich, Glengarry, Ont. (she d. 1886); and 2ndly, 1891, Frances B., dau. of the late Wm. Harrison, Principal of Univ.

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PAPINEAU, Louis Joseph Amédée, Seigneur, is the eld. and only surviving s. of the Hon. Louis Joseph Papineau, a Can. statesman who became leader of the insurrection in L. C., 1837. B. in Montreal, July 26, 1819, he was ed. at 2 private schs., at the Coll. of Montreal, and at the Coll. of St. Hyacinthe, and early turned his attention to lit. and journalism. He wrote the legend of "Chateau Bigot" for *L'Echo de Pays*, and besides organizing several literary societies, contributed to *La Minerve* and the *Vindicator* on political subjects. Articled as a law student, 1835, the insurrectionary movement led by his father, and in which the son fully participated, interfered with the prosecution of his studies. During the progress of the revolt he founded the body of patriots known as "Les Fils de la Liberté." After the overthrow of the rebels, he joined his father in the U. S., and for 3 yrs. read law under Chancellor Walworth, at Saratoga. Although an alien, he was admitted to the bar, by special Act of the Legislature of N. Y., and for 2 yrs. followed the practice of his profession in N. Y. City. After visiting his father at Paris, he returned to Can., 1843; and, in the following year, was apptd. joint Prothy., with Messrs. Monk and Coffin, of the Ct. of Queen's Bench, L. C. This office he retained for 32 yrs., then resigning it to indulge in foreign travel. Returning to Can., 1881, he has since resided on the seigniorly on the Ottawa River, which he inherited from his father, 1871. In a letter, addressed to Archbp. Duhamel, Sept., 1893, Mr. P. renounced his allegiance to the R. C. Ch., in which he had been baptized, and announced his intention of joining the Presb. Ch., which was, he stated, the religion of his late wife (Dame Mary Eleanor Westcott) and was the religion also of his children.—*The Manor House, Montebello, P. Q.*