SKETCH OF THE LIFE

OF

COLONEL TISDALE

COLONEL TISDALE was born at "Oak Hill" Farm, the Tisdale homestead, in the Township of Charlotteville, County of Norfolk, on the 8th day of September, 1835.

His father, Ephraim Tisdale, was born in the same Township in 1801, and his mother, Hannah Price, in Walsingham Township, Norfolk County, in 1802.

His grandfather, Ephraim Tisdale, as a Canadian militiaman, took part in the battles of Queenston Heights and Lundy's Lane.

His great grandparents, Ephraim Tisdale and Ruth Strange, as U. E. Loyalists, emigrated from the State of Massachusetts to the Town of Parr, now the City of St. John, N.B., in 1783, and in 1798 removed to that part of Upper Canada now known as the County of Norfolk.

Colonel Tisdale's maternal grandparents were Thomas Price and Frances Montross, also the descendants of U. E. Loyalists, who settled in Norfolk County over a century ago. Colonel Tisdale himself is a Vice-President of the U. E. Loyalists' Association of Ontario.