

Ed. there, he entered commercial life, gathering knowledge and experience of various branches and forms of business not only in Scot., but likewise in Eng. and Irel. Coming to Can., 1855, he, after some experience in the West, established himself in Montreal, 1863, and has since built up the well-known firm of D. Morrice, Son & Co., genl. merchants and manufacturers' agents. This firm has attained a wide reputation, having large warehouses in Montreal and Toronto, and controlling over 40 cotton and woollen mills throughout the country. Mr. M. is an elder in the Presb. Ch., and Chairman of the Bd. of Management of the Presb. Coll., Montreal, where his name will be preserved in the "David Morrice Hall," which was erected by him, 1882, at a cost of \$50,000, and presented to the institution. He has also given largely to the Y. M. C. A., the Sailors' Inst., the Ho. of Refuge, and the Genl. Hospital, of the latter of which he is one of the governing Bd. In addition to his regular business, he is a dir. of the Royal Victoria Ins. Co., is Presdt. of the Montreal Invest. and Freehold Co., and is connected in the same way with various manufg. and commercial organizations. He is also a mem. of the Council of the Montreal Art Assn. He has long been connected with the Montreal Bd. of Trade, and is a leading factor in the development of the commercial supremacy of his adopted city. Politically, he is a Con. Mr. M. m. 1881, Miss Anne S. Anderson, Toronto.—10 Redpath St., Montreal; St. James's Club.

"A man of extraordinary business ability, energy and foresight."—*Board of Trade Source.*

MORRIS, Hon. Edward P., Q.C., statesman, is the s. of Edward Morris, a native of Waterford, Irel., by his wife, the late Catherine Morris, a native of Tipperary. B. in St. John's, Nfd., May 8, 1859, he was ed. at St. Bonaventure's Coll., and at the Univ. of Ottawa.

Admitted a solr., 1884, and called to the bar, 1885, he has practised throughout in St. John's, and has attained eminence as a successful criminal lawyer. He was created a Q. C., 1896. Mr. M. was first returned to Parlt. as an Ind., 1885. He entered Sir Wm. Whiteway's Cabinet, 1889, and was acting Atty.-Genl., 1890-91-92. He went out of office, Apl., 1894, but was called back with his old leader, Feb., 1895. In Apl. of that year he was apptd. a del. to Ottawa as a mem. of the Confederation-Conf., and took a leading part in the deliberations that followed. At the g. e. 1895 he was returned for the city of St. John's by acclamation. He was a gov. of the Newfoundland Savings Bank, 1889-94. He founded the Academia Club, 1882, and was its Presdt. up to 1892. In 1894 he was elected Presdt. of the West End Club. He has introduced into Parlt. many useful measures, among which may be mentioned the Act creating life ins. for fishermen who lose their lives while engaged at the Bank fishery; the Act for the establishment of Higher Education: the Act for the establishment of a Fire Dept.; and the Employers' Liability Act. In religion, he is a R. C.—"Beaconsfield," Topsail Road, near St. John's, Nfd.; West End Club.

MORRIS, John Lang, Q.C., is the young s. of the late Hon. Wm. Morris, formerly Recr.-Genl. of Can., by his wife, Elizabeth Cochran. B. at Perth, Ont., 1835, he was ed. at the High Sch., Montreal, graduated B.C.L. at McGill Univ., and was called to the bar, 1859. He practised his profession in Montreal, successively, with the late Judge Torrance, the late T. W. Ritchie, Q.C., and Mr. (now Sir) Wm. Rose, his specialty being commercial, civil and ecclesiastical law, and is still in active practice. He was created a Q. C. by the Marquis of Lansdowne, 1887. He is an elder in the Presb. Ch. of Can., and took a prominent part in the union movement, 1875. He has been counsel for the Presb.