

degree of B.A. 1863, carrying off the Prince's prize of that year, together with the silver medals in classics and modern languages, and the prize in Oriental languages. Called to the Bar, Michaelmas Term, 1867. Entered the law course at the Univ. of Toronto, receiving the degree of LL.B. and the gold medal in May, 1869, and afterwards was examiner in that faculty for the years 1871 and 1872. Apptd. Q.C. by Ont. Govt. 1890. M., 1st, 26 Oct., 1869, Emily Annie, dau. of the late Ralph Birrell, merchant of London, Ont. (she died 3 June, 1874); 2nd, 26 Sept., 1876, Caroline, dau. of the late Senator Adam Hope of Hamilton, who also died 9 Oct., 1877. M., 3rd, 18 May, 1881, Eliza, dau. of the late Judge Malloch, of Brockville, Ont. For many years a member of Board of Education of Hamilton, of which he was Chairman two years. Elected member of Senate of Toronto Univ. 1873, and re-elected in 1878 and 1883. Was instrumental in organizing the Hamilton Art School, and was President of that institution for five years. An active member of the Volunteer Force since 1860. Was with his regt. (13 Batt.) as Lieut. at Ridgeway in 1866, and now commands that corps. Holds a first-class Military School Certificate. Has had a very high reputation as a marksman, having been a member of the Canadian Wimbledon Teams in 1874, '75 and '79, winning prizes on all these occasions. In 1879 he won the Prince of Wales' prize (a badge and £100). In 1881, commanded the Canadian Wimbledon Team which defeated the British Team in the Rifle contest for the Rajah of Kolapore's cup. Was also a member of the Canadian Long Range Teams at Creedmoor in 1876 and 1880. Was Presdt. of the Ontario Rifle Assoc. for three years, and is now Presdt. of the Canadian Military Rifle League. Presdt. of St. Andrew's Society of Hamilton for years 1890 and 1891. Was elected Deputy Grand Master of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Canada in July, 1890. First returned to Leg. Assem. at g.e., 1879, and re-elected at g.e., 1883 and 1886. Entered the Ontario Government as Provincial Secretary in January, 1889, being elected by acclamation. Defeated at the Provincial general elections in 1890, but, on his opponent being unseated, was elected again in February, 1891. A Liberal.—*Hamilton; Hamilton Club; National Club; Reform Club, Toronto.*

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