

given by H. P. Simmons, Esq. of Barbadoes, who made an investment of property in that vicinity, and whose laudable designs, in establishing an admirable school, were brought to maturity, by the indefatigable exertions of Dr. Craigie, a Scotch gentleman settled in that place. It is now in full operation, to the great advantage of the population of the surrounding neighbourhood. Upper Canada College has been of incredible advantage to the province; even in its infancy, it has furnished some brilliant specimens of combined learning and genius. Upper Canada has produced some great, nay, illustrious men, amongst them may surely be mentioned that gentleman, who is alike an ornament to the bench, society, and his country, the Hon. John Beverley Robinson, Chief Justice of Upper Canada, and his brethren on the bench, L. P. Sherwood, J. B. Macauley, A. McLean, and J. Jones, are honoured by the whole community for their talent, impartiality, and urbanity.

Few individuals have done more to promote the welfare of their country, than the Hon. Sir A. N. McNab, Kt., Speaker of the House of Assembly: his magnificent mansion proudly overlooking the Burlington Bay, and the noble town of Hamilton, will be lasting records of his perseverance and patriotism.

No country is better supplied with newspapers than Upper Canada. In the Eastern District, the "Cornwall Observer," published at Cornwall. In the Ottawa District, the "Bytown Gazette," published at Bytown. In the Bathurst District, the "Perth and Bathurst Courier," published at Perth. In the Johnstown District, the "Brockville Statesman, and Brockville Recorder," published at Brockville; and the "Prescott Sentinel," at Prescott. In the Midland District, the "Kingston Chronicle and Gazette," the "British Whig," and the "Upper Canada Herald," at Kingston; and the "Belleville Intelligencer," at Belleville. In the Newcastle District, the "Cobourg Star," at Cobourg; the "Port Hope Gazette," at Port Hope; the "Backwoodsman," at Peterborough. In the Home District, the "Patriot," the "Palladium," the "British Colonist," the "Commercial Herald," the "Christian Guardian," and the "Examiner," at Toronto. In the Niagara District, the "Niagara Chronicle," and "Niagara Reporter," at Niagara; and the "St. Catherine's Journal," at St. Catherine's. In the Gore District, the "Hamilton Gazette," and "Hamilton Journal," at Hamilton; the "Oakville Observer," at Oakville; the "Brantford Sentinel," at Brantford; and one at Guelph. In the London District, the "London Gazette," at London. And in the Western District, the "Sandwich Herald," at Sandwich. Besides