

FERGUSON, *Lieut. Col. Hon.* JOHN.

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Descended from the family of Ferguson of Auchentiber, Ayrshire, Scot. B. in Ayrshire, Scot., 1813. Ed. there. Settled in Bathurst, N. B., 1836. M., 1847, Mary, youngest dau. of the late Hugh Munro, Esq., of Somersetvale, Bathurst. Has been for many years a partner in the firm of Ferguson, Rankin & Co., a branch of the extensive firm of Pollock, Gilmour & Co., of Glasgow. Is Lieut. Col. 1st. Batt. Gloucester County Militia. Sat in Leg. Council, N. B., from Sept. 1864 until the Union. Called to the Senate by Royal Proclamation, May, 1867.—*Bathurst, N. B.*

FERRIER, *Lieut. Col. Hon.* JAMES.

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B. in Scot., 1800. Ed. in Fifeshire. Came to Can. in 1821, and up to 1836 was actively engaged in mercantile pursuits. Became a mem. of the Corporation of the city of Montreal in 1841, Mayor in 1847, and Lieut. Col. of the Fire Battalion of Montreal Militia same year. Projected the Montreal and Lachine Railway. Appointed a mem. of the Board of the Royal Institution for the Advancement of Learning, 1845. Has been a director of the Can. Board of the Bank of British North America since it was first established. Was President of the Montreal Assurance Co. for six years, of the St. Andrew Society, Montreal, upon several occasions. Is Chairman Can. Board of the Grand Trunk Railway Co., including the Montreal and Champlain, and the Buffalo and Lake Huron Railway Co's.; President of the City Drill Association, Montreal, and of Montreal Auxiliary Bible Society; Vice-President of the Can. Sunday School Union, and of the French Canadian Missionary Society, Superintendent of the Wesleyan Central Sunday School, Gt. St.