

Capt. 43rd Batt. V. M. Has been Reeve of Huntley for past 7 years, and was Warden of Carleton for 5 years. First returned to Parit. at last g. e. for present seat. A Conservative and a supporter of Sir J. A. Macdonald.—*Huntley, Ont.*

HOLTON, Hon. LUTHER HAMILTON, J.P. [*Chateauguay.*]

B. in Co. Leeds, Ont. 1817. Removed to Montreal 1826, where he entered mercantile life, and was for many years a mem. of the firm of Hooker & Holton, forwarders. M. Miss Forbes. Is a Major (Retired List) in the Militia, and a director of the Montreal City and District Savings Bank. Was a contractor for a portion of the Atlantic and St. Lawrence Railway. Has been President of the Board of Trade, a Vice-President of the Free Trade Association, a Harbor Commissioner a director of the city Bank, and a mem. of the Corporation of Montreal. Was a mem. of the Ex. Council Can. from 2 to 6 Aug., 1858, and from May, 1863 to March, 1864; and held the office of Commissioner of Public Works, Can. from 2 to 6 Aug. 1858; and that of Minister of Finance from May, 1863, to March, 1864, when the Govt. resigned. Was a Govt. Director of the Grand Trunk Railway from Nov. 1852 to July 1857. Sat for Montreal in L.A. Can., from 1854 till 1857, when defeated. Was mem. for Victoria Division in L. C., Can., from Sept., 1862 to May, 1863, when he resigned, and was returned for present seat, which he represented until the Union. Returned to Commons at last g. e. A Liberal; opposed to the present Govt. Regards the Independence movement with disfavor.—115, *Sherbrooke St., Montreal. St. James' Club, Rideau Club.*