

Teachers for the county. During that period the Fenian raid of 1866 occurred, and he aided in raising a company of Volunteers (No. 8), of which he was made Captain, resigning that office when he took up his abode in Milton in 1867. He is now Captain of a company of Reserve Militia.

On locating at the county town, Dr. Robertson soon built up an extensive and highly remunerative practice, so much so, that in 1875, having more business than he could attend to, he took into partnership, Dr. John H. Bennett, the firm's name being Robertson and Bennett. They do the larger part of the medical and surgical practice in Milton and vicinity.

Since settling in Milton Dr. Robertson has been a town councilor three years, and then Mayor four years in succession; and he has also been Treasurer of the School Board and of the Mechanics' Institute nine years.

In June, 1879, the Doctor was elected to the Local Parliament, and is representing the Riding of Halton in that body. He was President of the Reform Association of this Riding for eight years, resigning when nominated by his party for his present office. He is very firm in his political sentiments, and earnest in advocating them, both in private and public, believing them to be for the best interests of the country. He is a man of sterling common sense, and will be likely to make a valuable legislator.

The Doctor is Past Master in the Masonic fraternity, and an Odd Fellow.

January 27, 1867, he married Miss Jeannette Sophia, eldest daughter of the late Samuel Morse, of Milton. They have had six children, two being dead and four living—three daughters and one son.

Dr. Robertson has always taken a deep interest in the welfare of the town and county, and has done everything possible to promote the interest of both. He owns considerable real estate in Milton and also a valuable farm of 220 acres—120 in Esquesing—the old homestead—and 100 in Nassagaweya.

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### HON. JOHN CARLING, M.P.,

LONDON.

JOHN CARLING, member of the Dominion Parliament, representing the City of London, was born in the Township of London, Middlesex County, January 23, 1828, his father being Thomas Carling, a native of Yorkshire, England, coming to Canada in 1818, and settling in London Township the next year. His mother was Margaret Routledge, also a native of England.

Thomas Carling was a farmer in middle life, and subsequently a brewer, dying in 1880. Our subject received a common school education; did more or less farm work in his youth; in