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The Local Governments and Legislatures.

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The Lieutenant-Governor. -- His Honor the Honorable DONALD ALEXANDER MACDONALD, P.C. S. of a Scottish Highlander and Roman Catholic, who settled in Glengarry, Ontario, 1786; and a younger brother of the late Hon. J. S. Macdonald, Q.C., M.P., who represented Cornwall in the Can. Parlt. during the whole period between the Union of 1841 and the Confederation of B.N.A., 1867, was Prime Minister of Can. from May, 1862, to March, 1864; and first Prime Minister of his native Province after Confederation. B. at St. Raphael's, Glengarry, Ont. Ed. at St. Raphael's College under the late Hon. and Right Rev. Alex. Macdonnell, D.D., afterwards Bishop of Kingston. M., 1st, 1843, Margaret Josephine, eld. dau. of the late Duncan Macdonnell, Esq., of "St. Andrew's," Cornwall; (she d. 1844); 2ndly, Catharine, second dau. of the late Hon. Col. Alex. Fraser, of Fraserville, Glengarry, (she d. 1869). Is Lieut.- Col. commanding the Glengarry Reserve Militia; Presdt. of the Montreak and Ottawa City Junction Railway; and a dir. of the Ontario Bank. Was for several years Warden of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry. Acted as Vice-Presdt, of the Constitutional Reform Convention at Toronto, 1859. Declined the Treasurership of Ont., Dec., 1871. Sworn of the Privy Council, 7 Nov., 1873, and was Postmaster Genl. from that date until apptd. Lieut.-Gov. of Ont., 18 May, 1875. [Salary, \$10,000.] Sat for Glengarry in Can. Assembly from g.e., 1857, until the Union, when returned for same seat in House of Commons, where he continued to sit until his

*PREVIOUS LIEUTENANT GOVERNORS.

^{1.} Lieut. Genl. Henry William Stisted. C. B., from 1 July, 1867, until 14th July, 1868. Died 10 Dec., 1875. 2. Hon. William Fearce Howland, C.B., from 14 July, 1868, until 5 Nov

<sup>1878.
3.</sup> John Willoughby Crawford, Esq., Q.C., from 5.Nov., 1873, until his death
13 May, 1875.