Lieut.-Col. J. B. Mitchell.

B ORN, Gananoque, Ontario, 14th October, 1852.
Architect: Commissioner of Winnipeg Public School Buildings and Supplies.
Chairman, Building Committee, Public School Board, 1888-1893. President, Winnipeg Canadian Club,

1909.

Lt. Col. Commanding 100th Regiment of Grenadiers; as a bugler in the Gananoque Garrison Artillery he served at Prescott in 1866, and as a Corporal at Cornwall 1870, Fenian Raids: Medal with two clasps: Royal North West Mounted Police 1874-1877; Signed as witness in Governor Morris' Treaty with Wood and Plain Cree Tribes Indians, Fort Carlton and Pitt, August and September, 1876. As Sergeant Major of "E" Troop. North West Mounted Police, he was with the Force in its record march from West Lynn to the Rocky Mountains, the longest ever made by an armed force away from its base and carrying all supplies with it. Was acting Regimental Sergeant Major at Swan River Barracks and at Fort Walsh and was with Major Walsh during the trouble with Sitting Bull at the latter place. By request of the Canadian Government in the fall of 1877 he took charge of Ammunition (disguised as merchandise) sent through the United States to Bismark up the Missouri to Cow Island, and thence freighted to Fort Walsh for the supply of the Mounted Police. This consignment only escaped falling into the hands of the hostile Nez Percies Indians by twenty four hours.

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