

City Council of Toronto for two years, and has been Presdt. of the Canadian Institute, Toronto. Was Presdt. of the Evangelical Alliance of Ont., from 1867 to 1889, and a Commr. for Consolidating the Public General Statutes for Can. and Upper Can., in 1856. Was a mem. of the Quebec Conference, held in 1864, to discuss the Union of the Provinces. Sat for South Ont. in the Can. Assem., from 1857 to 1864, and was Provl. Sec. (in the Brown-Dorion Administration) from 2 to 6 Aug., 1858; Postmaster-General (in the Sandfield Macdonald-Dorion Administration), from May, 1863, until March, 1864; held the same office (in the Coalition Govt.), from June, 1864, until 14 Nov., same year, when appointed Vice-Chancellor of U.C., an office he resigned, 25 Oct., 1872, to re-enter political life. Was Premier and Attorney Gen. of Ontario from 31 Oct., 1872, to 9 July, 1896, when he resigned. Sworn of the Privy Council, and apptd. Minister of Justice, in the Laurier Administration, 13 July, 1896. Sat for North Oxford, in the Leg. Assem., Ont., from Nov., 1872, until his resignation, 9 July, 1896. Called to the Senate, 15 July, 1896. A Liberal.—63 *George St., Toronto*; *Cartier St., Ottawa*.

O'BRIEN, *Hon. JAMES (Victoria)*.

B. at Aughnagar, Co. Tyrone, Irel., 3 Aug., 1836, and ed. there. Came to Can. in 1850, and in 1858 began business in Montreal, in the wholesale clothing and dry goods trade, from which he retired in 1893. Is a dir. of the City and District Savings Bank, a member of the Board of Trade, a Life Governor of the Montreal General Hospital, the Western and Notre Dame Hospitals, a trustee of St. Patrick's Orphan Asylum and a Governor of Laval Univ. Was one of the founders of the Dominion Commercial Travellers' Assoc. Called to the Senate, 2 Jan., 1896. A Liberal Conservative.—*Sherbrooke St., Montreal*; *St. James' Club*.

O'DONOHUE, *Hon. JOHN, Q.C. (Erie)*.

Descended from the ancient family of his name, having their chief seat at Glenflesk, Kerry, Irel. B. at Tuam, in Galway, 18 April, 1824, and ed. at St. Jarlath's Coll. there. Arrived in Toronto in 1839, and has continued to reside there ever since. M.,