

crowd awaited him on the wharf. I was among the crowd and Sir Narcisse selected the late Abraham Hamel, as representing the French, and myself as representing the English, to escort him to his hotel. Shortly after, I was elected President of the Board of Trade, and re-elected for 3 years, so it happened that Sir Narcisse looked upon me as a representative English merchant, and bestowed on me repeated acts of kindness, which I can never forget. I often dined with him at the Stadacona Club, Sainte-Anne street, and on one occasion at Spencer Wood, where I met Prince Arthur, the Governor General (lord Lisgar), General McNeill and the Dominion Cabinet. Always digni-