

Presdt. of the St. Jean Baptiste Soc. of Essex in 1864; General Presdt. of all the French Socs. of Essex in 1883, and as such presided at the French-Canadian Convention held at Windsor in 1883. Created a Knight of the Order of the Holy Sepulchre in 1884. Is a brother of the Abbe H. R. Casgrain and of P. B. Casgrain, ex-M.P. for L'Islet. Called to the Senate, 12 Jan., 1887. A Liberal Conservative.—*Windsor. Ont.*

CLEMON, *Hon. FRANCIS (Rideau).*

S. of Capt. John Clemon, an officer in H. M. 41st Regt., who was severely wounded at the battle of Queenston Heights. B. at Three Rivers, P.Q., 4 May, 1821. Ed. at U. C. Coll., Toronto. Settled in Ottawa in 1841. M., 1847, Margaret, dau. of the late Col. Powell, of H. M. 101st Regt. Was for some years engaged in the forwarding business, and then became an Official Assignee under the Insolvent Act. Is a dir. of the Ottawa Electric Co., and has been Manager of the Ottawa Gas Works since 1866. Was a member of the City Council, Ottawa, for two years, and Chairman for years of the Board of Water Comms. Was Grand Master of the Orangemen, Co. of Carleton, for eight years. Was Chairman of the Committee of the Whole in the Senate, in 1892, on the Bill to Codify the Criminal Laws of Canada. Called to the Senate, 8 Feb., 1885. A Conservative.—575 *Maria St., Ottawa; Rideau Club.*

COCHRANE, *Hon. MATTHEW HENRY (Wellington).*

Family came to Can. from the north of Irel. S. of the late Mr. James Cochrane, a Quebec trader. B. at Compton, 11 Nov., 1823. Has been a member of the firm of Cochrane, Cassils & Co., Montreal, extensively engaged in the manufacture of boots and shoes. Is an eminent cattle importer and breeder. Is a trustee of Lennoxville Univ.; a mem. of the Council of Agriculture of Quebec; a dir. of the Eastern Townships Bank, and of the Waterloo & Magog Railway Co., Presdt. of the Cochrane Ranch Co., the British American Ranch Co., and of the Bigelow Heel Co. Called to the Senate, 17 Oct., 1872. A Conservative.—*Hillhurst Farm, Compton, P. Q.; St. James Club, Montreal; Rideau Club.*