

MANITOBA.

(Entered Confederation, 15 July 1870.)

Lieut.-Governor of Manitoba:—His Honor the Honorable JOSEPH EDWARD CAUCHON, P.C. Descended from a mem. of the *Conseil Supérieur*, who came to Can. in 1636; a son of this gentleman, Cauchon de Laverdière, was a Judge of the *Cour Royale*, at the Island of Orleans. S. of the late M. Joseph Ange Cauchon, by Marguerite Vallie, both of Quebec. B. at St. Rochs, Quebec, 31 Dec. 1816. Ed. at the Seminary of that city. M. 1st, 1843, Julie, eldest dau. of M. Charles Lemieux, of Quebec, (she d. 1864); 2nd, 1866, Maria, dau. of Martin Nolan, Esq., of the same city, (she d. Dec. 1877). 3rd, 1 Feb. 1880, Emma, dau. of Robert Lemoine, Esq., Clerk of the Senate. Studied law with the late Mr. James G. Baird, and was called to the Bar, L.C., 1843. Edited *Le Canadien* newspaper from 1841 to 1842, and in the latter year founded *Le Journal de Quebec*. Is Presdt. of the St. Jean Baptiste Société of Quebec. Was Lieut.-Col. of the 9th Batt. of Volunteer Militia or Chasseurs de Quebec, and Mayor of Quebec for some years. One of the chief promoters of the North Shore Railway and St. Maurice Navigation Co., and its Presdt. from its organization up to 1872. Is author of *Notions Élémentaires de Physique*, (Que., 1841); *Études sur l'Union Projetée des Provinces Britannique de l'Amérique du Nord* (do. 1858); and *L'Union des Provinces de l'Amérique Britannique du Nord* (do. 1865). Declined the Asst. Provl. Secretaryship for L.C. (with seat in Parlt.), 1851. Was a mem. of the Ex. Council and Commr of Crown Lands, Can., from Jan. 1855 to April 1857 (in the McNab-Taché Administration) and Commr. of Public Works from June 1861 to May 1862 (in the Cartier-Macdonald Administration.) Called upon, in 1867, to form a Government for the Province of Quebec, a duty he failed to accomplish, owing to causes beyond his control. Sworn of the Privy Council, and was Presdt. of that body from 7 Dec. 1875 to 8 June 1877, when apptd. Minister of Inland Revenue, which office he held until

*PREVIOUS LIEUTENANT-GOVERNORS.

1. Hon. Adams George Archibald, C.M.G., from 20 May 1870, to latter part of 1872.
2. Hon. Alex. Morris, D.C.L., from 2 Dec 1872, until Dec. 1877.