

MUTTART, EPHRAIM BELL, M.D. (*King's, P.E.I.*)

Second s. of John Muttart and Elizabeth Bell, of Cape Traverse, in P.E.I. Father of German descent. Mother born in Dumfriesshire, Scotland. B. 7 March 1839, at Cape Traverse, Prince Co., P.E.I. Ed. in P.E.I.; Sackville, N.B.; and graduated as M.D. at Harvard University in 1861. M., 20 May 1863, the eld. dau. of the late James McDonald, Esq., of Kingsboro', P.E.I. A Coroner; also Medical Referee for the Standard and Canada Life Assurance Companies. First returned to Parliament at last g.e. A Liberal Conservative. In favour of Free Trade throughout the British Dominions and dependencies, and Reciprocal Free Trade with all the rest of the world.—*Souris, P.E.I.*

O'CONNOR, Hon. JOHN, Q.C., P.C. (*Russell*)

Descended from two distinct families of the O'Connors, of Kerry, Irel; father and mother were both O'Connors, though not related within known degrees of kindred; they emigrated to Am. in 1820, and settled in Boston, Mass. B. at Boston, Jan. 1824. Came to Essex with his parents in 1828. Ed. there. M., April 1849, Mary, eld. dau. of Richard Barrett, Esq., late of Killarney, Irel. Called to the Bar, U.C., Hilary Term, 1854. Is a mem. of the Michigan (U.S.) Bar. Has been Reeve of the town of Windsor. Was Warden of Essex for three years, being twice elected by a unanimous vote of the County Council; and for 12 years fulfilled the duties of Chairman of the Board of Education of the town of Windsor. Author of *Letters addressed to the Governor General, on the subject of Fenianism*, (1870.) Was Presdt. of the Council in Sir John Macdonald's Administration from 2 July 1872 until 4 March 1873. Minister of Inland Revenue from 4 March until 1 July 1873, and Postmaster General from latter date until the resignation of Govt. 5 Nov. 1873. Created a Q.C. in 1873, by commission of His Ex. the Governor General. Again sworn as President of Council 17 Oct. 1878, which position he held until 15 Jan. 1880, when he resigned and became Postmaster General. Apptd. Secretary of State Nov. 8 1880, and again Postmaster General, 20 May 1881. Was an unsuccessful candidate for Essex in L.A., Can., at g.e. 1861 but succeeded in 1863 in unseating the sitting member (Mr. Arthur Rankin) and obtaining a new election, when he was returned, and sat until the dissolution of Parliament in May of that year; again contested same seat at g.e. 1863, when a Special Return was made to the