

Watson, merchant of Goderich, and late of Glasgow. Charles J. Hamilton received his early education at the Goderich Grammar school, and afterwards his professional education at the University of Toronto. Upon graduating, he settled in Goderich, entering into partnership with G. C. Shannon, M. D.; and removed to Cornwall in 1879, when he entered into partnership with the late J. J. Dickinson, M.D., and remained associated with that gentleman until his death in 1884. Dr. Hamilton was at the time of leaving Goderich to settle in Cornwall, assistant surgeon of Huron batt., No. 33, under Lieut.-Col., the Hon. A. M. Ross; and he was also a member of I Company, Queen's Own Rifles, under Col. Otter. He is at present senior warden of Rose Croix chapter, No. 18. Royal and Oriental Freemasonry, 33°, 95° and 90°; is worthy master of Cornwall lodge, No. 125, G. R. C., A. F. & A. M.; a member of Oriental lodge, No. 163, I. O. O. F.; and a P. C. R. of Court Stormont, No. 3, I. O. Foresters. He, likewise, is a member of Cornwall lodge, No. 214, A. O. U. W. He has always been and is now a Conservative in politics, believing that the policy of Sir John A. Macdonald and his followers is best calculated to further the interests of this country. Dr. Hamilton was elected a member of Cornwall town council in 1885, and deputy reeve of the same town in 1886. He is a devoted adherent of the Episcopal church. He married on December 22nd, 1880, Harriett S., eldest daughter of the late J. J. Dickinson, M.D. of Cornwall, Ont. We may add that his wife's father was eldest son of the late Noah Dickenson, M. D., a U. E. loyalist, who settled in Cornwall, over eighty years ago. Her mother was Miss Mountain, youngest daughter of the late S. J. Mountain, D.D., of Cornwall, and a first cousin of the late Bishop Mountain, of Quebec, first Episcopal Bishop in Canada.

Chamberlain, Theodore F., Morrisburgh, Ontario, the only son of the late Ashern A. Chamberlain, M.D., and Eliza Ann Chamberlain, of the village of Farmersville, County of Leeds, Ontario. His ancestors were of English origin; and A. A. Chamberlain was born at Peacham, Vermont, U.S., on February 12th, 1810. He came to Upper Canada in 1815, and settled at Smith's Mills, township of Bastard, County of Leeds. In his early boyhood he was obliged to provide for himself, which he did by working in the summer months for wages, and attending school in the winter. He went to the school at Potsdam,

St. Lawrence county, N. Y., for a time; and soon after he commenced the study of medicine, attending lectures at Fairfield Medical College, New York. Returning to his adopted home, he commenced the practice of his profession. At the age of sixteen he entered the militia service, and passed through all the grades till he attained the rank of major. He practiced his profession at Smith's Mills up to 1858, when he removed his family to Farmersville, township of Young, in the same county. In politics he had been a Reformer of the old school, being a warm friend of Baldwin and William Lyon MacKenzie. During what is known as the Beverley riots in South Leeds, he nearly lost his life at the hands of the Tory party, under the leadership of Ogle R. Gowan. He was one of the deputation from Upper Canada who went to the rescue of Lord Elgin, at the burning of the parliament buildings, in Montreal, 1849. He was for many years a justice of the peace of his county; and was made a member of the Masonic order, in one of the oldest lodges in Upper Canada, known as Harmony lodge. In 1859, he resuscitated the old lodge under the name of Rising Sun lodge, Farmersville, and was for several years master of the same. Dr. Chamberlain was postmaster from the first establishment of the post office at Smith's Mills (the name being changed by him to Harlem), up to the time of his removal to Farmersville. He was a member and licentiate of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario, and M.D. of the Philadelphia Eclectic Medical College, Pennsylvania, U. S. He was a member of the Wesleyan Methodist church, a staunch temperance man, and a member for many years of the order of the Sons of Temperance, holding most of the offices in connection with the order. He died on the 20th February, 1883. The mother of our subject was born on October 15th, 1803, in the town of Pawling, Quaker Hill, State of New York, and is now living at Farmersville. Her father Hewlett Toffy, was born in the same town, on December 5th, 1776. Her mother was born at Newfairfield, Connecticut, 9th of August, 1784, and died at Farmersville, 1876. T. F. Chamberlain has one sister who was born at Smith's Mills, on August 2nd, 1836, and is now living at Parry Sound, being the widow of the late John C. Miller, ex-M.P.P., for Parry Sound and Muskoka district. T. F. Chamberlain was born at Smith's Mills, on July 6th 1838. His early education was received partly at the township public school, and