

Sat in Quebec Assembly for Vaudreuil and Soulanges from 1848 to 1857, and from 1860 to 1864. First elected to Commons at last g.e. A Conservative.—*Rigaud, Co. of Vaudreuil.*

MONTPLAISIR, HYPOLITE. (*Champlain.*)

S. of Mr. Paschal Montplaisir, by Victoire Crevier. B. at Cap de la Magdelaine, P.Q., 7 March 1839. Ed. at Three Rivers. Has been Secretary and Treasurer of Schools, and Mayor of the parish. First returned to Parlt., for present seat, at g.e. 1874; re-elected at last g.e. A Liberal.—*Cap de la Magdelaine, P.Q.*

MOUSSEAU, Hon. JOSEPH ALFRED, Q.C. (*Bagot.*)

S. of M. Louis Mousseau, of Berthier, P.Q., by Sophie Duteau de Grandpre, and grandson of M. Louis Mousseau, who sat for Warwick in the Quebec Assembly for a considerable period. B. July 1838. Ed. at the Berthier Academy. M. Marie Louise Herselle, eld. dau. of Leopold DesRosiers, Esq., N.P., of Berthier, by Marie Louise Donaire Bondy. Studied law with the Hon. L. A. (now Justice) Olivier, subsequently with Mr. T. K. (now Hon. Justice) Ramsay, and finally with the Hon. L. T. (late Justice) Drummond, and Mr. L. (now Hon. Justice) Belanger. Called to the Bar, L.C., 1860. Created a Q.C. 1873. Sworn of the Privy Council as President of the Council, Nov. 1880. Appointed Secretary of State, 20 May 1881. Head of the extensive law firm of Mousseau & Archambault. Well known as a writer for the periodical press. Was one of the founders of *Le Colonisateur* newspaper, 1862, and of *L'Opinion Publique*, 1870. Author of a pamphlet in defence of Confederation against the attacks of the then Opposition, 1867, and of another brochure "*Cardinal & Duquet, Victimes de 1837-38.*" First returned to Part., for present seat, at g.e. 1874; re-elected at last g.e. Re-elected by acclamation on appointment to office. A Conservative, and "as in the past, will constantly labour to have British North America erected into a grand empire, under the auspices and with the institutions of the Mother Country." In favour of a full and complete amnesty covering all offences committed in the North-West previous to the establishment of a Constitutional Government there.—488 Craig Street and 268 Dorchester Street, Montreal.