

he established the *Mitchell Reformer*, 1861; was the publisher of the *Cornwall Freeholder*, 1865-72; was Ottawa correspondent for the *Toronto Globe*, 1872-74; prop. and publisher of the *Ottawa Times*, 1874-75; and was, at a later period, Mang. Dir. of the *Montreal Herald*. Conjointly with J. C. Roger, he became contractor for the Parliamentary and Departmental printing, at Ottawa, 1874, and so remained up to 1888. In 1885 he founded, with others, the Canadian Granite Co., and, in 1888, the Ottawa Granolithic Paving Co., of both of which he is Presdt. Mr. MacL. has sat in the Ottawa City Council, and was an unsuccessful candidate for the mayoralty there some years ago. He has been Presdt. of the St. Andrew's Soc., of the Ottawa Art Sch., and of the Central Can. Exhn. Assn. Politically, he is a Lib., and has held office as Presdt. of the Ottawa Reform Assn. In religious belief he is a Presb. He m. Nov., 1863, Sarah, dau. of John Smith, St. George. Ont. (she d. Oct., 1897). His s., Capt. Alex. MacLean, is A.D.C. to the Maj.-Genl. commanding the mil. of the Dom.—*Bank St. Road, Ottawa; Rideau Club.*

MACLEAN, Donald, M.D., is the s. of the late Chas. MacLean (Drimmin), and was b. in the Tp. of Seymour, Ont., Dec. 4, 1839, and ed. there. He graduated M.D., at the Univ. of Edinburgh, 1862; and from 1864 to 1872 was Prof. of Med. and Surgery in Queen's Univ., Kingston. Subsequently, for 20 yrs. he held the same chair in the Univ. of Michigan. In 1893 Queen's Univ. conferred upon him the hon. degree of LL.D., and, in 1895, he was elected Presdt. of the Am. Med. Assn. He m. the dau. of the late Weir Anderson, Toronto (she d. 1888).—*Detroit, Mich.*

MACLEAN, Rev. John (Meth.), author and missionary, was b. at Kilmarnock, Ayrshire, Scot., Oct. 30, 1851, and ed. at the Burg Acad., Dumbarton. Coming to Can., 1873, he entered the ministry the fol-

lowing year. Subsequently, he entered Victoria Univ., Cobourg (B.A., 1882; M.A., 1887), and afterwards pursued a post-graduate course in History at the Wesl. Univ., Bloomington, Ill. (Ph.D., 1888). Ordained, 1880, he volunteered to serve as a mission. in the Can. N.-W., and was assigned to the reserve occupied by the Blood Indians, near MacLeod, Alta. In 1889 he removed with his family to Moose Jaw, Assa., where he was stationed until 1892. After residing at Port Arthur, Ont., for a term, he was removed to Neepawa, where he now is Chairman of his District. At various times Mr. M. has held important offices in the Meth. Ch. He was Journal Secy. of the Man. Conf. for 4 yrs., and Secy. of Conf., 1892. He has been also Historian of the Conf. for 10 yrs., and still holds that position. In 1886 he was apptd. Public Sch. Insp. for Southern Alberta—a position which he resigned on being made a mem. of the N.-W. Bd. of Education, 1888. In the next year he was apptd. mem. of the N.-W. Bd. of Exams. for teachers. Both of these positions he resigned when leaving the Territories. In 1895 he was elected Presdt. of the Man. and N.-W. Conf. He is also Presdt. of the Prohibitory League. Mr. M. is an active mem. of several scientific and lit. societies, including the Can. Inst., the Am. Assn. for the Advance. of Science, and the Am. Folk-lore Soc. He is a corr. mem. of the Man. Hist. Soc., and was the correspondent for the Brit. Assn. on N.-W. Indian Tribes, 1882-1888. He is the author of several books, chiefly on the Indians, the best known being "The Indians of Canada"; "Our Savage Folk" (1895); and "The Warden of the Plains, and other Stories of Adventure" (1897). He has also written "The Destiny of the Human Race," "James Evans, the Inventor of the Syllabic System of the Cree Language," "The Hero of the Saskatchewan" (Rev. George Macdougall), "Lone Land Lights," besides several