

New Brunswick, 1866. Holds a distinguished position as a mem. of the Bar and *Nisi Prius* Counsel. Is Lieut.-Col. commanding the Queen's New Brunswick Rangers. Was for many years president of the St. George's Society at St. John. Was a mem. of Executive Council, N.B., from 1851 to 1854, and from May, 1856 to June, 1857; Attorney General, 1856-7, and Speaker of the House of Assembly, from 1866 until the Union. Holds a special patent of rank and precedence from Her Majesty as an Ex-Councillor, 1855. Was Chairman of commission, composed of himself, Rev. Dr. Ryerson, Dr. Dawson, and Hon. Messrs. Saunders and Brown, of N.B., for inquiring into the affairs of and popularizing King's College, Fredericton, 1854. (Report and Bill thereon adopted by the Legislature, 1859); Umpire between Great Britain and the U.S. under the Treaty of Washington, 1857-8, and received therefor the approval and thanks of H.M.'s Govt., through Lord John Russell, then Secy. of Foreign Affairs; (See *Awards of Hon. J. H. Gray as Umpire: St. John*, 1858); H.M.'s Commissioner, under the Great Seal, to settle, in conjunction with Hon. Messrs. Howe and Ritchie, the tenant right question in P. E. I., 1860; a delegate to Portland Railway Convention, 1850, to Charlotte-town Union Conference, 1864; and to that at Quebec, same year; Chairman of Committee of supply, House of Commons, 1867-8. Author of *The Practical Application of Passing Events to the Improvement of our own Country*; a lecture, (St. John, 1863); *the Isthmus of Panama*; a sketch (do 1867); *An Oration at the Encenia of the University of New Brunswick* (do. 1868), and of numerous other published lectures and addresses. Appointed Arbitrator for the Dominion under the 142nd section of the B. N. America