

DEVLIN, *Lieut.-Col.* BERNARD, [*Montreal Centre.*]

2ND MEM.

S. of a once extensive landed proprietor in Co. Roscommon, Irel. B. there, 15 Dec., 1824. Ed. in Dublin, and studied for the medical profession under his uncle, Dr. Chas. Devlin, of Ballina, Co. Mayo. Accompanied his father to Can., when young, and settled in the city of Quebec, where he presented himself before the Board of Medical Examiners for admission to the practice of the profession, but was refused on the ground that he was under 21 years of age. Entered the ranks of journalism and founded the *Freeman's Journal* (Quebec), of which he became editor, but soon afterwards abandoned this paper on his removal to Montreal, where he was also associated with the press, becoming at the same time a student-at-law under Edward Carter, Esq., Q. C., and late M. P. for Brome in the House of Commons, and was duly called to the Bar, October, 1847. Enjoys a large and lucrative practice, especially as a criminal lawyer. Has for some years been joint City Attorney for Montreal, and is also Counsel to the Harbor Commrs. of that city. Amongst other important causes, was retained, during the late Am. war, by the U.S. Govt. as