

the city of Quebec, May 31, 1864. After graduating at the R. M. C., Kingston, 1883, he was employed on Can. Govt. surveys in the N.W.T., and on the outbreak of the rebellion there, 1885, was apptd. Capt. and Acting-Adjt., 9th Batt. V. M., and served throughout the campaign (medal). Apptd. a lieut. in the R. E., June 30, 1885, he joined his corps at Chatham, and proceeded to India, 1887. He served 5 yrs. in India, where he was employed on various public works, chiefly in the construction of a cantonment for native troops in the Himalayas, for which he received the thanks of H. E., the Commander-in-Chief. He also served during the Manipur expedition, 1891, on the north-east frontier of India, with the field force, under Genl. Sir Hy. Collet, K.C.B. (medal and clasp). His linguistic attainments are described as most creditable. While in India he passed the final exam. in Hindustani, and secured the prize awarded for a thorough knowledge of that language, and in 1894, having proceeded to Moscow for that purpose, he passed an exam. in the Russian language, obtaining 135 points out of 150, for which he received the prize awarded by the Govt. for that purpose. He was promoted capt. Sept., 1894, and is now on the Ordnance Survey, Bedford. Unm.—*Care Cox & Co., London. Env.*

CASGRAIN, Hon. Thomas Chase, statesman, is the s. of Hon. Chas E. Casgrain, senator (q.v.). B. in Detroit, Mich., July 28, 1852, he was ed. at the Quebec Semy., and graduated LL.L. at Laval Univ. (*avec grande distinction*), taking also the Dufferin gold medal, 1877. Called to the bar the same year, he has since practised in Quebec, and is now senior partner in the firm of Casgrain, Angers & Lavery. Mr. C. declined appt. as a Stipendiary Magte., N.W.T., 1883, and was created a Q.C. by the Marquis of Lansdowne, 1887. He became a Crown Prosecutor for the Dist. of Quebec, 1882, and was retained as junior

counsel for the Crown at the trial of Louis Riel for high treason, 1885. He was apptd. Prof. of Criminal Law in Laval Univ., Oct., 1883, and received the hon. degree of LL.D. from that institution. He was elected *Bâtonnier* of the Dist. bar, 1894, and was subsequently elected *Bâtonnier-Genl.* of the Provl. Bar the same year. He sat. for Quebec co. in the Quebec Assembly from g. e. 1886 (defeating the Hon. P. Garneau), until the close of the Legislature, 1890, and for Montmorency from g. e. 1892 to the Dom. g. e. 1896, when he was returned for the same constituency to the Ho. of Commons. He was Atty.-Genl. in Mr. de Boucherville's Govt., and also in that of Mr. Taillon, and in Jan., 1894, was apptd. a mem. of a comm. to revise and amend the code of civil procedure, which comm. recommended many important changes and modifications in the code. In 1896 he was apptd. a V.-P. of the Can. Bar Assn. As Atty.-Genl. he introduced and carried legislation for the prevention of corrupt practices at elections, which was declared to be the most advanced and thorough enactment of the kind ever adopted in Can. Politically, he is a Con.; in religion, a R. C. He m. May, 1878, Marie Louise, dau. of the late Alex. Le Moine, Quebec.—*25 Rampart St., Quebec; Union Club; Garrison Club; St. James's Club; Rideau Club.*

"One of the most brilliant lawyers at the Quebec bar."—*Dom. Mtd. Monthly.*

"He has fine oratorical powers, combined with plenty of wit, readiness of repartee and refined sarcasm."—*Star.*

CASSELS, Allan, barrister, is the 5th s. of the late Robt. Cassels, banker, by his wife, Mary Gibbons McNab. B. in the city of Quebec, Mch. 9, 1847, he was ed. at the High Sch. there, at U. C. Coll. (Gov.-Genl.'s prizeman), and at the Univ. of Toronto (B.A. and gold med. in Classics, 1868). Called to the bar, 1871, he was for some yrs. a mem. of the firm of Beaty, Hamilton & Cassels, but is now senior partner in the firm of Cassels & Standish. He was elected Presdt. of the St. Andrew's