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the Stadacona Fire Insurance Co. ; and a dir. of the Canada Shipping Co. Has been Presdt. of the Irish Protestant Benevolent Society of Montreal. Sat for Montreal Centre in the House of Commons from the Union until g. e., 1872, when he retired from Parlt. Returned for present seat, 30 Oct., 1875, on the unseating, on petition, of sitting mem. A Liberal and a supporter of Mr. Mackenzie.—“ *Parkside,*” *Sherbrooke St., Montreal*; *St. James’ Club*.

WRIGHT, Lieut.-Col. ALOXZO. (*Ottawa County.*)

S. of the late Lieut.-Col. Tiberius Wright; and grand s. of the late Philemon Wright, formerly of Woburn, Mass, who came to Can., 1797, founded the village of Hull, on the Ottawa, and became the first representative of the Co. of Ottawa in the L.C. Assembly. B. at Hull, P. Q., 26 Feb., 1825. Ed. at Potsdam Academy, N. Y. M., Mary, eld. dau. of the late Nicholas Sparks, Esq., of Ottawa City. Is Lieut.-Col. of the Ottawa Co. Reserve Militia; Presdt. of the Co. of Ottawa Agricultural Society; and a dir. of the City of Ottawa Agricultural Society. Sat for present seat in Can. Assembly from 1863 until the Union, when returned to Commons by acclamation; re-elected by acclamation at g. e., 1872; and again returned at last g. e. A Liberal Conservative.—“ *Ironside,*” *Hull, P. Q.*; *Rideau Club*; *Carleton Club*.

WRIGHT, WILLIAM MCKAY, B. A., B. C. L. (*Pontiac.*)

Descended from a Kentish family, coming from the neighborhood of Canterbury, that was amongst the earliest Puritan exiles to America; they settled at Woburn, Massachusetts, removing to Canada about 1797, where they founded the first settlement on the Upper Ottawa at the village of Hull. S. of the late Lt.-Col. Buggles Wright; and youngest grand-s. of Philemon Wright, the pioneer of Colonization in the Ottawa Valley. B. at Hull, P. Q., 12 Nov., 1840. Ed. at the High School, Montreal, and at McGill University, where he took degree of B. A, with first-class honors, 1861, and that of B. C. L., from Law Faculty, 1863. M., Oct., 1864, Mary, eld. dau. of the Hon. James Skead, Senator. Called to the Bar, L. C., 1863, and to that of Ontario, Michaelmas Term, 1868. Is 1st Lieut. Ottawa Field Battery, and served with his corps at the front during the last Fenian Raid; a mem. of the Council of the Dominion Rifle Assn.; and of the Ontario Rifle Assn.; and a dir. of the City of Ottawa and County of Ottawa Agricultural Societies. First returned to Parlt., for present seat g. e.

1872; re-elected at last g. c., by acclamation. A Liberal Conservative.—“*Orchard Hill*,” *Hull, P.Q.*; *Rideau Club*; *Carleton Club*; “*U.E.*” *Club*.

YMO, Hon. JAMES. (*Prince.*)

Second s. of the late Hon. James Yeo, of Porthill, P.E.I., who came from Devonshire, Eng., 1827, and held a seat in the Provincial Assembly for a period of thirty years. B. at Porthill, 1832. M., 1855, Sarah Jane, dau. of William Glover, Esq., formerly of Devonshire, Eng. A merchant, ship-builder and ship-owner. Sat in the P.E.I. Assembly for some years before the Union with Can., and also held a seat in the Ex. Council of that Colony. First returned to Commons, on P.E.I. entering the Dominion, Sept., 1873; re-elected at last g.e. A Liberal and a supporter of the present Reform Govt.—*Porthill, P.E.I.*

YOUNG, JAMES. (*South Waterloo.*)

Eld. s. of the late John Young Esq., of Galt, Ont., formerly of Roxburgshire, Scot, who came to Can. 1834. B. at Galt, 24 May, 1835. Ed. there. M., Feb., 1858, Margaret, second dau. of John McNaught, Esq., of Brantford. A mem. of the Honorary Council Ont. School of Agriculture; a mem. of the Agricultural and Arts Council; a dir. of the Confederation Life Assurance Co.; of the Canada Landed Credit Co.; and of the Gore District Mutual Fire Insurance Co.; and Presdt. of the Association of Mechanics' Institute, Ont. Has been Presdt. of the Provl. Sabbath School Convention of Ont., and is now Vice-Presdt. of the Sabbath School Assn. of Can. Was for several years a mem. of Board of Public School Trustees and the Collegiate Institute; six years a mem. of Galt Council, and once Deputy Reeve. Owned and edited the *Dumfries Reformer* (Galt), from 1853 to 1863. Author of two prize essays: *The Agricultural Resources of Canada, and the inducements they offer to British Labourers to settle in Canada*, and *The Reciprocity Treaty*. First returned to Parlt., for present seat, at g.e., 1867; re-elected by acclamation at g.e., 1872, and at last g.e. Since in Parlt., proposed the abolition of the office of Queen's Printer, and letting all Departmental printing by tender, which has greatly reduced the annual expenses; in 1871 the House adopted his bill confirming the naturalization of all aliens who had taken the oaths of allegiance and residence prior to Confederation; in 1873 submitted a bill in favour of the ballot; in 1873, and again in 1875,