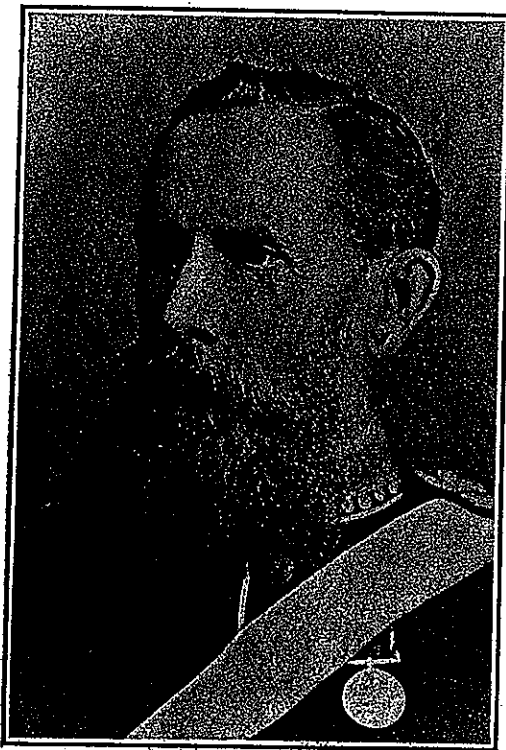


tract, near Mattawa, in 1881; also Township of Hagar in 1882, Hilliard in 1887, Ingram in 1888, and part of Algona in 1885.

In 1883, Mr. Purvis was married to Miss Eleanor Reeves, daughter of James Reeves, of Eganville. He was survived by his wife, two sons and three daughters. Both sons are now in active service in France.

PETER BURNET.



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The subject of this sketch was born in Scotland on the 11th day of May, 1837.

He emigrated to Canada when he was about twenty years of age and settled in Beaverton, Ontario, where he qualified as a Land Surveyor on the 15th of October, 1861. From Beaverton he moved to Orillia, Ontario, and continued the practice of his profession.

During the years 1880 to 1884, he was engaged in subdividing townships for the Dominion Government in what are now the Provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan.

He moved to Vancouver, B.C., in 1891, and later to Enderby, in the interior of the Province, where he continued in active practice as Surveyor and Mining Engineer until his death on the 29th of September, 1910.

The late Peter Burnet was much interested in military matters, and was at one time Captain of No. 7 Company of the Simcoe Foresters, becoming Major of the York and Simcoe Regiment during the Riel Rebellion in 1885.

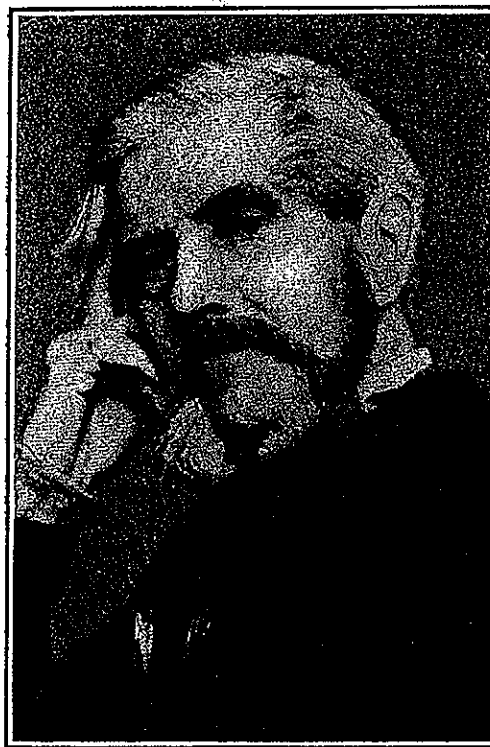
On the 6th of November, 1862, he married Caroline E. Foley, who predeceased him.

Two sons and three daughters survive him, as follows: Thomas F., with the C.E.F. in France; Kenneth Lumsden, practicing Land Surveyor, Vancouver; Alice, now Mrs. C. G. Barin, Vancouver, B.C.; Marion, now Mrs. J. P. Forde, Nelson, B.C.; Minnie, was Mrs. Colonel Reeves, now deceased.

JOHN O. BROWNE.

John O. Browne was born at Norwich, County of Norfolk, England, on March 25th, 1808, and died at Toronto on April 7th, 1881.

He served his time as an engineer with either Brunell or Robert Stephenson, working under both these gentlemen on railways and other engineering work. Coming to Canada in 1847, he served a year with Henry White, P.L.S., of Beaverton (died 1879), and passed his final examination for P.L.S. on November 18th, 1848, when he came to Toronto, where he remained in practice until a short time before his death. The only work for the Government done by Mr. Browne was the Township of Morrison, the most southerly township in the Muskoka District.



JOHN O. BROWNE.

He was survived by two sons: William Albert, now deceased, and Harry John, and also by a daughter, Alice, now Mrs. (Rev.) Joseph Fletcher.