

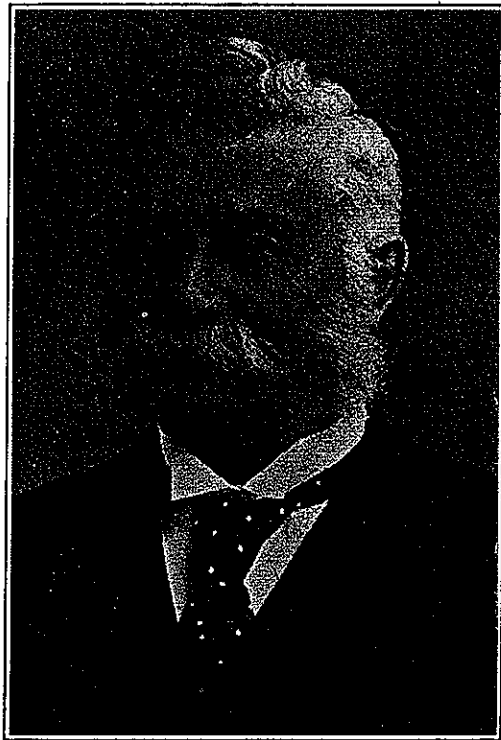
JOHN DAINTRY

Was born at Southampton, England, in 1832, and was the son of George Smythe Daintry, Squire, and Lord of the Manor of North Rode, Cheshire, England, a beautiful estate, which he inherited in 1881, and which was inherited by his son, Percival, in 1899, after the death of his father in June of the same year.

He came to Canada in 1846, and was educated at Upper Canada College, and at an English school and college. He studied surveying with E. C. Caddy, P.L.S., and was admitted as a Land Surveyor for Ontario on 19th July, 1858. He practised surveying in and around Cobourg, and in 1869 made a municipal survey in Alnwick Township of the line between the third and fourth concessions from the west limit of lot twelve.

In 1869 he married Louise, eldest daughter of Dr. John Beatty of Cobourg. Louise had four charming sisters, and when King Edward toured Canada, as the Prince of Wales in 1861, she opened the Ball with him in the new Cobourg Town Hall. Her sister Ella married George K. Shoenberger, Cincinnati, and later Dr. Charles Harris. Minnie married Hon. William MacDougall. Edith married Mr. Justice Girouard of Montreal and Ottawa. Lilly married Charles Egerton Ryerson, Toronto.

Four children were born to John and Louise: Percival, Louise, Edith and Lillian. The mother died in 1921 at Ernscliff, Ottawa. Edith and both parents are buried in St. Peter's Cemetery, Cobourg, and were Anglicans.



Percival married Dorothy, daughter of John Ridgway, of Blay Castle, and resides at the North Rode Estate, and has seven children: Michael, Flag Lieut. of British Army; John, ranching in the West; Percival, manager of a rubber plantation in Malay States; Cecil, at Pembroke College, also Patrick, Kathleen in England at school; Louise, unmarried, resides at the old Daintry family home, "The Poplars," Cobourg. Edith married Henry Fitzhugh, Pittsburgh, U.S.A., in 1897, who was the son of General Charles Fitzhugh, of the U.S.A. Army. She died 1921, leaving three children, Daintry, Henry and Louise, who all live in Louisville, Ky., U.S.A. Lillian married Sam MacDougall of Ottawa, son of John Lorne MacDougall, former Auditor-General of Canada. They lived in Ottawa.

John Daintry had one brother, Charles Daintry, attached to the 15th Regiment, Colonel in the British Army, and five sisters. Mary married Rev. Edward Bower, Rector of North Rode Church, later coming to Canada. Georgina married Irvine Stanton, Barrister, etc., Cobourg. Bessie married Dr. Octave Yates, Kingston. Emily married Col. Ormsby Rogers, Portsmouth, England. Clara married James Hogg, financier, China and London. Francis, who died at eighteen in 1854 of Asiatic cholera, caught on board ship on her return from boarding school in Brussels, Belgium.

John Daintry loved Canada with its sunshine, and loved all sports, cricket, races, both horse and boat, and attended the Grand National and the Derby, and always bet on Cambridge in Oxford-Cambridge races at Henley.
