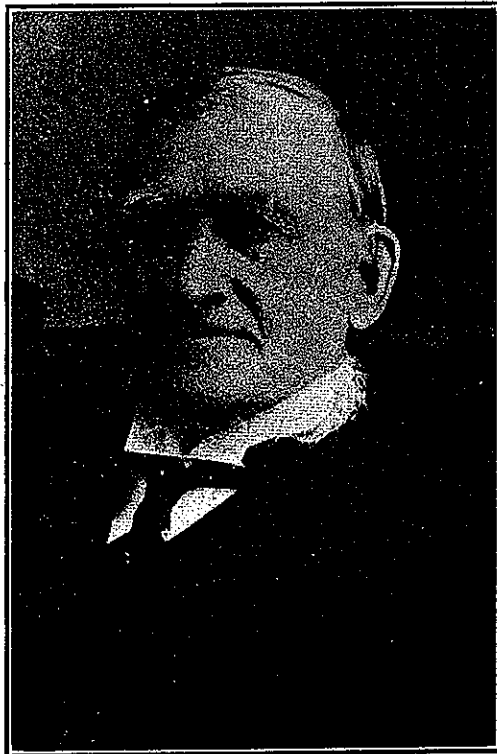


**MOSES McFADDEN.**

On August 26th, 1826, Moses McFadden was born, near Kemptville, County of Grenville, Ontario. His parents were James McFadden, an Irish veteran of the Peninsular War, and Gertrude Hunter, nee Henion, a U. E. Loyalist. There were four sons in the family—William, Hiram, Uriah and Moses, also several half brothers and sisters of the Hunter family.

Moses attended the local public school and grammar school, and later the Normal School at Toronto, from which institute he received a First Class Grade "A" Certificate in 1849. The head master at the time was Thomas J. Robertson. Upon the thirteen subjects

examined, Mr. McFadden stood first class "A," or highest division in twelve, and first class second division, in the remaining subject.

For about five years he taught school, and became Principal of the Kemptville Grammar school, at which time he also took up classics with Rev. Anderson, then studied law for two years, and eventually became articled to Francis Jones, P.L.S., and passed his final examination as P.L.S. on April 13th, 1858.

He practiced his profession at Millbank and Stratford in the County of Perth for many years.

In 1870, under instructions from the Dominion Government, he proceeded to the Red River Settlements via Port Arthur and the Dawson route. He encountered many difficulties and hardships in this trip, but his greatest anxiety was due to the fact that he had been entrusted with the transport

of a trunk, or strong box, containing a large sum of money, which, however, he delivered safely to Lt. Governor Archibald at Fort Garry.

Mr. McFadden subdivided the Township of McClintock for the Provincial Government in 1886.

From 1871 to 1873 inclusive, he was employed on the survey of parish lots and township subdivisions west of Winnipeg. He was again employed in 1899 and 1900 on subdivision contracts in Western Manitoba.

In 1882 he took up his residence at Neepawa, Manitoba, where he continued to live until 1904.

He was married on March 4th, 1856, to Elizabeth Hamilton, daughter of John Hamilton, of West's Corners, now Milverton, Perth Co., Ont. There were eight children, two sons and six daughters.

The second son, Albert, died at the age of nineteen, one daughter, Ida, was killed by lightning at the age of seventeen, and Gertrude died in infancy.

There are now living—J. J. McFadden, M.D., Surgeon at the Manitoba Penitentiary, Stony Mountain, born 1856; Ellen, unmarried, born 1859; Addie (Mrs. Beath), born 1863, Vancouver, B.C.; Anna May, living with Dr. McFadden, and Mary (Mrs. Dr. Poole), Neepawa, Man.

He died at the residence of his daughter in Vancouver on December 5th, 1919.

Nine grandchildren and three great grandchildren survive.

His wife died on August 28th, 1889, at Neepawa.

The family history in above sketch and photograph were furnished by Miss Eleanor G. McFadden, daughter of Dr. McFadden, who is an instructor at the Manitoba Agricultural College.

The late Moses McFadden, Judge at Sault Ste. Marie, and his brother Uriah, a Barrister at same place, are nephews of Moses McFadden, Sr., and sons of Uriah, Sr.