



Eugène Archambault, Notary, St. Johns, Qué., was born at St-Paul-L'Ermitte, January 4th, 1836. His father was Joseph Archambault, a prominent agriculturist, while his mother was Marie Beauchamp, both being of French descent. Mr. Archambault was educated at L'Assomption, Qué., from 1849 to 1853. He then took up the study of law, and in 1857 successfully passed his examinations admitting him to the practice of the notarial profession. He commenced practice at Lacadie, where he continued for two years. In 1860 he went to California, where he

remained until 1862, when located in St. Johns, at which place he has since resided, and where he has had a very large and select practice as notary. In the early days of his residence in St. Johns he took a lively interest in municipal matters, and in 1864 was appointed Secretary-Treasurer of the County Council, which office he still holds. In 1894 he was appointed agent for the collection of the Seigneurial rents in the County of St. Johns. December 27th, 1880, he married Sarah Gelineau, a native of St. Johns, Qué.¹

¹ *The Canadian Men of Canada*, p. 159.