benches we have now a host of successful men. We have there successful farmers, successful manufacturers, successful mechanics, successful journalists, successful lawyers, successful doctors, successful contractors, and successful men of all kinds, and all have contributed to the carrying out of the wise legislation and in administering the affairs of the country. I have only to say further that my native Province has always been very dear to me, and I will have a warm place in my heart for those who have thus honored me with their confidence and personal regard, and it shall aid me in being of service to my country. Once more I thank you for your gift.

The portrait is the work of Mr. J. C. Forbes, of this city, an artist who has distinguished himself in his profession. It is life size, three quarters length, representing Mr. Mowat sitting in an easy chair, with one knee thrown over the other and a book in his hand. The features are admirably portrayed, the artist being as successful in delineating these as he has been in stampaing the whole work with the genius of his art. It will be placed in the reception room for a few days, and no doubt hundreds of persons will go down to see it.