M. 23 Jan., 1867, Rachel, dan. of William Mulholland, Esq., York Tp. First returned to Leg. Assem. at g.e. 1879 and re-elected at last g.e. A Liberal. *Yorkville, Toronto*.

BALFOUR, WHILLIAM DOUGLAS, (South Enger)

S. of David Balfour, a mem, of the family of Balfour, of Kincardineshire, Scot., by his wife Janet Douglas. B. 2 Augt. 1851, in Forfar, Scot. Came to St. Catharines Ont., 1857, and ed. at Public Schools and Grantham Academy there. Married at Grosse Isle, Michigan, 17 Oct. 1876, Josephine, eldest day, of the late Col. T. F. Brodhead. Is an editor and publisher. Established the St. Catharines Daily and Weekly News with Mr. R. Matheson in 1872, and the Amherstburg Echo with Mr. J. A. Auld in 1874. Was a mem, of the St. Catharines Public School Board in 1873-74, and since then a mem, and Chairman of the Amherstburg Public School Board. Has been for five years, Reeve of the Town of Amherstburg; a dir. for nine years and Presdt, of the South Essex Agricultural Soc., and for eight years, Secy. of the South Essex Liberal Asso. Was an unsuccessful candidate for present seat at g.e. 1879. First returned to Leg. Assem., 18 Oct. 1882, to fill vacancy caused by resignation of sitting mem., and re-elected at last g.e. Moved the address in reply to the speech from the throne at the session of 1882-83. A Liberal.—Amhersthurg, Ont.

Ballantyne, Thomas. (South Perth.)

S. of Mr. James Ballantyne, of Peebles, Scot. B. at Peebles, 13 Aug. 1829. Ed. there. Came to Can. 1852. M. Mary, dau. of Robert Ballantyne, of Downie, Perth, Ont. For many years Clerk and Reeve of Downie. Largely—engaged in the manufacture and shipment of cheese; and has been Presdt. of the Canadian Dairymen's Asso.. An unsuccessful candidate for North Perth at g.e. 1871. Declined nomination for the Commons at g.e. 1872. First returned to Leg. Assem. at g.e. 1875. Re-elected at g.e. 1879, and again at last g.e. A Liberal, and supporter of the Mowat Administration.—Stratford.

BASKERVILLE, PATRICK. (Ottawa.)

Of Norman descent. S. of George Baskerville and Mary McDonnell. B. at Townland, Ballyrushen, Co. Tipperary, Irel., in 1833. Ed. in Parish of Youghal, Irel.