

pension Act; and a commissioner per *dedimus potestatem*.

*Deputy of the Minister of Justice.*—HEWITT BERNARD. A barrister-at-law. Appd. Secy. of Attorney-Genl., U. C., 25 Feby., 1858; chief clk. Crown Law Dept., U. C., 5 March, 1859; was Secy. of Conference of Delegates on the subject of Confederation of B. N. A. Provinces, held in Quebec, 1 Oct., 1864, and also Secy. of Conference of Delegates on same subject held in London, Eng., Nov., 1866; appd. deputy of the Min. of Justice, 30 May, 1868. Is an extra Aide-de-Camp to the Gov.-Genl.

*Deputy of the Minister of Militia and Defence.*—GEORGE FUTVOYE, Q. C. Called to the Bar, L. C., 1848; was permanent clk. of the Crown Law Dept., Can., from 2 May, 1851, until the Union; created Q. C., 1867. Appointed to present office, 30 May, 1868.

*Commissioner of Customs.*—ROBERT SHORE MILNES BOUCHETTE. Called to the Bar, L. C., 1826. Was for sometime editor of *The Liberal* (Que., 1837). Appd. permanent clk. Crown Law Dept., March, 1848; Commissioner of Customs under the Great Seal of Can., March, 1851; and to same office for Dominion, May, 1868. Has been a special commissioner at various times: in 1854, with Dunbar Ross, Esq., to enquire into origin of fire at Grey Nunnery Buildings, Quebec, which had been leased for the sittings of the Provl. Parlt.; in 1859, to enquire into alleged frauds in collection of revenue on Burlington Bay Canal; in 1860, on special service to visit the ports on both sides of the Frontier to enquire into and report upon the working of the Reciprocity Treaty with the U. S.; in 1861, to