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He was first returned for his present seat in parliament, on the 12th of January, 1878, by acclamation, and was re-elected in the same manner in the autumn of the same year. He is independent, with Liberal leanings, having always belonged to the old Liberal party of New Erunswick. He believes party politics are a cause of very great injustice to these sections of the Dominion, which do not happen to support the party in power.

Mr. Haddon is vice-consul for Norway and Sweden; a member of the order of the sons of temperance, and of the Presbyterian church, and one of the most upright, reliable citizens of Dalhousie.

He married in 1859, at Chatham, Christiana, daughter of the Revi John McCardy, D.D. and they lost their oldest daughter, Kate, in 1873, and have one son, Robert, and four daughters, Katie, Bessie, Lena, and Georgie, living.,

JOHN FERRIS, EX-M.P.,

MONCTON, N.B.

JOHN FERRIS, son of John Ferris, sr., of Waterborough, Queen's county, N.B., was born in that place on the 9th of January, 1811. He had very limited opportunities for accumulating knowledge in his younger years, confining his studies to the elementary branches and not completely mastering even them.

In 1855, he married Sarah McLean, daughter of Captain John McLean, by whom he has three children living, and a larger number who died.

Mr. Ferris is one of the leading lumber manufacturers in Queen's county, and is also an extensive farmer, and a very energetic business man. He entered public life in 1844, and sat for Queen's county in the local assembly until 1864, when he retired for a short time, and again from 1866 until the consummation of the union in July, 1867. At that time he was elected to the House of Commons, and by repeated re-elections—twice by acclamation—he sat till 1878, when he was defeated. He is a Liberal, and a positive man,—firm in all his sentiments, religious as well as political. He is a Baptist, and a liberal supporter of Christian and benevolent organizations, having a large heart, and the means as well as the disposition to gratify its best impulses.

HON. ANDREW R. WETMORE, Q.C., FREDERICTON, N.B.

A NDREW RAINSFORD WETMORE, one of the eminent jurists of New Brunswick, is a grandson of the Hon. Thomas Wetmore, a loyalist, who was attorney-general of this province from 1809 to the 22nd of March, 1828, the date of his death; and son of George Lud-low Wetmore, who was a promising young lawyer, and held the offices of clerk of the House of Assembly, and clerk of the peace for Queen's county, dying suddenly on the 20th of October, 1821, at the carly age of twenty-six years.

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