

tion at g.e. 1874 and 1878. Re-elected at g.e. 1882, and again at last g.e. Apptd. Speaker of the House of Commons, 13 April, 1887. A Liberal Conservative, and was returned as an independent supporter of Sir John Macdonald. Is strongly in favor of Provincial autonomy. Supports a protective tariff; and any well devised scheme for the improvement of the country. Voted in 1882 for Commercial independence.—*Montreal; Rideau Club.*

PATERSON, WILLIAM. (*South Brant.*)

S. of James Paterson, Esq., of Aberdeen, Scot., who came to Can. 1836; and grands. of Rev. Mr. Paterson, of Midmar, Scot. B. in Hamilton, Ont., 19 Sept., 1839. Ed. there and in Caledonia, by Dr. Ferrier. M., Sept., 1863, Lucy Clive, third dau. of T. C. Davies, Esq., of Brantford. Is proprietor of the Brantford Steam Confectionery and Biscuit Works. Elected a mem. of Town Council of Brantford, 1868; was Deputy Reeve 1869-70-71, and Mayor 1872. First returned to Parlt. at g.e. 1872; re-elected at g.e. 1874, at g.e. 1878, 1882, and again at last g.e. A Liberal.—*Charlotte Street, Brantford, Ont.*

PATTERSON, JAMES COLEBROOKE. (*North Essex.*)

S. of the late Rev. James Patterson, formerly of Kingston, near Dublin. B. at Armagh, Irel., 1839. Ed. in Dublin. Is a practising Barrister of Ont. Was Reeve of Windsor for several years. First returned to Parlt. for the North Riding of Essex in the Leg. Assem., Ont., at the g.e. Jan. 1875. Resigned, and was returned to the Commons at g.e. 1878. Re-elected at g.e. 1882, and again at last g.e. A Conservative.—*Windsor, Ont.; Rideau Club.*

PERLEY, WILLIAM GOODHUE. (*Ottawa City.*)

Descended from Allan Perley, a native of Wales, Eng., who arrived in Charlestown, near Boston, Mass., 12 July, 1630. S. of John Perley, of Enfield, State of New Hampshire. B. there, 4 June, 1820, and ed. in the Common Schools of the country. M. 1st, 14 Sept., 1846, Mabel Ticknor (she d.); 2nd, 20 June, 1866, Georgianna M. Gale, Is a lumberman and was one of the promoters of the Canada Atlantic Railway. First returned to Parlt. at last g.e. A Conservative and a Protectionist.—*Ottawa.*