

Public, 1855, and soon enjoyed a large and lucrative practice in his Co. M., 1st, 1858, Eunice Sophie, only child of the late John Harris, Esq., of Thornhill, Kings, N. S., (she d. 1879); 2nd, Sept. 1880, Sophia Anne, dau. of H. G. Ryland, Registrar, of Montreal. Apptd. Lieut. Col. 1st Regiment Lunenburg Co. Militia and Volunteer Artillery in 1859. Contested Lunenburg Co. at g.e. 1863, against Hon. Joseph Howe, then leader of the Govt., N.S. (subsequently Governor of N.S.); returned by a large majority, and held that seat for the Co. in N.S. Assembly until the Union of the Provinces. During the time he was M.P.P. he was a mem. of the N.S. Central Board of Agriculture, and an ardent advocate of the Federal Union of all the Provinces of British North America, and of free schools by direct taxation. The Acts of Union and Free Schools being accomplished, he again contested his Co. at g.e. 1867; was defeated by the opposition to free schools and the Union. Called to the Senate 27 March 1872. Became a Q.C. under patent from the Earl of Dufferin, Gov. Genl., 1873. Continues to practise as Barrister at law. Extensive land proprietor and shipowner. A Conservative.—*Residence: Medway Hall, Lunenburg, N.S.*

LEONARD, Hon. ELIJAH. (*London.*)

B. in the U. S. Has been Mayor of London, Ont., and a dir. of the London and Port Stanly railway. An unsuccessful candidate for London in Can. Assembly at g.e. 1854. Represented Malahide division in L. C. Can. from 1862 until the Union. Called to the Senate by Royal Proclamation, May, 1867. A Liberal.—*Talbot Street, London, Ont.*

LEWIN, Hon. JAMES DAVIES. (*Lancaster.*)

Descended from the Lewins of Womaston, Radnorshire, Wales, a family of private country gentlemen. B. at Womaston, Radnorshire, in 1812. Ed. at Kingston Grammar School. In early life entered the Civil Service of the British Government, and in that service came to N.B. in 1830, and continued thus for 20 years, when, upon the abolition of the Dept. with which he was connected, was elected in 1855 Presdt. of the Bank of N. B., maintaining that position ever since. Called to the Senate, 1876, to fill the vacancy created by the death of the Hon. John Robertson.—*St. John, N.B.*