

25 June, 1874, Helen, second dau. of John Wier, Esq., of West Flamboro'. Was for several years Reeve of the Township of West Flamboro', and in 1870, Warden of Wentworth. First returned to Parlt. for present seat at ge. e., 1872; re-elected by acclamation at last g. e. A Reformer, and a supporter of the Mackenzie Administration,—*Strabane, Ont.*

BANNATYNE, Hon. ANDREW GRAHAM BALLENDEN, (*Provencher.*) 3RD MEM.

S. of James Bannatyne, Esq., of Rothesay, Scot., an officer of the Fishery Dept., Scot.; and grands. of Governor John Ballenden, of Hon. H. B. Co. B. in South Ronaldshay, Orkney Isles, Scot., 31 Oct., 1829. Ed. there. Came to Can. 1846. M. Annie, dau. of Andrew McDermot, Esq., one of the earliest settlers on the Red River. For many years in the service of the Hudson Bay Co., but retired, 1851, to enter on business on his own account, in which he is still engaged. Is Vice-Patron, Selkirk Rifle Association; Chairman of Trustees of Manitoba College; and Presdt. of the Selkirk St. Andrew's Society. Held office in the Provisional Government established by Riel, Dec., 1869. Was Postmaster of Winnipeg, and Inspector of Post Offices for Manitoba from 1870 until 1874, when he resigned. Was previously Presdt. of Petty Courts, and a mem. of Council of Assiniboia. Appointed a mem. of the Edicouncil for the N. W. Territories, 1872. An unsuccessful candx. ate for Selkirk in House of Commons at g. e., 1874. First returned to Parliament for present seat, by acclamation (on the expulsion and banishment of the sitting mem.), 31 March, 1875. —“*Bracehead*,” *Winnipeg*; *Manitoba Club*.

BARTHE, GEORGE ISIDORE. (*Richelieu.*)

S. of the late Capt. Joseph Barthe, originally a merchant at Carleton, District of Gaspé, who afterwards, for many years, commanded his own vessels, trading between the St. Lawrence and the Antilles, by Marie Tapin. Born at Restigouche *Baie de Chaleures*, 16 Nov., 1834. Ed. at Three Rivers. M., 1861, Josephine Charlotte, third dau. of J. B. Meilleur, Esq., M.D., L.L.D., late Supt. Education for L. C. Called to the Bar, L. C., 1855. A mem. of the law firm of Barthe & Brassard; and has been Mayor of Sorel since 1864. Is a mem. of the Executive of the Reform Association, of the *Parti National* of Montreal. Has been engaged as a writer on the French Canadian newspaper press. Ed *L'Ere*