

COMEAU, AMBROSE H. (*Digby.*)

Of Acadian descent. B. 17 Sept., 1860. Ed. at the Common School. Unmarried. Is a merchant, and has been a County Councillor for three years and Warden of Digby for one year. First returned to Ho. of Assem. at last g.e. A Liberal.—*Meteghan River.*

DRYSDALE, ARTHUR. (*Hants.*)

Is a Barrister at Law. First returned to Ho. of Assembly at bye election held 7 April, 1891, to fill vacancy created by resignation of Mr. Allan Haley, the member elect, who was subsequently an unsuccessful candidate for Hants at g.e. 1891 for Commons. A Liberal.—*Halifax.*

FIELDING, Hon. WILLIAM STEVENS. (*Halifax.*)

Of English descent. B. at Halifax, 24 Nov., 1848. Ed. there. M., 7 Sept., 1876, Hester, dau. of Thomas A. Rankine, Esq., of St. John, N. B. Is a journalist, and connected for many years with the *Halifax Morning Chronicle*. At the Convention of the Liberal party held at Halifax after the resignation of the Thompson Govt. in 1882, the positions of Premier and Prov. Secy. were tendered to and declined by him. Entered the administration of Hon. W. T. Pipes, 22 Dec., 1882, having previously declined the offer of a seat in it. Resigned May, 1884. On the retirement of Hon. Mr. Pipes, 15 July, 1884, was called upon to re-organize the Administration, which he succeeded in doing, becoming Premier and Provl. Secy., 28 July, 1884. First returned to Ho. of Assem. at g.e. 1882. Re-elected on acceptance of office, 20 Aug., 1884, and again at g.e. 1886 and 1890. A Liberal.—*Halifax, N. S.; Halifax Club; City Club, Halifax.*

FORREST, GEORGE W. (*Cumberland.*)

Ancestors came from Irel. over a century ago and were among the first settlers in the Co. B. in River Hébert, Cumberland, N. S., in 1838 and ed. at Amherst. M., 4 April, 1869. Is a farmer, and has been a Capt. in the Militia, a Municipal Councillor and a Valuator on the Intercolonial Railway. First returned to Ho. of Assem. at last g.e. A Conservative.—*Amherst, N.S.*