

30 Nov., 1849. Ed. at County Grammar Sch., and at the Presbyterian Academy. M., 6 Dec., 1876, Agnes, dau. of late Alex. Loudoun, Chatham. Called to the Bar, N.B., 1871. First returned to Ho. of Assem. at g. e., 1874; an unsuccessful candidate at g. e., 1878; re-elected at g. e., 1886, 1890, 1892 and 1895. Sworn a mem. of the Ex. Council, and apptd. surveyor general 3 Feb., 1890, and in the reorganization of the Govt. in July, 1896, he became Provincial Secretary. A Liberal Conservative.—*Chatham, N.B.*

VENIOT, PETER JOHN (*Gloucester*).

Descended from a French family which came from Bretagne and settled at Louisburg, N.S., in the 17th century. S. of Stephen Veniot, a sea-captain now deceased. B. at Richibucto, 6 Oct., 1863. Ed. at Pictou High School and Academy. M., 8 Feb., 1885, Catherine Melanson. Was foreman for several years in mechanical dept. of *Moncton Transcript* until 1887, when he took charge of *Bathurst Courier*, and subsequently becoming its editor and proprietor. An unsuccessful candidate at g. e., 1892. First returned to Ho. of Assem. at by-election held in 1894. Re-elected at g. e., 1895. A Liberal.—*Bathurst, N.B.*

WELLS, W. WOODBURY (*Westmoreland*).

S. of Charles C. Wells, farmer. B. at Point de Bute, N.B., 1860, and ed. at the county schools. M. dau. of Hiram Turner, of Port Elgin. Taught school for several years, and is now Principal of the Superior School, Port Elgin. Admitted as an Attorney and Barrister, 1893. First returned to Ho. of Assem. at g. e., 1892, and re-elected 1895. A Liberal.—*Port Elgin*.

WHITE, HON. ALBERT SCOTT, LL.B. (*King's*).

Great grandf., William White, was a U.E. Loyalist, who settled in Queen's Co. and lived to be a centenarian. S. of J. E. White, a retired merchant of St. John. B. at Sussex, 12 April, 1855. Ed. at Varley Sch. and at Wesleyan Academy and Coll., Sackville, graduating B.A. at the last in 1873 and LL.B. at Harvard Univ., June, 1877. M. Miss Ida Vaughan, of St. Martin's. Is a practising Barrister and a Governor of Mount Allison Univ. First returned to House of Assem. at g. e., 1886, and re-elected at g. e. 1890, 1892 and 1895. Was Speaker of the House 1890-2, and apptd. Sol. Gen. 1892. A Liberal-Conservative.—*Sussex, N.B.*