

1878 to 1887, and has been Secy. of Kent Northern Railway Co., and Trustee of Schools for several years. First returned to Ho. of Assem., Aug. 1887, to fill vacancy caused by resignation of former member. Re-elected at g.e. 1890. A Liberal Conservative. Moved the address in reply to the Lieut.-Governor's Speech, March 1888, and supported the Quebec Resolutions, while disapproving of the Unrestricted Reciprocity Resolutions of the Conference and the attitude of the Nova Scotia delegates with reference to the secession of that Province. In favour of a Lien Law, Manhood Suffrage, and Temperance and Prohibitory Legislation.—*Richibucto, N.B.*

POIRIER, JOSEPH. (*Gloucester.*)

Of Acadian descent. B. at Grand Anse and ed. in a private school. M., 1860, Emelia, dau. of Dommick Theriault. Is a merchant. Has been a County Councillor and Warden of the Co. First returned to Ho. of Assem. by acclamation at last g.e. A Conservative.—*Grand Anse.*

PORTER, JAMES E. (*Victoria.*)

First returned to Ho. of Assem. at last g.e.—*Andover.*

POWELL, HENRY A. (*Westmoreland.*)

Descended from Reuben Powell, who came from Wales to New York State in early part of 18th century, and settled at Poughkeepsie. A portion of the family remained loyal during the American Revolution and came to N.B., settling at Long Island, whence they went to Richibucto. B. at Richibucto, N.B., 6 April, 1855. Ed. at the Grammar School and graduated at Mount Allison Univ., 1875. M. 26 June, 1878, Allie, dau. of Rev. G. B. Payson. Is a Barrister. First returned to House of Assem. at last g.e. The election being protested, resigned and was re-elected Oct., 1890. A Conservative.—*Sackville, N.B.*

PUGSLEY, Hon. WILLIAM, Q.C., D.C.L. (*King's.*)

Paternal ancestor came from England and was one of the earliest settlers on the Croton River, New York. On the breaking out of the American Revol. War, great-grandf. John Pugsley, came to N.S. and settled at Napan, and afterwards returned to N.Y. His s. Daniel settled