

TROOP, *Hon. JARED CHIPMAN.* [*Annapolis.*]

Called to the Bar, N.S., Dec., 1856. A delegate to Eng., with Messrs. Howe, Annand and Smith, to secure a repeal of the Union with Canada, 1868. Is Custos of Annapolis. Was a mem. of the Ex. Council, without office, from Nov., 1867, until Feb., 1870, when elected Speaker of the present House. Re-elected Speaker of New House, Feb, 1872. First returned to Parlt. for present seat at g. e., 1867. Re-elected at last g. e. A Liberal.—*Bridgetown.*

VAIL, *Lieut-Col. Hon. WILLIAM B.* [*Digby.*]

Descended from John J. Vail, of Westchester, N.Y. S. of the late John C. Vail, Esq., of Sussex, N.B., who was a Judge of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas, and a mem. for Kings in the N.B. Assembly for upwards of 25 years, by Charlotte H., dau. of the Rev. Oliver Arnold, formerly of Conn., U. S., and afterwards Rector of Sussex; and grands. of Robert Vail, a loyalist who came to N.B. at the close of the Am. revolution. B. at Sussex Vale, N.B., 23 Dec., 1823. Lived there. M. Charlotte Leslie, eld. dau. of Charles Jones, Esq., of Weymouth, N.S. Is Lieut.-Col. 2nd Regt. Digby Militia. Apptd. a mem. of Ex. Council and Provl.-Secretary