

*Mirror* in 1850, which advocated advanced Liberal principles, and were widely copied by the Reform press. Contributed the "Planks of the Platform" laid down in the *North American*, edited by Hon. Wm. McLaughlin. Is Lieut.-Col. commanding the 30th Wellington Batt. Volunteer Rifles. Acted as Permanent Chairman of Committees of the Whole House in Ontario Assem. during one Parlt., and also as Chairman of Public Accounts Committee. First returned to Leg. Assem. in 1871, for Centre Wellington; re-elected by acclamation in 1875, and after contests at the g.e. 1879 and 1883, in which he was successful; was elected by acclamation at g.e. 1886. Was Speaker of the House from 6 Jan., 1886, until the dissolution of the Assem. in Jan., 1888, and again from 23 Jan., 1884, until the dissolution of the Assem., Dec. 1886. A Reformer and a supporter of Mr. Mowat.—*Elora, Ont.*

CLARKE, EDWARD FREDERICK. (*Toronto.*)

Third s. of the late Richard Clarke, merchant in Balliboro', Co. of Cavan, Irel. B. at Balliboro', 24 April, 1850. Attended the National Model Sch. there. Came to Can. and settled in Toronto, 1864. M., 30 Dec., 1884, Charlotte Elizabeth, dau. of Daniel Scott, Esq. Is printer and publisher of the *Sentinel* newspaper. Was Mayor of Toronto, 1888. First returned to Leg. Assem. at g.e. 1886.—A Liberal-Conservative.—10 *Harbord St., Toronto.*

CLARKE, HENRY EDWARD. (*West Toronto.*)

Family came from Co. of Fermanagh, Irel. B. in Three Rivers, Quebec, 20 March, 1829, and ed. at a private sch. there. M., in 1856, at Three Rivers, Anne dau. of the late Thomas Kennedy, Montreal. Is a manufacturer of trunks, &c. Has been an Alderman in Toronto, and is now a Dir. of the Federal Bank. First returned to Leg. Assem. at g. e. 1883, and re-elected at g. e. 1886. A Conservative.—*Toronto.*

CONNEE, JAMES. (*West Algoma.*)

S. of Matthew Connee, a native of Sligo, Ire., who settled near Belleville, Ont., and engaged in the lumber trade, and afterwards removed to the Tp. of Sydenham, Co. of Grey. B. in Sydenham, 13 Oct., 1849. Ed. at the Common Sch. and at Owen Sound Grammar Sch. M., 1875, Emily Florence, dau. of Joseph Cox, of St. Vincent, Co. of Grey. Enlisted in the 8th N.Y. Cavalry, under the