

by acclamation at g.e. 1872, and again at g.e. 1874; re-elected at g. e. 1878 and 1882, and again at last g.e. A Liberal Conservative.—*Stanstead, P.Q.*

COOK, HERMAN HENRY. (*East Simcoe.*)

Fifth s. of the late Capt. George Cook, a U.E. Loyalist; nephew of Capt. John Cook, who represented Dundas in the U.C. Assem. from 1829 until Responsible government was obtained, when he resigned; brother of J. W. Cook, Esq., who represented Dundas in the Can. Assem. from 1857 until 1861; and brother of S. S. Cook, Esq., who lately represented the same Co. in the Ont. Assem. B. in Tp. of Williamsburg, Dundas, Ont., 26 April, 1837. Ed. at Iroquis Grammar School. M., 1861, Miss White. A lumber merchant. An unsuccessful candidate for North Simcoe in Leg. Assem. at g.e. 1871. First returned to Commons for North Simcoe at g.e. 1872; re-elected at g.e. 1874. Unseated on petition, 11 Nov. 1874; re-elected 23 Dec., same year. Elected for East Simcoe in Leg. Assem. at g.e. 1879, but resigned 1882. Elected for present seat in the Commons at g.e., 1882, and re-elected at the last g.e. A Reformer.—200 *Dowling's Avenue, Parkdale, Ont.*

COSTIGAN, Hon. JOHN, J.P., P.C. (*Victoria, N.B.*)

B. at St. Nicholas, P.Q., 1 Feb. 1835. Ed. at St. Ann's Coll. M., 1855, Harriet, dau. of Mr. J. R. Ryan, of Grand Falls, N.B. Has been Registrar of Deeds for Victoria, and Judge of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas, N.B. Sat for present seat in N.B. Assem. from 1861 to 1866, when defeated. Returned to Commons at the Union; re-elected at g.e. 1872, 1878, 1882, and again at last g.e. Sworn of the Privy Council and apptd. Minister of Inland Revenue 23 May, 1882. Moved an address, 20 May, 1872, praying His Excellency to disallow the N.B. School Act, on the ground "that said law is unjust, and causes much uneasiness among the Roman Catholic population;" and on 14 May, 1873, "that the Govt. should advise His Excellency to disallow the Acts passed by the N.B. Legislature," which was carried. On 6 May, 1874, moved for an address to Her Majesty, praying to cause an Act to be passed amending the B. N. A. Act 1867, by providing that every religious denomination in N.B. shall continue to possess and enjoy all such rights with regard to their schools as they possessed and enjoyed at the time of the passage of said Act, etc., which motion was subsequently withdrawn. On 8 March, 1875, moved resolution praying for the pas-