

HACKETT, Hon. MICHAEL FELIX, Q.C. (*Stanstead*).

B. at Granby, P.Q., 23 Aug., 1854. Ed. at Granby, St. Hyacinthe Coll. and McGill Univ., where he graduated B.A. and B.C.L. M., 2 Sept., 1883, Florence, dau. of Albert Knight, ex M.P. for Stanstead. Is an advocate of the Prov. of Quebec, and has been Batonnier of the Bar, dist. of St. Francis. Has also been Mayor of the Village of Stanstead Plain, and Warden of the Co. of Stanstead. First returned to Leg. Assem. at g. e., 1892. Called to the Executive Council, and apptd. Presdt. of the Council in the Taillon administration, 28 Feb., 1895. Became Prov. Secty. in the Flynn administration, 12 May, 1896. A Conservative.—*Stanstead, P.Q.*

HALL, JOHN SMYTHE, Q.C. (*Montreal, 5th Div.*).

S. of the late John S. Hall, a mem. of the late firm of Grant, Hall & Co., at one time extensively engaged in the lumber and saw mill business. B. in Montreal, 7 Aug., 1853. Ed. at Bishop's Coll. Sch., Lennoxville, and at McGill Univ., where he graduated B.A. in 1874, and B.C.L. in 1875. M., 3 Jan., 1883, Miss Brigham, of Ottawa. Called to the Bar, P.Q., Jan., 1876. Apptd. Q.C., 1887. Is senior mem. of the law firm of Hall, Cross, Brown & Sharp. Was Presdt. of the Univ. Literary Soc. in 1880, and Presdt. of the McGill Graduates Soc. in 1884. Elected a mem. of the Corporation of McGill Univ. in 1883, and re-elected in 1886. Has been Presdt. of the Junior Conservative Club, Montreal. Sworn of the Executive Council, and was Provincial Treas. from 21 Dec., 1891 to 1893. First returned to Leg. Assem. for Montreal West at g. e., 1896, and re-elected for present seat at g. e., 1890 and 1892. A Conservative.—*Montreal.*

KING, JAMES (*Megantic*).

Youngest s. of the late Charles King of Sylvester, Megantic. B. in St. Antoine de Tilly, Co. Lotbinière, 18 Feb., 1848. Ed. at Lennoxville, and graduated M.A. at Univ. of Bishop's Coll. in 1873. Is a lumber merchant and miner, a Dir. of the Union Bank of Can., and Vice-Presdt. of the Quebec Mining Assoc. First returned to Leg. Assem. at g. e., 1892. A Conservative.—*Quebec Mining Club; Garrison Club.*

LACOUTURE, LOUIS (*Richelieu*).

B. at St. Ours, P.Q., 23 Jan., 1858, and ed. there and at Sorel. M., 31 July, 1877, Claire Badeau. Is an ac-