

in L. A., Can., from 1844 to 1847. B. at Isle Verte, P. Q., 1824. Ed. at the Quebec Seminary. M. Miss Dionne, dau. of Benjamine Dionne, Esq., who represented Temiscouata in L. A., Can., for some years. A merchant. Is *Seigneur* of Isle Verte. First returned to Parliament at last g. e., by acclamation. A Conservative, and a supporter of Sir G. Cartier.—*Isle Verte, Q.*

BLAKE, EDWARD, M.A., Q.C. [*West Durham.*]

Eld. s. of the late Hon. W. H. Blake, one of the most distinguished jurists of U.C., who sat in the L. A., Can., from 1847 to 1849, was Solicitor Genl. for U. C., for a short time, and subsequently Chancellor of U. C., by Catherine Hume, grand-d. of William Hume of Humewood, Esq., M.P. for Wicklow in the British House of Commons; and grands. of the late Rev. Edward Dominick Blake, (of the family of Blake of Cashlegrove, Galway) Rector of Kiltegan and of Lough-bucklow, and Rural Dean, by Anne Margaret Hume of Humewood. B. in Ont. Ed. at University of Toronto, where he graduated. M. the dau. of the Right Rev. J. Cronyn, Lord Bishop of Huron. Called to the Bar U. C. in Michaelmas Term, 1856; created Q.C., 1863. Senior partner in the extensive law firm of Blake, Kerr & Bethune, Toronto. Is a mem. of the Senate of the University of Toronto. Represents South Bruce in the Leg. Assembly, Ont., and is Leader of the Opposition in that Parlt. First returned to Parlt. at last g. e. A Liberal; opposed to Coalitions and to the present Govt.—*Grosvenor St., Toronto; Toronto Club.*

BLANCHET, Lieut.-Col. Hon. JOSEPH GODERIC, M.D. [*Levis.*]

S. of M. Louis Blanchet, of St. Pierre, Rivière du Sud. The family of Blanchet was one of the