Legislative Council.

President.*—Hon. ROBERT BOAK. (Apptd. Feb., 1879.)

Clerk.—Albert Peters. (Salary, \$800.)

Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod .-

MEMBERS.

Number: 21. Sessional allowance, \$400.

BAKER, LORAN ELLIS.

Paternal ancestors came from Massachusetts. B. at Yarmouth, N.S., 13 May, 1831. Ed. there. M., 1st, 1857, Mary E., dau. of J. B. Bond, M.D., of Yarmouth, N.S. (she d.); 2nd. 1870, Frances J., dau. of H. G. Farnish, Esq., M.D., of Yarmouth, (she d.); 3rd, 1873, Mary I., dau. of George B. Creighton, Esq., of Dartmouth, Halifax, N.S. Is a ship owner and banker. Is Presdt of the Bank of Yarmouth, the Marine Railway, Western Counties Railway, Yarmouth Woollen Mill Co, Yarmouth Agricultural Soc., and the Mountain Cemetery Co. Founded a free museum and public library in Yarmouth in 1872. Called to the L. C, 18 Feb., 1878. A Liberal — Yarmouth, N.S.; Halifax Club.

BLACK, HIRAM, J.P.

S. of Mr. Joshua Black, whose grandfather came to N.S. from Huddersfield, Eng., in the latter part of the last century, by his wife, Miss Bent, the descendant of a family of Loyalists that settled at Fort Lawrence at the

* PREVIOUS PRESIDENTS.

Hon. Alexander Keith, from 28 June, 1869, until his death, 14
Dec., 1873.
Hon. Stayley Erown, from 11 March, 1874, until 19 Jan., 1875, when he resigned on his appt. as Provl Treas.
Hon. John Creighton, from March, 1875, until 1878.