session of the Sovereign Grand Lodge of the world in Baltimore, U.S., in 1878, as a representative from the Lower Provinces. First returned to Ho. of Assem. at last g.e. A Liberal Conservative.—*Pictou*, N.S.

JOHNSTON, Hon. THOMAS. (Shelburne.)

Grandfather came from Scot. S. of Thomas Johnston, Esq. B. at Shelburne, N. S. 30 Oct. 1821. Ed. there. M., 1866, Jerusha, relict of the late Capt. R. D. Todd. Is a merchant and shipowner. Was Sheriff of Shelburne for seven years. Sworn of the Ex. Council, 3 Aug. 1882. First returned to Ho. of Assem. for present seat, by acclamation, at ge. 1867; re-elected at g.e. 1871; by acclamation at ge. 1874, and re-elected at last g.e. A Reformer.—Lockport, N.S.

LEBLANC, Hon. ISIDORE, J.P. (Richmond.)

Descended from the old French stock in N.S. B. in Arichat, N.S. 30 Nov. 1837. Ed. there. M., Seraphine, dau. of Simon Bobing, Esq., J.P. Is a general merchant, commission merchant, and ship broker. Is also a Notary Public and Agent for Underwriters and Shipping Insurance Co.'s. Sworn a mem. of the Ex. Council, 15 Feb. 1883. Was an unsuccessful candidate for present seat in Leg. Assem. at g.e. 1871. First returned to Ho. of Assem. at g.e. 1878. Re-elected at last g.e. A Liberal and an advocate of a railway in Cape Breton.—Arichat, N.S.

LONGLEY, Hon. J. WILBERFORCE, M.A. (Annapolis.)

Paternal great-grandf. was a U. E. Loyalist, who settled in Annapolis Co. Maternal grandf. Rev. James Manning, was b. in Irel., and was one of the pioneer Baptist Ministers of N.S. B. at Paradise, N.S., 4 Jan. 1849. Ed. at Acadia Coll., N.S. where he graduated M.A., June, 1871. M. 3 Sept. 1877, Miss Annie Brown, of Paradise. Called to the Bar, N.S., 10 Sept. 1875. Appt. 13 Sept. 1882, a Commr. for revising and consolidating the Statutes of the Province. Has been on the editorial staff of the Acadia Recorder, Halifax, and has been a frequent contributor to magazines and other literary periodicals. Sworn a mem. of the Ex. Council 28 July, 1884. First returned to Ho. of Assem. N.S. at last g.e. A Liberal of pronounced views. In Dominion politics, implicitly follows Mr. Blake. Believes in