

ings, and also as a school trustee in different places; was at one period a governor of Acadia college, Nova Scotia; and has been a very active Sunday school and temperance worker, having had bestowed upon him all the honors that temperance societies could confer, and having been a total abstainer from all intoxicants for nearly forty years.

Mr. Todd was united in marriage, on the 10th of November, 1849, with Maria Antoinette, second daughter of Col. C. Shaffner, of Annapolis county, N.S., and besides the son already mentioned, they have had two sons and a daughter, who all died young.

SAMUEL S. WILMOT.

SALISBURY, N.B.

SAMUEL STREET WILMOT, one of the oldest residents of Salisbury, and many years a government land surveyor, was born at Moncton, N. B., on the 10th of August, 1803. His father, Malcolm Wilmot, was an uncle of the two governors of New Brunswick of his name; and his grandfather was a Loyalist. His mother, Mary Bentley, a native of England, came to New Brunswick when nine years old.

Mr. Wilmot was educated in a country school; clerked for his father, who was a merchant, until 1826, having settled in Salisbury the year before, and has been a land surveyor and farmer for more than half a century. He still belongs to the land department, but rarely does any work in that line, though quite smart for a man of his years.

Mr. Wilmot has been a justice of the peace since about 1847, and is a commissioner for taking affidavits and bail in the supreme court. His politics are Liberal, and in his younger years he took quite an active part during an active canvass, having considerable influence in the party. In religious belief he is a New Churchman, or Swedenborgian; and has always been a liberal man, helping other denominations to build churches, and contributing to any cause, which seemed to him beneficial to the community. He is a fourth degree mason.

Mr. Wilmot was joined in wedlock, in 1831, with Miss Lydia Beck, of Salisbury, and of thirteen children, the fruit of this union, only five are now living. Malcolm Bentley, the eldest son living is married and is a farmer in Salisbury; Mary Elizabeth is the wife of Robert B. Taylor, of Havelock, King's Co., N. B., and Samuel S., Alice and Isabella, are at home.

Mr. Wilmot is an intelligent, cheery old gentleman, free and pleasant in conversation, cordial and companionable, and disposed to look upon "the bright side of things." It does one good to converse with such a man.

JAMES R. INCH, M.A., LL.D.,

SACKVILLE, N.B.

JAMES ROBERT INCH, principal of Mount Allison Wesleyan college, Sackville, is a son of Nathaniel and Ann (Armstrong) Inch, both natives of Fermanagh county, north of Ireland. He was born in Queen's county, N.B., on the 29th of April, 1835. His father came to this