

REESOR, *Hon. DAVID (Kings).*

Of German descent. B. in Tp. of Markham, Ont., 18 Jan., 1823. Ed. there. M. Emily, eldest dau. of the late Daniel McDougall, Esq., of St. Mary's Ont., and sister of Hon. W. McDougall, C.B. Founded the Markham *Economist* newspaper, of which he was editor for some years. Has been Warden of York and Peel. Represented Kings Division in L.C., Can., 1860 until the Union. Called to the Senate by Royal Proclamation, May, 1867. A Liberal.—*Yorkville, Ont.*

REID, *Hon. JAMES (Cariboo).*

Third s. of James and Ann Reid, who came from the North of Ireland to Canada in 1832, and settled in the Tp. of Hull, P.Q. B. in the Tp. of Hull, 2 Aug., 1839. Ed. at the Common Schools. M., 14 Feb., 1883 Charlotte, youngest dau. of Nicholas Clarke, Manotick, Ont. Went to British Columbia in 1862, and is engaged in mining and mercantile pursuits. A mem. of the firm of Reid & Hodgson, Cariboo flour and lumber mills; Presdt. of the Quesnelle Quartz Mining Co., Cariboo, also of the Blue Lead Hydraulic Mining Co. First returned to Parlt. for Cariboo, 31 March, 1881, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. J. S. Thompson, M.P., and sat in the Commons until 8 Oct., 1888, when called to the Senate. A Liberal Conservative.—*Quesnelle, B. C.*

ROBITAILLE, *Hon. THEODORE, M.D., P.C. (Gulf).*

Descended from one of the oldest French families in Canada; one of his grand-uncles, Messaire Robitaille, was chaplain to the Active Militia Force of L.C. during the war of 1812, in which all the family took an active part on the loyal side; a second grand-uncle, the Rev. Louis Brodeur, after spending seven years as a missionary in N.B., was apptd. curate to the parish of St. Roch des Aulnests, where he died, bequeathing his wealth to Ste. Anne Coll., of which he was one of the founders: another grand-uncle, Jean Robitaille, Esq., was a mem. of the Can. Leg. from 1809 to 1829. S. of the late Louis Adolphe Robitaille, N.P. B. at Varennes, P.Q., 29 Jan., 1834. Ed. at the Model School of that place, in the United States, at the Seminary of Ste. Therese, the Laval Univ., and at the Univ. of McGill Coll., Montreal, at