

WIDDIFIELD, J. HENRY, M.D. (*North York.*)

Family came originally from Eng. S. of the late Charles Ellis Widdifield, Esq., of Maple Grove Farm, Whitechurch, Ont., and grands. of the late Henry Widdifield, a U.E. Loyalist, who came to Whitechurch, 1801, and was one of the earliest settlers in North York. B. at Maple Grove Farm, Whitechurch, 12 June 1845. Ed. at Newmarket High Sch. and Victoria Univ. Unmarried. Studied for his profession at Victoria Medical Coll., Toronto, and at St. Thomas' Hospital, Medical and Surgical Coll., London, Eng. Is a graduate in Medicine and Surgery of the Royal Coll. of Surgeons of Eng., the Royal Coll. of Physicians of Edin., Victoria Univ. Can., and the Coll. of Physicians and Surgeons of Ont. Has been a Coroner for York, and is now a J.P. for the same Co. Holds first-class certificates from the Toronto School of Military Instruction and the Toronto School of Gunnery. Received the Reform nomination for the Commons in 1874, but declined it. First returned to Leg. Assem. at g.e. 1875; re-elected at g.e. 1879, and again at last g.e. Moved the Address in reply to the Speech from the Throne at the session of 1875. Held the position of Ministerial Whip under the Mowat Govt. from 1877 to 1883, when he resigned. A Liberal.—*Newmarket, Ont.*

WILMOT, HENRY. (*Frontenac.*)

A native of London, Eng., and settled in Can. when a boy. A farmer. Was for many years in command of the Kingston Field Battery of Artillery. Has been Reeve of Pittsburg, Warden of the Co. of Frontenac and Presdt. of the Midland Fair Asso. First returned to Leg. Assem. at last g.e. A Conservative.—*Kingston.*

WOOD, Lieut.-Col. ALPHEUS FIELD, J.P. (*North Hastings.*)

S. of Thos. S. Wood, of Kingston, who served in the war of 1812. B. in Jefferson Co., N.Y., in 1828. Ed. in Adolphustown and Fredericksburg, Ont. M., 1850, Eliza dau. of D. Ross, of Co. of Hastings. Is a merchant, a J.P. and Lieut.-Col. in Reserve Militia. Was Reeve of Madoc for nineteen years, Warden of the Co. of Hastings for ten years, and Presdt. of the Belleville and North Hastings Railway for three years. Has been a dir. of the Grand Junction and the Toronto and Ottawa Railways. First returned to Leg. Assem. at last g.e. A Liberal Conservative.—*Madoc.*