

Mr. Jones was called to the Legislative Council on the 12th of January, 1867, and was a member of the executive council and president of that body, from the 23rd of February, 1871, to the 2nd of June, of the same year, resigning on account of a pressure of his own private business, much to the regret of all his colleagues in the Council.

Mr. Jones is a fourth degree mason, and an honorary member of Albion Lodge, St. John; also a vestryman of St. Paul's Episcopal church, Portland, adjoining St. John.

He married, February 28, 1851, Mary Jane, eldest daughter of Charles Doney, Esq., of Johnston, Queen's Co., N.B., and they have lost two children, and have six sons and three daughters living.

THOMAS F. GILLESPIE, M.P.P.,

CHATHAM, N.B.

THOMAS FRANCIS GILLESPIE, a member of the New Brunswick House of Assembly, for Northumberland, is a son of John and Eliza (Sheehan) Gillespie, and was born near Mallow, county of Cork, Ireland, on the 15th of December, 1828. He was educated in the old country; came to New Brunswick, in 1848; lived a few years at St. John; settled in Chatham in 1854, and after being a clerk a few years, purchased (1865) a foundry, which he is still carrying on, together with insurance and general merchandise.

Mr. Gillespie contested Northumberland unsuccessfully for the local assembly, in 1866, and the House of Commons in 1867; was elected to the former body in 1870; defeated in 1874, on the school question; and was again successful at the last general election, in 1878, his politics being Conservative.

He is a justice of the peace, county valuator, port warden, and secretary of the fire wards; was lieutenant of artillery, in 1863, captain in 1866, and now holds the rank of lieutenant-colonel garrison artillery.

He is secretary of Masonic Lodge, No. 18, New Brunswick registry, First Principal of Mount Lebanon Royal Arch Chapter, and vestryman of St. Paul's Episcopal church.

Mr. Gillespie married in 1855, Miss Elizabeth Cormack, of Chatham, and she has had eleven children, only six of them now living.

JUDGE ALFRED E. OULTON,

DORCHESTER, N.B.

ALFRED EDWIN OULTON, judge of probate for the county of Westmoreland, is a son of Thomas Edwin Oulton and Elizabeth Carter, both natives of Westmoreland county, and both descendants of U. E. Loyalists, who left the United States about the close of the war for independence; and he was born in Westmoreland, on the 2nd of March, 1845; he received his early education in his native place, and after being in his father's store a while, went to Sackville, New Brunswick, and spent three years at Mount Allison academy, taking a course of studies, which embraced the higher mathematics and the Latin language. He studied law with