## Legislative Council.

President.\*—Hon. ROBERT BOAK. (Apptd. Feb., 1879.) Clerk.—A. G. TROOP. (Salary, \$800.)

## MEMBERS.

Number: 21. Sessional allowance, \$500.

BAKER, LOBAN ELLIS.

Paternal ancestors came from Massachusetts. B. at Yarmouth, N.S., 13 May, 1831. Ed. there. M., 1st., 1857, Mary E., dau. of J. B. Bond, M.D., of Yarmouth, N.S. (she d.); 2nd, 1870, Frances, dau. of H. G. Farish, Esq., M.D., Yarmouth (she d.); 3rd, 1873, Mary I., dau. of George B. Creighton, Esq., of Dartmouth, Halifax, N.S. Is ship owner and banker. Is Presdt. of the Bank of Yarmouth, the Marine Railway, Yarmouth S. Ship Co., Limited, Yarmouth Woollen Mill Co., Yarmouth Agricultural Soc., and the Mountain Cemetery Co. Founded a free museum and public library in Yarmouth in 1872. Called to the L. C., 18 Feb., 1878. A Liberal.—Yarmouth, N.S.; Halifax Club.

## BLACK, HIRAM, J.P.

S. of Mr. Joshua Black, whose grandfather came to N.S. from Huddersfield, Eng., in the latter part of the last century, by his wife, Miss Bent, the descendant of a family of Loyalists that settled at Fort Lawrence at the time of the American Revolution. B. at Amherst, N.S., 9 Oct., 1837. Ed. at Mount Allison Academy. M., 12 Nov., 1874, the dau. of Geo. Smith, Esq., of Maitland, N.S. Has been a member of the Central Board of Agriculture. Sat. for

## \* PREVIOUS PRESIDENTS.

<sup>1.</sup> Hon. Alexander Keith, from 28 June, 1869, until his death, 14 Dec., 1873.

<sup>2.</sup> Hon. Stayley Brown, from 11 March, 1874, until 19 Jan., 1875, when he resigned on his appt. as Provl. Treas.

<sup>3.</sup> Hon. John Creighton, from March, 1875, until 1878.