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PREFACE.

IN this souvenir volume an entirely new method has been followed. The legislators who have worked together are here grouped together. The chairman has been given the place of honor in the centre, with the House chairman on his right and the clerk on his left. The other members are then placed as in the committee arrangement. For evident reasons, however, there is an occasional departure from this rule. The councillors and members of Congress are arranged in order by their districts.

The aim of the editor has been to produce a book that should contain such matters of special interest as could not be found in any official publication. Therefore, whatever appears in the regular journals of either branch has been excluded, because this would be only a duplication.

But here is given the personality of our legislators, as well as of other state officers. Here are their counterfeit presentment, their biography, and the fac-simile of their autographs. All these make up the man; and here are the men who made laws for their state and helped make them for the nation in 1892. Look in their faces, read their history, and you will be assured that the interests of the state are safe in the keeping of such representative men. They are intelligent, honest, patriotic. You may not always have agreed with their conclusions; but you might have done so had you had their evidence. They considered matters from all sides; you, from one. They represented the state; you, an individual.

The editor gladly expresses his appreciation of the uniform kindness and courtesy he has experienced in receiving portraits and information from all of whom he has sought. He trusts the result, herewith presented, will prove a continual and ever-increasing source of pleasure to them as the distance ever widens between 1892 and the future. Every day will add to the value of this souvenir, as every day makes more dim the memory of the legislators of 1892.

A. M. BRIDGMAN, Editor.
BIOGRAPHICAL.

BRIEF SKETCHES OF THE LIVES OF THE MEN WHO
IN STATE AND NATIONAL GOVERNMENT,
HELPED SHAPE LEGISLATION IN 1892.

THE GOVERNOR.

His Excellency William Eustis Russell, Democrat, of Cambridge. This is his second term. He is the third Democratic governor of Massachusetts, and, next to the Hon. George S. Boutwell, the youngest man who has ever occupied the chair of the Executive. He was born in Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 6, 1857, his father being the Hon. Charles Theodore Russell, the distinguished jurist. He began his education in the public schools of his native city, and pursued his studies further at Harvard University, graduating thence in 1877, and at the Boston University Law School, whence he was graduated in 1879, at the head of his class, winning the Lawrence prize for the best essay and delivering the class oration. Admitted to the Suffolk bar in 1880, he has since practised as a member of the firm in which his father and his brothers are partners. He took an early interest in public affairs, and became a member of the Cambridge common council in 1882, following that with two terms in the upper branch of the city government. In 1884 he was elected mayor by about one thousand over the Hon. James A. Fox, and in the two succeeding years he was given the compliment of an almost unanimous re-election. In 1887 his return to the office was contested, but he was once more successful by about two thousand majority. Mr. Russell's administration as mayor was intelligent and impartial, and he did not allow his party affiliations and sympathies to control his action. An episode of his administration was the introduction of the policy of "no license," to which the city has adhered for five years; and Mr. Russell, although not a believer in the system, promised to enforce it impartially, and did so, to the general satisfaction of its advocates. Mr. Russell has been president of the Alumni Association of the Boston University Law School and of the Middlesex County Democratic Club. He occupied the chair at the convention of Democratic clubs at Baltimore in 1888. In the same year he was nominated for governor by the Democratic party, and the same honor was accorded him in 1889. In 1891 the degree of LL.D. was conferred upon him by Williams College.


THE LIEUTENANT-Governor.

His Honor William H. Haile, Republican, of Springfield, is a native of New Hampshire, having been born in that State Sept. 23, 1833. His father was governor of the State in 1857 and 1859. His parents removed their residence soon after his birth to
Hinsdale. He entered Kimball Union School at Meriden, N. H., to fit for college, and thence went to Amherst College, where he spent two years, but finished his college course at Dartmouth in the class of 1856. After his graduation he studied law in Springfield and was admitted to the bar in that city, but came to Boston to practice. He soon abandoned his profession and removed to Hinsdale, N. H., where he engaged in the manufacture of woollens, in company with his father and the Hon. Rufus S. Frost of Chelsea, with the latter of whom he is still associated. The Republicans of his district sent him to the New Hampshire Legislature in 1865, 1866 and 1871. In the next year he returned to Springfield, which city he has since made his abode, and has thoroughly identified himself with the interests of his adopted home. He has served in both branches of its city council, and was its mayor in 1881. In 1882 and 1883 he sat in the Massachusetts Senate, with appointment to the committees on military affairs (chairman), banks and banking, mercantile affairs (chairman), rules and woman suffrage. In 1892, in council, chairman of committees on pardons, finance, charitable institutions, prisons, military affairs and railroads.

Vote of the State: William H. Haile, Republican, 157,216; John W. Corcoran, Democrat, 145,865; Augustus R. Smith, Prohibition, 9,346; William J. Shields, People’s Party, 2,399; George R. Peare, Socialist Labor, 1,471.

SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

Hon. William Milo Olin of Boston is the sixteenth incumbent of the office of secretary of the Commonwealth since 1710. He is serving his second term there. He was born of New England parents in Warrenton, Ga., Sept. 18, 1815, but has been a resident of this State since 1850, and is a graduate of the public schools. He very early entered the office of the “Worcester Transcript,” starting at the bottom of the ladder as the “devil.” He followed that with work at the case until the breaking out of the rebellion. Then, although very young, he enlisted in the Thirty-sixth Massachusetts Volunteers, and served throughout the war in that organization. Returning to civil life, he devoted some time to the completion of his studies and then joined the reportorial staff of the “Boston Advertiser,” with which paper he was connected for fourteen years, as reporter, editor and Washington correspondent. In 1879 he was appointed private secretary and military secretary, with the rank of colonel, by Governor Talbot, and was reappointed by Governor Long in 1880, 1881 and 1882. Since then he has acted as private secretary to Collector Worthington, Senator Dawes and Collector Beard, and he left the service of the last named to take up the duties of his present office. He has been lieutenant-colonel and assistant adjutant-general under General Wales, First Brigade, M. V. M., and adjutant-general of the National Encampment, G. A. R.

Vote of the State: William M. Olin, Republican, 153,586; Elbridge Cushman, Democrat, 138,202; Alfred W. Richardson, Prohibition, 10,890; Joseph D. Cadle, People’s Party, 3,729; Edward W. Thelnert, Socialist Labor, 1,607.

TREASURER AND RECEIVER-GENERAL.

Hon. George Augustus Marden of Lowell, who is serving his fourth term as treasurer, is well known in Massachusetts, having been connected with thirteen Legislatures as clerk or member. Mr. Marden was born Aug. 9, 1839, in Mount Vernon, N. H., and was early taught his father’s trade, that of shoemaking, besides spending much time upon the farm. He fitted himself for and paid his way through college by working at his trade and by teaching school. He enlisted early in the war in the Second Regiment, Berdan’s U. S. Sharpshooters, and soon obtained a commission, acting as assistant adjutant-general, Third Brigade, Third Division, Third Corps. In 1865 he began the study of law at Concord, N. H., at the same time engaging in journalistic work, to
His Excellency WILLIAM E. RUSSELL, Governor.
which he has since then paid steady attention. His newspaper duties have been on the "Concord Monitor," in Charleston, W. Va., on the "Boston Advertiser," and on the "Lowell Courier," of which he is now part proprietor and editor. He also compiled and edited a history of each of the New Hampshire military organizations during the war. Mr. Marden was elected to the Massachusetts House for 1873, and the next year was chosen clerk of that body, filling this position for nine years. In 1883 and 1884 he was again a member of the House, and was elected to the Speakership each year. In 1885 he sat in the Senate. He was one of the four Grant delegates from Massachusetts to the Chicago convention of 1880.

Vote of the State: George A. Marden, Republican, 152,915; James S. Grinnell, Democrat, 138,760; Samuel B. Shapleigh, Prohibition, 10,454; Thomas A. Watson, People's Party, 2,851; Charles Friede, Socialist Labor, 2,220.

AUDITOR OF ACCOUNTS.

Hon. John White Kimball of Fitchburg is a native of that city, and was educated in its public schools. He was born Feb. 27, 1828. He was a member of the House of Representatives in 1864, 1865 and 1872, being assigned to the committee on military affairs each year. He was again in the House in 1888, 1889, 1890 and 1891, with service on the committees on finance and railroads, being chairman of the latter committee in the two years last named, and was appointed on the joint special committee to convey to Congress the resolution relating to couplers and brakes on freight cars. He has held these offices: justice of the peace, tax collector, selectman, postmaster and alderman of Fitchburg; police commissioner of Massachusetts; United States pension agent, Western Massachusetts district; custodian in United States treasury department, Washington; commander of the Department of Massachusetts, G. A. R.; before the war, captain and adjutant, Ninth Regiment, M. V. M.; during the war, lieutenant-colonel Fifteenth Massachusetts Volunteers, colonel Fifty-third Massachusetts Volunteers, and brevet brigadier-general United States Volunteers; since the war, colonel Tenth Regiment, M. V. M. He is a real estate agent.

Vote of the State: John W. Kimball, Republican, 150,697; William D. T. Trefry, Democrat, 137,928; William O. Armstrong, Prohibition, 11,707; William O. Wakefield, People's Party, 2,859; Squire E. Putney, Socialist Labor, 2,525.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL.

Hon. Albert E. Pillsbury of Boston is a native of Milford, N. H., in which town he was born Aug. 19, 1849. After preparing for college in the local schools and at Appleton Academy, New Ipswich, N. H., and Lawrence Academy, Groton, Mass., he entered Harvard in 1867, but left before graduation and went West, teaching school and studying law at Sterling, Ill. He was admitted to the bar in that State and later in Massachusetts, and has been practising in Boston since 1871. His first public office was as a member of the lower branch of the Legislature in 1876, 1877 and 1878. In 1884, 1885 and 1886 he sat in the Senate. His chief committee service in both branches was on the judiciary, and in his last two years in the Senate he occupied the president's chair. He was offered and declined an appointment to the superior court bench in 1888, and in the following year he was tendered the position of corporation counsel for the city of Boston. In 1890 he was elected to his present office. His skill and ability in handling the celebrated Trefethen murder case in Boston, in the spring of 1892, won the highest praise from all who witnessed them.

Vote of the State: Albert E. Pillsbury, Republican, 151,182; George M. Stearns, Democrat, 138,865; Wolcott Hamlin, Prohibition, 10,590; Herbert McIntosh, People's Party, 3,887; James Waldock, Socialist Labor, 1,539.
Hon. W. M. OLIN, Secretary.

Hon. J. W. KIMBALL, Auditor.

Hon. W. H. HAILE, Lieutenant-Governor.

Hon. G. A. MARDEN, Treasurer.

Hon. A. E. PILLSBURY, Attorney-General.
THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

DISTRICT No. 1.

Hon. Isaac Newton Keith, Republican, of Bourne, is a manufacturer of railway cars. He was born Nov. 14, 1838, in West Sandwich, Mass, and received a common school education. In the House in 1875 and 1876 he was a member of the committee on Hoosac Tunnel and also of several special committees, and in the Senate of 1887 and 1888 he was appointed to the committees on harbors and public lands, mercantile affairs and railroads. He has been postmaster of Bourne, and was a member of the council in 1889, 1890, 1891 and 1892. In 1892, on committees on finance, harbors and public lands, charitable institutions, prisons, military affairs and railroads.

Vote of district: Isaac N. Keith, Republican, 16,670; Frederick A. Bradford, Democrat, 12,305; Franklyn Howland, Prohibition, 1,856.

DISTRICT No. 2.

Hon. Edwin V. Mitchell, Republican, of Medfield, is a straw goods manufacturer. He was born in Sangerville, Me., Oct. 2, 1850, and was educated in the public schools of Framingham, in this State. He has held town office in Medfield, and was colonel and aid-de-camp on the staff of Governor Brackett. He is a Mason of high degree, a prominent Odd Fellow, and a member of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company and the Norfolk, Home Market and Algonquin clubs. In 1892 he was on the committees on harbors and public lands, military affairs, railroads and accounts.

Vote of district: Edwin V. Mitchell, Republican, 20,986; Charles T. Duncklee, Democrat, 18,858; Robert Porter, Prohibition, 1,335.

DISTRICT No. 3.

Hon. Ephraim Stearns, Republican, of Waltham, was born in that city March 8, 1839. After attending its public schools and graduating at its high school, he entered, 1855, the employ of the old and well-known firm of Milton, Cushman & Co., importers of dry goods. He remained with this house nearly ten years, and learned the business in all its branches. During this time, in 1862, he enlisted in Company G, Forty-fifth Massachusetts Regiment, and served with his regiment in North Carolina, returning at the expiration of his term of service as sergeant. In 1865 he entered into copartnership under the firm name of Blake & Stearns, dealers in woollens. This house still continues in business on Franklin Street, Boston, and is now one of the oldest houses in that branch of business in the city. Although one of the strongest supporters of the old town form of government, he was yet selected to aid in drawing up the new city charter for Waltham. Elected on the first board of aldermen, he served during two terms. As a Republican he has been active in politics, supporting men and measures as he has deemed them best for the public welfare. He has been chairman of the Republican committee of Waltham for several terms, chairman of the fifth district congressional committee, and in 1884 was chosen delegate to the Republican National Convention at Chicago.

As a soldier during the civil war he has always taken a great interest in the Grand Army, and was a member of the staff of Commander Walker during his term of office as commander of Massachusetts Department. In 1885 he was appointed on the staff of Governor Robinson, from which fact he gets his title of colonel. Elected to the governor's council of 1891 and 1892, he has served during his terms of office on several of
Hon. I. N. KEITH, 1st District.
SAMUEL ROADS, Jr., Governor's Secretary.
Hon. M. HOW, 5th District.
Hon. J. DONOVAN, 4th District.

Hon. E. STEARNS, 3d District.
Hon. A H. EVANS, 6th Dist.
Hon. G. F. MORSE, 7th District.
Hon. E. V. MITCHELL, 2d District.
Hon. E. MORGAN, 8th District.
the most important committees. In 1892, on committees on harbors and public lands, prisons, military affairs, railroads and State House extension.

Vote of district: Ephraim Stearns, Republican, 20,177; John J. Sullivan, Democrat, 15,074; James H. Roberts, Prohibition, 1,793.

DISTRICT No. 4.

Hon. James Donovan, Democrat, is a real estate agent, and lives at No. 67 Emerald Street. He was born in Boston, May 28, 1859, and attended the public schools of this city. He was a member of the Boston common council in 1882, and served five consecutive terms in the House, beginning with 1884, with appointment to the committee on mercantile affairs, prisons, redistricting and railroads. He was a member of the Senate in 1889, 1890 and 1891, with service on the committees on railroads, engrossed bills, library (chairman), military affairs, public health, drainage (chairman), federal relations and liquor law. He has been a member of the Democratic city committee of Boston for nine years, and is now a member of the Democratic state central committee. In the executive council of 1892, on committees on pardons, harbors and public lands, State House extension and accounts.

Vote of district: James Donovan, Democrat, 17,900; George W. Warren, Republican, 10,936; James M. Gray, Prohibition, 883.

DISTRICT No. 5.

Hon. Moses How, Republican, of Haverhill, was born in Methuen, June 19, 1819, and received a public school education. He is retired from business, but was formerly a shoe manufacturer. He was a member of the Haverhill common council in 1870, and mayor of the city in 1882 and 1883. He was a member of the governor's council in 1891. In 1892, on committees on pardons, finance, harbors and public lands, charitable institutions, accounts and warrants.

Vote of district: Moses How, Republican, 18,452; George W. Blatchford, Democrat, 14,029; Samuel Trask, Prohibition, 1,664.

DISTRICT No. 6.

Hon. Alonzo H. Evans, Republican, of Everett. In this district, Hon. Charles F. Loring of Melrose, Republican, was elected by the people by a vote of 21,510 to 19,748 for W. B. de las Casas, Democrat, and 1,425 for George Pillsbury, Prohibition. But Mr. Loring died before he qualified officially for the position to which he was elected. The Legislature then elected Mr. Evans to the office. He was born in Allenstown, N. H., Feb. 24, 1820. At fifteen he removed to Lowell, where he worked a year in a factory, and then came to Boston. In 1854 he helped organize the Boston Five Cents Savings Bank, now located on School Street, and was elected its first treasurer. Remaining in that office until the first president retired, he was chosen to fill that vacancy, and has occupied that position ever since, having gained a wide and enviable reputation as a business man and financier. He has twice represented Everett in the House, and was a member of the Senate in 1889 and 1890. For two years he was a member of the Republican State central committee. When in the Senate he was chairman, both years, of the committee on banks and banking, and also was on the committee on taxation. In the council, he was on the committees on public charitable institutions, prisons, State House extension and warrants.

DISTRICT No. 7.

Hon. George Franklin Morse, Republican, of Leominster, was born in that town Oct. 16, 1835, and was educated in its schools. He is engaged in manufacturing and mining, and is president of the South Spring Hill Gold Mining Company of Amador, Cal., an office which he has held since 1882. He is a director of the Wachusett
MASSACHUSETTS MEMBERS OF CONGRESS.

C. S. RANDALL, 1st District,
J. H. O'NEIL, 4th District,
E. A. MORSE, 2d District,
SHERMAN HOAR, 5th District,
J. F. ANDREW, 3d District.
H. C. LODGE, 6th District.

Senator HENRY L. DAWES,
WM. COGSWELL, 7th District,
J. H. WALKER, 10th District,
M. T. STEVENS, 8th District,
F. S. COOLIDGE, 11th District,
GEO. FRED. WILLIAMS, 9th District.
JOHN C. CROSBY, 12th District.

Senator GEORGE F. HOAR.
National Bank of Fitchburg and of the Leominster Gas Company, and for several years was president of the Hecla Powder Company of New York. During the war Mr. Morse was in the quartermaster's department. In 1892, on committees on finance charitable institutions, prisons and railroads.

Vote of district: George F. Morse, Republican, 21,836; Ransom C. Taylor, Democrat, 17,674; William E. Cole, Prohibition, 2,018.

DISTRICT No. 8.

Hon. Elisha Morgan, Republican, of Springfield, is an envelope manufacturer. He was born in Northfield, Sept. 7, 1833, and was educated chiefly at the common schools. In 1888 he was a presidential elector. In 1892, on committees on pardons, military affairs and warrants.

Vote of district: Elisha Morgan, Republican, 19,628; George D. Eldredge, Democrat, 18,505; Howard A Gibbs, Prohibition, 2,256.

Private Secretary.—Samuel Roads, Jr., was born in Marblehead, Oct. 22, 1853, and was educated in the public schools. He has been engaged in newspaper work all his life, and is the author of the "History and Traditions of Marblehead." He was a member of the Massachusetts House of Representatives in 1884, 1885 and 1886, and of the state Senate in 1887 and 1888. In 1888 he was the Democratic candidate for congress in the seventh district. Since July, 1891, he has filled the position of private secretary to the governor.

Executive Clerk.—Edward F. Haml in was born in Plainfield, Mass., in 1844; removed to Northampton in 1857. September, 1862, enlisted as a private in Company I, Fifty-second Regiment, Massachusetts Volunteers; promoted to first sergeant; served in the department of the gulf, and mustered out by reason of expiration of service, Aug. 14, 1863. In 1867 was elected first lieutenant and captain Company H, Second Regiment, Massachusetts Volunteer Militia; was appointed to a clerkship in the adjutant-general's office by Governor Washburn in 1874. In 1877 was appointed clerk of the governor and council by Governor Rice, and has held that position ever since.

THE SENATE.

THE PRESIDENT.

Hon. Alfred S. Pinkerton of the fourth Worcester district, comprising the city of Fitchburg, Holden, Lancaster, Leominster, Lunenburg, Princeton, Sterling, West Boylston, Westminster and Wards 2 and 3 of Worcester, was unanimously chosen president of that body. He is a lawyer by profession and a Republican in politics. Born March 19, 1856, in Lancaster, Pa., he attended the public schools of that state, afterward studying law with the late Hon. Peter C. Bacon of Worcester, while still following mercantile pursuits, and was admitted to the bar in 1881. He was House chairman of the committee on towns in the House of 1887, and in the next two years was appointed to the committees on the judiciary, constitutional amendments and water supply (House chairman). In 1888 he was on the special committee to represent the state at the celebration of the settlement of the Northwest Territory. In the Senate of 1890 he was placed on the committees on constitutional amendments (chairman), judiciary, and probate and insolvency, and in that of 1891 on the committees on judiciary
OFFICERS OF THE SENATE.

H. D. COOLIDGE, Clerk

W. H. SANGER, Assistant Clerk.

Hon. A. S. PINKERTON, President.

Rev. EDMUND DOWSE, Chaplain.

H. E. STEVENS, Clerical Assistant.
(chairman), probate and insolvency, and administrative boards and commissions (chairman). In 1890 he was on the special committee to consider the first contested seat under the "Australian" ballot law. He was grand master of the Massachusetts Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., in 1888–89, being much the youngest man ever holding that place, and is grand representative from Massachusetts to the Sovereign Grand Lodge. He is also chairman of the finance committee of the Grand Lodge. In Masonic circles he has served as master of Athelstan Lodge, and is a member of Eureka Chapter, Worcester Council and Worcester County Commandery Knights Templar.

Vote of district: Alfred S. Pinkerton, Republican, 4,925; Thomas F. Gallagher, Democrat, 3,397; Jabez Fisher, Prohibition, 495.

BRISTOL COUNTY.

First District. — Attleborough, Easton, Mansfield, North Attleborough, Norton, Raynham, Seekonk and Taunton. — Hon. Edward Mott, Republican, of Taunton, was born in Kent, England, June 19, 1830. Coming to New York with his parents when quite young, he received his education in the public schools in New York City and at Camp's Academy. For several years he was connected with the "New York Tribune," in the mail department. He came to Massachusetts in 1848, and entered the employ of the Taunton Locomotive Manufacturing Company; was connected with the same forty years, passing through several positions, from an apprentice to the superintendency, and is now a consulting engineer. Senator Mott has been a Republican since the organization of the party. He was one of seven who organized the party in that city, and for fourteen years was chairman of the Republican city committee. He has always been identified with the interest of the city. He was assessor in 1889. For twenty-one consecutive years he was chief engineer of the fire department. He has also been connected with Masonic bodies, and is past master of King David's Lodge, a member of St. Mark's Royal Arch Chapter, and a Knight Templar member of St. John's Commandery. Among the offices he now holds are the following: president of Southern Massachusetts Relief Association, of the Firemen's Mutual Relief Association, and of the Veteran Firemen's Association; trustee of Taunton Savings bank; director in Taunton Gas Company. In House of 1890 served on committee on labor, and in 1891 on committee on railroads; in 1891 was also member of special recess committee to investigate the working of administrative boards and commissions. Chairman of committee on roads and bridges, and also on committee on railroads, in 1892.


Second District. — Berkley, Dighton, Fall River, Rehoboth, Somerset and Swansea. — Hon. Robert Howard, Democrat, of Fall River, was born in Northwich, Cheshire, England, Feb. 8, 1845, and received his education, as he expresses it, "between the cotton-spinning mules." In 1881, in the House, he served on the committee on labor. He has sat in the Senate since 1886, and is the senior member of that body in point of service. His committee appointments have included roads and bridges, public charitable institutions, education, street railways and labor (chairman since 1887). From 1881 to 1885 he was treasurer of the Federation of Trades and Labor Unions of the United States and Canada. Within the last ten years he has twice been secretary of the National Cotton Mule Spinners' Association of America. In 1887 he was district master workman of the Knights of Labor of Massachusetts, and since then he has served two years as associate editor of "Wade's Fibre and Fabric." He is now secretary of the Fall River Cotton Mule Spinners' Association. Chairman of committee on labor and member of committee on manufactures, 1892.

Vote of district: Robert Howard, Democrat, 4,910; Joseph O. Neil, Republican, 2,598; Lester Howard, Prohibition, 255.
OFFICERS OF THE HOUSE.

Hon. W. E. BARRETT, Speaker.

E. A. McLAUGHLIN, Clerk.

J. W. KIMBALL, Assistant Clerk.

Rev. D. W. WALDRON, Chaplain.
Third District. — Acushnet, Dartmouth, Fairhaven, Freetown, New Bedford and Westport. — Hon. William M. Butler, Republican, lawyer, of New Bedford, was born in that city Jan. 29, 1861. He received his education in the local schools and at the Boston University Law School, and was admitted to the bar September, 1883. He has served in the New Bedford common council, and in the House of 1890 and 1891 was appointed to the judiciary committee. Chairman of joint special committee on administrative boards and commissions, and member of committees on judiciary (Senate and joint) and on mercantile affairs, 1892.

Vote of district: William M. Butler, Republican, 2,870; John I. Bryant, Democrat, 1,917; William P. Macomber, Prohibition, 328.

ESSEX COUNTY.

First District. — Wards 2, 3, 4 and 5 of Lynn, Nahant and Swampscott. — Hon. Charles H. Baker, Republican, was born in Solon, Me., Feb. 2, 1847. He removed with his parents to South Weymouth in this state when he was a boy, and attended school in that town. During the late war he saw service with the Fourth Massachusetts Heavy Artillery Regiment, as a drummer boy. He came to Lynn soon after the close of the war, and secured work in a shoe factory; soon commenced business in a small way on his own account, and now is a large manufacturer of shoes, being partner in the firm of Baker & Creighton. He has other large financial interests. He is a prominent member of the Grand Army of the Republic, having held many responsible positions in General Lander Post 5, serving as commander in 1883, and was one of the state delegates to the national encampment at Washington, September, 1892. He was in the common council in 1880, in the board of aldermen in 1881, 1882 and 1888. He was first chosen Representative to the General Court in 1883. He was again in the House in 1890 and 1891, serving on the committee on manufactures. Chairman of the committee on manufactures and member of the labor and public service committees in 1892.

Vote of district: Charles H. Baker, Republican, 3,187; Joseph H. Potts, Democrat, 2,644; George W. Harnden, Prohibition, 438; Eben N. Wardwell, People's Party, 205; William Logie, Independent Labor, 82.

Second District. — Beverly, Marblehead and Salem. — Hon. William Edwin Meade, Republican, locomotive engineer, of Salem, was born in that city Aug. 2, 1839, and received a public school education. He served four terms (two as its president) in the Salem common council and one term in the board of aldermen, and was a member of the House in 1890 and 1891, with place on the committee on cities. During the war he served in the navy as boatswain's mate in the “Gulf Squadron.” He is a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, president of the Engineers' Relief Association of the Boston & Maine Railroad, a Mason and an Odd Fellow, and a member of Phil. H. Sheridan Post, 34, G. A. R. Chairman of committee on public charitable institutions and on committees on cities and parishes and religious societies, 1892.

Vote of district: William E. Meade, Republican, 3,701; William Stopford, Democrat, 3,193; James Gamble, Prohibition, 219; Charles E. Symonds, Republican Independent, 118.

Third District. — Essex, Gloucester, Hamilton, Ipswich, Manchester, Newbury, Newburyport (Wards 1 and 2), Rockport, Rowley, Topsfield and West Newbury. — Hon. Luther Dame, Republican, of Newbury, is a civil engineer. He was born in Kittery, Me., March 3, 1826, and was educated in Portsmouth, N. H., and Framingham, Mass. At nineteen he began to teach school at Newbury, and soon afterwards he was appointed teacher of mathematics and French in the Putnam free school of Newburyport. In 1855 he went to Kansas as a surveyor, and while there he was prominent
COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE.

F. P. ARNOLD, C. C. MERRITT, G. A. CRANE,
R. W. GILLET, House Chairman, S. A. HICKOX, Chairman,
S. SMITH, A. BUCK, A. P. WOODWARD,
M. S. ANDREWS.
J. W. ADAMS, Clerk.
W. W. GALLUP.
in an early division into lots of what is now the city of Topeka. He took an active part in the contest between "free state" and "pro-slavery" men, and was one of a party of forty who marched to the polls, rifle in hand, to insure the privilege of voting and to maintain the purity of the ballot. Returning to Massachusetts, he taught school in Nahant until the war broke out, and then he raised companies for active service, and went with them to the front. In 1868 he became a teacher in the consolidated high school in Newburyport, remaining there for eighteen years. He was a member of the Newburyport common council for three years, part of the time being president of that body, and of the board of aldermen for two years. In 1888, 1889 and 1890 he was a Representative, serving on the committees on roads and bridges and street railways. Chairman of the committee on fisheries and game and member of the joint special committees on rapid transit, and to represent the state at the opening of the Columbian Exposition at Chicago, Oct. 21, 1892.

Vote of district: Luther Dame, Republican, 3,340; D. Somes Watson, Democrat, 2,028; Wellington Donaldson, Prohibition, 264.

Fourth District.— Amesbury, Haverhill, Merrimac, Newburyport (Wards 3, 4, 5 and 6) and Salisbury. — Hon EDWARD P. SHAW, Republican, contractor, is a native resident of Newburyport, where he was born Sept. 1, 1841. As a member of the House in 1881 and 1882 he was appointed to the committee on roads and bridges, and in 1888 and 1889 to that on street railways. Chairman of committee on street railways and member of committee on banks and banking, 1892.

Vote of district: Edward P. Shaw, Republican, 3,825; Benjamin F. Brickett, Democrat, 3,811; John H. Davis, Prohibition, 389.

Fifth District.— Boxford, Danvers, Georgetown, Groveland, Lynn (Wards 1, 6 and 7), Lynnfield, Middleton, North Andover, Peabody, Saugus and Wenham. — Hon. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN SOUTHWICK, Republican, of Peabody, is a wholesale fruit and produce dealer. He was born in Lyndeborough, N. H., July 5, 1835, and received a public school education. During the war he was a lieutenant in the Fifth Massachusetts Volunteers, and he has been captain in the Fifth Infantry, M. V. M. He is treasurer and ex-president of the Boston Fruit and Produce Exchange. He was a member of the House in 1888, with service on the committee on military affairs and the special committee on soldiers' records; and of the Senate in 1891, with service on the committees on treasury (chairman), agriculture and military affairs. Chairman of committees on treasury, expenditures and federal relations and member of committee on insurance, 1892.


Sixth District.— Andover, Bradford, Lawrence and Methuen. — Hon. RICHARD A. CARTER of Lawrence, Democrat, was born in Ireland, Feb. 16, 1862. He went to Lawrence with his parents when he was three years of age, and was educated in its public schools. In 1890 and 1891 Senator Carter represented the fifth Essex Representative district in the House, serving each year on the liquor law committee. The district is overwhelmingly Republican, but it is essentially a labor district, and Mr. Carter was elected the first year by the largest vote ever given to a Democrat in the district. The next year Mr. Carter was re-elected by the largest vote ever given to any candidate, Republican or Democrat, in that district. He was the author of the "night-work" bill, which prohibits the employment of women and children in manufacturing establishments during the night time, which was passed in his first year. He also was largely instrumental in the passage of the bill which requires that each room in manufacturing establishments shall be connected by means of electric or other power with the engine room, in order to immediately stop the machinery in case of accident.
Senator Carter has always been identified with the sixth district as a resident. Several years of his youth were passed in the town of Methuen.


HAMPDEN COUNTY.

First District. — Brimfield, Holland, Monson, Palmer, Springfield, Wales and Wilbraham. — Hon. Christopher C. Merritt of Springfield, Democrat, a descendant of English ancestors who settled in the town of Scituate, was born in Gardner, Mass., Sept. 29, 1830. Always living in Massachusetts, his education was obtained entirely in the common school. By occupation a druggist and farmer, he has ever been identified with the productive class of our common people. He was sergeant of militia for six years before the war. Was elected as Representative to the General Court in 1872, 1876, 1880 and 1881, serving upon committees on the Hoosac Tunnel, prisons, rules, finance and the revision of the laws. Has served five years as a trustee of Northampton Lunatic Asylum. He is now and has been for the last five years one of the overseers of the poor in the city of Springfield. On committees on engrossed bills, agriculture and public health, 1892.

Vote of district: Christopher C. Merritt, Democrat, 4,284; Newton S. Hubbard, Republican, 4,270; Orus E. Parker, Prohibition, 324.

Second District. — Agawam, Chicopee, Granville, Hampden, Holyoke, Longmeadow, Ludlow, Montgomery, Southwick, Tolland, Westfield and West Springfield. — Hon. William Provin, Democrat, of Westfield, is a whip manufacturer. He was born in Sullivan, Pa., Feb. 14, 1842, and is a graduate of Westfield Academy. He served in the war of the rebellion, and has been chairman of the Westfield selectmen. From 1888 to 1891, president and treasurer of water commissioners; a vice president of Woronoco Savings Bank of Westfield. He sat in the House in 1886, 1887 and 1888, with appointment to the committees on insurance and federal relations, and in the Senate in 1891 with appointment to the committees on insurance (chairman), labor and printing. Chairman of committee on insurance and member of committees on fisheries and game and printing, 1892.

Vote of district: William Provin, Democrat, 4,557; Robert B. Crane, Republican, 3,751; Luther H. Beals, Prohibition, 378.

MIDDLESEX COUNTY.

First District. — Arlington, Medford, Somerville and Winchester. — Hon. Francis Henry Raymond, Republican, of Somerville, is manager of the Cambridge Electric Light Company. He was born in Charlestown, Feb. 19, 1836, and educated in the public schools of Somerville. He was for three years a trustee of the public library of that city, and a director in the Market National Bank of Boston for twenty years. In the House, for the three years ending in 1890, he served on the committee on railroads and in the Senate of 1891 he was appointed to it, as well as to the chairmanship of the committee on fisheries and game. Chairman of committee on railroads and member of joint special committee on rapid transit, 1892.

Vote of district: Francis H. Raymond, Republican, 4,804; Abraham A. Elston, Democrat, 3,107; Isaac W. Gammons, Prohibition, 333.

Second District. — Belmont, Concord, Lexington, Lincoln, Newton, Waltham and Watertown. — Hon. Gorham D. Gilman of Newton was born in Hallowell, Me., May 29, 1822. Educated at public school and academy. In 1840 left home for a seafaring life; arrived at the Hawaiian Islands in 1841, where he resided until 1861, with the exception of a "gold-fever" experience in San Francisco in parts of 1848 and 1849. He has several royal "decorations" from the late king and the present queen of these islands,
COMMITTEE ON CITIES.

W. S. McNARY, W. E. MEADE, G. S. CLOUGH, I. ROSNOSKY.
E. PRESHO, House Chairman, H. PARKMAN, Chairman, E. F. LYFORD, Clerk.
G. W. PERKINS, F. H. APPLETON, G. V. L. MEYER, J. W. McEVOY.
evidences of friendship and appreciation of services rendered there. In 1863 he founded, with two brothers, the wholesale drug house of Gilman Brothers, in which he is still interested. In 1864 he settled in Newton, and in 1874–76 held office in its common council and board of aldermen; was for three years president of the Newton Y. M. C. A., and member of the “State board.” In 1889–90 was member of the House of Representatives, and in 1891–92 a member of the Senate. His committee work has been: taxation, parishes and religious societies, public health (chairman), federal relations and mercantile affairs (chairman).


Third District. — Wards 1, 2, 4 and 5 of Cambridge. — Hon. John Read of Cambridge, Republican, was born in that city, May 19, 1840, and is a graduate of Harvard College, class of 1862. He is a member of the firm of William Read & Sons, Boston, dealers in military goods. In the war he was paymaster in the United States navy for three years. He was on the iron-clad "Keokuk," which was sunk in the first attack on Fort Sumter; afterwards was in many engagements in the West Gulf Squadron, and finally captured. He was held a prisoner of war eighteen months, most of the time without shelter, and was one of thirty, out of one hundred and eleven men originally captured, who survived the imprisonment. Mr. Read served in the common council in 1880 and 1881, and in the board of aldermen in 1882 and 1883. In the House in 1888 he was a member of the committee on banks and banking. Chairman of committee on military affairs and member of committees on education and prisons, 1892.

Vote of district: John Read, Republican, 3,641; Horace G. Kemp, Democrat, 3,307; Edward Kendall, Prohibition, 426.

Fourth District. — Ashland, Framingham, Holliston, Hopkinton, Marlborough, Maynard, Natick, Sherborn, Sudbury, Wayland and Weston. — Hon. James W. McDonald, Democrat, lawyer, is a native resident of Marlborough, was born May 15, 1853, and is a graduate of its public schools. He has been a member of the school committee, special justice of the Marlborough police court, city solicitor, 1891–92, and sat in the House in 1880, with places on the committees on constitutional amendments and liquor law. A member of the Senate in 1891, he served on the committees on probate and insolvency and manufactures (chairman), was also member of the congressional redistricting committee and of the joint special committee on municipal charters. Chairman of Senate committee on probate and insolvency and member of committees on judiciary and constitutional amendments and of joint special recess committee on revision of the judicial system of the state, 1892. After the close of the session was appointed by Governor Russell chairman of the Board of Gas and Electric Light Commissioners.

Vote of district: James W. McDonald, Democrat, 4,213; Albert Mead, Republican, 3,430; Samuel T. Frost, Prohibition, 337.

Fifth District. — Acton, Ashby, Ayer, Bedford, Billerica, Boxborough, Burlington, Carlisle, Chelmsford, Dracut, Dunstable, Groton, Hudson, Littleton, Pepperell, Shirley, Stow, Townsend, Tyngsborough, Westford and Woburn. — Hon. Edwin Francis Wyer, Republican, of Woburn, is a dealer in harness and saddlery goods. He was born in 1832, in Cambridge, and was educated in the Woburn public schools and at Warren Academy. From 1856 to 1872 he was in the militia, retiring as captain, and was with the Fifth Massachusetts Volunteers through its service in the war, going three times to the front. A member of the Senate in 1891, he had places on the committees on military affairs and water supply Chairman of committee on water supply and member of committees on administrative boards and commissions and on military affairs, 1892.

Sixth District. — Everett, Malden, Melrose, North Reading, Reading, Stoneham, Wakefield and Wilmington. — Hon. B. Marvin Fernald, Republican, lawyer, of Melrose, was born in Great Falls, N. H., Feb. 14, 1847, and is a graduate of class of 1870, Harvard College. He sat in the House in 1881 and 1882, his committee appointments being taxation (House chairman), constitutional amendments and judiciary. In the House he reported the bill, which became law, to relieve mortgaged real estate of double taxation. In 1891, in the Senate, he was appointed to the committees on judiciary and constitutional amendments (chairman). Chairman of Senate judiciary committee and of joint special committee on public reservations, and member of committees on probate and insolvency and bills in their third reading, 1892.

Vote of district: B. Marvin Fernald, Republican, 5,484; Waldo E. Cowdrey, Democrat, 3,209; Ammi Cutter, Prohibition, 521.

Seventh District. — Lowell. — Hon. John Edward Drury, Democrat, plumber, of Lowell, was born in Boston, May 11, 1852, and attended the public schools of the city in which he now lives. He has been a member of the common council and alderman in Lowell, two terms each. As a Senator, in 1891, he served on the committee on engrossed bills (chairman), drainage and public charitable institutions. Chairman of committee on public service and member of committee on drainage, 1892.

Vote of district: John E Drury, Democrat, 5,207; George A. Scribner, Republican, 4,710; John McAskie, Prohibition, 252.

NORFOLK COUNTY.

First District. — Braintree, Canton, Holbrook, Hyde Park, Milton, Quincy, Randolph and Weymouth. — Hon. William N. Eaton, Democrat, of Quincy, is an ice dealer. He is a native of that city; was born Dec. 29, 1845, and was educated in its public schools. He served as selectman of the town of Quincy and as paymaster, and was a member of the House for two years. In the 1891 Senate his committee appointments were prisons and towns (chairman). Chairman of committee on prisons, also on committee on drainage, 1892.

Vote of district: William N. Eaton, Democrat, 4,584; Ferdinand A. Wyman, Republican, 4,365; Jacob F. Dizer, Prohibition, 312.

Second District. — Avon, Bellingham, Brookline, Dedham, Dover, Foxborough, Franklin, Medfield, Medway, Mills, Needham, Norfolk, Norwood, Sharon, Stoughton, Walpole, Wellesley and Wrentham. — Hon. William Francis Ray, Republican, of Franklin, is a woolen manufacturer. He was born in that town March 2, 1854, and was educated in the public schools, Dean Academy and Brown University. He has been school committee man and selectman, and was a member of the House in 1885 and 1887, with appointments on the committees on public service, manufactures and the child labor commission. Chairman of committee on constitutional amendments and member of committee on railroads, 1892.

Vote of district: William F. Ray, Republican, 4,376; Clement K. Fay, Democrat, 3,868; Charles E. Miles, Prohibition, 337.

PLYMOUTH COUNTY.

First District. — Abington, Cohasset (Norfolk County), Duxbury, Hanover, Hanson, Hingham, Hull, Kingston, Marshfield, Pembroke, Plymouth, Plympton, Rockland, Scituate, South Scituate and Whitman. — Hon. Francis P. Arnold, Republican, of North Pembroke, is a shoe manufacturer. He was born in Abington, Feb. 21, 1836, and was educated in the public schools of that town and Pembroke. A member of the House in 1871, he served on the committee on Troy & Greenfield Railroad and Hoosac Tunnel.
COMMITTEE ON COUNTY ESTIMATES.

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S. P. RICHMOND,
C. E. HARRIS,
D. McCARTHY,
P. F. BROGAN.

COMMITTEE ON LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

E. M. LOW, Chairman,
F. Connolly,
J. F. SUNDBERG.
Chairman of committee on woman suffrage and member of committees on agriculture and street railways, 1892.

Vote of district: Francis P. Arnold, Republican, 3,750; Thomas Alden, Democrat, 3,183; Greenleaf Kilbrith, Prohibition, 193.

Second District. — Bridgewater, Brockton, Carver, East Bridgewater, Halifax, Lakeville, Marion, Mattapoisett, Middleborough, Rochester, Wareham and West Bridgewater. — Hon. Isaac Newton Nutter, Republican, of East Bridgewater, is treasurer of the East Bridgewater Savings Bank. He was born in that town, June 23, 1836, and was educated in the local schools and academy. He was town clerk, and (except during two years) has been town treasurer since 1863. He was a member of the House in 1875 and 1876, with service on the committees on liquor law, state police and salaries and expenditures, and of the Senate in 1891, with service on the committees on banks and banking (chairman) and insurance. Chairman of committee on banks and banking and member of committees of education and public charitable institutions, 1892.

Vote of district: Isaac N. Nutter, Republican, 4,185; Edward E. Herrod, Democrat, 3,097; Albert T. Shurtleff, Prohibition, 287.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

First District. — Chelsea, Revere, Winthrop, and Ward 1 of Boston. — Hon. Arthur B. Champlin, Republican, of Chelsea, is the publisher of the "Chelsea Gazette." He was born in that city, Feb. 7, 1858, and received his education in its public schools. He sat in the common council from 1881 to 1886, inclusive, serving the last two terms as president, and then went to the House for two years, being placed on the committees on street railways in 1887 and towns in 1888. He was mayor of Chelsea in 1889 and 1890, and has been chairman of the school committee and a trustee of the public library. In 1891 he was a member of the Senate, serving on the committees on liquor law (chairman), public charitable institutions and public service. Chairman of committees on the liquor law and taxation, and member of committee on constitutional amendments and of joint special committee to represent the state at the opening of the World's Fair, 1892.

Vote of district: Arthur B. Champlin, Republican, 3,909; John F. Low, Democrat, 3,254; Seth Weston, Prohibition, 404.

Second District. — Wards 3, 4 and 5 of Boston. — Hon. John Reade, Democrat, of Boston, is an auctioneer and real estate agent, living at No. 189 Main Street, Charlestown. He was born Dec. 1, 1826, in Ireland, and attended the schools of his native country. During the war he served as lieutenant in the Forty-eighth and captain in the Fifty-seventh Massachusetts Volunteers. Captured at the blowing up of the mine at Petersburg, Va., on the 30th of July, 1864, was held a prisoner in Columbia, S. C., for seven months and ten days; then paroled when Sherman was about to capture Columbia. He was a member of the House for three years, beginning with 1881, and was assigned to the committees on street railways and parishes and religious societies. In the Senate of 1891 he served on the committees on State House (chairman), parishes and religious societies and public health. Chairman of committee on State House and member of committees on liquor law and public charitable institutions, 1892.

Vote of district: John Reade, Democrat, 3,139; William H. Preble, Republican, 2,827; Waldo E. Mace, Prohibition, 188.

Third District. — Wards 6, 7 and 8 of Boston and Ward 3 of Cambridge. — Hon. John W. Coveney, Independent Democrat, undertaker, of Cambridge, was born in that city, April 10, 1845, and attended its public schools. He was a member of the Cambridge city government in 1886 and 1887, and for three years, ending in 1890, sat
COMMITTEE ON DRAINAGE.

J. E. DRURY,
H. G. LANE, House Chairman,
E. S. DODGE,

W. N. EATON,
W. P. CLARK, Chairman,
E. S. DOLE,

E. M. LOW,
D. F. BREEN,

C. H. HALE.
G. C. FISKE, Clerk.
T. A. QUINN.
in the lower branch of the Legislature, with appointment to the committees on towns and railroads. In the Senate of 1891 he was appointed to the committees on library (chairman) and railroads. Chairman of committee on library, and member of committees on mercantile affairs and military affairs, 1892.

Vote of district: John W. Coveney, Democrat Independent, 1,911; George F. McGahey, Republican, Democrat, 1,722; Daniel McLaughlin, Democrat Independent, 1,507; Hammond T. Fletcher, Republican Independent, 300.

Fourth District.—Wards 2, 12 and 16 of Boston. — Hon. Patrick J. Kennedy, Democrat, trader, is a native resident of East Boston, and lives now at No. 151 Meridian Street. He was born Jan. 8, 1858, and was educated at the Lyman school. Chairman of Democratic ward committee for five years; member of Democratic State central committee; alternate delegate to the National Democratic Convention at St. Louis, 1888; vice-president of Democratic city committee; president of the Excelsior Investment Company of East Boston. A member of the House in 1886, 1887, 1888, 1889 and 1890, he has served on the committees on printing, cities, harbors and public lands and street railways. On committees on State House and street railways, 1892.

Vote of district: Patrick J. Kennedy, Democrat, 3,422; George H. Prince, Republican, 1,234; Oliver Elliot, Prohibition, 142.

Fifth District — Wards 9, 10 and 11 of Boston. — Hon. Henry Parkman, Republican, is a lawyer, and lives at No. 56 Chestnut Street, Boston. He was born in that city May 23, 1850, and was educated at private schools and at Harvard College. From 1879 to 1884, inclusive, he was a member of the common council, and in 1886, 1887 and 1888 of the House, with appointments in the latter to the committees on rules, labor, bills in the third reading, cities, street railways and constitutional amendments. He has been president and secretary of the Republican city committee. Chairman of committee on cities and on committee on election laws, 1892.

Vote of district: Henry Parkman, Republican, 3,557; John C. Soley, Democrat, 2,209; James M. Marden, Prohibition, 185.

Sixth District. — Wards 13, 14 and 15 of Boston. — Hon. William S. McNary, Democrat, was born in North Abington, March 29, 1863; was educated in the public schools of Abington and Boston, being a graduate of the English high school of Boston. He has been managing editor of the “Boston Commercial Bulletin,” and is now half-owner and editor of the “Boston Sunday Democrat.” Was a member of the Boston common council in 1886 and 1887, and has been a lieutenant of Company B, Ninth Infantry, M. V. M. Is serving his second term as vice-president of the Democratic city committee. Was in the House in 1889 and 1890, serving on the committees on military affairs and railroads; was in the Senate of 1891, chairman of the committee on cities and also on committees on taxation, administrative boards and commissions and on the congressional redistricting. In 1892, chairman of committee on printing, and also on committees on rules, cities and rapid transit, special committee on revising judicial system (vice McDonald, resigned).


Seventh District. — Wards 17, 18 and 20 of Boston — Hon. Michael J. McCutrick, Democrat, lives at No. 449 Dudley Street, Roxbury. He was born in Boston, June 22, 1846, and attended the public schools and the Roxbury Latin school, receiving also a scientific and medical education. He has been a member of the House for the last seven years, serving on the committees on roads and bridges, finance, expenditures, education, liquor law, woman suffrage, constitutional amendments and labor (chairman), and on the committee on child labor in 1888, when he was the author of the famous minority
COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION.

JOHN READ, I. N. NUTTER, A. H. GARDNER, G. S. BALL.
W. E. PARKHURST, House Chairman, E. S. STEVENS, Chairman, G. C. HOWARD, Clerk.
T. E. St. JOHN, A. S. ROE, W. L. MOONEY, F. C. BOURNE.
report of this committee, which attracted wide attention, and did much to straighten out the educational controversy. He was a member of the special committee on municipal laws, which was appointed in the last days of the Legislature of 1891 to sit during the recess. In 1884 he was an assistant assessor. Formerly, he practised civil engineering, but for fifteen years he has been engaged in literary work. He was formerly an athlete of national reputation, especially as a long-distance pedestrian. In 1865 he served in the United States regular army. In 1891 he was chairman of the Democratic members of the House, and his skill as an organizer and leader was shown by the unusually large votes always given by his fellow Democrats for measures on which the party question was raised. In 1892 he was a member of the committees on election laws, administrative boards and commissions and woman suffrage.

Vote of district: Michael J. McEttrick, Democrat, 4,485; Arthur F. Means, Republican, 3,254; Louis S. Burbank, Prohibition, 222.

Eighth District. — Wards 19, 22 and 25 of Boston. — Hon. William H. Carberry, Democrat, is a native of Roxbury. He resides on Parker Hill, and is a dealer in iron castings. He was born Feb. 22, 1849; attended and graduated from the Boston public schools. In the House of 1878, 1879 and 1880 he served on the committees on rules, federal relations and street railways. In the Senate of 1880 he was on committees on drainage and fisheries and game. In 1892, on banks and banking, roads and bridges, and was chairman of the committee on engrossed bills.


Ninth District. — Wards 21, 23 and 24 of Boston. — Hon. William Henry West, Republican, merchant, lives on Wood Street, Neponset. He was born in Milton, Jan. 27, 1850, and received his education at the Bridgewater Normal School. From 1871 to 1874 he was a member of the Boston common council. A member of the Senate in 1891, he was appointed to the committees on banks and banking and cities, and in 1892 was chairman of the joint special committee on rapid transit, member of committees on harbors and public lands, labor, and special committee on the Osborne investigation.

Vote of district: William H. West, Republican, 5,747; Winthrop M. Merrill, Democrat, 4,931; John W. Field, Prohibition, 491.

Worcester County.

First District. — Wards 1, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of Worcester. — Hon. John R. Thayer, Democrat, lawyer, of Worcester, was born March 9, 1845, in Dougals, and was educated at Nichols Academy and Yale College. He has been a trustee of Nichols Academy for eleven years and a member of its examining board for nine years. He has been a member of both branches of the Worcester city council, a trustee of the city hospital, and colonel and judge-advocate of the Worcester Continentals. He sat in the House in 1880 and 1882, with appointment to the committees on judiciary and constitutional amendments, and in the Senate of 1891, with appointment to the committees on judiciary and public service (chairman), as well as to the special committee to report on the Torrens system for recording titles to real estate. Chairman of committee on towns, also member of committees on the judiciary, bills in the third reading and rules, 1892.

Vote of district: John R. Thayer, Democrat, 4,654; David Manning, Republican, 4,633; John A. Sherman, Prohibition, 313.

Second District. — Berlin, Blackstone, Bolton, Boylston, Clinton, Grafton. Harvard, Hopedale, Mendon, Milford, Northborough, Northbridge, Shrewsbury, Southborough, Upton, Uxbridge and Westborough. — Hon. George King Nichols, merchant (firm of Harring-
COMMITTEE ON ELECTIONS.
S. L. Sawyer, Chairman,
J. B. Sargent,
F. N. Weir,
J. F. Sundberg,
N. E. Whitcomb,
D. W. Battles,
J. J. Casey.

COMMITTEE ON BILLS IN THIRD READING.
G. F. Tucker, Chairman,
R. G. Kilduff,
W. J. Dolan.
ton & Nichols from 1860 to 1877, Geo. K. Nichols to 1883, since then Geo. K. Nichols & Son), was born April 10, 1827, in Sherbrooke, P. Q., of American parents, and was educated at the local schools, Master Price's select school at "Manchester-by-the-Sea," Leicester Academy and University of Pennsylvania; graduated 1855, receiving a diploma as M.D. Trustee of Grafton Savings Bank from its organization in 1869, and president since 1886. Director of Grafton National Bank from 1871, and its president since 1882; held various town offices; member of the House 1869, serving on committee on prisons, In 1892, chairman of committee on public health, and on committee on water supply. Vote of district: George K. Nichols, Republican, 4,037; George P. Cooke, Democrat, 4,006; Melvin H. Walker, Prohibition, 430.

Third District. — Auburn, Brookfield, Charlton, Douglas, Dudley, Leicester, Milbury, North Brookfield, Oxford, Paxton, Southbridge, Spencer, Sturbridge, Sutton, Warren, Webster and West Brookfield. — Hon. Eben S. Stevens, Democrat, is a resident of Dudley, where he was born in 1846. He is a manufacturer, and descended from a family of manufacturers. Has served in the various town offices at different times. Chairman of the committee on education, and member of committees on treasury, expenditures and taxation, 1892.

Vote of district: Eben S. Stevens, Democrat, 4,222; Calvin D. Paige, Republican, 4,071; Gilbert E. Manley, Prohibition, 320.

COMPOSITE DISTRICTS.

Berkshire District. — Adams, Cheshire, Clarksburg, Dalton, Florida, Hancock, Hinsdale, Lanesborough, Lenox, New Ashford, North Adams, Peru, Pittsfield, Richmond, Savoy, Washington, Williamstown and Windsor. — Hon. Stephen A. Hickox, Republican, farmer, of Williamstown, is a native of that place; was born May 20, 1839, and attended its schools. He has been selectman and a member of the State Board of Agriculture. When he became of age he practically assumed entire charge of his father's farm, and in time became possessor of it, purchasing it of his father, who removed to the West. Mr. Hickox went to work energetically to improve it, and has succeeded so as to increase its productive capacity more than five-fold, and on the farm is one of the finest herds of Jersey cattle in the state. In 1891 he was in the House, serving on the committee on agriculture, and being particularly zealous for all legislation favoring the farmers. In 1892, chairman of the committee on agriculture and on committee on towns.

Vote of district: Stephen A. Hickox, Republican, 4,038; Peter J. McDonald, Democrat, 3,871; John H. Smith, Prohibition, 349.

Berkshire and Hampshire. — Alford, Becket, Egremont, Great Barrington, Lee, Monterey, Mount Washington, New Marlborough, Otis, Sandisfield, Sheffield, Stockbridge, Tyringham and West Stockbridge, in the county of Berkshire; Chesterfield, Cummington, Easthampton, Gosnold, Hatfield, Huntington, Middlefield, Northampton, Plainfield, Southampton, Westhampton, Williamsburg and Worthington, in the county of Hampshire; and Blandford, Chester and Russell, in the county of Hampden. — Hon. Henry A. Kimball, Democrat, coal merchant, of Northampton, was born in Windham, Conn., May 3, 1842, and received a public school education. He has held various town offices; was Democratic candidate for mayor in 1887, and is at present one of the water commissioners, trustee of the Hampshire Savings Bank and director in the Hampshire National Bank. Is also director in the Boston Cash Register Company and in the Northampton Electric Light Company. He was a member of the Connecticut House in 1869, serving on the committee on prisons, and sat in the Massachusetts House in 1888, 1889 and 1890, with place on the committees on finance and railroads. As a member of the Senate in 1891 he served on the committees on railroads and woman suffrage (chairman). Chairman
COMMITTEE ON ELECTION LAWS.

M. J. McETTRICK, H. PARKMAN, C. S. SPRAGUE, O. NICKERSON.
S. W. McCALL, House Chairman, S. P. SMITH, Chairman, G. R. R. RIVERS, Clerk.
C. S. KOHLRAUSCH, Jr., M. M. MERRITT, W. H. HART, L. HEALY.
of committee on parishes and religious societies, and member of committees on public reservations (joint special) and railroads, in 1892.

Vote of district: Henry A. Kimball, Democrat, 4,136; Schuyler Clark, Republican, 3,427; Benjamin S. Johnson, Prohibition, 529.

Cape District. — Barnstable, Bourne, Brewster, Chatham, Dennis, Eastham, Falmouth, Harwich, Mashpee, Orleans, Provincetown, Sandwich, Truro, Wellfleet and Yarmouth, in the county of Barnstable; Chilmark, Cottage City, Edgartown, Gay Head, Gosnold and Tisbury, in the county of Dukes County, and Nantucket. — Hon. John Simpkins, Republican, farmer, of Yarmouth, was born in New Bedford, June 27, 1862, and received his education at St Mark's school, Southborough, and Harvard University. In the Senate of 1891 he was a member of the committees on education, harbors and public lands (chairman) and towns. In the Senate of 1892 he was on committees on harbors and public lands (chairman) and bills in the third reading.

Vote of district: John Simpkins, Republican, 3,297; Lewis B. Tracey, Democrat, 1,091; Cyrus A. Bradley, Prohibition, 350.

Franklin District. — Ashfield, Bernardston, Buckland, Charlemont, Colrain, Conway, Deerfield, Erving, Gill, Greenfield, Hawley, Heath, Leverett, Leyden, Monroe, Montague, New Salem, Northfield, Orange, Rowe, Shelburne, Shutesbury, Sunderland, Warwick, Wendell and Whately, in the county of Franklin; and Ashburnham, Royalston and Winchendon, in the county of Worcester. — Hon. Wilder P. Clark, Republican, of Winchendon, is a manufacturer of wooden ware and supplies. He was born Oct. 12, 1832, in Chesterfield, N. H., and attended the local schools and academy. Since 1873 has been a trustee and one of the board of investment of the Winchendon Savings Bank. Was a director of the Safety Fund National Bank of Fitchburg for six years, but resigned the position when elected to the Senate. Is a director in the Wachusett Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Fitchburg. He was a member of the House in 1877, 1879 and 1883, his committee assignments being insurance and finance, and of the Senate in 1891, his committee assignments being expenditures, drainage and printing (chairman). Chairman of committee on drainage and member of committees on treasury, expenditures and manufactures, 1892.

Vote of district: Wilder P. Clark, Republican, 3,835; Rollin C. Ward, Democrat, 2,699; Edwin Hitchcock, Prohibition, 604.

Worcester and Hampshire District. — Athol, Barre, Dana, Gardner, Hadley, Hubbardston, New Braintree, Oakham, Petersham, Phillipston, Rutland and Templeton, in the county of Worcester; and Amherst, Belchertown, Enfield, Granby, Greenwich, Hadley, Pelham, Prescott, South Hadley and Ware, in the county of Hampshire. — Hon. Sidney P. Smith, Republican, lawyer, of Athol, was born July 13, 1850, in Princeton, Ill., and educated in the local schools, Amherst College and the Union College of Law, Chicago. He has been special justice of the first district court of northern Worcester. He sat in the House in 1887 and 1888, with place on the committees on judiciary and rules, and in the Senate of 1891, with place on the committees on judiciary, bills in the third reading and election laws (chairman). Chairman of committee on election laws and member of committees on judiciary, probate and insolvency and rules, 1892.

Vote of district: Sidney P. Smith, Republican, 3,708; Lysander Thurston, Democrat, 2,764; Charles G. Allen, Prohibition, 580.

THE CHAPLAIN AND CLERKS.

Rev. Edmund Dowse, the chaplain, was born in Sherborn, Mass., Sept. 17, 1813; graduated at Amherst College in 1836; was ordained and installed pastor of Pilgrim Church in Sherborn, his native town, in 1838, and is still the only acting pastor. Was
COMMITTEE ON EXPENDITURES.

W. P. CLARK,
E. S. STEVENS,
R. G. BARTLETT,
J. J. CROWLEY.
M. E. RIDEOUT, House Chairman,
B. F. SOUTHWICK, Chairman,
H. C. SPARHAWK, Clerk
W. P. BUCKLEY,
R. B. JENKINS,
C. F. SHUTE,
WARREN HOYT.
a member of the Massachusetts Senate in 1869 and 1870; was chosen chaplain of the Senate in 1880, and has been re-elected each succeeding year, up to the present time.

Henry D. Coolidge of Concord, the clerk, was born in Chelsea, Aug. 26, 1858; was educated in the public schools; spent several years in mercantile business. Upon the death of the venerable Hon. Stephen N. Gifford, clerk of the Senate, in May, 1886, and the election of his assistant, E. H. Clapp, as his successor, Mr. Coolidge was appointed by the latter as his assistant. He held this position in 1887 and 1888, and was unanimously elected clerk in 1889, Mr. Clapp having removed from the state. He has been unanimously re-elected each year since.

William H. Sanger, assistant clerk, was born in Louisville, Ky., March 12, 1862, his parents removing to Boston in 1866. Attended the public schools of Boston and Hyde Park, graduating from the high school of the latter in 1880. After graduation did "suburban" and "city" work for the "Boston Journal" until 1889, when he was appointed to his present position. Resigning his connection with the "Journal" in 1888, took charge of the New England correspondence of the "New York Sun," and still holds that position.

Herbert E. Stevens, clerical assistant, was born in Brockton, July 27, 1870. He graduated from the public schools of his native place, and entered the newspaper profession. He was appointed Senate page in 1888 and 1889, and has held his present position in 1890, 1891 and 1892.

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

THE SPEAKER.

Hon. William E. Barrett, for the last four years speaker of the House, was born in Melrose, Dec. 29, 1838. This town constitutes the eleventh Middlesex district, which Mr. Barrett represents. His ancestors on both sides have long been residents of Middlesex County. He received his education in the public schools and at Dartmouth College, where he graduated in 1880, having by teaching and other occupations done much towards supporting himself through his college course. Immediately on leaving college he began the study of law, but gave it up to make a life work of journalism, in which he has been constantly engaged for the past twelve years,—two years in St. Albans, Vt., and the last ten years in Boston, where he began as a reporter on the "Advertiser" and has been connected with the paper ever since, rising through the different grades of reporter, Washington correspondent, managing editor and publisher, until he is now the chief owner of the "Advertiser" and the "Evening Record," both of which have become very prosperous under his direction. Politically Mr. Barrett has always been Republican. Born and brought up in that faith, he was first elected to office in 1887, when he was sent to the Legislature from his native town, and has been returned annually since, having served as speaker of the House every year except the first. This has taken him to some extent out of the active work of the floor, but his influence has always been felt in the interest of legislation designed to benefit the people. During the last two Legislatures he has been instrumental in securing to towns and cities the right to manufacture and sell gas and electricity and also espoused the adoption of the principle in the charter of private water companies that they should be purchasable by the public at any time at a fair compensation for the money invested. His elections as speaker have always been with practical unanimity,—the last year he received every vote in the House. He is particularly a man of the people, having been from the beginning largely dependent on his own efforts, and rising in the face of oppo-
COMMITTEE ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

G. D. GILMAN,
W. G. BAKER, House Chairman,
T. D HEVEY.

M. J. FERREN,
B. F. SOUTHWICK, Chairman,
G. A. GALLOUPE,

R. E. BURBANK.
S. J. BROWN, Clerk,
J. O. FALLON.
sition and difficulty which would have daunted a less courageous man. He is now but thirty-three years of age, and has had a remarkably successful and noticeable career.

Vote of district: William E. Barrett, Republican, 916; Harry Dutton, Democrat, 672.

BARNSTABLE COUNTY.

District No. 1 — Falmouth, Bourne, Sandwich, Barnstable, Yarmouth and Dennis. — Elkanah Crowell, Republican, of West Yarmouth, is a master mariner. He was born in Yarmouth, Feb. 2, 1829, and was educated in its public schools. Started to sea in 1846, when seventeen years of age. In June, 1856, took charge of the ship "Boston Light," in the Pacific, East India and China trade. In 1860 returned to New York. Took charge of ship "Fair Wind," which he commanded until 1865. In 1866 made a voyage to China in ship "Galatea," and in 1868 made a voyage to San Francisco in ship "National Eagle." In 1871 took charge of ship "Carrie Reed," and made continued voyages to India, China and the Pacific until 1876. In 1878 took charge of barque "G. C. Tobey," visiting the Pacific, China, Japan and other Eastern ports. This ship took the first cargo of railroad material to the island of Yesso, Japan, to a port called Otoru, comprising twenty miles railroad material, engines, locomotives, etc. She was the first American vessel ever entering that port. In 1883 took command of steamer "George S. Homer," and made a voyage to the Pacific, returning to New York in 1884. Retired from sea after thirty-eight years of active sea life, having filled from the humblest to the highest position. Committee on prisons, 1892.

Charles Henry Nye, Republican, of Hyannis, was born in Falmouth, Dec. 9, 1821, and was educated on the farm and in the common district school. Three years at a trade in Boston, and seventeen years connected with a foundry in Pocasset. Thirty-five years a railroad employee, and still connected with same road. Committee on harbors and public lands, 1892.

Vote of district: Lewis P. Atwood, Prohibition, 108; Nehemiah P. Baker, Prohibition, 92; Elkanah Crowell, Republican, 1,012; Thomas C. Day, Democrat, 769; Charles H. Nye, Republican, 597; George E. White, Republican Independent Nomination Paper, Democrat, 813.

District No. 2. — Harwich, Chatham, Brewster, Orleans. — Osborn Nickerson, Republican, of Chathamport, was born in Chatham, May 25, 1846, and attended the public school there. He is postmaster, railroad director and trustee of the Chatham real estate trust. He has been a member of the school committee. Committees on engrossed bills and election laws, 1892.

Vote of district: Alvin Z Atkins, Democrat, 110; Walter S. H. Eldridge, Republican Independent Nomination Paper, 332; Osborn Nickerson, Republican, 533; Benjamin F. Sears, Prohibition, 38.

District No. 3. — Eastham, Wellfleet, Truro, Provincetown. — Robert B. Jenkins, Republican, inspector of fish, of Wellfleet, was born in that town, Sept. 16, 1837, and attended the local schools. In the House of 1891 he served on the committee on towns. In 1892, on the committees on finance and expenditures.

Vote of district: Robert B. Jenkins, Republican, 511; Robert D. Baxter, Democrat, 245.

BERKSHIRE COUNTY.

District No. 1. — New Ashford, Williamstown, North Adams. Florida, Clarksburg. — William W. Gallup, Democrat, of Clarksburg, was born in Dalton, Jan. 29, 1824, and was educated in Berkshire county towns and in Little Falls, N. Y. He is a farmer, and has held town offices. Committee on agriculture, 1892.

Gilbert L. Jewett, Republican, of North Adams, is a shoe cutter. He was born in Deerfield, Dec. 22, 1839, and was educated in the common schools. He enlisted Feb.
COMMITTEE ON FISHERIES AND GAME.

WM. PROVIN,
U. E. MAYHEW, House Chairman,
J. E. ALLEN,

SYLVANUS SMITH,
L. DAME, Chairman,
H. W. BARROWS,

E. B. ATWOOD,
M. CARROLL, Clerk,
D. P. TOOMEY.
9, 1864, in the Twenty-first Massachusetts Infantry, was in nine battles, and was captured on the Weldon railroad, Aug. 9, 1864. He was taken as prisoner to Libby Prison and to Belle Isle, and while a prisoner was transferred to the Thirty-sixth Massachusetts Infantry. Is now commander of Charles D. Sanford Post, No. 79, G. A. R. Committee on military affairs, 1892.

Vote of district: John Brookman, Prohibition, 114; William W. Gallup, Democrat, 1,135; John C. Goodrich, Prohibition, 155; Gilbert L. Jewett, Republican, 1,294; Edward A. McMillian, Republican, 1,127; Clarence M. Smith, Democrat, 1,045.

District No. 2. — Adams, Cheshire and Savoy — Franklin C. Bourne of Savoy, Democrat, book-keeper for three years and a teacher for twenty-five years. Since that he has been a farmer. He was born in the town where he now lives, Nov. 3, 1827, and was educated in the public schools and under the direction of his father. He has been a member of the school committee for twenty-five years, and for the last seven years has been chairman of the boards of selectmen and assessors. Committee on education, 1892.

Vote of district: Franklin C. Bourne, Democrat, 511; Almiron J. McCulloch, Republican, 463; Daniel Upton, Prohibition, 171.

District No. 3. — Hancock, Lanesborough, Lenox, Windsor, Peru, Hinsdale, Washington and Richmond. — Edgar Elijah Jordan, Republican, farmer, of East Windsor, was born in Cummington, Oct. 4, 1844, and was educated in Windsor. He has been selectman and assessor. Committee on towns, 1892.

Vote of district: Edgar E. Jordan, Republican, 590; William Mahanna, Democrat, 473; Daniel Clark Warner, Prohibition, 70.

District No. 4. — Pittsfield and Dalton. — Franklin F. Read, Republican, of Pittsfield, is in the real estate and insurance business, and also an ice dealer. For twenty-one years he was a retail grocer. He was born June 14, 1827, in Windsor, and educated in the public schools. He has been selectman one year, assessor six years and collector six years. In the House of 1891 and 1892 he served on the committee on banks and banking.

Roland E. Burbank, Republican, of Pittsfield, is a hotel manager and engaged in real estate business. He was born in that city, June 1, 1852, and was educated at the Highland Military Academy of Worcester. Committees on federal relations and printing, 1892.

Vote of district: Roland E. Burbank, Republican, 1,582; John H. Devine, People’s Party, 125; Charles W. French, Democrat, 1,418; Irving M. Miller, People’s Party, 117; John K. Moulton, Democrat, 1,311; Normau Noble, Prohibition, 127; Franklin F. Read, Republican, 1,443; Charles O. Toole, Prohibition, 138.

District No. 5. — Stockbridge, Lee, Becket. — Anson Buck of Stockbridge, Democrat, is a farmer, a native resident of Stockbridge, and was born May 3, 1839. He attended the public schools and Williams Academy. He was assessor of taxes for three years and chairman of the Democratic town committee for ten years. Committee on agriculture, 1892.

Vote of district: Anson Buck, Democrat, 527; Franklin A. Palmer, Prohibition, 113; Robert C. Stetson, Republican, 460.

District No. 6. — West Stockbridge, Alford, Egremont, Great Barrington. — John N. Easland, Democrat, of Great Barrington, was born in South Egremont, March 13, 1855, and was educated in the town in which he now lives. He is a carriage manufacturer. Committee on labor, 1892.

Vote of district: Frank H. Briggs, Republican, 583; John N. Easland, Democrat, 727; Alfred Large, Prohibition, 53.
W. H. West,  
J. L. Austin, House Chairman,  
L. M. Brock,  

T. J. Keliher,  
John Simpkins, Chairman,  
J. L. Lougee,  

C. H. Nye,  
C. H. Holmes, Clerk,  
George Fall.
District No. 7. — Monterey, Otis, Sandisfield, New Marlborough, Sheffield, Mount Washington, Tyringham.—CHARLES H. HALE, Republican, is a native resident of Tyringham and was educated there and at New Marlborough Institute. He was born Jan. 11, 1851. He is an insurance agent and farmer, and has been deputy sheriff, chairman of the boards of selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor, a member of the school committee and justice of the peace. Committee on drainage, 1892.

Vote of district: Nathan Cannon, Democrat, 419; Charles H. Hale, Republican, 525.

BRISTOL COUNTY.

District No. 1. — Attleborough, Norton, Seekonk, North Attleborough.—EVERETT SOUTHWORTH HORTON of Attleborough was born in that town, June 16, 1836, and says, "Every drop of blood in my veins is Republican." Is engaged in the manufacture of jewelry, although his youth was spent on his father's farm and store. Enlisted and was commissioned as second lieutenant of Company C, Forty-seventh Massachusetts, Sept. 12, 1862, for a term of nine months. Assigned to General Banks' gulf department, reached New Orleans in December, and his regiment was detailed to First Brigade, Second Division, Nineteenth Army Corps. Commissioned as captain Feb. 2, 1863, holding that position until the regiment was mustered out, when he returned home for four weeks. Enlisted again for three years, Nov. 14, 1863, being again commissioned second lieutenant and recruiting officer for the Fifty-eighth Regiment; and on Feb. 10, 1864, was commissioned captain of Company C of that regiment. Was in thickest of the battles of Wilderness, Spottsylvania, Tolopamoy, Gaines' Mills, Cold Harbor, Petersburg, Weldon Railroad, Poplar Spring, Church and White Plains. On Aug. 8, 1864, was promoted to be major, and mustered into that office on the 25th. Six days later he was commissioned lieutenant-colonel, but before he was mustered in was captured, September 30, and sent to Libby Prison. After five days here was removed to Salisbury, N. C., thence to Danville, thence to Libby Prison again, as hostage Feb. 22, 1865, whence he was paroled and declared exchanged by order war department, March, 1865. After a month's leave of absence was again at the head of his column at Peters burg, Va., April 7. Reached Alexandria June 10, 1865, and served as inspector of Second Division, Ninth Army Corps, until mustered out, as major, at Readville, Mass., July 24, 1865. Was charter member of William A. Streeter Post, 145, G. A. R., 1871, and commander of post four terms, 1872, 1873, 1881 and 1892; a trustee of its charity funds; delegate to national encampment at San Francisco and Columbus, O., Detroit, Mich., 1891, and Washington, D. C., 1892. Member of the Massachusetts Commandery, Military Order Loyal Legion of the United States, and past vice-president of the Rhode Island United States Veteran Association. President of Attleborough free public library and of trustees of Richardson school fund, and of the Republican club of two hundred and thirty-five members; thirty-second degree Mason, and member of many other secret societies. Member of the House in 1891, and on committee on public charitable institutions. Member of committee on railroads, 1892.

ANDREW H. SWEET, Republican, box manufacturer, of Norton, was born in that town, Oct. 2, 1845, and was educated at local, public and private schools. Mr. Sweet has one of the largest plants for the manufacture of above goods in the state, and has a branch factory for the manufacturing of paper boxes in Providence, R. I. He was for many years interested in the match business with Austin Messinger, Esq., of Norton, Mass., as Messinger & Sweet, also with the Diamond Match Company, successors to Messinger & Sweet. He has been selectman, overseer of the poor and school committee man. In the House of 1878 he served on the committee on county estimates. Committee on roads and bridges, 1892.

Vote of district: Fred A. Bradley, Prohibition, 112; Everett S. Horton, Republican, 1,069; George A. Sweeney, Democrat, 664; Andrew H. Sweet, Republican, 907; Orrin E. Walker, Democrat, 560; Lemuel C. Wetherell, Prohibition, 80.
COMMITTEE ON INSURANCE.

B. F. SOUTHWICK, J. J. GILES, R. F. BARRETT,
D. CHESTER, House Chairman, W. M. PROVIN, Chairman,
W. P. BUCKLEY, C. A. KELLY,
C. H. BRYANT.
District No. 2. — Mansfield, Easton and Raynham. — Stephen R. Lincoln of Raynham, Republican, is a blacksmith by trade. Born at Taunton, Feb. 1, 1845, and attended school in Raynham and Norton. He has been chairman of the board of assessors and is chairman of the board of selectmen. Since 1879 he has been deputy sheriff, and he is court officer at each superior criminal term at Taunton. Committee on prisons, 1892.

Vote of district: Soranus W. Hall, Democrat, 534; Stephen R. Lincoln, Republican, 708.

District No. 3. — Taunton and Berkley. — George A. Crane, Republican, of Taunton, was born at Taunton, June 4, 1837, and received his education in the Taunton common schools. Has been a member of the Taunton common council, and served nine months in the Fourth Massachusetts Regiment. In 1892, on committee on agriculture.

George Pierce Cutler, Republican, of Taunton, was born at Lowell, Dec. 5, 1828, and received his education in a printing office and in contact with the business world. He is a merchant, florist, and dealer in newspapers and periodicals. In 1892, on committees on liquor law and the State House.

James Lewis Austin, Republican, insurance agent, of Taunton, is a native of that city; was born March 19, 1851, attended the public schools, and read law for a year and a half. In the House of 1891 he served on the committee on harbors and public lands, and was House chairman of same committee in 1892.

Vote of district: J. Lewis Austin, Republican, 1,827; Daniel Carey, Democrat, 1,622; George A. Crane, Republican, 1,784; George P. Cutler, Republican, 1,645; Albert Fuller, Democrat, 1,546; Howard A. L. King, Prohibition, 126; Augustus W. Kingsley, Prohibition, 120; James E. Maynadier, Democrat, 1,439; John W. Willet, Prohibition, 19.

District No. 4. — Fairhaven, Acushnet, Freetown. — Silas P. Richmond, Republican, magistrate, of Freetown, was born in that place June 19, 1831, and was educated at Pierce Academy, Middleborough. He has been town clerk, selectman, assessor, school committee man and auditor. He was colonel of the Third Massachusetts Volunteers, and has been president of the Bristol County Agricultural Society. Attended Republican national convention at Minneapolis, June, 1892, as an alternate delegate from thirteenth Massachusetts district. House chairman committee on taxation and on committee on county estimates in 1892.

Vote of district: William M. Carnoe, Democrat, 145; Silas P. Richmond, Republican, 470.

District No. 5. — Wards 1, 2 and 3 of New Bedford. — Benjamin Butler Barney, Democrat, lawyer, is a native resident of New Bedford. He was born Jan. 25, 1868. He is a graduate of the local high school and of Boston University Law School. He is the youngest member of the House. House committee on probate and insolvency, committee on libraries, and joint special recess committee on revision of the judicial system, 1892.

Samuel Ross, Republican, cotton-mule spinner, of New Bedford, was born in Cheshire, England, Feb. 2, 1865. Committee on labor, 1892.

Vote of district: Benjamin B. Barney, Democrat, 852; Leonard O. Curtis, Prohibition, 128; John Davis, Democrat, 333; Haile R. Luther, Republican Independent Nomination Paper, 404; Samuel Ross, Republican, 905; Charles F. Shaw, Republican, 803; Alfred G. Studley, Prohibition, 142.

District No. 6. — Wards 4, 5 and 6 of New Bedford. — George Fox Tucker, Republican, lawyer, a native resident of New Bedford, was born Jan. 19, 1852, and is a graduate of Friends' academies in New Bedford and Providence and of Brown
University. He has been a member of the school committee. As a member of the House in 1890 and 1891, his committee assignments have included bills in the third reading (chairman) and rules. He has written several law books and is joint author with John M. Gould of "Notes on the United States Revised Statutes." After prorogation of the Legislature was appointed by Governor Russell as reporter of decisions of the supreme court. In 1892, on committee on rules, chairman of committee on bills in third reading and House chairman of committee on constitutional amendments.

FRANK W. FRANCIS, Democrat, cigar manufacturer and tobacconist, of New Bedford, was born in that city Sept. 16, 1857, and was educated at the public schools. Clerk of committee on county estimates, and on committee on State House, 1892.

Vote of district: Thomas Bliss, Prohibition, 182; Frank W. Francis, Democrat, 869; William Gordon, Jr., Republican, 829; Clarence R Sherman, Prohibition, 167; Wm. H. Sherman, Democrat, 642; George F. Tucker, Republican, 963.

District No. 7.—Westport, Dartmouth. —JAMES EBEN ALLEN, Republican, of Dartmouth, was born in that town Feb. 19, 1841, and was educated at its schools. Farmer; re-elected this year as selectman for three years; has served four years as overseer of the poor, and is now serving as road commissioner. Master of Noquochoke Lodge, Free and Accepted Masons, and a member of the Royal Arch Masons, and of Sutton Commandery of Knight Templars of the city of New Bedford. Committee on fisheries and game, 1892.

Vote of district: James E. Allen, Republican Independent Nomination Paper, 293; Philip A. Cornell, Republican, 234.

District No. 8.—Wards 4, 5 and 6 of Fall River. —FRANCIS CONNOLLY, Democrat, cotton piece-folder, of Fall River, was born March 4, 1849, in the county of Monaghan, Ireland, and was educated in the schools of his native country. Committee on leave of absence, 1892.

EDWARD J. HEFFERNAN, Democrat, of Fall River, weaver, was born in New Bedford, Nov. 4, 1858, and attended the Fall River public schools. In the House of 1891 he served on the committee on woman suffrage. Committee on military affairs, 1892.

P At?RICK B. LUBY, Democrat, barber, of Fall River, was born Oct. 15, 1839, in County Roscommoon, Ireland, and attended the schools of his native country. He served on the committee on public service in the House of 1891. Committee on administrative boards and commissions, 1892.

Vote of district: Francis Connolly, Democrat, 2,358; George Grime, Republican, 1,377; Edward J. Heffernan, Democrat, 2,319; Patrick B. Luby, Democrat, 2,240; David Morrison, Prohibition, 153; William Pearson, Prohibition, 110; Charles F. Ruoff, Prohibition, 103; George Sanders, Republican, 1,251; J. Henry Wells, Republican, 1,260.

District No. 9.—Wards 5, 7, 8 and 9 of Fall River. —P A T R I C H D E L A N E Y, Democrat, printer, of Oak Grove Village, Fall River, was born in Ashton-under-Lyne, England, April 26, 1852, and emigrated to this country in the fall of 1863. He claims he has been working as long as he can remember, and six months' schooling before coming to this country is all he ever had. He commenced to work in one of the Fall River cotton mills early in the year 1864, and continued at such work until 1877, when he started in the printing business, and has continued thereat ever since. In 1885 he was elected a member of the Fall River common council, and in 1891 he was elected a member of the Legislature from this district, receiving the largest vote ever cast for the office, besides being the first Democrat ever elected in the district. Committee on printing, 1892.

MICHAEL FRANCIS SULLIVAN, Democrat, grocer, of Fall River, was born in Wareham, Sept. 21, 1859, and attended the Fall River schools. He was a common councilman in 1888, and an alderman in 1889. Committee on taxation, 1892.

Vote of district: Henry C. Aydelott, Prohibition, 130; Roger Brooks, Republican,
COMMITTEE ON LABOR.

G. W. JENKS, House Chairman, ROBERT HOWARD, Chairman, FRANK McANALLY, Clerk,
G. H. B. GREEN, SAMUEL ROSS, H. C. BATCHELLER, E. L. DAILY.
District No. 10 — Dighton, Somerset, Swansea, Rehoboth. — William Luther of Somerset, Republican, is a farmer, and a native resident of Somerset. Born April 2, 1833, and attended the local public schools. Has been a member of the board of selectmen, assessors, and board of health for eight years. Committee on towns, 1892.

Vote of district: Calvin E. Denham, Democrat, 221; William Luther, Republican, 507; Arthur W. Weaver, Prohibition, 80.

Dukes County.

District No. 1. — Chilmark, Cottage City, Edgartown, Gay Head, Gosnold, Tisbury. — Ulysses E. Mayhew of Tisbury, Republican, is a merchant and a native resident of Tisbury; born Aug. 16, 1848, and educated in the public schools and Dukes County Academy. He has been town treasurer and member of the school committee. In the House of 1891 he served on the committee on fisheries and game. House chairman of committee on fisheries and game, 1892.

Vote of district: Ulysses E. Mayhew, Tisbury Divisionist, Prohibition, 316; William A. Morse, Independent Tisbury Divisionist, 159; Nathaniel H. Peakes, Republican, 223.

Essex County.

District No. 1. — Salisbury, Amesbury, Merrimac and West Newbury. — Samuel J. Brown, Republican, of Amesbury, is a boot and shoe dealer. He was born in Salisbury, Oct. 2, 1835, and attended its common schools and also Boston commercial schools. He was town clerk of Salisbury for twenty-one years, or until the town was divided and a section annexed to Amesbury. Member of Powow River Lodge and Harmony Encampment, and of grand lodge and grand encampment, Odd Fellows. Clerk of committee on federal relations, 1892.

Richard Newell, Republican, farmer, of West Newbury, was born in that town, April 17, 1839; was educated in the common schools, and graduated from the Putnam free school in Newburyport in 1856. In the same year he went to sea before the mast; and in 1866 entered the P. M. S. S. Co.'s service in the China line. Left that service in 1874, and has lived at home on his present farm ever since. Was a member of the House of Representatives in 1891, serving on the committee on roads and bridges. He has been a selectman for the past twelve years. Committee on roads and bridges, 1892.

Vote of district: Samuel J. Brown, Republican, 1,347; Daniel Cooney, Democrat, 726; Ephraim A. Goodwin, Prohibition, 110; Thomas J. King, Prohibition, 95; Horace G. Leslie, Democrat, 966; Richard Newell, Republican, 1,136.

District No. 2. — Wards 1, 2, 4 and 6 of Haverhill. — Warren Hoyt, Republican, of Haverhill, was born in North Danville, N. H., Jan. 4, 1843, and was educated in the Kingston (N. H.) and Thetford (Vt.) academies. He is the editor of the "Haverhill Bulletin." Clerk of the committee on printing and of the joint special committee on public reservations; also on committees on finance and expenditures, 1892.

Thomas Elliott St. John, Republican, of Haverhill, was born in Canterbury, Orange County, N. Y., in 1831, and attended the common schools of Central New York and the Eclectic Medical Institute of Cincinnati, O. He is the eastern manager of the Mutual Loan and Investment Company of Nebraska. He practised medicine from 1854 to 1859, and was in the ministry of the Universalist church from 1859 to 1881, and with the Unitarians from 1881 to 1889. He was a member of the House in 1866, serving on the committees on education and federal relations. He is chairman of
COMMITTEE ON LIBRARIES.

R. A. CARTER,                      R. F. McSOLLA,                      G. R. SIMONDS,                      W. S. HYDE,
G. A. GALLOUPE,                     B. F. BARNEY,                       B. F. BARNEY,                       C. E. MAHONEY.
the Haverhill board of park commissioners. Committees on education, parishes and religious societies, 1892.

Vote of district: Charles M. Heath, Democrat, 908; Heman H. Hodgkins, People's Party, 148; Warren Hoyt, Republican, 1,278; Samuel L. Jewett, Prohibition, 143; Asa M. Kimball, Prohibition, 101; D. Smith Kimball, Democrat, 836; Thomas E. St. John, Republican, 1,216.

District No. 3.—Wards 3 and 5 of Haverhill, Methuen and Bradford. —JAMES O. PARKER, Democrat, fire insurance agent, of Methuen, was born in Pembroke, N. H., Nov. 22, 1827, and received his education in the local schools and academies. He has been United States mail agent, for twenty years station agent at Methuen, selectman, member of the school committee in Methuen, and in 1889 was nominated for sheriff by Essex County Democrats, running ahead of his ticket. First sat in the House in 1874, when he was placed on the committee on insurance. In 1882 and 1884 he was a member of the Senate, serving on the committees on insurance (chairman), public health, manufactures and state census (chairman). In 1891 he was a member of the House, serving on the committee on railroads, 1892.

IRA OTIS SAWYER, Democrat, shoe manufacturer, of Haverhill, was born in that city, Jan. 16, 1838, and was educated at its public schools and in the Exeter Academy. He has been alderman, principal assessor (twelve years) and inspector of buildings (one year). Committee on banks and banking, 1892.

Vote of district: Levi A. Drury, Republican, 1,063; Herman F. Morse, Prohibition, 163; James O. Parker, Democrat, 1,398; Frank N. Rand, Prohibition, 154; Ira O. Sawyer, Democrat, 1,304; Charles A. Varney, Republican, 1,283.

District No. 4.—Wards 1, 2 and 3 of Lawrence. —WILLIAM CANNON, Democrat, cotton manufacturer, of Lawrence, was born Nov. 15, 1829, in Athlone, Ireland, and was educated in the national schools. Born in the centre of Ireland, his whole life has been spent trying to obtain Irish liberty. To his own people, that is, the national or liberty-loving portion, his record is well known. In the 1848 movement he was initiated; joined the Emmett monument association in 1854 in Lowell, the Phoenix in 1858, the Fenian Brotherhood in 1860 and the Clan in 1868. He has been a member of the Lawrence common council. In the House of 1891 he served on the committee on woman suffrage. Committee on military affairs, 1892.

DENNIS E. HALLEY, Democrat, of Lawrence, reporter, was born in Natick, May 6, 1862. He was educated in the public schools of Natick and Lawrence. Committee on liquor law, 1892.

Vote of district: Thomas P. Cahill, Labor, 280; William Cannon, Democrat, 1,498; Dennis E. Halley, Democrat, 1,445; Edward F. Kennelly, Republican, 990; Robert A. McAyeal, Prohibition, 118; Warren F. Taylor, Prohibition, 90; Lewis Towey, Republican, 883.

District No. 5.—Wards 4, 5 and 6 of Lawrence. —WILLIAM H. HART, Democrat, of South Lawrence, was born in Charlestown, March 28, 1864. Attended public school at Lawrence, and graduated from Lawrence high school, 1882. He is a station baggage master. Committee on election laws, 1892.

FRANK MCA NALLY, Democrat, machinist, of Lawrence, a native of that city, was born Nov. 29, 1855, and attended the public schools. He is prominent in the Royal Arcanum, Pilgrim Fathers and other fraternal orders. In the House of 1891 he served on the committee on labor, and in 1892 was clerk of the same committee.

Vote of district: Benjamin C. Ames, Republican, 1,402; William H. Hart, Democrat, 1,484; Geo. A. Longueil, Prohibition, 101; Frank McAnally, Democrat, 1,610; Gilman P. Wiggin, Republican, 1,261; Frank M. Wilkinson, Prohibition, 153.
COMMITTEE ON LIQUOR LAW.

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G. R. SIMONDS,
B. J. SULLIVAN, Clerk,
D. E. HALLEY.
District No. 6 — Andover and North Andover. — JAMES B. SMITH, Republican, manufacturer, of Andover, was born in that town, Oct. 1, 1828. Educated in its schools. Is president of the Smith & Dove Company, having first been workman, superintendent and director. During the war of the rebellion he served thirteen months in the Thirty-third Massachusetts, Company A, in the Army of the Potomac, Virginia, August, 1862-63, inclusive. In 1892, on committee on manufactures.

Vote of district: James P. Bryant, Prohibition, 49; James B. Smith, Republican, 716; John S. Stark, Democrat, 601.

District No. 7 — Groveland, Georgetown, Boxford and Topsfield. — EDWIN HOWARD GEORGE of Groveland, Republican, is a contractor and builder. He was born in that town, May 2, 1858, and was educated in the public schools, the Merrimac Academy of Groveland and the Putnam high school of Newburyport. Committee on manufactures, 1892.

Vote of district: Edwin H. George, Republican, 547; Edgar A. Knox, Democrat, 484.

District No. 8. — Newburyport, Newbury. — EBEN STONE DOLE, Democrat, of Newburyport, was born in that city, Aug. 8, 1847, and was educated in the public schools. He enlisted in Company H, Third Massachusetts Heavy Artillery, Nov. 3, 1863, and at the close of the war was discharged as corporal. He is at present chief of the Newburyport fire department. In 1892, on committee on drainage.

ARTHUR C. RICHARDSON, Democrat, of Newburyport, is an agent of the Boston & Maine Railroad. He was born in Reading, Mass., Oct. 31, 1837, and received a common school education. He has been a member of both branches of the Newburyport city council, and served three years in the war as a non-commissioned officer in the Twenty-second Massachusetts Volunteers. In the House in 1890 he was placed on the committee on cities, and in that of 1891 on the committee on street railways. In 1892, on committee on rapid transit.

Vote of district: Eben S. Dole, Democrat, 1,182; Benjamin Pearson, Jr., Republican, 1,117; Arthur C. Richardson, Democrat, 1,156; Nathan N. Withington, Republican, 1,081.

District No. 9. — Rowley, Ipswich, Hamilton, Wenham. — GEORGE FALL, Republican, lumber and coal dealer, of Ipswich, was born in that town, Oct. 30, 1850. He was educated in the public schools. Committee on harbors and public lands, 1892.

Vote of district: Sylvanus F. Canney, Prohibition, 116; George Fall, Republican, 709; James Graffam, Democrat, 320.

District No. 10. — Gloucester, Essex, Manchester. — MILES S. ANDREWS, Republican, milk dealer, of Essex, was born in that town, Jan. 17, 1855, and was educated there and at the Dean Academy in Franklin. Was a successful farmer until within eight years, when he engaged in the sale of milk, and now ranks as the leading milk dealer in the city of Gloucester. Committee on agriculture, 1892.

HOWARD G. LANE, Republican, jeweler, of Gloucester, was born in Rockport, Dec. 15, 1850, and studied at Irving Institute, Tarrytown, N. Y. He served two terms in the Gloucester common council. Is prominent Odd Fellow, and chief of records of Red Men. In the House of 1891 he served on the committees on election laws and pay roll (chairman). House chairman of committee on drainage, 1892.

SYLVANUS SMITH, Republican, of Gloucester, was born in Rockport, March 10, 1829. Has been engaged in fishing as “hand” and master from early life until 1864, and since as owner and master of fishing vessels. Committee on fisheries and game, 1892.

Vote of district: Miles S. Andrews, Republican, 1,441; Gideon Lane Davis, Republican Independent Nomination Paper, 107; John F. Davis, Prohibition, 123; Howard G. Lane, Republican, 1,381; Fitz McIntosh, Democrat, 1,136; Julius F. Rabard, Pro-
COMMITTEE ON MANUFACTURES.

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P. J. HEFFERNIN,

J. B. SMITH,

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E. H. GEORGE.
Hibition, 96; Frank C. Richardson, Democrat, 912; Sylvanus Smith, Republican, 1,175; Isaac N. Story, Democrat, 1,182; Manning Story, Prohibition, 145.

District No. 11. — Ward 2 of Gloucester, Rockport. — George H. Friend of Gloucester, Republican, was born in that city, Dec. 3, 1846, and was educated in the local schools. He is the janitor of the United States Custom House. Member of Post 45, G. A. R.; also of fire department for twenty-seven years and at present captain of steamer 5. Committee on public health, 1892.

Vote of district: George H. Friend, Republican, 449; Walter G. Peckham, Democrat, 326.

District No. 12. — Beverly. — George A Galloupe of Beverly, Republican, was born in that town, Oct. 28, 1850, and was educated in the common schools. He is a building contractor, and is trustee of the public library. Takes an active interest in all matters relating to horticulture, and is also an enthusiastic sportsman. Of old New England stock, Capt. John Gallop coming to Boston in the very early days. Committees on federal relations and libraries, 1892.

Vote of district: Nathaniel P. Allen, Independent, 147; George A. Galloupe, Republican, 879; Charles Moulton, Prohibition, 158; Charles D. Smith, Democrat, 339.

District No. 13. — Wards 1 and 2 of Salem. — Samuel A. Potter of Salem, Republican, was born in that city, Sept. 2, 1850, and was educated in the Phillips grammar school. He is president and treasurer of the Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Salem. He has been a member of the Salem Cadets and was a member of the common council in 1878, 1879 and 1880, and alderman in 1883, 1890 and 1891. In 1891 he was president of the local water board. Committee on prisons, 1892.

Vote of district: Samuel A. Potter, Republican, 748; Robert S. Rantoul, Democrat, 577.

District No. 14. — Wards 3 and 5 of Salem. — Joseph L. Lougee, Republican, furniture dealer, of Salem, was born in Parsonsfield, Me., in 1836. He has served two years in the Salem common council Committee on harbors and public lands, 1892.

Vote of district: Clifford Brigham, Democrat, 656; Joseph L. Lougee, Republican, 717.

District No. 15. — Wards 4 and 6 of Salem. — William Devereux Dennis of Salem, Republican, was born in that city, Oct. 11, 1847, and attended the public schools, graduating from Salem high school in 1862. Interested in society matters, being a member of Odd Fellows, Red Men, Knights of Honor and Royal Arcanum. Perpetual secretary of “The Board,” a well-known Salem organization; secretary of Naumkeag Fire Club. He was chairman of the Republican city committee in 1889, 1890 and 1891. Committee on street railways, 1892.

Vote of district: William D. Dennis, Republican, 713; John J. Hartigan, Democrat, 663.

District No. 16. — Marblehead. — Henry C Sparhawk, Democrat, shoe manufacturer, a native resident of Marblehead, was born Feb. 19, 1865, and received a public school education. He was one of the Marblehead selectmen in 1890, the youngest selectman ever elected in Marblehead, refusing a second term; also the youngest Representative the town ever had. In the House of 1891 he was clerk of the committee on drainage. Clerk of committees on finance and expenditures and on committee on constitutional amendments, 1892.

Vote of district: Henry C. Sparhawk, Democrat, 832; Edward D. Tutt, Republican, 745.
COMMITTEE ON MERCANTILE AFFAIRS.

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AMASA PRATT,
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L. H. BARTLETT,
E. M. MORIARTY,
D. H. COAKLEY, Clerk,
G. S. WINSLOW.
District No. 17.—Wards 2 and 3 of Lynn, Swampscott.—Eugene A. Bessom, Republican, was born in Lynn, June 11, 1855; engaged in the drug business in that city in 1884; graduated from the Massachusetts College of Pharmacy in 1890; was formerly in the grocery trade. He is an ex-president of the Ward 3 Republican club, of which he is one of the founders; served on the Republican city committee seven years. Member of the Sagamore Tribe I. O. R. M., and East Lynn Lodge I. O. O. F., of which he is acting past grand. Committee on manufactures, 1892.

Charles Thomas Jackson of Swampscott, Republican, was born in Lynn, Aug. 13, 1837, and was educated in its public schools. In the war of the rebellion served in Eighth Regiment Massachusetts and Fourth Heavy Artillery, and is now member of Post 5, G. A. R., of Lynn. Member of Providence lodge of Odd Fellows. Clerk of committee on military affairs, 1892.

Vote of district: Jesse L. Attwill, Democrat, 960; Eugene A. Bessom, Republican, 1,474; Eldredge H. Blood, Prohibition, 203; William B. Chase, Democrat, 843; James E. Clements, People's Party, 89; Charles T. Jackson, Republican, 1,267; Herbert L. Jordan, Independent Labor, 30; Rufus H. Pinney, Independent Labor, 51; John Tagney, People's party, 72; Charles E. Wiley, Prohibition, 171.

District No. 18.—Ward 4 of Lynn, Nahant.—Lewis H. Bartlett, Republican, of Lynn, was born in Wareham, Mass., in 1854, and was educated in its public schools. He is a manufacturer of machine button-holes. He was elected a member of the Wareham school committee when but twenty-one years of age, and at the expiration of his term received the endorsement of a re-election. He is one of the most active Republicans in the great shoe manufacturing city of Lynn, and in 1891 was unanimously elected as chairman of the city committee. The Democratic majority vote of 1890 was changed to a plurality of 100 for Allen in 1891, and Mr. Bartlett was again made chairman for the presidential campaign of 1892. Committee on mercantile affairs, 1892.

Edward L. Daley, Democrat, was born in Danvers, Mass., Oct. 6, 1855; attended common and high schools in that town until the age of thirteen; apprenticed to the shoemaking trade, and has worked at that ever since. Has always been active in labor organizations. Was a member of the order of Knights of St. Crispin in Danvers and Lynn. Organized the Lasters' Protective Union in Lynn in December, 1879, and has been general secretary of that union for the last six years. Was a member of No. 715 Assembly K. of L.; was author of petition to Massachusetts Legislature in 1885 to abolish contract convict labor. Never ran for any political office until 1891, when he was elected member of House of 1892. Committee on labor, 1892.

Vote of district: James E. Austin, People's Party, 63; Lewis H. Bartlett, Republican, 915; Israel Buffington, Democrat, 652; Edward L. Daley, Democrat, 803; Thomas Drake, Prohibition, 100; George C. Herbert, Prohibition, 156; William D. Hodges, Republican, 790; Albert G. Staples, Independent Labor, 13; Timothy R. Webber, People's Party, 73; Louis Wolfson, Independent Labor, 36.

District No. 19.—Wards 1 and 5 of Lynn, Lynnfield.—Charles M. Bacheller, Republican, leather dealer, a native resident of Lynn, was born June 29, 1863, and received a public school education. In the House of 1891 his committee appointments were elections (chairman) and roads and bridges. In 1892, House chairman of committee on roads and bridges.

John M. Danforth, Republican, farmer, of Lynnfield, was born in that town, Jan. 1, 1840, and was educated at the common schools and at Topsfield Academy. He is town treasurer, chairman of the board of selectmen and assessors and secretary of the Essex Agricultural Society. In the House of 1891 and 1892 he was on the committee on water supply.

Vote of district: Charles M. Bacheller, Republican, 1,151; George E. Batchelder, Prohibition, 145; William P. Conway, People's Party, 154; John M. Danforth, Republi-
COMMITTEE ON MILITARY AFFAIRS.

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                      JOHN READ, Chairman,         C. T. JACKSON, Clerk.
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can, 930; Elbridge F. Gerry, Democrat, 789; Benjamin S. Goodwin, Prohibition, 141; John F. Hay, Democrat, 750; Edward D. Priest, People's Party, 98; Charles N. Wentworth, Independent Labor, 62; Richard F. Ziegler, Independent Labor, 28.

District No. 20. — Wards 6 and 7 of Lynn, Saugus — Lemuel M. Brock, Democrat, of Lynn, is a dealer in patent medicines. He was born in Strafford, N. H., Nov. 6, 1837, and attended the local schools and academies in South Berwick, Me., and Woburn, N. H. He taught school in New Hampshire for three years, was in the produce business in Boston for ten years, and was in the hotel business in this city and Lynn for ten years. In the House of 1891 he served on the committee on prisons. In 1892, on committee on harbors and public lands.

William W. Lowe, Democrat, Investment broker, of Saugus, was born in Buckingham, Oxford County, Me., Feb. 7, 1834, and was educated in Westbrook (Me.) schools. He was a member of the Saugus board of selectmen for two years and chairman one year. In 1892, on committee on banks and banking.

Vote of district: Merrill L. Barton, Prohibition, 127; Charles Otis Breed, Republican, 1,141; Lemuel M. Brock, Democrat, 1,307; John T. Broderick, People's Party, 257; Charles D. Brown, Independent Labor, 53; George H. Harwood, Prohibition, 153; Edward Johnson, People's Party, 160; William W. Lowe, Democrat, 1,147; Charles H. Mansfield, Republican, 1,118; John Monahan, Independent Labor, 42.

District No. 22. — Peabody. — Francis Henry Appleton of Peabody, Republican, is an agriculturist. He was born in Boston, June 17, 1847, and studied in schools at Salem, Newton, St. Paul's School at Concord, N. H., over five years, and graduated from Harvard University in 1869. He was reporter on agriculture for the Massachusetts commissioners at the Vienna Exposition of 1873, paying particular attention to ensilage, and curator at the Bussey Institution from 1873 to 1875. He is trustee and secretary of the Massachusetts Society for Promoting Agriculture, president of the Essex Agricultural Society of Essex County, trustee of the Massachusetts Agricultural College, member of the Board of Control of Massachusetts State Experiment Station, delegate to the State Board of Agriculture from the Bay State Agricultural Society, and captain in the First Cadets, M. V. M. He was elected secretary of the State Board of Agriculture in 1887, but declined the office. District delegate to National Republican Convention at Minneapolis, June, 1892. In the House of 1891 he served on the committee on education, woman suffrage and administrative boards and commissions. Committees on cities and administrative boards and commissions, 1892.

Vote of district: Francis H. Appleton, Republican, 929; Philip H. Coleman, Democrat, 686.

District No. 22. — Danvers and Middleton. — Samuel L. Sawyer of Danvers, Republican, is a flour dealer; was born in Boxford, June 20, 1845, and received his education in the schools of Newburyport. In the House of 1891 he served on the committee on public charitable institutions. House chairman of committee on elections and on committee on public charitable institutions, 1892.

Vote of district: J. Peter Gardner, People's Party, 128; Charles N. Perley, Democrat, 552; Samuel L. Sawyer, Republican, 728.

FRANKLIN COUNTY.

District No. 1. — Greenfield, Shelburne, Bernardston — George W. Jenks, Republican, of Shelburne Falls, was born in Cheshire, Jan. 14, 1840, and was educated in that town and at the Wesleyan Academy, Wilbraham, and Eastman’s Business College, Poughkeepsie, N. Y. He is a boot and shoe merchant at Shelburne Falls, also has a
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M. R. LEONARD,  

Dwight Chester,  
H. A. Kimball, Chairman,  
G. S. Winslow,  

Z. L. Bicknell,  
T. E. St. John, Clerk,  
Edward Fairbanks.
store at Millers Falls, with clothing, dry goods, gentlemen's furnishing goods and boots and shoes. House chairman of committee on labor, 1892.

Vote of district: George W. Jenks, Republican, 768; Frank J. Pratt, Jr., Democrat, 533; Arthur F. Wells, Prohibition, 90.

District No. 2. — Warwich, Orange, New Salem, Erving, Shutesbury. — William Henry Hemenway, Republican, farmer, is a native resident of Shutesbury; born Dec. 28, 1846. Was educated at the public schools, New Salem Academy, etc. Has been town clerk and chairman of the Republican town committee. In 1892, was on committee on water supply.

Vote of district: David F. Carpenter, Prohibition, 52; Dennis E. Farley, Democrat, 591; William H. Hemenway, Republican, 679.

District No. 3. — Northfield, Gill, Montague, Wendell. — Henry D. Bardwell of Montague (Turners Falls), Democrat. Engaged in the blank book, newspaper and stationery business, and agent for the American and National expresses. He was born in Hatfield, Oct. 24, 1856, and was educated in Montague. Clerk of committee on woman suffrage, and on committee on State House, 1892.

Vote of district: Henry D. Bardwell, Democrat, 660; Gilbert L. Rist, Republican, 575.

District No. 4. — Leverett, Sunderland, Whately, Deerfield, Conway. — Horace Elmer Miller, Democrat, of Conway, is a printer, and has been a school committeeman and assistant postmaster. He was born in Savoy, May 23, 1849, and attended the public schools in that town and North Adams. Committee on public service, 1892. (Mr. Miller died of consumption, Sunday, June 12, 1892)


District No. 5. — Ashfield, Buckland, Charlemont, Colrain, Hawley, Heath, Leyden, Rowe, Monroe. — Ransom W. Gillett, Republican, of Heath, was born in Whitingham, Vt., Nov. 27, 1847, and was educated in Whitingham. He is a farmer. Committee on agriculture, 1892.

Vote of district: Ransom W. Gillett, Republican, 742; Charles E. Ward, Democrat, 479.

HAMPDEN COUNTY.

District No. 1. — Chester, Blandford, Tolland, Granville, Southwick, Agawam. — Erastus D. Larkin, Republican, farmer, of Tolland, was born in Sand Lake, N. Y., in 1835, and was educated there. He has been selectman, assessor and school committee-man. On committees on pay roll and public health, 1892.

Vote of district: Erastus D. Larkin, Republican, 521; Byron E. Roberts, Democrat, 432; Samuel M. West, Prohibition, 44.

District No. 2. — Montgomery, Russell, Westfield, West Springfield. — Henry W. Ashley, Democrat, of Westfield, was born in that town, Feb. 16, 1855; was educated in its public schools, and graduated from the Boston University Law School in 1882. Studied law with Leonard & Wells of Springfield. He held the office of deputy collector under Cleveland's administration, receiving his appointment from Collector Pratt of Greenfield, and when the internal revenue districts were consolidated he was retained on the ground of efficiency. Mr. Ashley is a member of the executive committee of the State Democratic club, is chairman of the local Democratic town committee, and was chosen alternate from his district to the National Democratic Convention at Chicago, June, 1892. Member of House judiciary committee, 1892.

James Alfred Lakin, Republican, of Westfield, is manager of the Masons' Fraternal Accident Association of America. He was born in Boston, in 1841, and received
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WILLIAM PROVIN,
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H. E. W. CLARK,
W. S. McNARY, Chairman,
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C. J. CHANCE,
W. HOYT, Clerk,
E. P. CLARK.
a public school education. He is a war veteran, and was on the staff of Gen. R. A. Alger. Mr. Lakin is president of the National Masonic Aid Association of Westfield, senior partner of J. A. Lakin & Co., standard manufacturers, president of the American Casket Hardware Company, and general manager of the Medical and Sanitary Aid Association of Boston. In the House of 1891 he served on the committee on insurance Committee on railroads, 1892.

Vote of district: Henry W. Ashley, Democrat, 1,174; Ethan Brooks, Republican, 1,080; Fred L. Hewes, Prohibition, 151; James A. Lakin, Republican, 1,122; John O. Mosley, Democrat, 1,070; Enoch Phelps, Prohibition, 121.

District No. 3.—Wards 5, 6 and 7 of Holyoke.—RICHARD GEORGE KILDUFF, Republican, of Holyoke, was born in Ashton-under-Lyne, Lancashire, England, July 1, 1854. Is a graduate of the public schools. Is attorney-at-law, practising in Holyoke. Last year was judge-advocate of Sons of Veterans. Is president of Waltham Screw Company and attorney for and director in Holyoke Co-operative Bank. Was a prime mover in the establishment of a free evening school at Waltham, Mass. House judiciary committee, 1892.

Vote of district: Daniel W. Kenney, Democrat, 831; Richard G. Kilduff, Republican, 1,091; James R. Mooney, Prohibition, 85

District No. 4 — Wards 1, 2, 3 and 4 of Holyoke.—WILLIAM PRESTIGE BUCKLEY, Democrat, law student, of Holyoke, was born in Cork, Ireland, and was educated in the schools of his native country. He was a member of the Holyoke common council in 1888 and president of the board of aldermen in 1889. As a member of the House in 1890 and 1891, he was assigned to the committee on cities, and in 1892 was a member of the committees on finance, expenditures and insurance.


District No. 5.— Chicopee.—EUGENE J. O'NEIL of Chicopee (Fulls), Democrat, is a manufacturer of narrow fabric. He is a native of that city, was born Feb 29, 1856, and received a public school education. Prominent member of temperance society for twenty-five years. In the House of 1891 he served on the committee on towns. Committee on manufactures, 1892.

Vote of district: Eugene J. O'Neill, Democrat, 869; Marshall Pease, Republican, 575.

District No. 6.—Wards 1, 4 and 8 of Springfield.—JOHN WILLIAM ADAMS, Republican, of Springfield, was born in Stratham, N. H., June 20, 1828. He was educated at South Newmarket, Phillips Academy, Andover and Northfield, N. H. At nineteen was a teacher, first in Massachusetts, then in New Hampshire and Maine. Was for two years superintendent of the Crown Copper Mine, but his leading business has been horticulture. He is the proprietor of the North Main Street Nursery, and is a landscape gardener. He has been a member of the school committee, and has held several minor offices. Clerk of committee on agriculture, 1892.

FREDERICK HUNTINGTON GILLETT, Republican, lawyer, of Springfield, was born in Westfield, Oct. 16, 1851, and is a graduate of Amherst College and Harvard Law School. He has been assistant attorney-general. In the House of 1891 he served on the judiciary and library committees Chairman of House judiciary committee and member of committee on rules, 1892.

Vote of district: John W. Adams, Republican, 1,345; Orlando S. Brigham, Prohibition, 86; Frederick H. Gillett, Republican, 1,303; Shirley Harman, Prohibition, 70; Franklin Pierce, Democrat, 1,163; Frederick H. Stebbins, Democrat, 1,221.
Massachusetts Legislators, 1892.

Committee on Prisons.

John Read, L. Burnham,
W. N. Eaton, Chairman, A. W. Richardson, House Chairman.
E. Crowell, S. R. Lincoln,
J. T. Richmond.
C. M. Dacey, Clerk.
District No. 7.—Ward 5 of Springfield.—Edwin F. Lyford, Republican, lawyer, of Springfield, was born in Waterville, Me., Sept. 8, 1857, and was educated at Colby University, graduating in 1877. He was a member of the Springfield city council for two years. Taught school in Maine, also taught English literature for a while in the University. Admitted to the bar in 1879; removed to Springfield in 1882. In 1888 was secretary of the Republican club, and is now secretary of Ward 5 Republican club. Recently chosen trustee of Colby, being nominated by the alumni. Director of Consolidated Y. M. C. A. Clerk of committee on cities, 1892. Vote of district: Edward A. Baker, Democrat, 654; Edwin F. Lyford, Republican, 1,048; William G. Rogers, Prohibition, 96.

District No. 8.—Wards 2, 3, 6 and 7 of Springfield.—Edward S. Brewer, Republican, of Springfield, was born in that city, June 13, 1846; was educated at the common schools and St. Paul's school, Concord, N. H. Committees on House probate and insolvency and mercantile affairs, 1892.

John Andrew Driscoll, Democrat, upholsterer, is a native of Springfield; born June 13, 1860; attended the public schools and spent a term at Childs' Business College. In 1885 organized the firm of Curran, Driscoll & Mead, known as the Springfield Furniture Company; sold out to his partners in 1888, and has since been employed by Meekins, Packard & Co. Is the first Irish-American Democrat chosen as representative from Springfield. Committees on constitutional amendments and public reservations, 1892. Vote of district: Edward S. Brewer, Republican, 1,271; John A. Driscoll, Democrat, 1,082; Rawson Hathaway, Republican, 1,065; John B. King, Democrat, 881; Lester N. Olmstead, Prohibition, 92; Henry V. R. Schermerhorn, Prohibition, 67.

District No. 9.—Longmeadow, Hampden, Wilbraham, Monson, Wales.—Sumner Smith of Hampden, Republican, a merchant, was born at Willington, Conn., in 1825. He was educated in the common schools of Stafford, Conn., and worked on a farm until nearly twenty years of age. Then he entered the employ of a manufacturing company. He has been town clerk and treasurer of Hampden eleven years, and now is chairman of the board of selectmen, overseer of the poor and postmaster. Committee on agriculture, 1892.

Vote of district: Harrison C. Day, Prohibition, 66; George H. Newton, Democrat, 525; Sumner Smith, Republican, 639.

District No. 10.—Ludlow, Palmer, Brimfield, Holland.—Hiram Eugene Wallace Clark of Palmer, Republican, provision dealer, was born April 15, 1835, in New Salem, and was educated in the public schools. He was lieutenant in the Second and captain in the Fifth Massachusetts Cavalry, and was for fifteen years postmaster in Thorndike, one of the villages of Palmer. In the House of 1891 he served on the committee on public charitable institutions. Committees on printing and public charitable institutions, 1892.

Vote of district: Hiram E. W. Clark, Republican, 555; Francis E. Cook, Democrat, 402; Hubbard Lawrence, Prohibition, 50.

Hampshire County.

District No. 7.—Northampton, Easthampton, Southampton.—James Monroe Fay, Republican, of Northampton, was born in Chester, March 23, 1847, and was educated at its public schools, Wilbraham Academy and the University of Vermont. He is a physician and surgeon. In the city of Northampton has held the position of city physician four years; chairman of board of health five years, resigning both when elected a member of the Legislature. At present is a member of the medical staff of Cooley-Dickinson hospital, trustee of Hampshire County Savings Bank, member and secretary of board of examining surgeons of the bureau of pensions at Northampton.
COMMITTEE ON PROBATE AND INSOLVENCY.

J. W. McDONALD, Chairman,  S. P. SMITH,  B. M. FERNALD,  W. B. DURANT, House Chairman.
L. M. CLARK,  C. F. SPRAGUE,  E. S. BREWER.
R. P. CAPEN,  G. R R. RIVERS.
B. B. BARNEY,  W. J. DOLAN, Clerk,  H. E. RUGGLES.
Since of age has always held some position of public trust. Committee on public charitable institutions, 1892.

Arthur F. Nutting, Democrat, insurance agent, a native resident of Northampton, was born Feb. 4, 1861, and received a public school education. He has been a member of the Northampton common council. In the House of 1891 he served on the committee on water supply. In 1892, on committee on rapid transit.

Vote of district: James M. Fay, Republican, 1,239; Edward C. Hawkes, Prohibition, 152; Emil C. Koenig, Republican, 925; Rufus Lyman, Prohibition, 140; Arthur F. Nutting, Democrat, 1,363; Barney T. Wetherell, Democrat, 1,140.

District No. 2.—Chesterfield, Cummington, Goshen, Huntington, Middlefield, Plainfield, Westhampton, Worthington. — Charles H. Hooker, Republican, of Westhampton, is a farmer; was born in that town, Sept. 14, 1850, and attended its common school and Williston Seminary, Easthampton. He has been chairman of the Republican town committee for fourteen years, and in 1889 and 1890 was superintendent of streets. Committee on taxation, 1892.

Vote of district: Jason H. Fisk, Democrat, 310; Charles H. Hooker, Republican, 503.

District No. 3.—Hatfield, Hadley, South Hadley, Williamsburg. — Thomas M. Carter, Republican, merchant druggist, of Williamsburg, was born in Hawley, July 17, 1832, and was educated in the common schools. He was a member of the House in 1872, with place on the committee on elections. He served as town clerk and treasurer for thirty-one years and as selectman for twelve years. Committee on public health, 1892.


District No. 4.—Amherst, Belchertown, Granby. — George H. B. Green, Republican, of Belchertown, is the son of Frank and Sarah Y. Bartlett of Southampton, where he was born, Dec. 15, 1845. Being left an orphan at an early age, he was adopted by an uncle, Reuben Green of Belchertown. He attended the public schools of his town and Wesleyan Academy, Wilbraham. He has taught school a portion of each year until three years ago. Has been a member of the school committee for fifteen years, and of the board of assessors for eight years. He is a farmer, making fruit-raising a specialty, often exhibiting several hundred varieties at the local fairs. Committee on labor, 1892.

Vote of district: Morrisson S. Blodgett, Prohibition, 78; William H. Bridgman, Democrat, 355; George H. B. Green, Republican, 559.

District No. 5.—Enfield, Greenfield, Pelham, Prescott, Ware. — William S. Hyde, Republican, was born in Ware, June 20, 1838, and is a banker. He was educated at Easthampton and Williamstown. After graduation, went into the bank at Ware, where he has since remained. This is the first public office he has held. Committee on banks and banking and libraries, 1892.

Vote of district: Elgin R. Foster, Democrat, 528; William S. Hyde, Republican, 569; Addison Rugg, Prohibition, 93.

Middlesex County.

District No. 1.—Wards 1 and 5 of Cambridge. — William B. Durant, Republican, lawyer, of Cambridge, was born at Barre, Sept. 29, 1814. He graduated from Harvard College with the class of 1865, and from the Harvard Law School with the class of 1869. In the House of 1890 he was chairman of the committee on liquor law. House chairman of committee on probate and insolvency, and on committee on rules, 1892.
COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

JOHN READE,  I N. NUTTER,  S. L. SAWYER,  H. E. W. CLARK.
S S BLANCHARD, House Chairman,  W. E. MEADE, Chairman,  J. B. HEALD, Clerk.
Z. L. BICKNELL,  P. J. SAVAGE,  J. H. FLETCHER,  J. M. FAY.
ISAAC McLEAN, Democrat, was chosen at a special election to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Charles Almy. In 1892, on committee on public reservations.

Vote of district (regular election): Charles Almy, Democrat, 1,220; William B. Durant, Republican, 1,383; Charles E. Maynard, Prohibition, 58; Isaac McLean, Democrat, 1,118; John E. Parry, Republican, 1,205; William H. Wheeler, Prohibition, 70.

District No. 2.—Ward 2 of Cambridge. — Horace E. Clayton, Democrat, clerk, of Cambridgeport, was born at Kennebunkport, Me., in 1854. He attended the Cambridge public schools. In the House in 1889 and 1890 he served on the committee on banks and banking. He was a member of the Cambridge city council one year. Has been in the employ of the Boston Five Cents Savings Bank for eighteen years. Committee on banks and banking, 1892.

Daniel H. Coakley, Democrat, journalist, of Cambridge, was born in that city, Dec. 10, 1863, and was educated in its public schools. In 1892, clerk of the committee on mercantile affairs.

Vote of district: Horace E. Clayton, Democrat, 1,134; Daniel H. Coakley, Democrat, 1,057; Carlos L. Page, Prohibition, 140; Elmer E. Slocomb, Prohibition, 90; Frank H. Teel, Republican, 1,021; John W. Wilkinson, Republican, 1,005.

District No. 3.—Ward 3 of Cambridge. — Stephen Anderson, Democrat, brass founder, of Cambridge, was born Dec. 25, 1840, in Ireland, and was educated in the schools of his native country. He was on the committee on prisons in the House of 1891, and on the committee on street railways in 1892.

Vote of district: Stephen Anderson, Democrat, 908; Harris J. Oliver, Republican, 387.

District No. 4.—Ward 4 of Cambridge. — John Hopewell, Jr., Republican, is a merchant and woollen manufacturer. He was born in Greenfield, Feb. 2, 1845, and attended public schools in Shelburne Falls and a private school in Springfield. He is a member of the Home Market Club. Committee on rapid transit, 1892.

Malcolm E. Rideout, Republican, is a manufacturer of ornamental wood house finish. He was born in St. Stephen's, N. B., June 9, 1851, during the temporary sojourn of his parents, and received his education in the public schools of Baring, Me. He has sat in both branches of the Cambridge city council, serving as alderman with Governor Russell and also when the latter was mayor. Chairman of his congressional district committee. In the House of 1891 he was on the committee on expenditures. Chairman of committee on finance and House chairman of committee on expenditures, 1892.

Vote of district: Edward A Bingham, Democrat, 855; Joseph D. Couch, Democrat, 714; John Hopewell, Jr., Republican, 1,101; Theodore H. Raymond, Prohibition, 172; Malcolm E. Rideout, Republican, 1,144; Hugh Stewart, Prohibition, 149.

District No. 5.—Ward 1 of Somerville. — George Woodbury Perkins of Somerville, Republican, was born July 1, 1842, in Tamworth, N. H., and was educated in New Hampton Institution in the same state. Is a mason, and master of Soley Lodge, Somerville, and member of Somerville Royal Arch Chapter and DeMolay Commandery. Member of Massachusetts Republican Club and Mystic Valley Club. In the House of 1891 he was chairman of the committee on drainage. Committee on cities, 1892.

Vote of district: John F. Elkins, Democrat, 854; Edwin P. Moulton, Prohibition, 61; George W. Perkins, Republican, 605.

District No. 6.—Ward 2 of Somerville. — Joseph J. Giles, Republican, real estate and insurance agent, a native resident of Somerville, was born March 24, 1842, first male child born in the city, and attended the local schools. In the army of the Potomac, in the rebellion, he served in the Thirty-ninth Massachusetts Volunteers, and was an aid-de-camp to General Martindale, military governor of Washington in 1863. He
C. C. MERRITT,  
A. G. BLODGETT, House Chairman,  
E. D. LARKIN,

T. M. CARTER,  
G. K. NICHOLS, Chairman,  
G. H. FRIEND,

E. S. DOODGE,  
C. J. CHANCE, Clerk.  
J. J. CASEY.
was one of the first to enlist in 1861, under George O. Barstow, Company B, Fifth Regiment, and he participated in the first battle of Bull Run. He is an associate member of the Somerville Light Infantry. In the House of 1891 he served on the committee on insurance. Committee on insurance and on the joint special committee on administrative boards and commissions, 1892.

Vote of district: Joseph J. Giles, Prohibition, Republican, 898; John J. Sheeran, Democrat, 641.

District No. 7. — Wards 3 and 4 of Somerville. — George O. Proctor, Republican, of Somerville, was born in Rockingham, Vt., Feb. 23, 1847, and attended the common schools of that town and the Chester (Vt.) Academy. He went to Somerville in 1874, and was elected to the common council in 1887 and 1888; served as president in the latter year. He has been a member of the school committee. He is a wholesale and retail hay and grain merchant. Member of the Boston Chamber of Commerce and of Soley Lodge, F. A. M.; director of Somerville National Bank. Committee on street railways, 1892.

Vote of district: John W. Converse, Republican Citizen Nomination Paper, 487; Wilbert D. Farnham, Jr., Prohibition, 66; John L. Nichols, Democrat, 664; George O. Proctor, Republican, 1,153.

District No. 8. — Medford. — William B. Lawrence of Medford, Republican, was born in Charlestown, Nov. 15, 1856. He was educated at the Boston Latin school, and was colonel of the Boston School Regiment, 1874-75. He graduated from Harvard College in 1879 and from Harvard Law School in 1882. From 1888 to 1890 was a selectman and overseer of the poor in Medford. Represented the town before the legislative committees on the metropolitan sewerage bill, the city charter, and against the division of the town. Is a trustee of the Congregational Ministers' Fund of the First Parish, and chairman of the parish committee. He was chosen member of the Republican state central committee for 1891 and 1892. Past master of Mount Hermon Lodge, past high priest of Mystic Royal Arch Chapter, past thrice illustrious master of Medford Council of Royal and Select Masters, junior warden of Lafayette Lodge of Perfection, most illustrious grand master of Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Massachusetts. Member of Boston Bar Association, and a proprietor of the Social Law Library. An incorporator and trustee of the Medford Savings Bank. In the House of 1891 was on committees on probate and insololvency and drainage. In 1892, on committee on the judiciary.

Vote of district: William B. Lawrence, Republican, 1,045; William C. Wait, Democrat, 654.

District No. 9. — Malden. — Charles Francis Shute, Republican, milk dealer, is a native resident of Malden, and was born June 17, 1838. He attended the local schools. He has had two years' service as a member of the Malden common council. Committees on finance and expenditures, 1892.

Arthur H. Wellman, Republican, lawyer, of Malden, was born in East Randolph (now Holbrook), Oct. 30, 1855. He was educated at the Newton high school, Amherst College, Harvard Law School and the Boston University Law School. In 1885 he was a member of the Malden common council, and in 1889, 1890 and 1891 city solicitor. He is now professor in Boston University Law School, as well as practising lawyer. On House judiciary committee, 1892.

Vote of district: Harry H. Barrett, Democrat, 1,496; George H. Fall, People's party, 257; William F. Merrill, Prohibition, 134; Kirk Russell, Prohibition, 98; Charles F. Shute, Republican, 1,897; Arthur H. Wellman, Republican, 1,672.

District No. 10. — Everett. — Frank P. Bennett, Republican, of Everett, is the proprietor and editor of the "Wool and Cotton Reporter," and also principal owner of
 COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SERVICE.

C. H. BAKER,  
S. F. MORSE, House Chairman,  
A. L. NOURSE,

R. F. McSOLLA,  
J. E. DRURY, Chairman,  
B. M. WOLF,

H. E. MILLER,  
W. G. BAKER, Clerk.  
J. F. MELAVEN.
the "United States Investor." He was born May 2, 1853, in Cambridge, Mass., and is a graduate of the Malden and Chelsea public schools. He has always been engaged in journalism, and is well versed in financial matters. He has been auditor and selectman in Everett, and in the House of 1891 served on the committees on taxation (chairman) and administrative boards and commissions. House chairman of the rapid transit committee, and member of committee on rules and joint special committee on public reservations, 1892.

Vote of district: Frank P. Bennett, Republican, 1,000; Amos E. Hall, Prohibition, 90; Alpheus R. Henderson, Democrat, 404.

District No. 12. — Stoneham.—Myron J. Ferren, Republican, of Stoneham, machinist, was born in Corinth, Vt., Aug. 16, 1836; attended the public schools of Manchester and Chester, N. H. Resident of Stoneham since 1857; was member of the board of selectmen five years, from 1871 to 1876; on board of engineers from 1876 to 1886; commander of Post 75, G. A. R., five years; has been a prominent Odd Fellow and passed the chairs of lodge and encampment, also the Knights of Honor, American Legion of Honor, Royal Good Fellows, Improved Order of Red Men, American Mechanics and Masons. Served as corporal in Company K, Fifth Massachusetts Infantry; was aid on staff of Commander Veasy in 1891, and on staff of present Commander-in-Chief Palmer. He sat in the House in 1889, 1890 and 1891, with service on the committees on drainage, federal relations and street railways. Committees on federal relations and railroads, 1892.

Vote of district: William E. Delano, Prohibition, 23; Myron J. Ferren, Republican, 612; William B. Stevens, Citizens, 519.

District No. 13. — Wakefield.—James H. Carter, Democrat, of Wakefield, has retired from business. He was born in South Reading (now Wakefield), Nov. 16, 1832. He has been the chief engineer of the Wakefield fire department and a member of the board of park commissioners. In the House of 1891 he served on the committees on taxation and administrative boards and commissions, and on the latter committee and on labor, 1892.

Vote of district: Richard Britton, Republican, 607; James H. Carter, Democrat, 659.

District No. 14. — Woburn, Reading.—Henry C. Hall, Republican, merchant, of Woburn, was born in Waterville, Me., in 1838. He was educated in the common schools, the Bloomfield Academy and the Westbrook Seminary in Maine. He has been town treasurer three years and county treasurer four. He served from 1861 to 1865 in the First Maine Infantry and the First Maine Cavalry, rising from private to captain and to major by brevet. Was the first secretary and treasurer of the Woburn Co-operative Bank, and is still a director. Committee on manufactures, 1892.

Thomas D. Hevey, Democrat, currier, of Woburn, is a native of Dublin, Ireland; was born Aug. 14, 1846, and went to school in Mount Vernon, N. H. He has been auditor one year, and registrar of voters in Woburn for nearly six years. He is at present vice-chairman and clerk of the overseers of the poor, and at the recent city election, as the nominee of both parties, was elected a member of the school committee. In the House of 1891 he was a member of the committee on woman suffrage. Committees on constitutional amendments and federal relations, 1892.

Vote of district: Lewis M. Bancroft, Republican, 1,019; Joseph B. Bent, Prohibition, 98; Henry C. Hall, Republican, 1,205; Thomas D. Hevey, Democrat, 1,347; Calvin L. Martin, Democrat, 1,099; John K. Murdock, Prohibition, 126.

District No. 15. — Arlington, Winchester.—Samuel Walker McCall, Republican, lawyer, of Winchester, was born in Bedford County, Penn., Feb. 28, 1851, and passed his early life in Illinois. He studied at New Hampton (N. H.) Academy and Dartmouth College, and then took a law course in Boston. In the House of 1888 he was chairman
COMMITTEE ON RAILROADS.

H. A. KIMBALL,   E. MOTT,   W. F. RAY,
C. H. HOBSON,   J. H. MELLEN,   J. O. PARKER,
W. H. POWERS, House Chairman,   F. H. RAYMOND, Chairman,
P. A. DYAR,   J. A. LAKIN,   M. J. FERREN,
J. F. BURKE,   E. S. HORTON,   F. W. BLISS, Clerk,
H. F. ROCKWELL.
of the committee on probate and insolvency. In that of 1889 he was chairman of the judiciary committee. In 1892, House chairman of committees on election laws and on administrative boards and commissions.

Vote of district: Samuel W. McCall, Republican, 999; David Nelson Skillings, Democrat, 762.

District No. 16. — Watertown, Belmont. — J. Henry Fletcher of Belmont, Republican, was born in Charlestown, Sept. 26, 1844. He attended the Belmont public schools and a Boston private school. He is in the wholesale and retail provision business at Faneuil Hall Market. He has been a selectman in Belmont for several years, and has also served on the school committee. In the House of 1890 he was a member of the committee on public charitable institutions. Committees on public charitable institutions and on woman suffrage, 1892.

Vote of district: Charles S. Ensign, Democrat, 516; J. Henry Fletcher, Republican, 775; Joseph H. Stone, Prohibition, 45.

District No. 17. — Newton. — Dwight Chester, Republican, of Newton, is the general agent of the Etna Life Insurance Company of Massachusetts and Rhode Island. He was born March 2, 1835, in Maryland, Otsego County, N. Y., and attended the public schools. Brought up with an ancestry which suffered in the revolutionary war, some of whom were massacred in Fort Griswold at the time New London was captured by the aid of the traitor Arnold; spent early life near the home of J. Fennimore Cooper, in mechanical pursuits and in teaching public and private schools; in business in New York City for four years during the war of the rebellion, occupying nights at regular periods in the hospitals caring for the returned sick and wounded soldiers. He was town clerk and supervisor of Westford, N. Y., but removed to Newton Centre, Mass., in 1866. He has served eight years in the Newton city council, a portion of the time as president of the board of aldermen, has been chairman of the highway committee and member of the commission for revising the city charter, and has been treasurer of the Massachusetts Baptist Convention for five years. In the House of 1891 he served on the insurance committee. House chairman of committee on insurance, and on committee on parishes and religious societies, 1892.

Squire Edward Howard, Republican, of West Newton, is secretary and treasurer of the Stoddard & Howard Live Stock Company of Wyoming. He was born in Jamaica, Vt., May 15, 1840, and was educated at Leland Academy, Townsend, Vt. He served in the rebellion in the Eight Vermont Volunteers. Entering the service as a private, he was commissioned second lieutenant for gallant conduct in action, rose to the rank of captain, and was discharged for two severe wounds received in Sheridan's battle of Cedar Creek, Oct. 19, 1864. He was a member of the House of 1891, serving on the committees on education and parishes and religious societies House chairman of committee on banks and banking, and on committee on woman suffrage, 1892.

Vote of district: Dwight Chester, Republican, 2,052; William H. Cobb, Prohibition, 223; F. F. Davidson, Prohibition, 180; S. E. Howard, Republican, 1,615; Joseph R. Smith, Democrat, 1,182.

District No. 18. — Waltham, Weston. — Mahlon R. Leonard, Republican, grocer, of Waltham, was born in Pierpont, N. Y., Jan. 8, 1836. He was educated at the St. Lawrence University, Canton, N. Y. Was a member of the Waltham school board for five or six years, and chairman of the board most of that time. He has been a member of the Waltham board of aldermen for three years and was president of the board last year. In 1892, on committees on parishes and religious societies and public reservations.

Henry J. Jenks, Republican, of Weston, was born in Templeton, June 8, 1842. He was educated in the public schools of that town and of Two Rivers, Wis.,
COMMITTEE ON ROADS AND BRIDGES.

W. H. CARBERRY, R. P. CAPEN, RICHARD NEWELL,
C. M. BACHELLER, House Chairman, EDWARD MOTT, Chairman, H. G. TAFT, Clerk,
THOMAS BARSTOW, A. H. SWEET, R. M. FRENCH.
and in Boston commercial schools. In 1864 he was paymaster's clerk in the navy. In 1889 and 1890 he was a member of the Weston boards of selectmen and overseers of the poor, and last year was chairman of both boards. He is a school furniture builder. In 1892, on committee on towns.

Vote of district: Henry C. Hall, Democrat, 1,313; Henry J. Jennison, Republican, 1,715; Timothy Leary, Democrat, 1,306; Mahlon R. Leonard, Republican, 1,550.

District No. 19. — Lexington, Lincoln, Concord, Bedford, Burlington. — Richard F. Barrett, Republican, of Concord, is secretary and treasurer of the Middlesex Mutual Fire Insurance Company. He was born Aug. 4, 1848, in the town which he represents, is a graduate of its schools, and has served the town as selectman and in other capacities. He was captain of the old Concord Artillery, and colonel on the staffs of Governor Ames and Governor Brackett. In the House last year he served on the committees on insurance and elections. Was author of the so-called "staff bill," defeated in the Senate in 1891 but passed in 1892, which provides that none can serve on the staff of the governor except those who have served in the United States army or navy or Massachusetts volunteer militia, except the judge-advocate-general and the four aides-de-camp. House chairman of committee on printing, and on committee on insurance, 1892.

Vote of district: Richard F. Barrett, Republican, 851; George Ropes, Democrat, 464.

District No. 20. — Chelmsford, Billerica, Tewksbury, Wilmington, North Reading. — Charles H. Kohlrausch, Jr., of Billerica, Republican, was born in Lowell, Aug. 6, 1848; educated in the public schools of Danvers and Billerica and in the Howe Academy at Billerica. He is a manufacturing chemist, and the manager and a proprietor of the Talbot Dyewood and Chemical Company. He was appointed trial justice by Governor Long in 1882, and was reappointed at the close of his first term of office, but declined to serve again. He served on the school committee of Billerica six years, two of them as chairman, and has been chairman of the joint school committee of the towns of Billerica, Bedford, Burlington, Wilmington, Carlisle and Lincoln. He was for ten years chief of the Billerica fire department, and was the first worshipful master of Thomas Talbot Lodge of F. A. M. of Billerica. He is also a member of Mt. Horeb Royal Arch Chapter, Ahasuerus Council and Pilgrim Commandery of Knight Templars, all of Lowell, Mass. He is clerk of the board of trustees of Thomas Talbot memorial hall in Billerica. Committee on election laws, 1892.

Vote of district: Charles H. Kohlrausch, Jr., Republican, 744; Paul F. Nason, Democrat, 399; Rufus K. Underhill, Prohibition, 62.

District No. 21. — Ward 1 of Lowell. — Patrick Joseph Savage, Democrat, grocer, of Lowell, was born in Boston, Feb. 26, 1863, and received a public school education. He served two terms in the Lowell common council. Served on committee on fire department in common council. In the House of 1891 he was a member of the committee on public charitable institutions. Committee on public charitable institutions, and House special "Osborne investigation" committee, 1892.

Vote of district: Charles A. Lester, Prohibition, 56; Patrick J. Savage, Democrat, 892; Eben B. Stafford, Republican, 316.

District No. 22. — Ward 2 of Lowell. — Fred N. Wier of Lowell, Republican, lawyer, was born in that city, July 4, 1861, and is a graduate of the Lowell public schools, Amherst College and Boston University Law School. In the House of 1891 he served on the judiciary committee. In 1892 was clerk of that committee, and on committee on elections.

Vote of district: J. Ingraham Brown, Prohibition, 44; Edward Greenhalge, Democrat, 644; Fred N. Wier, Republican, 906.
P. J. KENNEDY,
C. E. HARRIS, House Chairman,
DANIEL McCARTHY,
G. P. CUTLER,
JOHN READE, Chairman,
H. D. BARDWELL,
F. W. FRANCIS,
S. S. BLANCHARD, Clerk,
E. E. TURNER.
District No. 23. — Ward 3 of Lowell. — John W. McEvoy, Democrat, lawyer, of Lowell, was born in that city, July 8, 1863. He attended the Lowell schools, and was graduated from the Lowell high school and the University of Ottawa, Ontario. He was a member of the Lowell school committee in 1889, 1890 and 1891. Committee on cities, 1892.

Vote of district: Frank Arthur Brown, Prohibition, 66; Jerome F. Manning, Republican, 670; John W. McEvoy, Democrat, 1,249.

District No. 24. — Wards 4 and 5 of Lowell, Dracut, Tyngsborough. — Robert G. Bartlett, Republican, of Lowell, real estate dealer, was born in Hopkinton, N. H., April 8, 1834, and attended the local schools and academies. In the House of 1891 and also of 1892 he served on the committees on finance and expenditures.

Clarence G. Coburn, Republican, grocer, of Lowell, was born Jan. 15, 1850, in Dracut, Mass., and is a graduate of the Lowell public schools. In the House of 1891 he served on the committee on manufactures, and served as chairman on the same committee in the House of 1892.

Amasa Pratt, Republican, of Lowell, is a manufacturer of doors, sashes, etc. He was born in Waterville, Me., July 28, 1842, and was educated in the local schools. In the House of 1891 he served on the committee on mercantile affairs. In 1892, on committee on mercantile affairs.

Vote of district: Robert G. Bartlett, Republican, 2,200; John C. Burke, Democrat, 1,499; Clarence G. Coburn, Republican, 2,189; Francis Day, Prohibition, 137; Mark Holmes, Jr., Democrat, 1,440; Orson E. Mallory, Prohibition, 109; Alfred E. Nichols, Prohibition, 130; Amasa Pratt, Republican, 2,193; Warren A. Shelburne, Democrat, 1,418.

District No. 25. — Ward 6 of Lowell. — Charles H. Hobson of Lowell, Democrat, is superintendent of the H. R. Barker Manufacturing Company. He was born June 20, 1857, in Lowell, attended the public schools, and has been a member of the common council in his native city. In the House of 1891 he was a member of the committee on railroads. Committee on railroads, 1892.

Vote of district: Charles H. Hobson, Democrat, 1,172; Daniel E. Kelley, Prohibition, 167.

District No. 26. — Natick. — Edgar S. Dodge, Democrat, physician, was born in Enfield, N. H., Oct. 21, 1853, but has resided in Natick for thirteen years. He attended public schools, the Union Academy, the Harvard Medical School and the Dartmouth Medical College, graduating from the last named institution in 1876. He has served on the boards of health and selectmen, and has held and still holds many positions in local organizations. Committees on drainage and public health, 1892.

Vote of district: Edgar S. Dodge, Democrat, 924; Charles J. Foskett, Prohibition, Republican, 594.

District No. 27. — Hopkinton, Ashland. — Granville Clark Fiske, Republican, of Ashland, was born in Eden, Vt., Aug. 21, 1845. He was educated at the Lamoille Central Academy, Hyde Park, Vt., and at the Bryant & Stratton School, Boston. He is an ice dealer and farmer. He was sergeant-major and adjutant of the Ninth Vermont Regiment for three years. Selectman, overseer of the poor and chief engineer of fire department. A member of the Republican town committee for eleven years and chairman for eight years. Commander of Post 18, G. A. R., three different times, and the last time three years successively. Clerk of committee on drainage, 1892.

Vote of district: Granville C. Fiske, Clerk of Committee on Drainage, 557; James O'Brien, Democrat, 340.

District No. 28. — Holliston, Sherborn, Framingham, Wayland. — George E. Cutler, Republican, of South Framingham, was born in Holliston, Aug. 22, 1824,
COMMITTEE ON STREET RAILWAYS.

P. J. KENNEDY,  
L. M. CLARK, House Chairman,  
J. H. NORTON,  
F. P. ARNOLD,  
E. P. SHAW, Chairman,  
F. C. WOOD,  
S. ANDERSON,  
W. D. DENNIS,  
G. O. PROCTOR,  
JOHN GOLDING, Clerk,  
H. J. JENNINGS.
and attended the Holliston and Framingham schools. He is the treasurer of the Farmers' and Mechanics' Savings Bank, and has been a selectman. Committee on banks and banking, 1892.

RUSSELL MARTIN FRENCH, Democrat, of South Framingham, was born in Washington, Mass., April 22, 1850, and attended the common schools. He is a roofing contractor. He is now serving his second term as a selectman of Framingham, and has served one term on the sewer committee. Committee on roads and bridges, 1892.

Vote of district: Frederick W. Cushing, Democrat, 1,026; George E. Cutler, Republican, 1,165; Russell M. French, Democrat, 1,048; Franklin Grout, Republican, 359.

District No. 29. — Marlborough, Hudson, Sudbury. — WILLIAM HARTWELL BRIGHAM, Republican, shoe manufacturer, of Hudson, was born in Feltonville, now Hudson, Feb. 1, 1863, and attended the public schools. He is a director of the Hudson National Bank, trustee of the Hudson Savings Bank, chairman of the board of selectmen, vice-president and a director of the Hudson Real Estate Company, trustee Hudson Methodist-Episcopal Church. He was first lieutenant of Company M, Fifth Infantry, for three and a half years, resigning last April. Is prominent member of Trinity Commandery, K. T., Houghton R. A. Chapter, Doric Lodge, A. F. and A. M., Aleppo Temple, N. M., Royal Arcanum and Red Men. Committee on military affairs, 1892.

John J. O'Brien, Democrat, shoe sorter, of Marlborough, was born June 11, 1862, in Pepperell, and is a graduate of the Marlborough schools. He has been one of the town auditors. In the House of 1891 he was clerk of the committee on labor. Clerk of joint special committee on administrative boards and commissions, and on joint special recess committee on revision of the judicial system, 1892.

Vote of district: William H. Brigham, Republican, 1,350; William M. Brigham, Republican, 1,285; Waldo W. Fairbanks, Prohibition, 133; Frederick P. Glazier, Prohibition, 139; John J. O'Brien, Democrat, 1,539; Hermon C. Tower, Democrat, 1,183.

District No. 30. — Maynard, Stow, Boxborough, Littleton, Acton, Carlisle. — NATHANIEL EMERY WHITCOMB, Republican, farmer, of Boxborough, was born at Webb, Me., April 11, 1836; moved to Boxborough, Mass., in 1850, where he has made his home ever since, receiving the education which the public schools of the town afforded. Mr. Whitcomb has held various town offices. He is agent for all kinds of agricultural implements, besides dealing more or less each year in farm produce. Committees on elections and constitutional amendments, 1892.

Vote of district: Aaron C. Handley, Democrat, 471; N. Emery Whitcomb, Republican, 692.

District No. 31. — Westford, Groton, Pepperell, Dunstable. — JOSEPH BERTHELET HEADL of Pepperell, Democrat, physician, was born at the Choctaw Agency, Indian Territory, March 18, 1850. He received his education in the Appleton Academy, New Ipswich, N. H., and Noble's private school, Boston, and graduated from Long Island Hospital Medical College in class of 1875. He has been assistant surgeon of Company F, Cavalry, M. V. M., and town treasurer of Pepperell. Clerk of committee on public charitable institutions and on committee on rules, 1892.

Vote of district: Hiram Dane, Prohibition, 21; Wesley O. Hawkes, Republican, 601; Joseph B. Headl, Democrat, 615.

District No. 32. — Ayer, Shirley, Townsend, Ashby. — CLARENCE STICKNEY of West Townsend, Republican, was born in Townsend, July 12, 1849, and attended its public schools. He served as chairman of the board of assessors, selectmen and overseers of poor in 1886 and 1887. He is a manufacturer of cooperage and cooperage stock, Prime's patent egg cases, finished lumber, etc. Committee on liquor law, 1892.

Vote of district: Joel A. Hayward, Prohibition, 56; Thomas L. Hazen, Democrat, 430; Clarence Stickney, Republican, 555.
COMMITTEE ON TAXATION.

E. S. STEVENS,  
S. P. RICHMOND, House Chairman,  
J. F. HINDS,

C. CROSMAN,  
A. B. CHAMPLIN, Chairman,  
G. v. L. MEYER,

G. H. RUGG,  
C. H. HOOKER, Clerk,  
M. F. SULLIVAN.
NANTUCKET COUNTY.

District No. 1 — Nantucket. — Arthur H. Gardner, Republican, of Nantucket, is a newspaper publisher. He was born Aug. 4, 1854, in San Francisco, Cal., and attended the public schools of Nantucket. He has been town clerk, and is chairman of the board of selectmen, county commissioners and school committee. In the House of 1891 he served on the committees on education and printing. House chairman of committee on woman suffrage, also on committee on education, 1892.


NORFOLK COUNTY.

District No. 1. — Dedham, Norwood. — George S. Winslow, Democrat, of Norwood, was born in South Dedham (now Norwood), April 6, 1829, and was educated in the public schools. He is the senior partner of the firm of Winslow Brothers, tanners of sheep leather. In 1892, on committees on mercantile affairs and parishes and religious societies.

Vote of district: James A. Hartshorn, Republican, 799; George S. Winslow, Democrat, 889.

District No. 2. — Brookline. — Jacob P. Bates, Republican, of Brookline, was born in Abington, April 7, 1843, and was educated in the public schools. At the age of fourteen he began work at the shoemaker's bench. Five years after, at the age of nineteen, he responded to President Lincoln's call for three hundred thousand nine-months men. At twenty years of age he came to Boston and found employment with Messrs. C. D. Cobb & Bros., at wages of one dollar per day. Four years later he became a partner in the concern which first gave him employment, and two years later joined in founding what is now the well-known firm of Cobb, Bates & Yerxa, a business partnership which has to-day under successful management ten stores in Boston and vicinity, doing an annual business of millions. He has three times been unanimously elected president of the Wholesale Grocers' Association, and for years has been a director in one of Boston's well-known banks. Committee on mercantile affairs, 1892.

Vote of district: Jacob P. Bates, Republican, 876; Enoch E. Doran, Prohibition, 32; William H. White, Democrat, 727.

District No. 3. — Hyde Park. — Wilbur Howard Powers, Republican, lawyer, of Hyde Park, was born Jan. 22, 1849, in Croydon, N. H., and is a graduate of Kimball Union Academy, Dartmouth College and Boston University Law School. In 1889 and 1890 he was the town attorney for Hyde Park. As a member of the House, his committee appointments have included the following: 1890, railroads, engrossed bills (chairman); investigation of the lobby, methods of elevated railroads; 1891, railroads, rules, re-districting (chairman), freight car couplers and brakes. In 1892, House chairman of committee on railroads, and on committee on rules.


District No. 4. — Milton, Canton. — George Robert Russell Rivers of Milton, Democrat, was born in Providence, May 28, 1853. He is a lawyer, and also does a real estate business in the vicinity of Milton. From 1863 to 1866 he studied at William N. Eayrs's in Boston; from 1866 to 1870, in Switzerland, France, Italy and Germany; in 1870 and 1871, at Noble's School in Boston. Entering Harvard College in the last-named year, he graduated in 1875. From 1876 to 1879 he was in the Harvard Law School. President of Milton Democratic club from 1887 to 1891; chairman of Demo-
COMMITTEE ON TOWNS.

S. A. HICKOX,  
A. O. WILDER, House Chairman,  
WM. LUTHER,  
H. J. JENNISON,  
J. R. THAYER, Chairman,  
T. F. QUINN,  
A. A. LAWRENCE.  
J. S. GRAY, Clerk.  
E. E. JORDAN.
cratic town committee from 1887 to 1891; chairman first Norfolk Democratic committee from 1890 to 1891. Committee on probate and insolvency, and clerk of committee on election laws, 1892.

Vote of district: Calvin G. Hill, Republican, 610; George R. R. Rivers, Democrat, 686.

District No. 5. — Quincy, Weymouth. — Zechariah Lovell Bicknell, Democrat, of Weymouth, keeps a country store. He was born in the eastern part of Weymouth, June 28, 1820, and attended the public schools and Willard Academy, Hingham. He has been selectman, assessor and overseer of the poor and member of the school committee, trustee of the public library and president of the East Weymouth Savings Bank. In the House of 1891 he served on the committee on public charitable institutions. Committees on parishes and religious societies and public charitable institutions, 1892.

James F. Burke, Democrat, of Quincy, is in the granite business. He is a native of Quincy; was born Nov. 2, 1861, and received a public school education. He has served two terms in the city council, and is serving his fourth term as trustee of the city hospital. In the House of 1891 he served on the committee on water supply. In 1892, on the committee on railroads.

John R. Graham of Quincy, Republican, was born in Enniskillen, Ireland, Dec. 19, 1847; educated in the public schools of Boston; served in the late war in Company A, Forty-second Massachusetts Infantry, and Company E, Fourth Massachusetts Cavalry. Is a manufacturer of gentlemen's fine boots and shoes. President of the Quincy & Boston Electric Railroad, director of the Broadway National Bank, Boston, and trustee of the Quincy Savings Bank. Committee on rapid transit, 1892.

Vote of district: Zechariah L. Bicknell, Democrat, 2,178; James F. Burke, Democrat, 2,263; James H. Flint, Republican, 2,175; John R. Graham, Republican, 2,191; Alfred W. Sprague, Prohibition, 132; James Thompson, Republican, 2,101; Waldo Turner, Prohibition, 138; Albert P. Worthen, Democrat, 2,071; J. Herbert Yeoman, Prohibition, 122.

District No. 6. — Braintree, Holbrook. — B. Herbert Woodsum of Braintree, Republican, tack manufacturer, was born Oct. 4, 1857, in Randolph, Mass., and attended the public schools of Braintree. In the House of 1891 he served on the committee on printing. House chairman of the committee on the liquor law, 1892.

Vote of district: Frederick W. Whitcomb, Democrat, 623; B. Herbert Woodsum, Republican, 657.

District No. 7. — Randolph, Stoughton, Sharon, Walpole, Avon. — Robert P. Capen, Democrat, farmer, a native resident of Stoughton, was born May 6, 1824, and educated in the public schools and the Adelphian Academy. Was formerly a teacher and member of the school committee, and was afterwards employed in the machine-fitting department in the manufacture of boots and shoes. He is now for the fifth year town treasurer. Was a member of the House of 1891, serving on the committee on roads and bridges. House committees on probate and insololvency and roads and bridges, 1892.

Timothy Francis Quinn of Sharon, Democrat, was born in Boston, Dec. 27, 1863. He is a graduate of the Quincy grammar school and of the English high school, both of Boston. He is a contractor for unloading and loading ocean steamships and sailing vessels, and is auditor for the town of Sharon. Committee on towns, 1892.

Vote of district: Robert P. Capen, Democrat, 1,147; Sanford E. Capen, Prohibition, 103; Joseph B. Leonard, Republican, 1,051; Aaron R. Morse, Prohibition, 73; Timothy F. Quinn, Democrat, 1,190; Silas A. Stone, Republican, 1,078.

District No. 8. — Franklin, Foxborough, Wrentham, Bellingham, Medway, Norfolk. — Amos P. Woodward, Republican, of Franklin, was born in that town, Dec. 23, 1837.
COMMITTEE ON WATER SUPPLY.

R. A. CARTER,  G. K. NICHOLS,  J. M. DANFORTH,  W. H. HEMENWAY,
S. A. HOWE, House Chairman,  E. F. WYER, Chairman,  D. W. BATTLES, Clerk,
G. L. SOULE,  M. B. GILBRIDE,  J. J. HOAR,  H. E. RUGGLES.
He is a real estate dealer, but was formerly manufacturer and travelling salesman, having travelled extensively, and been in every town from Maine to the Missouri River. Committee on agriculture, 1892.

HENRY E. RUGGLES, Democrat, lawyer, of Franklin, was born in Boston, July 25, 1858. He is a graduate of the Upton high school, Phillips Exeter Academy and Willis-ton Seminary. He was town clerk of Franklin in 1890, 1891 and 1892. Committees on probate and insolvency and water supply in 1892.

Vote of district: Erastus P. Carpenter, Republican, 851; Timothy Ide. Prohibition, 142; William Mann. Prohibition, 149; Henry E. Ruggles, Democrat, 1,095; Amos P. Woodward, Republican, 1,085.

District No. 9 — Needham, Dover, Medfield, Wellesley,Millis.—Nathan Francis Harding. Republican, carpenter and builder, a native resident of Medfield, was born Nov. 8, 1848, and received a public school education. He has been selectman of Medfield three years, and served in the rebellion in the Forty-fourth Massachusetts Volunteers and the Eleventh Massachusetts Light Battery. Was commander of Moses Ellis Post 117, G. A. R., two years. In the House of 1891 he was a member of the committee on military affairs. Joint special committee on administrative boards and commissions, 1892.

Vote of district: Nathan F. Harding, Republican, 767; Freeman Phillips, Democrat, 548.

PLYMOUTH COUNTY.

District No. 1. — Plymouth. — Edward Baker Atwood of Plymouth, Republican, was born in Wellfleet, May 13, 1845. He attended the Plymouth common and high schools, and took a year's course at a business college. For the past ten years he has been in the lumber business. He followed the sea before that, and was captain of a vessel in the coastwise and West Indian trade for fifteen years. He is president of the Co-operative Bank and trustee and committee on investments in the Five Cents Savings Bank. Committee on fisheries and game, 1892.

Vote of district: Edward B. Atwood, Republican, 718; Elkanah Finney, Democrat, 598.

District No. 2. — Marshfield, Kingston, Plympton, Duxbury — Ebenezer Elbridge Atwood of Kingston. Republican, was born in Carver, March 8, 1842, and attended the public schools of his native town. He is road commissioner. From 1885 to 1891 he was a selectman and assessor. Committee on military affairs, 1892.

Vote of district: E. Elbridge Atwood, Republican, 529; John H. Haverstock. Prohibition, 31; William J. Wright, Democrat, 376.

District No. 3. — Scituate, Norwell, Hanson, Pembroke. — Thomas Barstow of Norwell, Republican, is a carpenter and builder He was born in South Scituate, now Norwell, April 26, 1850, and is a descendant of Thomas Barstow, who was identified with the ship-building interests on North River during its most flourishing career. He was educated in the public schools and Hanover Academy. He is chairman of the Norwell board of selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor. Committee on roads and bridges, 1892.

Vote of district: Thomas Barstow, Republican, 481; Joseph H. Corthell, Democrat, 353; Galen Watson, Prohibition, 56.

District No. 4. — Cohasset, Hingham, Hull. — Amos Abbott Lawrence, Republican, merchant, is a native resident of Cohasset, and was born Nov. 3, 1847. He attended the public schools and graduated from the high school in 1864, then attended a Boston business college. After nine years in employ of Edward E. Tower, rising from office boy to head book-keeper, he became a member of the firm. He took charge of a branch establishment in New York City, but returned to Boston in 1878, where he went
COMMITEE ON WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

M. J. McETTRICK, A. H. GARDNER, House Chairman, J. H. FLETCHER,
S. E. HOWARD, F. P. ARNOLD, Chairman, B. F. BROWN,
B. W. WARREN, H. D. BARDWELL, Clerk, EDWARD FAIRBANKS.
into business on his own account, under the firm name of A. A. Lawrence & Co. President of the Cohasset Electric Lighting Company since it was organized. He is a member of Cohasset Lodge, No. 192, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, and also of Konohasset Lodge, A. F. and A. M., of Cohasset, being a worshipful master. He has been a member of the Cohasset school committee and of the central school building committee. In 1892, on committee on towns.

Vote of district: Amos A. Lawrence, Republican, 619; Joseph B. Lincoln, Democrat, 592; Isaac Tower, Prohibition, 32.

District No. 5. — Rockland, Hanover. — Joshua S. Gray of Rockland, Republican, was born in East Abington (now Rockland), Aug. 16, 1840. Educated at public schools of Malden and Rockland. Worked in the shoe factory of Dane, Grinnell & Co., as shoe cutter and book-keeper, until appointed as manager of the factory. Afterwards, in 1881, engaged in retail dry goods business at Rockland. Enlisted in 1862 in Company G, Forty-third Regiment, M. V. M., serving eleven months in Newbern, N. C., and in Virginia; discharged on expiration of term of service. Has served on town committee, and been a member of G. A. R. Post 74 since its organization in 1869. Clerk of committee on towns, 1892.

Vote of district: William J. Barry, Democrat, 590; Averill A. Crooker, Prohibition, 31; Joshua S. Gray, Republican, 705.

District No. 6. — Whitman, Abington. — Jeremiah T. Richmond, Republican, of Abington, was born in Taunton, March 24, 1829, and attended public and private schools there. Formerly he was a machinist. Removed to Abington in 1851 and engaged in the shoe business. He has served on the Republican town committee for several years and on the board of registrars for two years. He commands Old Colony Commandery, Knight Templars. Superintendent of Congregational Sunday-school. Committee on prisons, 1892.

Vote of district: Joseph G. Lowe, Prohibition, 54; Jeremiah T. Richmond, Republican, 908; John S. White, Democrat, 730.

District No. 7. — Mattapoisett, Marion, Wareham, Rochester, Carver. — Hiram Webster Barrows, Republican, carriage maker, of Wareham, was born in that town, July 19, 1834, and attended its schools. He was captain of the steamer "E. H. Fairchilds," a government transport in the New Orleans department in 1864 and 1865. Committee on fisheries and game, 1892.

Vote of district: Hiram W. Barrows, Republican, 456; John W. Delano, Democrat, 250; Galen Humphrey, Republican Independent Nomination Paper, 66.

District No. 8 — Middleborough, Lakeville, Halifax. — George L. Soule of Middleborough, Republican, was born in that town, March 25, 1832, and attended its common schools and Pierce Academy. He is a furniture dealer. Committees on county estimates and water supply, 1892.

Vote of district: Ephraim A. Hunt, Prohibition, 53; George L. Soule, Republican, 714; Charles W. Turner, Democrat, 419.

District No. 9. — Bridgewater, East Bridgewater, West Bridgewater. — George C. Howard, Republican, of West Bridgewater, farmer, was born in that town, Oct. 2, 1860; was educated in public schools of the town and at Bridgewater State Normal School. Has served on school committee. Clerk of committee on education, 1892.

Vote of district: George D Alden, Democrat, 701; George C. Howard, Republican, 757; Elmer Keith, Prohibition, 53.

District No. 10. — Wards 4, 5 and 6 of Brockton. — George Hamilton Garfield of Brockton, Republican, was born at West Dennis, July 18, 1858, and attended its schools. He is a meat and provision dealer. Went to Boston when seventeen years
COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS.

(Joint Special.)

M. J. McETTRICK, E. F. WYER, F. H. APPLETON, J. H. CARTER.
S. W. McCALL, House Chairman, W. M. BUTLER, Chairman, J. J. O'BRIEN, Clerk.
N. F. HARDING, J. J. GILES, J. T. McLAUGHLIN, P. B. LUBY.
of age; worked in the dry goods business in Chelsea two years, and then for Shepard & Norwell in Boston seven years; went to Brockton in 1882. House chairman committee on pay roll and on committee on rapid transit, 1892.

Vote of district: George H. Garfield, Republican, 879; Michael Moran, Democrat, 811; William H. Pierce, Prohibition, 50.

**District No. 11. — Wards 2 and 3 of Brockton. — Emery M. Low of Brockton, Republican, paper-box manufacturer, was born in Roxbury, March 10, 1849. His education was acquired in Tewksbury and Lowell schools. He has been four years in the Brockton city council, two years in each branch. Chairman of committee on leave of absence and on committee on drainage, 1892.

Vote of district: Emery M. Low, Republican, 970; John H. Tucker, Democrat, 420.

**District No. 12 — Wards 1 and 7 of Brockton. — David Wallace Battles, Republican, of Brockton, was born in North Bridgewater, Jan. 20, 1854. He was educated at Cornell University. He was a member of the Brockton school board in 1889, 1890 and 1891. He is foreman in a shoe factory. Clerk of committee on water supply, 1892, and member of joint special committee to represent the state at the opening of the Columbian Exposition at Chicago.

Vote of district: David W. Battles, Republican, 718; Ebenezer Fuller, Prohibition, 32; Andrew Grant, Democrat, 435.

**SUFFOLK COUNTY.

**District No. 1. — Ward 1 of Boston. — Lewis Burnham, Republican, is engaged in real estate and insurance, and lives at No. 148 Brooks Street, East Boston. He was born in Essex, April 23, 1844, and attended the public schools of that town. In 1892, on committee on prisons.

Frank Cushing Wood, Republican, is a dry goods merchant, and lives at No. 406 Meridian Street, East Boston. He was born in Freedom, N. H., Sept. 20, 1849, and attended the common district school. In 1889, 1890 and 1891 he was a member of the common council. In 1892, on committee on street railways.

Vote of district: Lewis Burnham, Republican, 1,440; James O'Connor, Democrat, 1,015; Charles A. Tilden, Democrat, 1,313; Frank C. Wood, Republican, 1,448.

**District No. 2 — Ward 2 of Boston. — Charles Aloysius Kelly, Democrat, printer, lives at No. 73 Maverick Street, East Boston. He was born April 7, 1858, in Dubuque, Ia., but received his education in the Boston public schools. He has been president of the Young Men's Catholic Lyceum. In the House in 1891 he served on the committee on taxation. Committee on insurance, 1892.

Benjamin Joseph Sullivan, Democrat, clerk, lives at No. 21 London Street, East Boston. He was born in this city, Jan. 12, 1856, and attended its public schools. In 1886 he was a member of the common council, and from 1887 to 1891 superintendent of the East Boston post-office. Clerk of committee on liquor law, 1892.

Vote of district: Warner Demond, Republican Voters Nomination Paper, 457; Edwin M. Fales, Prohibition, 68; Charles A. Kelley, Democrat, 1,470; Albert T. Snow, Republican Voters Nomination Paper, 375; Benjamin J. Sullivan, Democrat, 1,422.

**District No. 3. — Ward 3 of Boston. — Cornelius E. Mahoney, Democrat, engineer, born in Charlestown, Jan. 17, 1858. Graduate of the old Winthrop school. A member of the Urbanes and Moulton's Associates, local organizations of Charlestown. Has always been a resident of Charlestown. Been in the employ of Roughan Brothers, stee- dores, for over eighteen years; lives at No. 92 Elm Street, Charlestown. In the House in 1891, serving on committee on State House, and in 1892 on committees on libraries and constitutional amendments.
COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC RESERVATIONS.
(Joint Special.)

H. A. KIMBALL,
P. BLODGETT, House Chairman,
I. McLEAN,

F. P. BENNETT,
B. M. FERNALD, Chairman,
D. C. NICHOLS.

M. R. LEONARD.
WARREN HOYT: Clerk.
J. A. DRISCOLL.
JOHN F. SUNDBERG, Democrat, who lives at No. 179 Chelsea Street, is a photographic etcher. He was born at Gottenberg, Sweden, Oct. 15, 1860. In 1887 he was a common councilman. On committees on elections and leave of absence, 1892.

Vote of district: John Bryant, Republican, 717; C. Dana Dunton, Republican, 902; Lewis E. Hoisington, Prohibition, 52; Cornelius E. Mahoney, Democrat, 1,064; Richard C. Starks, Prohibition, 55; John F. Sundberg, Democrat, 1,182.

District No. 4. — Ward 4 of Boston. — WILLIAM HERBERT OAKES, Republican, is a grocer, and lives at No. 25 Russell Street, Charlestown. He was born in Cohasset, Jan. 24, 1857, and is a graduate of the Charlestown schools. He sat for three years in the Boston common council, and was a member of the House in 1891, with service as House chairman of the committee on military affairs. He is a major in the Fifth Infantry, M. V. M., having served through all the lower grades of rank, and is prominent in Masonry and Odd Fellowship. Member of ward and city committee, 1888-92; president of the 17th of June carnival association; a director in the "New England Grocer" Publishing Company; past commander of the Charlestown Cadets, Company A, Fifth Infantry; member of the Society of Sons of the Revolution and of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company. House chairman of committee on military affairs, 1892.

EDWARD EVERETT TURNER, Democrat, of Charlestown, is a wood carver. He was born in that district, April 15, 1837, and was educated at the Harvard school. In 1892, on House committees on pay roll and State House.

Vote of district: William H. Breen, Democrat, 787; William H. Oakes, Republican, 936; Israel F. Pierce, Republican, 802; Edward E. Turner, Democrat, 894.

District No. 5. — Ward 5 of Boston. — EDWARD WEBB PRESSO, Republican, is in the subscription book business, and lives at No. 54 Chestnut Street, Charlestown. He was born in Charlestown, May 29, 1859, attended its public schools, and is a graduate of Tufts College. A member of the House in 1890 and 1891, he was appointed to the committees on cities and constitutional amendments, and in the latter year he was a member of the committee on redistricting the congressional districts. In 1892, House chairman of committee on cities and member of the joint special committee on revision of judicial system.

CHARLES M. DACEY, Democrat, undertaker, lives at No. 23 Washington Street, Charlestown, the district in which he was born, Aug. 7, 1863. He attended the Harvard grammar school. In 1892, clerk of committee on prisons.

Vote of district: Edward H. Carter, Prohibition, 32; Charles M. Dacey, Democrat, 1,036; James H. Martin, Prohibition, 26; Maurice J. McKenna, Democrat, 951; Edward W. Presso, Republican, 1,088; Arthur W. Robinson, Republican, 886.

District No. 6. — Ward 6 of Boston. — JEREMIAH J. CROWLEY, Democrat, upholsterer, lives at 3 Phipps Place. He was born in this city in 1852, and attended the public schools. In the House of 1891 and 1892 he served on the committees on expenditures and finance.

JAMES O. FALLON, Democrat, clerk, lives at No. 13 Charter Street; born March 16, 1840, in Sligo, Ireland; received education in public schools of Lawrence, Mass. Was member of House in 1870 and 1871, on committees on pay roll, fisheries and leave of absence; was also member in 1891, on committee on administrative boards and commissions. In 1892, on committee on federal relations.

Vote of district: Jeremiah J. Crowley, Republican, Democrat, 1,160; James O. Fallon, Republican, Democrat, 1,111.

District No. 7. — Ward 7 of Boston. — PATRICK F. BROGAN, Democrat, printer, lives at No. 66 North Margin Street. He was born in Boston, Jan. 3, 1862, and attended its
COMMITTEE ON RAPID TRANSIT.

F. H. RAYMOND, W. S. McNARY, LUTHER DAME.
F. W. BLISS, S. D. CHARLES.
F. P. BENNETT, House Chairman, W. H. WEST, Chairman,
C. M. BACHELIER, A. C. RICHARDSON, J. B. LYNCH,
A. F. NUTTING, J. R. GRAHAM,
P. BLODGETT, Clerk.
J. HOPEWELL, Jr.
G. H. GARFIELD.
public schools. In 1891 he was a member of its common council. Committee on county estimates, 1892.

Edward P. Clark, Democrat, stable keeper, was born in Boston, Dec. 4, 1858; educated in the public schools. Member of common council of 1890, serving on committees on city clerk, lamp department, Fourth of July and consolidation of departments. Secured placing of first public boat landing of the city on Charles River bridge. Re-elected to common council of 1891, and was made chairman of above committees; also served on committee on department of inspection of buildings. Secured the offering of prize for twelve-oared barge race, July 4, first race of the kind ever seen in New England, which led to formation of New England Amateur Barge Racing Association, whose races are now a feature of every Boston regatta. Committee on consolidation of departments, of which he was chairman, that year consolidated five city departments into the street department. Was endorsed by both parties for Legislature of 1892, in which he served on committee on printing.

Vote of district: Patrick F. Brogan, Republican, Democrat, 614; Edward P. Clark, Republican, Democrat, 639; James D. Doherty, Democrat Independent Nomination Paper, 535.

District No. 8.—Ward 8 of Boston.—Daniel F. Breen, Democrat, is an instructor of rowing. Born in Boston, June 7, 1860, and educated in the public schools. In 1889 and 1890 was a member of the Boston common council. In 1891 was a member of the House, serving on committee on county estimates. In 1892, on committee on drainage.

Michael B. Gilbride, Democrat, dealer in seeds and farm tools, lives at No. 10 Billerica Street. He was born in Boston, Feb. 13, 1866, and was educated at St. Mary's School and Boston College. In 1890 and 1891 he was a member of the common council and of the Democratic ward and city committee. On committee on water supply, 1892.

Vote of district: Daniel F. Breen, Democrat, 1,020; Jeremiah J. Donovan, Republican, 313; Michael B. Gilbride, Democrat, 1,002; Gustavus B. Hutchinson, Republican, 338; George S. Pike, Prohibition, 47; John H. Wetherbee, Prohibition, 37.

District No. 9.—Ward 9 of Boston.—Charles Edward Harris, Republican, caterer, lives at No. 24 Phillips Street. He was born in Boston, in 1852, and was educated here. In 1889 and 1890 he was a member of the common council. In 1892, House chairman of committee on State House and on committee on county estimates.

George von L. Meyer, Republican, merchant, lives at No. 54 Beacon Street. He was born in Boston, June 24, 1853, and was educated in its schools and at Harvard College. He was a member of the common council in 1889 and 1890, and of the board of aldermen in 1891. In 1892, on committees on cities and taxation.

Vote of district: Charles E. Harris, Republican, 662; John J. Leary, Democrat, 471; William N. McKenna, Democrat, 501; George v. L. Meyer, Republican, 810; Columbus S. Scofield, Prohibition, 74; John Tobias, Prohibition, 71.

District No. 10.—Ward 10 of Boston.—Bowdoin Strong Parker, Republican, lawyer, lives at No. 54 Bowdoin Street. He was born in Conway, Aug. 10, 1841, and was educated in the public schools and at Boston University, graduating from the law department with degree of LL.B. In 1889, 1890 and 1891 he was a member of the common council. In the war he was a member of the Fifty-second Regiment, Massachusetts Volunteers. He has been captain of Company A, Second Regiment Infantry, M. V. M. (two years), adjutant of the Second Regiment (three years), and captain and judge-advocate of the First Brigade (seven years), and is now lieutenant-colonel and assistant adjutant-general of the First Brigade. Is a member of E. W. Kinsley Post, No. 113, G. A. R. House committee on the judiciary, 1892.

Charles F. Sprague, Republican, born in Boston, June 10, 1857. Was graduated from Harvard, 1879. Studied law in Harvard and Boston law schools, and is now a
THE OLD STATE HOUSE.

Built in 1748, on site of burned town hall, at the head of State Street, Boston.

In the foreground occurred the Boston Massacre of March 5, 1770. Been used as State House, City Hall and Post Office. British troops quartered here, 1768, and General Gage held council of war here before battle of Bunker Hill. Declaration of Independence read from balcony in view; from other end Washington reviewed procession in 1789. Here State Constitution planned and ratified. William Lloyd Garrison took refuge here from mob, October, 1835, it being then used for City Hall.
member of the Suffolk bar. Served two years in common council of city of Boston, 1889 and 1890, from Ward 10. Was member of Legislature in 1891, serving on committee on bills in the third reading. Elected alternate delegate to Minneapolis convention in 1892. Committees on election laws and probate and insolvency, 1892.

Vote of district: Norman H. Gray, Prohibition, 39; Edward M. Harding, Democrat, 389; Andrew Howes, Prohibition, 34; Bowdoin S. Parker, Republican, 602; Charles F. Sprague, Republican, 609; John H. Storer, Democrat, 362.

*District No. 11 — Ward 11 of Boston.* — Perlie A. Dyar, Republican, was born in Lynn, thirty-five years ago; educated in the schools of Cambridge; engaged in the provision business at Allston. Active and prominent in military matters. Captain of Company C, First Infantry, until made major, recently, in same regiment. Served on committees on elections and public buildings, the Common and public grounds and markets, in Boston common council. In House of Representatives in 1891 was on committee on military affairs. Committee on railroads, 1892.

James Monroe Olmstead, Republican, lawyer, lives at No. 56 Gloucester Street. He was born Feb. 6, 1852, in Framingham, and received his education at the Roxbury Latin School, Harvard University, University of Heidelberg and Boston University. He studied law with the present Chief Justice Field, and was admitted to the bar in 1877. Graduated at Harvard in 1873 with rank of A.B. and honors in classics, J.U.D. at Heidelberg in 1875 and L.L.B. at Boston University in 1877. For two years he was president of the Republican city committee of Boston. As a member of the House in 1891 he served on the committees on election laws (chairman) and probate and insolvency. House chairman of committee on mercantile affairs, 1892.

Vote of district: Fred W. Ainsworth, Prohibition, 95; Russell S. Codman, Democrat, 1,280; Perlie A. Dyar, Republican, 1,744; William A. Gaston, Democrat, 1,254; Edward S. Kelley, Prohibition, 75; James M. Olmstead, Republican, 1,622.

*District No. 12 — Ward 12 of Boston.* — Patrick J. Heffernin, Democrat, of Boston, liquor dealer, lives at No. 45 Bennett Street. He was born in Boston, in 1846, and attended its public schools. Was a member of the common council in 1890. In 1891 was in the House, and served on the committee on election laws. In 1892 was on committee on manufactures.

Daniel P. Toomey, Democrat, printer and publisher, lives at No. 89 Tyler Street. He was born in Ireland, March 16, 1862, and was educated in Boston. Member of common council of Boston in 1890 and 1891. On committee on fisheries and game in House of 1892.

Vote of district: Thomas II. Bond, Republican, 238; William C. Cooleedg, Republican, 213; Patrick J. Heffernin, Democrat, 824; Charles H. Jordan, Prohibition, 38; Alexander A. MacDonald, Prohibition, 25; Michael F. Sullivan, Democrat Independent Nomination Paper, 247; Daniel P. Toomey, Democrat, 807.

*District No. 13. — Ward 13 of Boston.* — Daniel McCarthy, Democrat, is a draftsman; was born July 1, 1856, in St. Louis, Mo., and attended Catholic institutions in St. Louis and Rockland, Mich. A member of the House in 1891, he served on the committee on engrossed bills. In 1892, on the committees on county estimates and State House.

Thomas A. Quinn, Democrat, printer, lives in South Boston. He was born in Boston, June 1, 1858, and attended its schools. In 1892, on committee on drainage.

SERGEANT-AT-ARMS AND APPOINTEES.

W. S. STODDARD, J. N. TOLMAN,
J. R. BROWN, J. G. B. ADAMS, Sergeant-at-Arms,
D. W. TAFT, C. W. PHILBRICK,
D. C. PALMER, 
C. B. HUTCHINSON.
C. G. DAVIS, Clerk.
J. A. ROBERTS.
R. J. TAYLOR,
District No. 14. — Ward 14 of Boston. — Charles J. Chance, Democrat, barber, lives in South Boston. He was born in Cambridge, Dec. 19, 1857, and was educated in the Boston schools. He was a member of the Boston common council in 1889 and a member of the House in 1891, serving on the committee on printing. In 1888 he was district master workman of the Knights of Labor of Massachusetts; now he is master workman of Local Assembly No. 4577. In 1892, clerk of committee on public health, also on committee on printing.

Richard F. McSolla, Democrat, boiler maker, was born in Boston, Jan. 27, 1855, and educated in its public schools. As a member of the House in 1891, he served on the committee on library. In 1892 he served on the same committee and on that on public service.

Vote of district: Eben W. Blanchard, Prohibition, 147; Charles M. Bromwich, Republican, 1,266; Charles J. Chance, Democrat, 1,868; Miner H. A. Evans, Prohibition, 79; Richard F. McSolla, Democrat, 1,816; John D. Walworth, Republican, 1,294.

District No. 15. — Ward 15 of Boston. — Joseph James Casey, Democrat, is a clothing dealer, and lives at No. 158 Eighth Street, South Boston. He was born in Boston, Dec. 25, 1863, and attended its public schools, graduating from the John A. Andrew school, 1879. In 1890 and 1891 he was a member of the common council, receiving a number of testimonials from labor organizations for his efforts in their behalf; also a member of the ward committee. Committees on elections and public health, 1892.

John B. Lynch, Democrat, is a salesman, and lives at No. 66 Telegraph Street, South Boston. He was born in that district, April 13, 1858, and is a graduate of the English high school. A member of the House in 1890 and 1891, his committee appointments have included water supply, street railways and administrative boards and commissions. In 1892, member of rapid transit committee.

Vote of district: William G. Ball, Republican, 669; Joseph J. Casey, Democrat, 1,455; Jeppe H. Lund, Republican, 523; John B. Lynch, Democrat, 1,432.

District No. 16. — Ward 16 of Boston. — Thomas J. Keliher, Democrat, grocer, lives at No. 65 Albion Street. He was born in Boston, Oct. 13, 1858, and is a graduate of the public schools. He served four years in the Boston common council, and was a member of the House in 1889 and 1891, with assignment to the committee on harbors and public lands. In 1892 he was on the same committee.

Isaac Rosnosky, Democrat, is a clothing manufacturer, and lives at No. 11 Dwight Street. He was born Nov. 6, 1846, at Wollstein, Prussia, and was educated in the schools of his native place. He served seven terms in the Boston common council, and was first a member of the House in 1880, being appointed to the committee on public health. In the House for 1891 he was a member of the committee on cities, and in 1892 he served again on the same committee.

Vote of district: Alfred D. Barter, Prohibition, 37; Thomas D. Barter, Prohibition, 26; Thomas J. Keliher, Democrat, 617; James F. Marston, Republican, 274; John L. Murphy, Democrat, 568; Henry C. Richardson, Republican, 511; Isaac Rosnosky, Democrat Independent Nomination Paper, 850.

District No. 17. — Ward 17 of Boston. — Andrew Mark Lanigan, Democrat, provision dealer, lives at No. 37 East Canton Street. He is a native of Boston, and was born July 10, 1860, and was educated in the public schools. As a member of the House in 1891, he served on the committee on drainage. In 1892, clerk of committee on constitutional amendments and on committee on engrossed bills.

Bernard M. Wolf, Democrat, merchant, lives at No. 100 Appleton Street. He was born in Boston, Feb. 17, 1863, and was educated at the Rice training and English high schools. In 1892, on committee on public service.
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SENATE DOORKEEPERS AND MESSENGERS.

D. T. REMINGTON, W. H. WHITING, C. N. MARSH,
J. SIDWELL, Asst. Doorkeeper, S. W. EDGELL, Doorkeeper, J. E. ARMSTRONG,
J. P. CARNEY, Page, L. K. DAVIS, B. H. JELLISON,
C. N. MARSH, J. E. ARMSTRONG,
C. H. JOHNSON.
Vote of district: James M. Gray, Prohibition, 79; Isaac P. Hutchinson, Republican, 968; Andrew M. Lanigan, Democrat, 1,061; Charles S. Strickland, Prohibition, 50; William W. Towle, Republican, 973; Bernard M. Wolf, Democrat, 896.

District No. 18 — Ward 18 of Boston. — Samuel Stillman Blanchard, Republican, lives at No. 140 West Concord Street. He was born in Cambridge, June 23, 1835, and was educated in the public schools of Boston. He was formerly in the boot and shoe manufacturing business, under the firm style of Chase, Merritt & Blanchard, but in 1882 began the cultivation of wheat in Blanchard, North Dakota, a town named after him, retaining his residence in Boston. Mr. Blanchard is a nephew of the late Thomas Blanchard, the inventor, and was nominated in his will as trustee of the estate. He is a life member of the veteran organization of the First Corps of Cadets and of the Bostonian Society; also a life member and ex-president of the Mercantile Library Association. A member of the House in 1891, he was placed on the committee on public charitable institutions and state library. Mr. Blanchard is of Huguenot descent. House chairman of committee on public charitable institutions and clerk of committee on State House, 1892.

Augustus Gordon Perkins, Republican, wholesale paper dealer, lives at No. 34 Worcester Square. He was born in Newcastle, Me., June 20, 1816, and was educated in public schools in that town and at Lincoln Academy. In 1886, 1887 and 1888 he was a member of the Boston common council. As a member of the House in 1890, he served on the committee on elections. Clerk of committee on banks and banking and on committee on liquor law, 1892.

Vote of district: Samuel Stillman Blanchard, Republican, 1,090; James C. Laughton, Democrat, 721; Augustus G. Perkins, Republican, 1,105; William H. Thomas, Democrat, 578.

District No. 19. — Ward 19 of Boston. — Charles H. Bryant, Republican, confectioner, lives at No. 18 Walpole Street. He was born in Boston, May 28, 1854, and attended its public schools. In 1890 he was a member of the common council. Member of the Washington Lodge, F. and A. M., also a past grand in the Odd Fellows, Roxbury lodge. Committee on insurance, 1892.

William J. Dolan, Democrat, lawyer, was born in Boston, Nov. 4, 1864, and was graduated from the Roxbury public schools and Harvard University. In 1892, clerk of committee on probate and insolvency, also on bills in the third reading.

Vote of district: Charles H. Bryant, Republican, 786; William J. Dolan, Democrat, 909; Thomas F. Fallon, Democrat Independent Nomination Paper, 669; August Grohe, Prohibition, 40; Lewis G. Grossman, Republican Independent Nomination Paper, 152; Thomas F. Lyons, Democrat, 755; Thomas L. Noonan, Democrat Labor Nomination Paper, 478; Thomas C. Thompson, Republican, 600; David A. Van Ham, Prohibition, 41.

District No. 20. — Ward 20 of Boston. — John Golding, Democrat, lives at No. 31 Blue Hill Avenue, Roxbury, and is a piano varnisher and polisher, having in charge work for the New England Piano Company at its George Street factory. He was born in Ireland, in April, 1849, but, coming to this country when but four years of age, attended the Roxbury public schools. He has been a member of the Democratic ward and city committee for nine years, five years as chairman of the Ward 20 local committee. First president of the Roxbury Bachelor Club, member of the Catholic Order of Foresters, and past president of the Highland Mutual Relief Society. In the House of 1891 he was placed on the committee on manufactures. Clerk of committee on street railways, 1892.

John J. Hoar, Democrat, was born in Ireland, June 1, 1863, and came to Boston when six months old. He is a graduate of the Boston public schools and also of Boston
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HOUSE DOORKEEPERS AND MESSENGERS.

E. T. POPE,
J. J. MAHONEY, P. M.,
J. B. HOLLIS, Jr.,
JOHN KINNEAR, Asst. Doorkeeper,
H. W. SYKES,

F. STEELE,

B. B. BROWN,
J. BEATTY,
T. J. TUCKER, Doorkeeper,
T. F. PEDRICK,

B. F. WILSON,
C. D. UFFORD,
J. CONNETON,
E. C. GOULD,

T. COYNE,

J. B. FISHER.
College. He is a salesman in the wholesale paint and oil house of Charles Richardson & Co. In 1888 and 1889 Mr. Hoar was a member of the common council from Ward 29, and he now represents that ward in the Democratic city committee. In 1892, on committee on water supply.

Vote of district: David G. Eldridge, Republican, 1,222; John Golding, Democrat, 2,167; John J. Hoar, Democrat, 2,097; George C. Ward, Republican, 1,211.

District No. 21. — Ward 21 of Boston. — Benjamin F. Brown, Republican, is agent and statistician of the Equitable Life Assurance Society. He lives at No. 24 Cliff Street, Roxbury, and was born in that district, Feb. 23, 1834. He attended the Washington and Roxbury Latin schools. In 1889, 1890 and 1891 he was a member of the common council. His first presidential vote was cast in 1856 for Fremont. He was a member of the old New England Guards, Massachusetts Second Battalion, previous to 1860, in which year he went abroad. He resided in London until 1878, excepting about four years passed in Liverpool as manager of the Lancashire branch office of the New York Life Insurance Company. Clerk of insurance committee and on committee on woman suffrage, 1892.

John Homans Norton, Republican, leather merchant, lives at No. 28 Whiting Street, Roxbury. He was born in Chelsea, June 9, 1839, and attended the Boston public schools. He was a sergeant in Company I of the old Sixth Regiment. Was with the regiment in its passage through Baltimore, April 19, 1861, and was then slightly wounded. In 1887 he was a member of the Boston common council. Member of Post 26, G. A. R. Committee on street railways, 1892.

Vote of district: Benjamin F. Brown, Republican, 1,861; Edward Everett Brown, Prohibition, 166; Joseph J. May, Democrat, 1,335; George L. Mead, Democrat, 1,266; John H. Norton, Republican, 1,715; Elijah H. Wilson, Prohibition, 116.

District No. 22. — Ward 22 of Boston. — William L. Mooney, Democrat, was born in Roxbury, Feb. 16, 1867, and educated in the public schools and also in a private school. Is a graduate of the Comins school. Is a member of many societies, literary, social, sporting and fraternal. Is successfully engaged in the insurance and real estate business, at No. 23 Court Street, Boston. Was a member of the House in 1891, serving on the committee on county estimates. Committee on education, 1892.

Vote of district: James P. Fox, Republican, 835; George J. Henderson, Prohibition, 37; William L. Mooney, Democrat, 1,423.

District No. 23. — Ward 23 of Boston. — William G. Baker, Republican, treasurer, lives at No. 13 Beethoven Street, Ward 23. He was born in Derry, N. H., June 9, 1845, and attended the common schools, Pinkerton Academy and Eastman Commercial College. In the House of 1890 he was a member of the committee on insurance. House chairman of committee on federal relations, and clerk of committee on public service, 1892.

Salem Darius Charles, Democrat, lawyer, lives at No. 11 Gordon Street, Jamaica Plain; law office, No. 23 Court Street. He was born March 19, 1850, in Brimfield, and is a graduate of Amherst College. In the House of 1891 he served on the committee on judiciary and rules. House committee on judiciary and rules, and joint committees on rules and rapid transit, 1892.

Vote of district: William G. Baker, Republican, 1,659; Salem D. Charles, Democrat, 1,615; John Damrell, Prohibition, 121; John F. McDonald, Democrat, 1,315; Benjamin H. Ticknor, Republican, 1,510.

District No. 24. — Ward 24 of Boston. — Frederic Wright Bliss, Republican, of Boston, was born Oct. 14, 1852, in Rehoboth, being a lineal descendant of Richard Warren, who came over in the "Mayflower," and also of Capt. Benjamin Church of historical fame. Mr. Bliss received his early education in the public schools of his native town,
STATE HOUSE EXTENSION. — All to right of dome.
Brigham & Spofford, Architects.

Corner stone laid, December 21, 1889, by Governor Oliver Ames. To be occupied by Legislature of 1894. Estimated cost, $9,500,000; and expense thus far (1892) within the estimate.

Construction Commissioners: John D. Long, Wm. Endicott, Jr., B. D. Whitcomb.
and prepared for college at East Greenwich Academy, R. I., going from there to Brown University, where he remained until the beginning of his senior year, when he entered Boston University, from which institution he was graduated in 1878. Then he began the study of law in the office of James Tillinghast, in the city of Providence, continuing one year, and then going to the law school of Boston University, which, at his graduation in 1881, conferred upon him the degree of LL.B. Is now practising law, offices at No. 23 Court Street. Is worshipful master of St. John's Lodge of the city of Boston, the oldest lodge of Free and Accepted Masons in America, and is also prominent in the Boston, Dorchester, Middlesex and Norfolk clubs. Was first vice-president of the Republican city committee in 1889. Served in the House of 1891 on railroad committee, being its clerk. In 1892 he held the same position, and was also member of the joint special committee on rapid transit. In both years was member of conference and caucus committees of his party.

LOUIS M. CLARK, Republican, of Boston, lives at No. 44 Mill Street, Dorchester, in which locality he was born, Dec. 14, 1858. He is a graduate of the public schools, Harvard University and Boston University Law School. He sat for three years in the Boston common council, and has been a lieutenant in the Naval Battalion. In the House of 1891 he was chairman of the committee on probate and insolvency. In 1892, House chairman of committee on street railways, and on committee on probate and insolvency.

Vote of district: Frederic W. Bliss, Republican, 2,310; William S. Brown, Prohibition, 250; Louis M. Clark, Republican, 2,279; Thomas J. Dwyer, Democrat, 1,456; Ephriam W. Farr, Prohibition, 165; John E. Galvin, Democrat, 1,323.

District No. 25. — Ward 25 of Boston. — BENTLEY WIRT WARREN, Democrat, is a lawyer, living at No. 66 Chestnut Hill Avenue, Brighton. He was born in that district, April 26, 1864, and studied at the Boston Latin School, Williams College and Boston University Law School. In the House of 1891 he served on the committee on the judiciary. House committee on the judiciary and committee on woman suffrage, 1892.

Vote of district: Granville A. Fuller, Prohibition, Republican, 358; Bentley W. Warren, Democrat, 1,014.

District No. 26. — Wards 1, 2 and 3 of Chelsea. — CHARLES HOLLIS HOLMES, Republican, warringer, lives at No. 69 Pearl Street, Chelsea. He was born in that city, Oct. 4, 1859, and attended the public schools. For two years he was a member of the common council. A member of Mystic Lodge, No. 46, K. of P., for eleven years; a charter member and past captain of Theodore Winthrop Camp, No. 81, Sons of Veterans. Clerk of committee on harbors and public lands, 1892.

MARCUS M. MERRITT, Democrat, manufacturer and dealer in cigars and tobacco, lives at No. 112 Beacon Street, Chelsea. He was born in Templeton, April 1, 1839, and attended the public schools there. He has been a member of the Chelsea common council for four years, and is now a member of the board of aldermen. In the House of 1886 he served on the committee on election laws. In 1892, on the same committee.

Vote of district: Charles H. Holmes, Republican, 1,170; Marcus M. Merritt, Democrat, 1,168; Samuel Orcutt, Democrat, 789; John M. Plummer, Republican, 1,065; George E. Woodman, Prohibition, 122; Charles Wylie, Prohibition, 103.

District No. 27. — Ward 4 of Chelsea, Revere, Winthrop. — JOHN C. LOUD, Republican, of Chelsea, was a member of the firm of J. C. & E. A. Loud, bakers, from 1869 to 1885, but since the latter date has been engaged in the care of real estate and the settlement of estates. He was born in Plymouth, Penobscot County, Me., July 26, 1844, and attended local schools and academies. He served during the rebellion in the Twenty-second Maine Regiment, and has sat in both branches of the Chelsea city council, one year being chairman of the board of aldermen. In the House of 1891 he
MASSACHUSETTS STATE BUILDING AT COLUMBIAN EXPOSITION AT CHICAGO, 1892-93

This is an exact reproduction of the old "Hancock House," the home of Governor John Hancock, first Governor under the Constitution, 1780-85. His house stood just north of the State House, on Beacon Street, until within a few years, when it was removed to make room for the residences that now stand there.
served on the committees on finance and expenditures. He is a director in the Winnisimmet National Bank, a trustee of the County Savings Bank, treasurer of the Asbury Grove Association, a Mason and an Odd Fellow. Committees on finance and expenditures, 1892.

Albert Webster Richardson, Republican, master plumber, of Winthrop, represents his native place. He was born Aug. 28, 1854, and received a public school education. He has served the town as selectman and member of the board of health. Leader and agent of Richardson's Winthrop band, which he organized in 1875. In the House of 1891 he served on the committee on prisons. House chairman of committee on prisons, 1892.

Vote of district: Charles E. Cook, Prohibition, 217; Joseph A. Elms, Democrat, 639; William H. Jones, Democrat, 574; John C. Loud, Republican, 1,287; Albert W. Richardson, Republican, 1,111.

WORCESTER COUNTY.

District No. 1. — Athol, Royalston, Phillipston. — Charles Crosman, Republican, grocer, of Athol, was born in that town, Dec. 27, 1839, and educated at New Salem Academy. Has served as assessor in his native town for several years, and is a prominent Mason. Committee on taxation, 1892.

Vote of district: Charles Crosman, Republican, 702; George H. Foye, Democrat, 624; Millard W. White, Prohibition, 79.

District No. 2. — Gardner, Winchendon, Templeton, Ashburnham. — Percival Blodgett, Republican, merchant, of Templeton, was born in Orange, July 18, 1841, and was educated at its public schools and the Phillips Academy at Andover. He has been postmaster, member of the school committee, town treasurer, overseer of the poor, chairman of the board of selectmen and trustee of the public library. He was a member of the House in 1889, serving on the committee on public charitable institutions. Chairman of House committee on engrossed bills, House chairman of special joint committee on public reservations, and clerk of special joint committee on rapid transit, 1892.

Simeon Augustus Howe, Republican, flour and grain dealer, a native resident of Gardner, was born July 2, 1839, and was educated in the local schools. He has been assessor in Gardner, and has held other town offices. He served in the rebellion as lieutenant in the Twenty-fourth New York Infantry and captain in the Ninth New York Heavy Artillery. In the House of 1891 he was on the committee on water supply. House chairman of committee on water supply, 1892.

Vote of district: Percival Blodgett, Republican, 1,199; S. Augustus Howe, Republican, 1,360; George Kendall, Democrat, 1,055; Frank E. Salisbury, Prohibition, 245; Walter H. Sawyer, Prohibition, 218.

District No. 3. — Barre, Dana, Petersham, Hardwick, Rutland. — George Russell Simonds, Republican, merchant, of Barre, was born at Northfield, April 2, 1852, and was educated in the common schools of Northfield and Petersham. He was a member of the school board in Gill in 1875 and 1876, and in Barre has organized a village improvement society, board of trade, etc. He is secretary of the latter institution, and is active in promoting the interests of his town and locality. Committees on liquor law and libraries, 1892.

Vote of district: George S. Dodge, Prohibition, 76; Frank S. Grover, Democrat, 404; George R. Simonds, Republican, 526.

District No. 4. — Westminster, Hubbardston, Princeton, Holden, Paxton. — Stillman Francis Morse of Holden, Republican, was born in Putnam, Conn., Nov. 23, 1857. He was educated in the common and high schools of that place. He is a manufacturer
of cotton goods, cotton yarns and other products, and also has a stove store. He is at
the head of the Holden Mills. He has resided in Holden some ten years, and has been
overseer of the poor, auditor and selectman. In 1891 he was chairman of the board of
selectmen, and at present is chairman of selectmen. Member of congressional district
committee, third district. Identified with Baptist Church of Holden and superintendent
of its Sunday-school. Member of Home Market Club and prominent in temperance
work. House chairman of committee on public service, 1892.

Vote of district: Henry C. Chenery, Democrat, 278; Stillman F. Morse, Repub-
lican, 556.

District No. 5. — Brookfield, North Brookfield, West Brookfield, New Braintree,
Oakham, Sturbridge, Warren. — ALBERT GEORGE BLODGETT, Republican, physician, of
West Brookfield, was born in Monson, Sept. 2, 1841. He was educated in the high
school, the Westfield State Normal School and the Bellevue Hospital Medical College,
New York. He has been on the school committee for sixteen years, and has also been
a member of the local board of health. House chairman of committee on public health,
1892.

EDWARD FAIRBANKS of Warren, Democrat, merchant, was born at Brimfield, Nov.
20, 1836, and has been in business in Warren thirty years in same store; is director of
Palmer National Bank, an office he has held for the past twelve years; also trustee of
Warren Savings Bank and trustee of Warren public library. Committees on parishes
and religious societies and woman suffrage, 1892.

Vote of district: Justin S. Barrows, Prohibition, 127; Albert G. Blodgett, Repub-
lican, 1,246; Olney I. Darling, Republican, 1,172; Edward Fairbanks, Democrat, 1,254;
Timothy Howard, Democrat, 1,218; William B. Thompson, Prohibition, 102.

District No. 6. — Spencer, Leicester. — J. BRADFORD SARGENT, Democrat, of Leices-
ter, was born in that town, June 14, 1839, being a son of the late Edward Sargent of
Leicester, Mass., founder of the well-known Sargent Card Clothing Company, Worce-
ter, Mass., and a member of the firm of Sargent & Co., of New Haven, Conn.,
and New York City. He attended public schools, and graduated with high honors from
Leicester Academy. His tastes were always inclined toward mechanical and scientific
matters and studies. He is especially interested in astronomy and meteorology, and
presented Leicester Academy in 1888 with the finest set of self-recording meteorological
instruments then in existence. He is also very much interested in matters pertaining
to steam and electricity, and has a thorough practical knowledge of both. He is now
manager of the Boston office of the Stirling Company, Chicago, Ill., makers of water-
tube boilers, and of C. & G. Cooper & Co., Mount Vernon, O., builders of Corliss
engines. Committee on elections, 1892.

Vote of district: William Courtemanche, Republican, 656; Joseph S. Gledhill, Pro-
blication, 144; J. Bradford Sargent, Democrat, 840.

District No. 7. — Charlton, Dudley, Southbridge. — LEMUEL HEALY, Democrat, of
Dudley, was born in that town, Sept. 23, 1835. He was educated at Nichols Academy,
where he holds the office of steward. He has been an assessor for eight years and town
clerk for eleven years, still holding the latter office. Committee on election laws, 1892.

Vote of district: Lemuel Healy, Democrat, 894; Monroe W. Ide, Prohibition, 43;
Hezekiah W. Williams, Republican, 790.

District No. 8. — Webster, Oxford, Auburn. — JOHN FRANKLIN HINDS, Republican,
of Webster, is a watchmaker and jeweller. He was born May 1, 1819, in Worcester, and
attended the public schools of Millbury. He has been selectman, overseer of the poor
and chief of the fire department. Has been justice of the peace, is now chairman of board
of overseers of poor, and holding third commission as notary public. In the House
of 1891 he was on the committee on drainage. He is the oldest member. Chairman of House committee on county estimates and on committee on taxation, 1892.

Vote of district: John F. Hinds, Republican, 698; Joseph L. Woodbury, Prohibition, Democrat, 685.

District No. 9. — Douglas, Millbury, Sutton. — Henry C. Batcheller, Democrat, of Sutton, was born in that town, Sept. 5, 1829, and was educated in the common schools and in the Warren and Groton academies. He is a shoe manufacturer, and was for ten years a large shoe contractor in a public institution of Baltimore. He has been a member of the Sutton board of selectmen for several years, and is now town clerk. Committee on labor, 1892.

Vote of district: Henry C. Batcheller, Democrat, 592; David T. March, Republican, 562; Alvah J. Rice, Prohibition, 42.

District No. 10. — Uxbridge, Northbridge, Upton. — George S. Ball, clergymen, Republican, of Upton, was born in Leominster, May 22, 1822. He studied in Leominster, Berlin, Leicester and Meadville, Pa. He was a member of the House in 1865, serving on the committee on public charitable institutions (chairman), and the Senate in 1866, being on the same committee, and again in 1867, with service as chairman of the same committee, on the committee on parishes and religious societies. He was a member of the constitutional convention of 1883, was chaplain of the Twenty-first Massachusetts Volunteers, and has held various town offices. House chairman of committee on parishes and religious societies and on committee on education, 1892.

Vote of district: George S. Ball, Republican, 779; Myron W. Claflin, Prohibition, 66; George H. Stoddard, Democrat, 595.

District No. 11. — Blackstone, Mendon, Milford, Hopedale. — Michael Carroll, Democrat, clerk, of Blackstone, a native of that town, was born July 11, 1849, and received a public school education. He was town clerk for five years. He has been connected with many local societies, being at present president of Division No. 10, A. O. H. He served in the House last year on the committee on engrossed bills. Clerk of committee on fisheries and game, 1892.

John T. McLoughlin, Democrat, insurance agent, of Milford, was born in Worcester, June 2, 1865, and is a graduate of the Milford public schools. He is a member of the school committee and was town clerk of Milford for four years. In the House of 1891 he served on the committee on constitutional amendments. In 1892, served on joint special committee on administrative boards and commissions. Introduced the bill prohibiting the "intimidation of laborers," also the order upon which the "anti-Pinkerton" bill was reported.

Vote of district: Michael Carroll, Democrat, 1,351; Napoleon B. Johnson, Prohibition, 118; John T. McLoughlin, Democrat, 1,346; Clinton R. Scott, Republican, 1,079; Asa A. Wescott, Republican, 962; Otis Whitney, Prohibition, 95.

District No. 12. — Westborough, Northborough, Southborough, Berlin, Shrewsbury, Grafton. — DeWitt Clinton Nichols, Republican, farmer, of Southborough, was born in that town, in August, 1846; educated in the public schools and at a Boston commercial college. Was chosen representative January 26, at a special election, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of F. M. Ambrose. Mr. Nichols has been for seven years an assessor, and now holds that office. In 1892, on joint special committee on public reservations.

George Henry Rugg, Republican, shoe manufacturer, of North Grafton, was born in Leominster, Jan. 14, 1825. He was educated in the schools of Leominster and other towns. He has been a selectman of Grafton. In 1892, on committees on constitutional amendments and taxation.
Vote of district (regular election): Thomas P. Abbott, Citizen’s Alliance, 62; Fred M. Ambrose, Republican, 1,097; George H. Hero, Democrat, 934; Willard J. Humes, Democrat, 701; George H. Rugg, Republican, 1,091.

**District No. 13. — Boylston, West Boylston, Clinton, Harvard, Lancaster, Sterling.** — Andrew L. Nourse, Republican, farmer, of Bolton, was born at Marlborough, Jan. 24, 1842. He attended the Bolton high school. He served as a private in the Fifth Massachusetts Regiment in 1862 and 1863. He has held for many years, and now holds, the offices of selectman, overseer, and member of the school committee. Committee on public service, 1892.

Wellington E. Parkhurst, of Clinton, Republican, was born in Framingham, in the south (Cutler mills) district, now a part of Ashland, Jan. 19, 1835, and was a graduate of Framingham academy; in 1853 he removed to Clinton, where he has since resided; for several years he was the paymaster of the Lancaster Quilt Company, the oldest manufacturing concern in Clinton, originally Lancaster, and for two years had the charge of the Clinton Savings Bank, also teaching school; in 1865 he assumed the editorial charge of the “Clinton Courant,” which he has retained to the present time, — twenty-seven years; he held the office of town clerk six years, and was a member of the school board fifteen years, a director of the Bigelow free public library six years, also filling the offices of town treasurer and assessor; he is a vice-president of the Massachusetts Press Association, and has been chairman of the town Republican committee several years, at various times. Mr. Parkhurst represented the Worcester thirteenth district in the Legislatures of 1890, 1891 and 1892, serving on the committee on education, the first year as clerk and the last two as House chairman; he was also a member, each year, of the library committee.

Vote of district: Walter A. Atwood, Democrat, 1,214; Charles M. Bowers, Prohibition, 172; Andrew L. Nourse, Republican, 1,447; Wellington E. Parkhurst, Republican, 1,437; Aaron R. Powers, Prohibition, 98; Charles C. Sanderson, Democrat, 1,181.

**District No. 14. — Leominster, Lunenburg.** — Aaron O. Wilder of Leominster, Republican, was born in Wendell, Aug. 4, 1833, and received a common school education. He has been selectman, assessor and auditor. In the House of 1891 he served on the committee on taxation. House chairman of committee on towns, 1892.

Vote of district: Frank L. Barrett, Democrat, 465; Henry Cook, Republican Independent Nomination Paper, 231; George W. Standley, Prohibition, 61; Aaron O. Wilder, Republican, 735.

**District No. 15. — Fitchburg.** — Edward W. Ackley, Republican, machinist, of Fitchburg, was born at Griswold, Conn., April 16, 1838. He was educated in the public schools at Fitchburg. He served four years in the Fitchburg city council, two years in each branch. Committee on manufactures, 1892.

Henry F. Rockwell, Republican, apothecary, is a native resident of Fitchburg, and was born Sept. 9, 1849. He was educated in the local schools. He was for six years a member of the city council, for two of them being president of the common council. Committee on railroads, 1892.

Vote of district: Edward W. Ackley, Republican, 1,499; Elliot N. Chote, Prohibition, 301; James H. McMahon, Democrat, 1,177; Henry F. Rockwell, Republican, 1,411; Leander Sprague, Democrat, 1,208; Erastus E. Walker, Independent Labor, 128; J. Warren White, Prohibition, 210.

**District No. 16. — Ward 1 of Worcester.** — Alfred Seelye Roe of Worcester, Republican, was born in Rose, Wayne County, N. Y., June 8, 1844. Graduated from Wesleyan University, 1870; from that date to 1875, principal of the Ashland, Mass., high school; from 1875 to 1880, a master in the Worcester high school; and from 1880 to 1890 was principal of the same. He served during the rebellion in the Ninth New
York Heavy Artillery, and was captured at Monocacy, Md., July 9, 1864, being held a prisoner till the 22d of the following February. House chairman of committee on libraries and on committee on education, 1892.

Vote of district: Jacob C. Hooper, Democrat, 378; D. Baxter Hyde, Prohibition, 42; Alfred S. Roe, Republican, 803.

District No. 17. — Ward 2 of Worcester. — James P. Crosby of Worcester, Republican, is an iron and metal dealer. Born in Croyden, Sullivan County, N. H., Aug. 15, 1835, and attended the public schools in his native town. He has served in the Worcester common council. Committee on military affairs, 1892.

Vote of district: James P. Crosby, Republican, 1,109; Fred S. Dearborn, Democrat, 701; Fred A. Whitman, Prohibition, 85.

District No. 18. — Ward 3 of Worcester. — Eugene M. Moriarty, Democrat, journalist, of Worcester, was born in Milltown, County Kerry, Ireland, April 15, 1849, and has been a member of the Worcester common council and school committee. He sat in the House for four years, beginning with 1880, with service on the committee on education, towns, election laws, liquor law and Hoosac Tunnel and Troy & Greenfield Railroad, and was again a member in 1890, with service on the committees on public charitable institutions and special committee on county affairs and criminal costs. In 1891 he served on the committee on manufactures and in 1892 on the committee on mercantile affairs.

Vote of district: Eugene H. Kibbe, Prohibition, 32; Eugene M. Moriarty, Democrat, 719; Michael H. Murphy, Republican, 318.

District No. 19. — Ward 4 of Worcester. — James Henry Mellen, Democrat, editor, of Worcester, was born in that city, Nov. 7, 1845, and attended its public schools. He sat in the House in 1877, 1878, 1879, 1881, 1883, 1886, 1888 and 1889, serving on the committees on labor, prisons, public charitable institutions, revision of the statutes, convict labor, rules, expediting legislative business and mercantile affairs. In the House of 1891 he served on the committees on rules and mercantile affairs. He has been state master workman of District Assembly 30, K. L. Among many labor measures he directly introduced are the following: 1878, order requiring children under thirteen to be able to read and write before they could be employed in manufacturing establishments; 1879, order for municipal weekly payments, on which was reported and passed the first weekly payment bill of the state, 1881, a secret ballot bill, also an order which made the committee on labor a regular standing committee, also an order for the abolition of grade crossings; 1886, order for guards on freight cars, also an arbitration bill; 1888, order for making Labor Day a legal holiday, also a bill to make a ten-hour day for street railway employees. In 1892, on committees on rules and railroads.


District No. 20. — Ward 5 of Worcester. — James F. Melaven, Democrat, painter, of Worcester, was born in that city, Nov. 19, 1858, and was educated at its public schools. In 1892, on the committee on public service.

Vote of district: James F. Melaven, Democrat, 1,247; Joseph S. Perry, Republican, 710.

District No. 21. — Ward 6 of Worcester. — Henry J. Jennings of Worcester, Republican, nickel plater, was born in Brookfield, Nov. 25, 1829. Committee on street railways, 1892.

Vote of district: John Hewitt, Prohibition, 50; Henry J. Jennings, Republican, 756; Charles J. O'Hara, Democrat, 547.
**District No. 22. — Ward 7 of Worcester. — Henry Gleason Taft, Republican, grocer, of Worcester, was born in Upton, in 1836, and received a public school education. He has served four terms in the Worcester common council. In the House of 1891 he was a member of the committee on roads and bridges, and in 1892 was clerk of the same committee.**

Vote of district: Richard Mathews, Democrat, 411; Henry G. Taft, Republican, 1,269; Carl C. T. Thomas, Prohibition, 90.

**District No. 23. — Ward 8 of Worcester. — George S. Clough of Worcester, Republican, real estate dealer, was born May 2, 1839, in Kennebunkport, Me., and studied at the Kennebunk Academy. He has been a member of the Worcester common council four years, and is now an overseer of the poor. In the House of 1891 he served on the committee on cities. Committee on cities, 1892.**

Vote of district: Charles F. Aldrich, Democrat, 338; George S. Clough, Republican, 1,115; John K. Warren, Prohibition, 117.

**THE CHAPLAIN AND CLERKS.**

Daniel Wingate Waldron, the chaplain of the House, was born in Augusta, Me., Nov. 11, 1840. Graduated from Bowdoin College in 1862, from Andover Theological Seminary in 1866. Was ordained and installed pastor of East Weymouth (Mass.) Congregational Church, April 3, 1867; dismissed May 14, 1871, to become acting pastor of Maverick Congregational Church, East Boston, which position he held until Dec. 1, 1872. Since Feb. 1, 1873, connected with the Boston City Missionary Society, now being its secretary and superintendent. Elected chaplain of the House in 1879, and has been re-elected each year since; preached the "Lectio Sermon," Jan. 7, 1880, in the hall of the House, the only time it was ever preached there, and the last time that ceremony connected with the opening of the Legislature was observed.

Edward A. McLaughlin, clerk, was born in Boston, Sept. 25, 1853. Was educated in the public schools, at Boston College and at Loyola College, Baltimore, Md., where he took the degree of A.B. in 1871. He entered the law office of Hon. William Gaston, and took the degree of LL.B. at Boston University in 1878; and in the same year, on motion of Mr. Gaston, was admitted to the bar. In 1871-74 he was professor of languages at Loyola College, and held the same position in 1875-76 at Seton Hall College, Orange, N.J. In 1891 he was president of the Charitable Irish Society of Boston, established in 1737, and the oldest charitable corporation in the country. In 1879 he was appointed assistant clerk of the House by Clerk Marden, and held that position until 1888, when he was elected clerk, Mr. Marden having been chosen speaker. He has been re-elected every year since, with practical unanimity.

James W. Kimball, assistant clerk, was born in Lynn, Dec. 17, 1858. He received his education in the public schools; and on leaving school he entered the printing business, which trade he has since followed. In 1888 he was appointed a page of the House of Representatives, was afterwards appointed a messenger of the same branch, and in 1888, when a vacancy occurred in the assistant clerkship of the House, he was appointed to fill that position and has held the same ever since.
SERGEANT-AT-ARMS AND DOORKEEPERS.

Capt. John G. B. Adams, sergeant-at-arms, was born in Groveland, Oct. 6, 1841. In 1861 enlisted in Major Ben Perley Poore's Rifle Battalion, later part of Nineteenth Regiment. Left with the regiment, Aug. 28, 1861, having rank of sixth corporal of Company A; was made first sergeant, March 1, 1862, and soon passed through grades of second and first lieutenant to captain, which rank he held until the close of the war. Was in every battle of Army of the Potomac in which his regiment took part; twice saved the regimental colors at Fredericksburg; twice severely wounded at Gettysburg; rejoined his regiment so as to be with it from the Wilderness to Petersburg, being captured at the latter place, June 22, 1864. Was for nine months in Libby, Macon, Charleston, Columbia and Raleigh, being one of six hundred kept under fire three months at Charleston; escaped twice, but was recaptured each time. Since the war has been foreman in a Lynn shoe factory, inspector in Boston custom house for fifteen months, postmaster at Lynn eight years, deputy warden of the Concord Reformatory for a few months, resigning that position to accept the office of sergeant-at-arms in January, 1886. Was first recruit of Post 5, G. A. R., of Lynn; has been its commander three times; department commander of the state one year; twelve times a delegate to the national encampment; and for many years president of the Association of Survivors of Rebel Prisons. Was president of the board of trustees of the Soldiers' Home at Chelsea for several years. Was messenger to carry the electoral vote of the state to Washington in 1868.

Stillman W. Edgell, Senate doorkeeper, was born Aug. 27, 1831, and died Jan. 24, 1892. He was educated in the schools of his native town of Westminster. Was in the chair business in Fitchburg fifteen years before the rebellion. Enlisted in the Fifteenth Massachusetts, Nov. 20, 1861; lost an arm at Cold Harbor, June 3, 1864. Appointed Senate messenger, 1865; assistant doorkeeper, 1867; and doorkeeper, 1875.

Joseph Sidwell, assistant Senate doorkeeper, was born in England, and, before being appointed on the force of the sergeant-at-arms in 1858, was engaged in a sewing-machine factory. Mr. Sidwell has for many years also been an attache of the Republican state headquarters, and has an exceedingly wide acquaintance with public men of all parties.

Thomas J. Tucker, House doorkeeper, was born in Boston, Dec. 21, 1831; graduated from the Mayhew school; engaged in business until appointed on the messenger corps of the Legislature under Sergeant-at-Arms Benjamin Stevens. Was appointed assistant doorkeeper in 1869, and doorkeeper in 1875. Mr. Tucker has been prominent in temperance work, having served in all the active and honorary offices of the Massachusetts Division of the Sons of Temperance; also member of the National Division and life director of the Massachusetts Total Abstinence Society.

John Kinnear, assistant House doorkeeper, was born in Glasgow, Scotland, Nov. 24, 1836, but came with his parents to this country when he was only twenty-two months old, and has lived in Cambridge ever since. He was commissioned as third lieutenant in Company C of the Third Massachusetts Regiment, the first volunteer company of the rebellion, but on arriving at Fortress Monroe received a commission as first sergeant, as the United States did not recognize such an office as he originally held. At the expiration of his time, July 22, 1861, he was discharged. He then recruited Company E of the Thirtieth Massachusetts, and was appointed its first lieutenant by special order from President Lincoln, Jan. 19, 1862. Was mustered out of service Sept. 22, 1862. Was appointed messenger of the House in 1880, and made assistant doorkeeper in 1884.
MASSACHUSETTS IN CONGRESS.

SENATORS.

Henry L. Dawes of Pittsfield was born at Cummington, Mass., Oct. 30, 1816; graduated at Yale College; was a school teacher, and edited the "Greenfield Gazette" and "Adams Transcript," studied and practised law; has received the degree of Doctor of Laws from Williams College and Yale University; was a member of the House of Representatives of Massachusetts in 1848, 1849 and 1852; was a member of the Senate of Massachusetts in 1850; was a member of the State Constitutional Convention of Massachusetts in 1853; was district attorney for the western district of Massachusetts from 1853 until 1857; was elected a Representative in the thirty-fifth, thirty-sixth, thirty-seventh, thirty-eighth, thirty-ninth, fortieth, forty-first, forty-second and forty-third congresses, and declined being a candidate for election in the forty-fourth; he was elected to the United States Senate, as a Republican, to succeed Charles Sumner (whose unexpired term had been filled by William B. Washburn); took his seat March 4, 1875, and was re-elected in 1881 and 1887. His term of service will expire March 3, 1893. He has declined to allow his name to be used for renomination. Committees on Indian affairs (chairman), appropriations, civil service and railroad, fisheries, five civilized tribes of Indians (select) and Pacific railroads (select).

George F. Hoar of Worcester was born at Concord, Mass., Aug. 29, 1826; studied in early youth at Concord Academy; graduated at Harvard College in 1846; studied law, and graduated at the Dane Law School, Harvard University; settled at Worcester, where he practised; was city solicitor in 1860; was president of the trustees of the city library; was a member of the State House of Representatives in 1852, and of the State Senate in 1857; was elected a Representative to the forty-first, forty-second, forty-third and forty-fourth congresses; declined a renomination for Representative in the forty-fifth congress; was an overseer of Harvard College, 1874-80; was chosen president of the Association of the Alumni of Harvard, but declined; presided over the Massachusetts State Republican conventions of 1871, 1877, 1882 and 1885; was a delegate to the Republican national conventions of 1876 at Cincinnati, and of 1880, 1884 and 1888 at Chicago, presiding over the convention of 1880; was chairman of the Massachusetts delegation in 1880, 1884 and 1888; was one of the managers on the part of the House of Representatives of the Belknap impeachment trial in 1876; was a member of the electoral commission in 1876; was regent of the Smithsonian Institution in 1880; has been president and now is vice-president of the American Antiquarian Society, trustee of the Peabody Museum of Archaeology, trustee of Leicester Academy; is a member of the Massachusetts Historical Society, of the American Historical Society and the Historic-Genealogical Society; has received the degree of Doctor of Laws from William and Mary, Amherst, Yale and Harvard colleges; was elected to the United States Senate, as a Republican, to succeed George S. Boutwell; took his seat March 5, 1877, and was re-elected in 1883 and 1889. His term of service will expire March 3, 1895. Committees on judiciary (chairman), privileges and elections, relations with Canada, woman suffrage (select).

REPRESENTATIVES.

First District. — Charles S. Randall of New Bedford was born in New Bedford, Mass., Feb. 20, 1824, and has always resided there; was educated at private school, Friends' Academy, New Bedford, and in France; retired from mercantile business in
1872; is married; represented the third Massachusetts Senatorial district in the State Senate in 1883 and 1884; and was elected to the fifty-first congress, and re-elected to the fifty-second congress, as a Republican, receiving 8,728 votes, against 6,518 votes for Charles R. Codman, Democrat, 984 votes for John D. Flint, Prohibitionist, and 4 votes scattering. Committees on interstate and foreign commerce, railways and canals, irrigation of arid lands.

**Second District.** — **Elijah Adams Morse of Canton** was born at South Bend, Ind., May 25, 1841; removed with his parents to Massachusetts in his childhood, where he has resided since; received his education in the public schools of Massachusetts and at Onondaga Academy, New York; is a business man and manufacturer; is married; was a soldier in the Fourth Massachusetts Regiment in the war of the rebellion, enlisting at the age of nineteen; served three months under General Butler in Virginia, and one year under General Banks in Louisiana; was taken prisoner at the capture of Brashear City, Louisiana; entered the service as a private, and was promoted to a corporal; served a term in the Massachusetts House of Representatives in 1876; was a member of the State Senate in 1866, and was re-elected in 1887; was elected a member of the governor's council in 1877; was elected to the fifty-first congress, and re-elected to the fifty-second congress, as a Republican, receiving 12,339 votes, against 10,489 votes for Bushrod Morse, Democrat, 782 votes for Thomas J. Lothrop, Prohibitionist, and 1 vote scattering. Committees on manufactures and alcoholic liquor traffic.

**Third District.** — **John Forrester Andrew of Boston** was born in Hingham, Mass., Nov. 24, 1850; was graduated from Harvard College in 1872, and received the degree of LL.B. from the Harvard Law School in 1875; was admitted to the Suffolk bar and practised law in Boston; served three terms as member of the State House of Representatives and two terms in the State Senate; was Democratic candidate for governor in 1886, and was defeated; was elected to the fifty-first congress and re-elected to the fifty-second congress, as a Democrat, receiving 14,992 votes, against 11,184 votes for Edward L. Pierce, Republican, and 524 votes for John W. Field, Prohibitionist. Committees on foreign affairs and reform in the civil service (chairman).

**Fourth District.** — **Joseph H. O'Neill of Boston** was born in Fall River, Mass., March 23, 1853; received a common school education; was a member of the Boston school committee in 1875; was a member of the Massachusetts House of Representatives in 1878, 1879, 1880, 1881, 1882 and 1884; was a member of the board of directors for public institutions for five years, the last eighteen months being chairman of the board; was city clerk of Boston in 1887 and 1888; was elected in the fifty-first and re-elected to the fifty-second congress, as a Democrat, receiving 11,780 votes, against 4,170 votes for Thomas Copeland, Republican, 304 votes for George L. Dacy, Prohibitionist, and 11 votes scattering. Committee on appropriations.

**Fifth District.** — **Sherman Hoar of Waltham** was born in Concord, Mass., July 30, 1860; was educated in the public schools of his native village, at Phillips Exeter Academy, at Harvard University and Harvard Law School; is a lawyer; is trustee of Phillips Exeter Academy, and a director of the American Unitarian Association; is a member of the Democratic state committee of Massachusetts; was elected to the fifty-second congress, as a Democrat, receiving 13,081 votes, against 10,807 votes for James A. Fox, Republican, 793 votes for James H. Roberts, Prohibitionist, and 6 votes scattering. Committee on manufactures.

**Sixth District.** — **Henry Cabot Lodge of Nahant** was born in Boston, Mass., May 12, 1850; received a private school and collegiate education; was graduated from Harvard College in 1871; studied law at Harvard Law School, and graduated in 1875, receiv-
ing the degree of LL.B.; was admitted to the Suffolk bar in 1876; profession, that of
literature; served two terms as member of House of Representatives in the Massachu-
setts Legislature; was elected to the fiftieth and fifty-first congress and was re-elected
to the fifty-second congress, as a Republican, receiving 14,579 votes, against 13,539 votes
for William Everett, Democrat, 1,035 votes for Charles E. Kimball, and 9 votes scatter-
ing. Committees on naval affairs, election of president, etc.

Seventh District.—William Cogswell of Salem was born in Bradford, Mass., Aug.
23, 1838; he fitted at Kimball Union Academy, Meriden, N. H., and at Phillips Academy,
Andover, Mass., and entered Dartmouth College Aug 23, 1855; graduated at the Dane
Law School, Harvard University, in 1860; is a lawyer by profession; was mayor of the
city of Salem, Mass., in 1867, 1868, 1869, 1873 and 1874; was a member of the Massa-
chusetts House of Representatives 1870, 1871, 1881-83, and a member of the state
Senate 1885 and 1886; served in the Union army from April, 1861, till July 25, 1865;
held commissions as captain, lieutenant-colonel and colonel in the Second Massachusetts
Infantry, and brigadier-general by brevet, and assigned by special order of the war
department to the command of the Third Brigade, Third Division, Twentieth Army
Corps; was elected to the fiftieth and fifty-first and was re-elected to the fifty-second
congress, as a Republican, receiving 12,496 votes, against 10,910 votes for Jonas H.
French, Democrat, 848 votes for Jacob F. Spaulding, Prohibitionist, and 2 votes scatter-
ning. Was commander of the Massachusetts Department, G. A. R., in 1875; was a
delegate from the seventh Massachusetts congressional district to the Republican National
Convention at Chicago, in 1888; was delegate-at-large from Massachusetts to the Re-
publican National Convention at Minneapolis, in 1892, and chairman of the committee
on credentials in the same. Committees on appropriations, District of Columbia and
Cohumbian Exposition.

Eighth District.—Moses T. Stevens of North Andover was born in North
Andover, Essex County, Mass., Oct. 10, 1825; graduated at Phillips Academy, Andover,
in 1842; entered Dartmouth College same year, and left that institution in 1843 to learn
business of manufacturing woollen goods, and has been engaged in that business to the
present time in North Andover; was a member of the Massachusetts House of Repre-
sentatives in 1861 and of the Senate in 1868; is president of Andover National Bank;
was elected to the fifty-second congress as a Democrat, receiving 11,726 votes, against
11,272 votes for Frederick T. Greenhalge, Republican, 518 votes for Walter A. Glidden,
Prohibitionist, and 1 vote scattering. Committee on ways and means.

Ninth District.—George Fred. Williams of Dedham was born in Dedham, Nor-
folk County, Mass., July 10, 1852; was graduated at Dedham high school in 1868, at
Dartmouth in 1872, and studied at the universities of Heidelberg and Berlin; was
admitted to the bar in October, 1875; in 1878 edited "Williams' Citations of Massachu-
setts Cases," and from 1880 to 1887 edited volumes 10 to 17 of the "Annual Digest of
the United States;" was elected to the Massachusetts Legislature in 1889, and was
elected to the fifty-second congress, as a Democrat, receiving 12,207 votes, against 12,076
votes for John W. Candler, Republican, and 900 votes for Melvin H. Walker, Prohibi-
tionist. Committees on coinage, weights and measures.

Tenth District.—Joseph Henry Walker of Worcester was born in Boston, Mass.,
Dec. 21, 1829; worked on boots and shoes in his father's factory; was admitted to
partnership of the firm of Joseph Walker & Co., in Worcester, in 1850; was engaged
in boot and shoe manufacturing till 1887; retired from business in Worcester; he estab-
lished the business of manufacturing leather in Chicago, Ill., in 1868, and is still a mem-
ber of the firm, carrying on that business under the name of Walker, Oakley & Co.;
has been several times a member of the city council of Worcester and of the Massachu-
setts Legislature; was elected to the fifty-first and re-elected to the fifty-second congress, as a Republican, receiving 11,181 votes, against 10,431 votes for Charles B. Pratt, Democrat, and 952 votes for Herbert M. Small, Prohibitionist. Committee on banking and currency.

Eleventh District. — FredericK Spaulding Coolidge of Ashburnham was born in Westminster, Mass., Dec. 7, 1841; received his education in the common schools of the state; is a manufacturer of chairs and chair cane, and is the manager of the Boston Chair Manufacturing Company and of the Leominster Rattan Works; was selectman of his native town for three years, and has held other offices; was for three years a member of the Democratic state central committee; was Democratic elector in 1888; was Representative to the General Court of Massachusetts in 1875; was elected to the fifty-second congress, as a Democrat, receiving 9,300 votes, against 9,150 votes for Timothy G. Spaulding, Republican, 3,538 votes for Myron P. Walker, Independent Republican, 1,260 votes for Henry C. Smith, Prohibitionist, and 3 votes scattering. Committees on irrigation of arid lands and Pacific railroads.

Twelfth District. — John Crawford Crosby of Pittsfield was born in Sheffield, Berkshire County, Mass., June 15, 1859; was educated in the public schools of Pittsfield; studied law and graduated from the Boston University Law School; was admitted to the bar and engaged in the practice of law; in 1885 was elected a member of the school committee of Pittsfield, and served six consecutive years in that office; was elected a member of the Massachusetts House of Representatives in 1885 and re-elected in 1886, serving each year on the committees on rules and railroads; in 1887 was elected a member of the Massachusetts Senate, and served on committees on judiciary, probate and insolvency and constitutional amendments; in 1888 was re-elected, and served on committees on probate and insolvency and mercantile affairs, being chairman of both committees; was elected to the fifty-second congress, as a Democrat, receiving 12,106 votes, against 11,724 votes for Francis W. Rockwell, Republican, and 864 votes for John Bascom, Prohibitionist. Committees on military affairs and post-offices and post roads.

It is a noteworthy fact that every one of the above members of the House has been unanimously renominated except Mr. Hoar, who declined in advance, and in nearly all cases by acclamation.
THE LEGISLATURE AND COMMITTEES.

The Personnel, Work and Special Features of Each.

The Legislature of 1892, in its two branches, was made up as follows: The Senate consists of 24 Republicans, 15 Democrats and 1 Independent Democrat. The senior member is Hon. Robert Howard of Fall River, whose first term of service was in 1886. As was the case last year, Hon. Gorham D. Gilman of Newton, who was born May 29, 1822, is the oldest Senator, and William S. McNary of Boston, who was born March 29, 1863, is the youngest. Of the 40 senators, 22 were members last year, 1 was a member in 1890, but not in 1891, 7 were members of the House last year, 9 have served in the House in previous years, and 1 has not had experience in either branch of the Legislature or in a city or town government. Eight are veterans of the war. Of the 40, 25 were born in Massachusetts, 3 each in Maine and New Hampshire, 2 each in Pennsylvania, England and Ireland, and 1 each in Connecticut, Illinois and Canada.

Of 240 Representatives, 89 were members of the House last year, 5 were members in 1890 but not in 1891, 9 were members in years before 1890, 2 of them having sat in the Senate as well as in the House, and 137 have had no legislative experience. Of the inexperienced members, 31 have been members of city councils and 44 have served as town officials. Of the entire membership, 24 are war veterans. The dean of the House is Charles H. Nye of Hyannis. The oldest member is John F. Hinds of Webster, who was born May 1, 1819, and the youngest is Benjamin B. Barney of New Bedford, who was born Jan. 25, 1868. There are 149 Republicans, 90 Democrats and 1 Prohibitionist. There were 181 born in Massachusetts, 12 in New Hampshire, 12 in Ireland, 10 in Maine, 5 each in Vermont and New York, 3 each in Connecticut and England, and 1 each in Rhode Island, California, Iowa, Missouri, Pennsylvania, Indian Territory, Canada, Prussia and Sweden.

The amount of business brought before the Legislature increases steadily each year; but it is a curious coincidence that the gross number of orders, petitions and bills on leave introduced in the House in 1892 was exactly the same as in 1891,—950. There were 437 orders offered in the House in 1892, 457 petitions presented, and 56 bills introduced on leave. The corresponding figures for the Senate were: Orders, 137; petitions, 161; bills on leave, 18; total, 319; grand total for both branches, 1,269.

To look at the matter a little more closely, we will take up the record of each committee. And not only will we see how much work it did, but we will also learn some other interesting facts concerning it. Much of this information was kindly furnished by the committee clerks. Of course in this enumeration the minor committees are omitted; and where no reports are made as to others, it was because the desired data were not available. We will take them alphabetically.

Agriculture. — First meeting, January 12; meetings held, 22; last meeting, April 22; matters reported favorably, 11; unfavorably, 7; reports sustained, 7; defeated, 4. Oldest, Gallup, 68; youngest, Andrews, 37; average, 55. Heaviest, Arnold, 195; lightest, Gillett, 136; average, 155. Married, all; smoke, 3; like base ball, 6. Official visit: to the State Agricultural College.

Banks and Banking. — First meeting, January 13; meetings held, 20; last meeting, April 13; matters considered, 28. Oldest, Cutler, 68; youngest, Clayton, 38; average, 53. Heaviest, Hyde, 210; lightest, Nutter, 135; average, 170. Married, 10; smoke, 6; like base ball, 4.
CITIES. — First meeting, January 13; meetings held, 83; last meeting, June 6; matters considered, 113. Oldest, Clough, 53; youngest, McNary, 29; average, 40. Heaviest, Clough, 220; lightest, Lyford, 110; average, 166. Married, 8; smoke, 6; like base ball, 8. Official visit: Suffolk County court house, Boston.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS. — First meeting, January 13; considered 55 matters. Oldest, Rugg, 67; youngest, Driscoll, 32; average, 40. Heaviest, Mahoney, 198; lightest, Tucker, 120; average, 157. Married, 5; smoke, 10; like base ball, 9.

DRAINAGE. — Held 13 meetings; considered 12 matters; most important one acted on was general law regulating assessment of sewer debt. Oldest, Clark, 59; youngest, Breen, 32; average, 42. Heaviest, Dole, 210; lightest, Drury, 127; average, 173. Married, 10; smoke, 10; like base ball, 7. Committee with Legislature visited Easton mustered field to consider Brockton's using it as sewage field.

EDUCATION. — First meeting, January 14; meetings held, 22; last meeting, May 19; matters reported favorably, 24; unfavorably, 10; reports sustained, 32; defeated, 2. Oldest, Ball, 70; youngest, Mooney, 25; average, 50. Heaviest, Ball, 188; lightest, Gardner, 130; average, 159. Official visits: Worcester, Framingham and Bridgewater normal schools, Worcester County truant school, Perkins Institute, Agricultural College.

ELECTION LAWS. — Considered 80 matters, most of them relating to changes in the Australian ballot law. Oldest, Healy, 56; youngest, Hart, 28; average, 43. Heaviest, Parkman, 185; lightest, Hart, 150; average, 173. Married, 9; smoke, 8; like base ball, 10.

EXPENDITURES. — First meeting, January 19; meetings held, 10; matters considered, 11; all reported favorably. Oldest, Clark, 59; youngest, Sparhawk, 27; average, 47. Heaviest, Rideout, 250; lightest, Sparhawk, 135; average, 191. Married, 10; smoke, 6; like base ball, 7.

FEDERAL RELATIONS. — First meeting, January 14; meetings held, 11; last meeting, June 30; matters considered, 16. Oldest, Gilman, 70; youngest, Burbank, 40; average, 51. Heaviest, Gilman, 200; lightest, Brown, 116; average, 158. Married, 7; smoke, 5; like base ball, 5. Will visit Chicago to help represent the state of Massachusetts at the opening of the Columbian Exposition or World's Fair.

FISHERIES AND GAME. — First meeting, January 20; meetings held, 32; last meeting, April 22; considered 58 matters. Oldest, Dame, 66; youngest, Toomey, 30; average, 50. Heaviest, Dame, 220; lightest, Barrows, 140; average, 161. Married, 7; smoke, 7; like base ball, 6. Official visits: Gilbert's Trout Pond, Plymouth; Herring River, Bourne. Committee reported bill allowing sale of artificially propagated trout in the close season, which was finally killed by a veto by Governor Russell.

HARBORS AND PUBLIC LANDS. — First meeting, January 12; meetings held, 40; last meeting, April 5; matters reported favorably, 11; unfavorably, 11. Oldest, Nye, 70; youngest, Holmes, 32; average, 46. Heaviest, Kellner, 215; lightest, West, 135; average, 177. Married, 7; smoke, 6; like base ball, 4. Official visits: Westport, March 23; Cape Cod and Bass River canal routes, March 29.

INSURANCE. — Considered 21 matters, including various "endowment order" matters. Oldest, Brown, 58; youngest, Buckley, 32; average, 46. Heaviest, Southwick, 198; lightest, Kelley, 149; average, 170. Married, 7; smoke, 7; like base ball, 9.

JUDICIARY. — Considered 72 matters. Oldest, Parker, 50; youngest, Warren, 28; average, 37. Heaviest, Charles, 186; lightest, Wellman, 135; average, 151. Married, 9; smoke, 11; like base ball, 11.

LABOR. — Considered 42 matters, and reported the "fifty-eight-hour" bill, which became law. Oldest, West, 62; youngest, Ross, 27; average, 46. Heaviest, Daley, 210; lightest, Ross, 125; average, 157. Married, 8; smoke, 5; like base ball, 7.

LIBRARIES. — First meeting, January 13; meetings held, 4; last meeting, March 16; matters reported favorably, 5; unfavorably, none; all reports sustained. Oldest, Parkhurst, 56; youngest, Barney, 24; average, 41. Heaviest, Hyde, 216; lightest,
Simonds, 120; average, 173. Married, 7; smoke, 6. Name of committee changed this year from "Library" to "Libraries."

Liquor Law. — Considered 54 matters. Oldest, Reade, 65; youngest, Halley, 30; average, 43. Heaviest, Sullivan, 185; lightest, Simonds, 120; average, 159. Married, 5; smoke, 4; like base ball, 6.

Manufactures. — Meetings held, 14; last meeting, April 28; matters reported favorably, 3; unfavorably, 7; all sustained. Oldest, Smith, 63; youngest, George, 34; average, 46. Heaviest, Ackley, 208; lightest, Baker, 140; average, 173. Married, 9; smoke, 5; like base ball, 6. Official visits: April 4, Philadelphia gas works in Ward 25; on return, Mutual gas works of New York; later, Addicks' gas works at North End and South Boston.

Mercantile Affairs. — Considered 63 matters. Oldest, Gilman, 70; youngest, Coakley, 26; average, 46. Heaviest, Bates, 255; lightest, Coakley, 145. Married, 9; smoke, 5; like base ball, 3.

Military Affairs. — First meeting, January 19; meetings held, 13; last meeting, April 20; matters reported favorably, 34; unfavorably, 8. Oldest, Cannon, 62; youngest, Brigham, 29; average, 48. Heaviest, Brigham, 225; lightest, Heffernan, 140; average, 171. Married, 8; smoke, 7; like base ball, 4. Official visits: to Soldiers' Home, Agricultural College, Camp at South Framingham.

Parishes and Religious Societies. — First meeting, January 25; meetings held, 14; last meeting, May 4; matters reported favorably, 13; unfavorably, 4; all reports sustained. Oldest, Bicknell, 72; youngest, Fairbanks, 55; average, 57. Heaviest, Winslow, 220; lightest, Fairbanks, 142; average, 176. Married, 9; smoke, 2; like base ball, 4.

Printing. — First meeting, January 20; meetings held, 11; last meeting, May 17; matters reported favorably, 7; unfavorably, 3; all reports sustained. Oldest, Clark of Palmer, 57; youngest, Clark of Boston, 34; average, 42. Heaviest, Clark of Palmer, 195; lightest, Delaney, 135; average, 160. Married, all; smoke, 7; like base ball, 8. Resolve reported under which state printing contract for five years was made.

Prisons. — Considered 16 matters. Oldest, Crowell, 68; youngest, Dacey, 29; average, 47. Heaviest, Eaton, 200; lightest, Potter, 130; average, 162. Married, 6; smoke, 5; like base ball, 3.

Probate and Insolvency. — Considered 5 matters. Oldest, Capen, 68; youngest, Barney, 28; average, 40. Heaviest, Barney, 190; lightest, Ruggles, 140; average, 158. Married, 9; smoke, 7; like base ball, 9.

Public Charitable Institutions. — First meeting, January 12; meetings held, 30; last meeting, June 13; considered 32 matters. Oldest, Bicknell, 72; youngest, Savage, 26; average, 51. Heaviest, Heald, 222; lightest, Nutter, 135; average, 177. Married, 9; smoke, 6; like base ball, 9. Official visits: Tewksbury, Northampton, Westborough, Monson, Lancaster, Worcester, Danvers, Baldwinville, Hartford, Ct., Carney Hospital, Eye and Ear Infirmary, N. E. School for Deaf Mutes, Bridgewater.

Public Health. — Considered 30 matters. Oldest, Nichols, 62; youngest, Casey, 28; average, 49. Heaviest, Chance, 180; lightest, Larkin, 132; average, 156. Married, 8; smoke, 5; like base ball, 5.

Public Service. — First meeting, January 13; meetings held, 30; last meeting, June 14; considered 65 matters. Oldest, Nourse, 50; youngest, Wolf, 30; average, 39. Heaviest, Morse, 187; lightest, Wolf, 125; average, 147. Married, 6; smoke, 4; like base ball, 6. Many of the petitions and orders were finally referred to the joint special recess committee on the revision of the judicial system of the state.

Railroads. — Considered 50 matters. Oldest, Mott, 61; youngest, Burke, 30; average, 43. Heaviest, Powers, 215; lightest, Hobson, 143; average, 170. Married, 10; smoke, 9; like base ball, 9.

Roads and Bridges. — Considered 20 matters; reported a resolve for a state com-
mission on the question of state roads. Oldest, Capen, 68; youngest, Bacheller, 29; average, 49. Heaviest, Sweet, 210; lightest, French, 125; average, 168. Married, 7; smoke, 4; like base ball, 6.

State House.—First meeting, January 13; meetings held, 11; last meeting, June 13; considered 9 matters. Oldest, Reade, 65; youngest, Kennedy, 34; average, 46. Heaviest, McCarthy, 215; lightest, Harris, 130; average, 174. Married, 5; smoke, 5; like base ball, 6. Official visit: tour of State House, no hacks. Sat with committee on cities on land for new city hall for Boston; question of state executive mansion, on bill by Mr. Rivers, sent to next Legislature; bill for State House park, reported by Mr. Blanchard, carried.

Street Railways.—First meeting, January 12; meetings held, 25; last meeting, April 14; considered 25 matters. Oldest, Jennings, 62; youngest, L. M. Clark, 33; average, 46. Heaviest, Anderson, 200; lightest, L. M. Clark, 145; average, 180. Married, 9; smoke, 7; like base ball, 5. Official visits: to Lowell, Lawrence, Haverhill, Quincy, Weymouth, and to the West End Street Railway.

Taxation.—First meeting, January 13; meetings held, 24; last meeting, April 12; matters reported favorably, 7; unfavorably, 24; sustained, 28; defeated, 3. Oldest, Hinds, 78; youngest, Champlin, 32; average, 49. Heaviest, Crosman, 215; lightest, Champlin, 142; average, 166. Married, 8; smoke, 6; like base ball, 6.

Towns.—First meeting, January 19; meetings held, 34; last meeting, May 20; matters reported favorably, 18; unfavorably, 14; sustained, 31; defeated, 1. Oldest, Luther, 59; youngest, Quinn, 27; average, 48. Heaviest, Jennison, 180; lightest, Jordan, 135; average, 157. All married; smoke, 6; like base ball, 4. Official visits: Wakefield, Longmeadow, West Bridgewater. New town of West Tisbury incorporated on bill reported.

Water Supply.—First meeting, January 13; meetings held, 63; last meeting, June 9; matters reported favorably, 36; unfavorably, 6; sustained, 40; defeated, 2. Oldest, Soule, 59; youngest, Gilbride, 26; average, 44. Heaviest, Soule, 200; lightest, Battles, 135; average, 156. Married, 6; smoke, 6; like base ball, 7. Official visits: Millbury, February 29; Stoneham, March 18; Methuen, March 25; Webster, April 15; Haverhill, April 22.

Woman Suffrage.—First meeting, January 13; meetings held, 7; last meeting, April 14. Considered all phases of woman suffrage. Oldest, Brown, 58; youngest, Warren, 28; average, 46. Heaviest, Arnold, 195; lightest, Gardner, 130; average, 159. Married, 8; smoke, 6; like base ball, 9.

Miscellaneous.—There are some interesting items also concerning the standing committees of each branch. The Senate judiciary committee considered 85 matters; probate and insolency, 13; and treasury, 207. The House judiciary committee considered 142 matters; finance, 149, on one of which 33 appropriation bills were reported; elections, none; county estimates, 2; and probate and insololvency, 25. The joint special committee on administrative boards and commissions considered 29 matters; the joint special on rapid transit, 29; and the joint special on public reservations, about half a dozen.

Social Events of the Session.

The Legislature of 1892 was social even in the midst of its legislation. At the early date of February 9, the Democrats of both branches, with invited guests, dined at the Quincy House. Mr. S. D. Charies of the House presided, and speeches were made by Chairman Josiah Quincy of the Democratic state central committee, Mr. John H. McDonough, chairman of the Boston Democratic city committee, Hon. P. A. Collins, Mr. Harvey N. Collison, chairman of the Young Men's Democratic Club of Massachusetts, Dr. William Everett of Quincy and Senator M. J. McEttrick of Boston. Governor Russell sent a letter of congratulation, and his private secretary, Hon. Samuel Roads, Jr., represented him also by "a message not in writing."
On the 28th of April, President Pinkerton entertained his fellow senators at Young's Hotel, each member being called upon for a speech by the president. Mr. Merritt of Hampden read two brief original poems written for the occasion, from one of which I quote as follows: —

The Commonwealth —
The Senate when convened, free every will —
Bound by inherent sympathy to her,
Abates no striving for her first estate;
And when her freemen, freely in their right
Make timely verdict who may shape her laws,
True to her honor may they ever be,
And, while our mountains lift and never level'd be,
So may our Country bide the birthright of the Free.

On the same date the Republicans of the House had a very pleasant reunion and dinner at the American House. Speaker Barrett presided; Mr. George F. Tucker was toastmaster, and speeches were made by the Speaker and Messrs. W. H. Powers, F. W. Bliss, F. P. Bennett, F. H. Appleton and others. Mr. W. E. Parkhurst read an appropriate poem, from which I quote as follows: —

To worthy legislation,
In earnest expectation
We claim due consecration
And self-abnegation;
But "cold molasses" will not run
Beneath the rays of wintry sun.

Our task is no subservient farce —
We own our voices — declining "pass;"
A willing State will pay our fare,
So ready we to do and dare.
We can't be bribed, as in days of yore;
We're honest now, — and evermore.

Having prepared the way by these special dinners, there was a general banquet of the whole Legislature at Copley Square Hotel on the evening of June 1, preceded by a reception. President Pinkerton sat at the head of the tables, with Governor Russell and Speaker Barrett on either side, while Representative Bennett of Everett was toastmaster. Governor Russell responded for "The Commonwealth;" Representative McCall for "The Legislature;" Representative Mellen for "Government of the people, by the people and for the people;" Representative Charles for "The Democratic party;" Speaker Barrett for "The Republican party," and Representative Mayhew for "The Prohibition party." Senator Parkman spoke for Boston and Senator Champlin for the press. Representative Rosnosky spoke for the Jewish race; and Representative Tuckner answered the question, "What reason have you for being a bachelor?" Representative Powers discussed the subject of taxation, and moved that a committee of five be appointed to make the Legislature of 1892 a permanent organization, and to arrange for a banquet next year. The motion prevailed, and Senators Champlin and Clark and Representatives Powers, Bennett and Rosnosky were made this committee. Representative Ruggles then closed the speaking by telling of "The necessities of a business education for work in the Legislature."

JOINT RECESS COMMITTEES.

The following joint recess committees were appointed on the last day of the session: —

On the revision of the judicial system of the Commonwealth: Senators Fernald of Middlesex, McDonald of Middlesex and Butler of Bristol; and Representatives Powers of Hyde Park, Ferren of Stoneham, Presho of Boston, Parker of Boston, Kilduff of Holyoke, O'Brien of Marlborough, Ruggles of Franklin and Barney of New Bedford.
On the examination into the system of introducing business into the General Court, the joint rules and those of each of the two branches, the salaries of members and the expense of the legislative branch of the government: President Pinkerton and Senators Smith of Worcester-Hampshire, Parkman of Suffolk, Merritt of Hampden and Southwick of Essex; and Representatives Durant of Cambridge, Mellen of Worcester, Bliss of Boston, Charles of Boston, Lanigan of Boston, Lyford of Springfield, Hoyt of Haverhill and Dolan of Boston.

To represent the Commonwealth at the opening ceremonies of the World's Columbian Exposition: Senators Raymond of Middlesex, Champlin of Suffolk, Clark of Franklin, Coveney of Suffolk, Mott of Bristol, Eaton of Norfolk, Dame of Essex, Thayer of Worcester and Hickox of Berkshire; and Representatives McCall of Winchester, Lakin of Westfield, Rideout of Cambridge, Rosnosky of Boston, Barrett of Concord, Clough of Worcester, Wilder of Leominster, Burke of Quincy, Luby of Fall River, McAnally of Lawrence, Bates of Brookline, Dennis of Salem, Fay of Northampton, Battles of Brockton, Jewett of North Adams, Brigham of Hudson, Atwood of Plymouth, Cutler of Taunton, Wood of Boston, Daley of Lynn, Fairbanks of Warren and Sundberg of Boston.

MINOR NOTES OF THE SESSION.

In the House, the yeas and nays were called 61 times.

Both President Pinkerton and Speaker Barrett were unanimously elected, as were Clerks Coolidge and McLaughlin.

Of the Senators, eight report themselves as unmarried; 18 as not smoking; and 15 as being indifferent to the charms of baseball.

Among the distinguished guests at the inauguration of Governor Russell, aside from the prominent men of our own state, were Rev. Dr. Lyman Abbott of New York; Senor Romero, the Mexican minister; Senor Vicanor Bolet Barak, the Venezuelan minister, and his son; Senor Bolet Monagas, secretary of legation, Venezuela.

In the House, on the 8th of June, an order was adopted for a special committee to investigate reports of bribery in connection with the "Endowment" and "Cape Cod Maritime Canal" bills, and Messrs. Gillett of Springfield, Lawrence of Medford, Dyar of Boston, Nickerson of Chatham, Rivers of Milton, McEvoy of Lowell and Daley of Lynn were appointed.

The Senate was a remarkably well-balanced body, literally. The president and the nineteen men on his left weighed 3,298 pounds, while the twenty remaining members, on his right, weighed 3,325, an average difference of less than one and one-half pounds per man. But in years the president and his nineteen footed up a total of 984 years, against 931 of the remaining twenty, or an average difference of a trifle over one and one-half years.


The total weight of the House was 49,144 pounds; the first half, alphabetically, averaged 167% pounds, and the last half 167. The letter Q averaged heaviest, 179, while W averaged lightest, 150.3. The whole House represented 11,509 years; the first half averaged 45.3 years, and the last half 44.3. The letter J averaged oldest, 53 years; and Q the youngest, 31. Of the whole House, 56 are unmarried; there are 89 who do not smoke; and there are 91 who report that they "do not like baseball." On the other hand, several affirm that they are "cranks" on the game; and two or three
recall their skill of younger days. One declares a fondness for cricket; while another says that at his age he would hardly care for base ball; and yet men older than he give a hearty affirmative. The facts of married life, smoking and fondness for base ball seem to have no bearing upon each other nor upon a man's profession.

Two appointees of the sergeant-at-arms deserve special mention for long and faithful service. Mr. W. S. Stoddard, who died Aug. 17, 1892, soon after celebrating his seventy-seventh birthday, was, without doubt, the oldest servant of the Commonwealth. His first appointment as messenger was in 1840. He held the place ever since, without break. When he first entered upon his duties, the offices of treasurer, librarian, secretary of state and adjutant-general were all that existed. Mr. Stoddard served as treasure messenger for a long period, and carried many a million dollars to and from the State House. Mr. James N. Tolman, messenger in charge of the legislative document rooms, was born Feb. 9, 1815. He was educated in the old Franklin school; went to sea a while, and then learned the carpenter's trade, at which he worked until appointed a messenger in 1848. For over thirty years he has had charge of the document service, and all legislators remember him most kindly as an ever-ready and courteous public servant. He has also a record as veteran fireman, runner, and swimmer, and has saved no less than thirteen persons from drowning. He holds the first gold medal from the Humane Society, given him by President Thomas Rich, June 24, 1836.
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