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EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Governor.

HIS EXCELLENCY OLIVER AMES OF EASTON,

Enters for the second term on the high office of Chief Magistrate of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. He held the office of Lieutenant-Governor three terms. He is a native of the town where his residence is, and was born Feb. 21, 1831. His education was received in the public schools, the Leicester Academy, and Brown University. He was trained as a practical mechanic in the factory of his father, the late Hon. Oakes Ames, to whose large manufacturing and railroad interests he and his brothers succeeded. In these concerns he is still interested. Prior to the War of the Rebellion, he was an officer in the State militia. He was on the School Committee in Easton a number of years, and was the ablest and most active member of the State Senate in 1880 and 1881. He represents the outcome of Massachusetts' skill, industry and enterprise. His family for three generations have conserved the largest business and railroad interests with a sagacity, foresight and prudence that have given them a national fame. The country throbs from shore to shore with the grand results of their marvellous energy, and the implements of their industry stir the soil of every clime, and lighten the hands of toil in every land under the sun. Nor is this unostentatious industry and ability less characteristic of the four sons and cousins who manage the "millions" committed to their trust and have developed the same with such signal energy, efficiency, and ever-increasing prosperity.

Lieutenant-Governor.

HIS HONOR JOHN Q. A. BRACKETT OF ARLINGTON,

Was born in Bradford, N. H., June 8, 1842, attending the public schools until seventeen, when he entered the Colby Academy at New London, graduating in 1861. Declining a congressional district appointment at
West Point, he entered Harvard College, where he maintained a high position, being elected class orator and graduating with honor in 1865, studied law at the Harvard Law School, receiving the degree of LL. B. in 1868, and having been admitted to the Suffolk Bar, has successfully practiced his profession to the present time. He was prominent in the notable work of the Mercantile Library Association in its palmy days, and president of the organization in 1871-72 and 1882-83. In 1874 he served on the staff of Gen. Isaac L. Burrell, First Brigade M. V. M., as Judge Advocate-General, holding that position until 1876. Ever interested in State and national politics, he has been one of the foremost of political workers on the higher plane of party politics, at the head of the Young Men's Republican organization in 1877, and for the last fifteen years the most efficient of orators in all State and Presidential campaigns. He was a member of the Boston Common Council from 1873 to 1877, and unanimously elected president of that body in 1876. In 1876 was chosen Representative to the Legislature, and re-elected in 1877-78-79-80, serving as House Chairman of Committee on Labor and Taxation, drafting and reporting bills for Co-operative Building Associations, and bills known as Double Taxation on Property. In 1878-79 he was Chairman of Committees on Education, Probate and Chancery, Rules and Orders, and Retrenchment, also a leading candidate for Speaker, receiving next to the highest vote cast. Was also, in 1884, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary. He was chosen unanimously as Speaker of the House in 1885, and re-elected without a dissenting voice for 1886. In 1886 he was elected Lieutenant-Governor as successor to Gov. Ames, and re-elected this year to the same office, which he has filled with distinguished ability and honor.

Councillors.

District No. 1. Hon. Jonathan Bourne of New Bedford, is the senior member of the Executive Council this year, having served four full terms. He was born in Sandwich, Mass., March 25, 1811, was educated in the public schools, and is a merchant. Engaging in the famous New Bedford whale fishery, he prosecuted it with such foresight and vigor as to realize a handsome fortune, and become the owner of the largest whaling tonnage known to the world, and an important factor in New Bedford enterprise, which secured for it the repute of being the wealthiest city in ratio of population in the Union. With Mr. Bourne were associated in those days, when patriotism and politics were incontrovertible synonyms, Col. Wm. Fessenden, Hon. Geo. Marston, and Hon. Wm. T. Davis, all of the First District, with political opponents worthy of their steel in the persons of those old Democratic war horses, Major S. B. Pinney and Moses Bates, men who neither gave nor asked "quarter." Mr. Bourne was four times delegate to the National Convention, and first "broke" from Seward to Lincoln in 1860. For a whole decade he was State Director in the Boston & Albany Railroad, five years Alderman in his own city, and thrice elected Councillor from the First District, President of the Merchants' National Bank, Bourne Mills, and Bristol County Insurance Company, and exceptionally complimented in the christening the new town set off from old Sandwich, his native town, with his own name of "Bourne." Still vigorous at seventy-five as most men of fifty, he is able to serve the interests of his beloved Cape Cod, the confidence of whose
people he holds to an unlimited extent. He has rendered valuable service on the Councillor Committees on Finance, Pardons, Railroads, as Chairman of each, from his long experience and thorough knowledge of matters referred to his consideration.

District No. 2. Hon. Elijah Adams Morse, Republican, of Canton, is proprietor of the Rising Sun Black Lead Works. He was born, of New England parents, at South Bend, Ind., May 25, 1841, and was educated in the Onondaga Academy, New York, and the Boylston School, Boston. He served in the Fourth Massachusetts Volunteers during its three months' campaign in Virginia in 1861, and its nine months in Louisiana in 1863; has been several years a member of the Board of Health in Canton, and was a member of the House in 1876, serving on the Committee on Manufactures. Committees: Taxation; Woman Suffrage; Parishes and Religious Societies. Senator Morse's indomitable and fearless championship of temperance and reform legislation, called him to the front and made him a leading candidate for Councillor of Second District. In a severe contest he was the victor, and will ably serve his constituents as Executive Advisor. Resides at home, Canton.

District No. 3. Ebenezer M. McPherson is a native Bostonian, where he was born Oct. 24, 1836. He was educated in the Grammar and High Schools, commencing life in the Bank Safe, Vault and Safety Wire Company, at the head of which important business he is now located at 79 Cornhill. He was a member of the House in 1876 and '78, on the Committee on Fisheries, Banking and Mercantile Affairs. Was Presidential Elector for 1874, and is now elected to the Governor's Council. Residence, 171 Trenton street, East Boston.

District No. 4. Hon. Michael Matthew Cunniff, Democrat, banker and broker, was born July 25, 1850, at Roscommon, Ireland, and educated in the Dwight School, Boston. He lives at 122 West Newton street. He is Chairman of Democratic City Committee, and long been the recognized leader of city politics, being largely instrumental in securing the valuable franchises of the West End Horse Railroad Company.

District No. 5. Hon. Frank Dewey Allen of Lynn, was born in Worcester, Mass., Aug. 16, 1850; was educated in the public schools of Worcester, and High School, fitting for Yale College and graduating with honor in the Class of 1873. Studied law at the Boston University and in the office of Ex-Gov. Boutwell; admitted to the Bar, and has since practiced his profession in Boston very successfully. Is now attorney for the Lancaster Bank, having in charge all its legal interests, and in prosecution of its criminal officials and accessories. Mr. Allen has been at the head of local politics in his closely contested districts, acting as Chairman of Town, Senatorial, and Congressional Republican Committees in 1884-85. Also chosen member of the State Central Committee. Elected to the Legislature in 1881, serving on the most active and important committees. Also Clerk of Judiciary Committee. Is now re-elected to the Executive Council for the fourth term, giving special interest to Railroads, Prisons, and Charitable Institutions, on which committees he has faithfully served. Councillor Allen has the personal qualifications in an eminent degree to represent his district in Congress a position it may fairly be assumed he will reach, from his large converse with public affairs. Committees: Hoosac Tunnel; Charitable Institutions, Prisons, and Warrants.


District No. 8. Levi J. Gunn, Republican, was born in Conway June 2, 1830. Received a good education in the public schools, entering the manufacturing business at an early age at Miller's Falls. His energy and business sagacity soon placed him in control of large interests in that important manufacturing centre, where he has held responsible public trusts, and been a leading counsellor, adviser and business manager in town and local affairs. Has held the position of Director in the Bank, Vice President and Trustee of the Savings Bank. He has also served with special credit two terms in the State Senate, on the Committees on Taxation, Manufacturing, Hoosac Tunnel and Labor. This year he is elected for his first term to the Executive Council Board, where his well-known business foresight and knowledge of public affairs will make him a valuable Advisor. Residence, American House.

Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Hon. Henry Bailey Peirce of Abington, has been Secretary of the Commonwealth since 1876, and has been an efficient and popular official. He was born in Duxbury, Mass., Aug. 6, 1841, received his education in the public schools and in a mercantile academy, and in 1861 enlisted in the Twenty-third Massachusetts Regiment, with which he served during the war of the Rebellion, being mustered out as a Captain. He was Adjutant-General of the Department of Massachusetts G. A. R., from 1870 to 1876, and has held the offices of Commissioner for the Care of Disabled Soldiers, and Secretary and Treasurer of that Commission. Under his care the large and varied range of State archives, from the earliest colonial records, have been codified, arranged, and preserved in spacious and newly fitted rooms and fire-proofs, forming one of the largest and most important of the State departments.

Treasurer and Receiver-General.

Hon. Alanson Wilder Beard of Boston, who takes charge of the Treasury for the second term, was born in Ludlow, Vt., Aug. 20, 1825, and received a common school education. He was Postmaster at Pittsfield, Vt., six years, and removing to Boston, was engaged in business and took an active interest in public affairs. In 1870 and 1871 he was a member of the House of Representatives. He was appointed Collector of Customs for the port of Boston in 1878. In 1884 and 1885 he was again a
Representative in the Legislature, and was an influential member, serving on the Committees on Taxation, on Finance, and on Expenditures in 1884, being House Chairman of the first-named committee. In 1885 he was Chairman of the Finance Committee and House Chairman of the Committee of Expenditures. Mr. Beard was a delegate to the National Republican Convention in 1868, and was Chairman of the Republican State Committee in 1875, and again elected Treasurer.

**Auditor of Accounts.**

**Hon. Charles R. Ladd**, of Springfield, became Auditor of Accounts in 1879 by appointment to fill the vacancy created in the office by the resignation of Hon. Julius L. Clarke. Elected for the following year, he has been re-elected every year since. Mr. Ladd was born in Tolland, Conn., April 9, 1822. He has held the offices of Register of Probate and Treasurer for Hampden County, has been a member of both branches of the Springfield City Council, was a member of the House of Representatives in 1853, 1854, and 1879, and was a State Senator in 1869 and 1870. He is one of the oldest and ablest public officials at the State House, and authority from which there is no appeal on all matters pertaining to the millions of State expenditure.

**Attorney-General.**

**Andrew J. Waterman**, the newly elected Attorney-General of the Commonwealth, is a Republican, born at No. Adams June 23, 1825; was educated in the public school and Williams College, studied law, and for many years was the leading practicing attorney and counsellor at the Berkshire bar. He was Register of the Courts of Probate and Insolvency for Berkshire County from Feb. 15, 1855 to Apr. 22, 1881, and District Attorney from Nov. 15, 1880, to Oct. 1, 1887, of the Western Criminal District of Massachusetts. Appointed Attorney-General of Massachusetts Oct. 1, 1887, to fill vacancy caused by the resignation of Hon. E. J. Sherman, and elected at the last annual election to the same office. By reason of holding said offices has never been eligible to a seat in either branch of the Legislature. Residence, Pittsfield, Mass. Address, Attorney-General's Office, Commonwealth Building.

**Adjutant-General.**

**Samuel Dalton**, Adjutant-General, was born in Salem, son of Col. Dalton of the Fortieth Massachusetts Regiment during the war. Was educated at the public schools, and at an early age acquired a special interest in military service as a member of the Salem Cadets, with which he was connected at the breaking out of the war. Enlisted in the Fourteenth Massachusetts Volunteers, afterwards known as the First Massachusetts Heavy Artillery. He soon received a Sergeant's warrant; Feb. 15, 1862, was commissioned as Second Lieutenant, and June 7, the same year, promoted to First Lieutenant. Apr. 6, 1866, he joined the Second Corps of Cadets as Captain of his old company; promoted to Major's commission in May, 1876; appointed Inspector of Ordnance in Dec. 1881, by Gov. Long; Jan. 4, 1883, appointed Adjutant-General, with rank of Brigadier-General, and advanced to a Major-Generalship by Gov. Robin-
son. His admirable military and business management of his department is acknowledged to be of the highest order.

Surgeon-General.

ALFRED F. HOLT, Surgeon-General, was born in Lyndeboro', N. H., Dec. 16, 1838; received his education in the public schools and Mount Vernon Academy. Studied medicine at the Harvard Medical School, 1858–60, also at the University of Vermont. Was practicing medicine at Cambridge on the breaking out of the war, when he volunteered in Company C, Third Regiment M. V. M., organized Apr. 17, 1861, the first company raised for the suppression of the Rebellion in the United States. Served as hospital steward at Fort Monroe. In November, 1861, joined the Thirtieth Regiment as Assistant Surgeon. Served in the Department of the Gulf till December, 1862, when promoted to Surgeon of First Texas Cavalry. December, 1863, commissioned Major of same regiment. Fall of 1864, received Lieutenant-Colonel's commission. He has since practiced his profession in Cambridge. Was appointed Medical Examiner in July, 1879, and in January, 1884, Surgeon-General. Has been Health Officer of Cambridge, member of the American Medical Association, Massachusetts Medical Society, American Association for the Advancement of Medical Science, member of the Loyal Legion, and Grand Army of the Republic.

Tax Commission.

CHARLES ENDICOTT, Tax Commissioner, was born in Canton, Oct. 28, 1822; received the usual aid offered by the common schools of the period, of which he availed himself to the utmost by an assiduity and perseverance, making ample amends for the lack of larger opportunities in academic education. Read law with the late Hon. Ellis Ames of Canton, and admitted to the Bar in 1857. His first official appointment was to the office of Deputy Sheriff, following in most of the offices of trust and executive management in his native town. He was also for many years County Commissioner, and Commissioner of Insolvency for the County of Norfolk. Elected Representative to the Legislatures of 1851, '57, and '58, and to the Senate for the years 1866, '67, following as Executive Councillor for the Second District in 1868, '69. Chosen State Auditor, he served six years in that department, from 1870 to '76. Elected State Treasurer in 1876, he was re-elected continuously five years till the limitation of the statute expired in 1881, when he was reappointed Tax Commissioner and Commissioner of Corporations in 1881, conducting the important and intricate affairs of that department till the present time. This unbroken continuity of public service for forty years, in all their varied departments of official capacity, presents an honorable record, alike creditable to himself and valuable to the State. To his honor be it exceptionally recorded, he has never compromised the genial serenity of the refined, courteous, and urbane gentleman in the usual asperities and dictatorial assumptions of political and public life.

State Aid.

CHARLES W. HASTINGS, Commissioner of State Aid, born Jan. 19, 1831, in Schenectady, N. Y. Came to Boston in 1846. Employed in the
printing establishment of S. N. Dickinson. Became a resident of Weymouth in 1851. Was a member of the Legislature from that town in 1861. In April of that year resigned his seat in the House, and enlisted in Company H, Twelfth Massachusetts (Webster) Regiment Infantry. Received commission as First Lieutenant in the same regiment Apr. 29, 1861. Commissioned Captain, Aug. 10, 1862. Captured by the enemy on the 24th of May, 1864, and was a prisoner of war until Mar. 1, 1865. Was mustered out of service Mar. 12, 1865. In October, 1871, received an appointment as Clerk of the Board of Massachusetts State Police Commissioners. Was appointed to a clerkship in the office of the Secretary of State in 1878, and in 1879, by Gov. Talbot, Commissioner of State Aid. Was a charter member of Reynolds Post 58, G. A. R., Department of Massachusetts, organized in 1863, and was its first Senior Vice-Commander. Commander of the Post in 1871-72, and Post-Adjutant for fifteen consecutive years.

Education.

John Woodbridge Dickinson, the present Secretary of the State Board of Education, passed his early years in South Williamstown, Mass. Here he obtained the rudiments of a common school education in the public schools of the town. At the age of nine years he was taken from the school for work on the farm during the summer time, attending school during the winter months only. Having an overmastering desire for a liberal education, he entered Greylock Institute, a celebrated private preparatory school in South Williamstown, conducted by the brothers Benjamin F. and Josiah A. Mills. The last two years of his preparatory course were spent at Williston Seminary in East Hampton, under principal Luther Wright, well known as one of the most celebrated classical teachers of his time. On graduating from Williston Seminary, Mr. Dickinson entered the Freshman class at Williams College in the autumn of 1848, graduating in 1852 with the classical honors of the class. In September of that year he received the appointment of assistant teacher in the Normal School at Westfield, Mass., under the principal, Mr. David S. Rowe. On the resignation of the principal, Mr. William H. Wells, he was appointed principal of the school. For twenty years he performed the duties of the office with great success, which gave to the Normal School a national reputation, and to the public schools of the State a large number of teachers well trained in the philosophy of teaching. Mr. Dickinson early became a most diligent student of a pedagogical science, and was among the first to introduce those reforms in teaching which have since been working their way slowly into the best schools of the country. The Westfield Normal School was the first to reduce the teaching of all subjects as well as objects to the oral objective method, requiring the learner to use his own active power in working out, under the simple direction of the teacher, his own problems for himself. In 1877, on the resignation of the Hon. Joseph White, Mr. Dickinson was called from the Normal School at Westfield to the office of Secretary of the Massachusetts Board of Education. His study and experience in the Normal School had fitted him to perform the duties of his new position. During his term of service as Secretary, the cause of popular instruction has made great progress in the old Commonwealth. The State Normal Art School, after having passed through a long struggle for simple existence, has at last found rest in a public appreciation of its solid merits.
Within the last few years, by means of teachers’ institutes, teachers’ conventions, public lectures, and the Annual Reports of the Board of Education, normal schools, and the good work of the agents of the Board, the school spirit of the State has been made more intense and more intelligent. Mr. Dickinson, now in the prime of life, is in earnest to make Massachusetts still the leader in all that is excellent in the methods of popular instruction.

Librarian.

C. B. Tillinghast, in charge of State Library, was born in West Greenwich, R. I., April 3, 1843, and was educated in the public schools and public libraries of Windham County, Conn., where he was for several years a teacher and school officer. Became connected with the editorial department of the Boston Daily Journal in 1870, and was city editor for several years. Resigning this position, he accepted the charge of the State Library of Massachusetts, June 1, 1879. Under his supervision, the valuable State Library, in its quiet, attractive, and orderly halls, has been brought to a high condition in selection, arrangement, and wide-reaching usefulness. In its specialties of law, history, and official records it affords invaluable aid to a large number of young students that constantly surround its ample tables and gather in its well-lighted alcoves.

Board of Health.

Stephen Clarence Wrightington, born Feb. 15, 1828, in Troy, Mass., before and later known as Fall River; member of the Common Council of that city in the years 1855, 1856, and 1857, the two latter years as President of that body, resigning in 1857 to assume the office of Assessor, serving in that capacity during the succeeding two years. Member of the Massachusetts House of Representatives in 1859, ’60, and ’61. In 1860 was in the employ of the Alien Commission, where he continued until its abolition in 1863, and further in the employ of its successor, the Board of State Charities, until 1868, when he was appointed General Agent of that Board by Gov. Bullock, remaining in that position by successive appointments until the abolition of the board in 1879. He then received the appointment of Superintendent of In-Door Poor, which he has held for six years under the present Board of Health, Lunacy and Charity. A quarter of a century in executive management of various departments of State charities, with a previous large experience in control of city and State affairs, has given him an enviable position as one of the ablest, most efficient, and popular officials in departmental business.

Prisons.

Eustace C. Fitz, Republican, was born at Haverhill, Mass., Feb. 5, 1833, and educated at public schools of Chelsea. Engaged in mercantile business. Was President of Chelsea Common Council, 1862-63, and Mayor 1864-66. Member of Massachusetts House of Representatives, 1873-74, and of Massachusetts Senate, 1875-76, also member of Massachusetts Executive Council, 1881-82. Gov. Ames appointed him Chairman of Commissioners of Prisons, Aug., 1887, which position he now holds.
WARREN F. SPALDING, Secretary and executive officer of the Commissioners of Prisons, was born in Hillsborough, N. H., Jan. 14, 1841. He received a common school education in Nashua, N. H., where he lived from 1845 to 1870. He was engaged in the furniture business there for several years. He enlisted as a private in Company F, First Regiment N. H. Heavy Artillery, in the last year of the War of the Rebellion, and served nearly a year, and until the end of the war, being detached from his regiment during the latter part of the time, and assigned to clerical service at the War Department. He came to Boston in 1870, and was engaged in journalism, as reporter and editor, for nearly nine years, upon the Daily News, Daily Globe and Commercial Bulletin. He was elected Secretary of the old Board of Commissioners of Prisons, in April, 1879, and became the Secretary of the new Board when it was reorganized in May of that year.

Provincial Records.

Abner Cheney Goodell, Jr., of Salem; born at Cambridgeport, Oct. 1, 1831; studied law with his uncle, Hon. George Haskell of Ipswich, and with Northend and Choate, of Salem. He was admitted to the Bar at the November term of the Supreme Judicial Court, 1852, and immediately began practice at Lynn. In 1856 he was appointed first Register of the newly established Court of Insolvency for Essex County, to which he was also elected the next autumn; and, upon the consolidation of the Courts of Probate and Insolvency, in 1858, he was elected Register of the two Courts to serve from January, 1859. This office he held for twenty years by successive elections. He relinquished his general law practice upon his election as Register of Probate and Insolvency. In 1856 he was appointed, by Gov. Andrew, one of the commissioners on the publication of the laws of the old Province of Massachusetts Bay. His senior associates were Ex-Gov. John H. Clifford, and Ellis Ames, of Canton, both since deceased. In 1867 he was directed, by Gov. Bullock, to proceed with the editing and printing of the Province Laws, in conjunction with Mr. Ames, one of his associates under the former commission. The labor of this edition, which has reached the last volume of the Public Acts, making in all five volumes, and containing about six thousand pages, has devolved wholly upon Mr. Goodell. Throughout the war he served as chairman of the citizens’ recruiting committee of Salem, and as secretary of the citizens’ committee for the relief of soldiers and their families. In 1865 he received the honorary degree of A. M. from Amherst College. He has been for many years Vice President of the Essex Institute, and has been Secretary of the Board of Trustees of the Peabody Academy of Science from the foundation of that institution. He is a member of the Massachusetts Historical Society, a life member of the New England Historic, Genealogical Society, and a corresponding member of the Historical Societies of New York, New Hampshire and Rhode Island. He was formerly editor of the Historical Collections of the Essex Institute, and also one of the editors of the Heraldic Journal. For nineteen years he was president of the Salem Street Railway, now the Naumkeag Street Railway Company. In 1865 he was elected Alderman of the city of Salem, and was appointed chairman of the Joint Committee on the Water Works, in which capacity he drew the ordinance establishing the Board of Water Commissioners. He declined a renomination. Of
lately he has withdrawn from all other pursuits, to devote himself exclusively to the editing of the Province Laws.

Agriculture.

Hon. William R. Sessions, Republican, farmer, is a native resident of Hampden; was born Dec. 3, 1835, and was a pupil in the Westfield Academy. He was a Sergeant in the Forty-sixth Massachusetts Regiment during the war, has held various town offices, has been a member of the State Board of Agriculture, and was in the House in 1868, serving on the Committee on Agriculture. In the Senate last year he was Chairman of the Committee on Towns, and a member of the Committees on Agriculture and on Taxation. On the resignation of Col. Russell, Mr. Sessions was chosen Secretary of the Board by reason of his long and thorough experience as a successful scientific and practical farmer; his herd of shorthorns, his dairy and premium butter, his model barns, and fine old homestead, overlooking from Hampden Heights the far-famed Connecticut Valley and Berkshire Hills beyond. This, with a score of years of public agricultural official labor at the Hampden Fairs, Harvest Club, Agricultural College, on the State General Agricultural Committee, and on the State Board of Agriculture, presented him as the best equipped candidate, and insured his election to his present important post.

Harbor and Land Commission.

John E. Sanford, Chairman of the Board, was born in Dennis, Nov. 22, 1830. Graduated at Amherst College in 1851. Studied law and practised at Taunton. He was elected to House in 1863–64, acting as Chairman on Mercantile Affairs, Hoosac Tunnel and Railroads. Also member of the House in 1871–76, and for last four years Speaker of the House, presiding over its deliberations with distinguished ability, and leaving a valuable record in its rulings which have been recognized authority in succeeding years. He was appointed Chairman of the Board of Commission on Harbors and Public Lands by Gov. Robinson, and still holds that position.

John I. Baker, one of the best known of the older politicians, and noted as Dean of the House of Representatives, was born in Beverly Aug. 16, 1812, and educated in the public schools. He has served on various State Boards of Commissions for many years, and was member of the House in 1840, '45-47, '52, '56, '65-66, '69, '71, '75, '78–83, and in Senate 1863-64. On Governor's Council for 1861–62, serving as Chairman of several of the leading Committees. He was appointed by Gov. Butler on the Harbor and Land Commission in 1883.

Hon. Charles H. Howland, Republican, house painter, of Plymouth, was born in that town Sept. 15, 1826, and received a common school education. He was First Lieutenant and Regimental Quartermaster in the Thirty-fourth Massachusetts Regiment, and acting Assistant Quartermaster three years during the war. He was a member of the House in 1860, '79, '80, '83 and '84, and among the committees on which he served were those on the Fisheries, on Prisons and on Labor. He was House Chairman of the Prison Committee last year, and appointed Chairman of
Committee to examine the whole subject of Reformatory Prison Discipline, Buildings, Industry, Education and Classification, to sit during the vacation and report to the next Legislature. His committee visited all the public penal institutions, embodying the results of their extended observations in the able and exhaustive report, which gave to the State the Concord and Sherborn Male and Female Reformatories. Capt. Howland was appointed by Gov. Robinson to the Board of Harbor Commissions, over great competition at the close of his term. His life-long experience in local study of riparian and marine titles, rights and privileges, gives him exceptional facilities for sound and judicious consideration of the varied important questions within the jurisdiction of the Board.

Insurance Commission.

George S. Merrill, Insurance Commissioner, was born in Methuen, Mass., in 1837; between 1853 and 1856 he served an apprenticeship in the office of the Lawrence Courier. In 1856 he became editor of the Lawrence American, and since 1860, has been sole proprietor and editor. He was five years a member and two years president of the Common Council of Lawrence. Was appointed Postmaster by President Lincoln in 1861, holding that position twenty-five years. In 1862 he assisted in raising a company for the Union service, of which he became Lieutenant and afterward Captain. The company was attached to the Fourth Regiment and was in the campaigns under General Banks in Louisiana, including the siege and capture of Port Hudson. To enter this service he tendered his resignation as Postmaster, but this was declined, and leave of absence granted by the Post Office Department. He was Adjutant of the Sixth Regiment from 1866 to '69, then three years Captain of a light battery in Lawrence, and since 1873 has been Major of the First Battalion of Light Artillery. He was for seven years president of the Massachusetts Press Association, and for a like period secretary of the Republican State Committee. He was one of the charter members, and the first Commander of Post 39, Grand Army of the Republic, in Lawrence; was Commander of the Department of Massachusetts in 1875, and Commander-in-Chief of the United States in 1881. He has attended, with two exceptions, every National encampment of the organization. Is a member, and has been Senior Vice Commander of the Massachusetts Commandery of the Loyal Legion. For six years past he has been chairman of the National Pension Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic. He was appointed June 1, 1887, by Gov. Ames, Insurance Commissioner of Massachusetts.

Census Bureau.

Carroll D. Wright, Commissioner of Bureau of Statistics of Labor, is a native of the town of Dunbarton, N. H., born July 25, 1840. He attended the academies at Washington, Alstead, and Chester, Vt., and in 1860 commenced the study of law in the office of the late Hon. William P. Wheeler of Keene, continuing the same, subsequently, with Erastus Worthington of Dedham, Mass., and Tolman Willey of Boston. In August, 1862, he enlisted as a private in Company C, Fourteenth N. H. Volunteers, but was commissioned Second Lieutenant before leaving for the seat of war. He was appointed Adjutant of his regiment in the
Biography. Departments.

Fall of 1863, and was assistant Adjutant-General in Louisiana and during
Sheridan's campaign in the Shenandoah Valley, at the close of which
campaign he was commissioned Colonel of his regiment. In 1871, Col.
Wright was elected to the Massachusetts Senate, and was re-elected the
following year, serving with ability as Chairman of the Committees on
Insurance and Military Affairs, and Secretary of the Judiciary Commit-
ette. In 1873 he was appointed by Gov. Washburn, Chief of the State
Bureau of Statistics of Labor. Col. Wright was Supervisor of the
Federal Census of 1880 for the State of Massachusetts, performing his
work with characteristic fullness and accuracy. He prepared for the
Census Bureau an exhaustive special report upon "The Factory System
of the United States," visiting the principal factory centres of this
country and of Europe, in securing the information necessary to its thor-
ough preparation.

District Police.

Rufus Wade, Chief of District Police, was born in Boston in 1828;
received his education in the public schools. For eleven years he was
officially engaged in the various penal institutions, also at the Cambridge
House of Correction and Charlestown State Prison. Was subsequently
appointed Special Agent of the Postoffice Department at Washington,
and afterwards Chief of Secret Service Department, United States Gov-
ernment. In 1879 he was commissioned by Gov. Talbot as Chief of
State District Police, upon the new organization of that department.
Was reappointed in 1882 by Gov. Long, and again by His Excellency
Gov. Robinson in 1885. Chief Wade had a narrow escape from death
by a point-blank shot through the shoulder by a crank, who entered his
office. By a well-studied, wise, and efficient policy, the Chief has
brought the inspection service of his department to a thorough and sys-
tematic efficiency, of incalculable benefit to the entire population of the
State. With all the unassuming courtesy of the quiet citizen and busi-
ness gentleman, the Chief is unrelenting and untiring in persistency of
effort to secure the best outcome of the service, and the fullest results for
the safety and benefit of the community, and the swift punishment of
crime in every part of the State.

Railroad Commission.

Hon. George G. Crocker, who has succeeded Judge Russell as
Chairman of this chief State Board of Railroad Administration, was born
in Boston Dec. 15, 1843, educated in Latin school and graduated at
Harvard in 1864. Studied law and has practiced in Boston. Was mem-
ber of the House in 1873-74, and the Senate 1880-83. Was Chairman of
Railroad Committee and Judiciary, State House and Taxation; was also
chosen President of Senate. He received the appointment from Gov.
Ames of his present position.

W. Augustus Crafts, clerk of the Commission from its organization in
1869, was born in Roxbury, Oct. 28, 1819. He attended public and private
schools in Cambridge, and graduated at Harvard College in 1840, and
continued a professional course at the Law School, also in the office of
Judge Phillips, practising in Boston. Was a member of the Roxbury City
Council three years, and President of that body. Also gave special at-
tention to public schools, being for many years on the School Board. Was engaged in journalism for several years, and edited the *Norfolk County Journal*. He represented Roxbury in the Legislature in 1853-54 and 1861. For nearly twenty years the records of the Railroad Commission, the most important of the State Boards, as presented in his annual reports, have been the highest recognized authority, and furnished the basis and model for similar departments in other States. They will ever stand as a fitting and creditable memorial of his industry, ability and faithful work.

**Inspector of Charities.**

F. B. Sanborn, Publicist, was born Dec. 15, 1831, at Hampton Falls, and was educated at Phillips Academy, Exeter, and Harvard College, graduating and studying law, and practicing in Boston, but devoted himself to the study of the entire range of Social Science, Sanitary and Reformatory Ethics. He was appointed Secretary of the Board of Health and Charities in 1863, holding that position till 1868. He was also Chairman of that Board in 1874-76. Was appointed Inspector of Charities July 1, 1879, still holding the same general supervision, and has been chiefly identified in all the development and varied advancement of these important interests to their present humane and economic system. He has been an active member of the American Social Science Society since 1865, and Secretary of the Society since 1875; was President of the National Conference of Charities in 1880-81, and is now Treasurer of that organization. He is also Secretary of the Concord School of Philosophy, adding largely by his annual papers to the interest and profit of the school. Mr. Sanborn was bred a New Hampshire Democrat of the old school, never changing his views in favor of moderate tariff, and is an honorary member of the Cobden Club.

**Gas.**

Hon. Abraham B. Coffin of Winchester, was a member of the Council three years. He is a lawyer, was born in Gilead, Me., March 31, 1831, and was graduated at Dartmouth College in 1856. Removing from Maine to Derry, N. H., he enjoyed the advantages of the Academy, and a full preparatory course at Andover, Phillips Academy. After entering Dartmouth, he carried on his studies with his class with creditable success, besides teaching in the High Schools at Boxford, Andover and Stoneham, graduating with his class in 1856, with that solid, self-reliant, rounded attainment, so well calculated to secure success, which characterizes the "Son of the Old Granite State." The two years following graduation he spent in Virginia teaching and studying law. He was admitted to the bar at Richmond, Va., in the fall of 1858, but with prudent, yet not the least vigilant analysis of the social and political elements brewing in *ante bellum* South, foreseeing the inevitable outburst of the gathering storm, and too true to the free air and liberty-loving instincts of his native hills, he returned to New England for permanent residence, studying law in the office of the late John P. Healey; he was admitted to the Suffolk Bar in 1859, was Trial Justice at Winchester from 1860 to 1864; School Committee and member of Board of Health for several years. He has represented his town as counsel in its controversies with the Boston & Lowell Railroad, and in its important relations with
the entire Mystic water system before frequent Legislative Committees. Was chosen Representative to the Legislature of 1875, and Chairman of Committee on Elections, and again to the Senate in 1877-78, acting as Chairman of Committee on Taxation, on Judiciary, Revision of the Judicial System of State Courts and Constitutional Amendments. Recognizing his business abilities, Gov. Ames appointed him Chairman of the Board of Gas Commission. To a sterling honesty of principle and sincerity of purpose, inborn and bred of his old New England home, he has brought a cool, safe judgment and professional accuracy that give him his well-earned prominence.

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President of Senate.

HON. HALSEY J. BOARDMAN is a Republican, and lives at No. 41 Perrin street, Roxbury. He was born at Norwich, Vt., May 19, 1834, and graduated from Thetford Academy and Dartmouth College. In 1859 he was engaged in teaching. He has been in the profession in Boston for twenty-six years, at present having an office at No. 17 State street. During the rebellion he was a Commissioner of the Board of Enrollment for the fourth Massachusetts district. From 1873 to 1875 he was a member of the Common Council, and was president of that body in 1875. In 1883 he was first elected to the House, where he served for three years on the Committees on Railroads, as House Chairman, and on Rules. He is elected to the Senate the second year, and again chosen president of that body.

Clerk of Senate.

E. HERBERT CLAPP was born in Dorchester, Mass., Oct. 17, 1838, receiving his education in the public schools of that town; was early engaged in business from 1854 to 1861, visiting the South in this capacity. Was appointed Page in the Senate, and afterwards Clerk in the Adjutant-General’s office. For nearly ten years following he was actively engaged in mercantile pursuits, and located some years in Colorado and Philadelphia. He was appointed Assistant Clerk of the Senate in 1880, having served seven years in that capacity with untiring assiduity and acceptance. Methodical and systematic in official duties, quiet and unobtrusive in manner, he has secured the well-earned reputation of a valuable and efficient purveyor of senatorial records. On the death of the late Stephen N. Gifford, he was unanimously elected Clerk of the Senate, which position he now holds.

Suffolk County.

First District. HON. FRANK D. KIMBALL was born in Boston, Dec. 4, 1846, and was educated in the public schools of Chelsea. He took a course in the Harvard Law School, and he completed his legal studies in the office of Hon. A. A. Ranney. He was a member of the House in 1883 and 1884, and during both years he was Chairman on the part of the House of the Committee on Towns, and was also on the Committee on Probate and Insolvency. He was a member of the Chelsea City Council for two years, and has held the position of Associate Justice of the Police Court of that district, and City Collector of Chelsea. He was elected to the Senate last year as a Republican. Chairman of the Committees on Towns and Printing.

Second District. HON. ROBERT A. SOUTHWORTH, who will represent the Second District, is a Republican from way back. He was born in Medford,
May 6, 1852, and his ancestors' lineage runs to the earliest Pilgrims. He attended the public schools, and graduated from Harvard College in 1874, and after a thorough course of law study was admitted to the Bar in 1876. In 1880 he was appointed Clerk of the high commission to revise, codify and publish the General Statutes of the Commonwealth. He has an office at No. 48 Congress street, and resides at Charlestown. For several years he has taken an active part in politics, and he has been a member of the Republican District, City and State Committees, and in 1883 was appointed Assistant Secretary of the Republican State Committee, and Assistant Clerk of the House of Representatives, which latter position he now holds. In 1886 he was promoted to the Chief Secretaryship of the State Committee, succeeding Col. John J. Whipple in that position. While a very young man, Mr. Southworth will make a most creditable record, as he is endowed with energy, experience, finesse and untiring industry.

Third District. Hon. Patrick D. Dwyer is a Democrat, but was this year elected upon an Independent ticket. He was born in Galway, Ireland, 1857, but came to this country when a lad, and attended the Mayhew School in Boston. He is a law student, and is very popular with the young men of the district. He lives at No. 42 Billerica street, Ward 8, and has for several years been prominent in politics of that ward, being elected to the House and Senate in opposition to the machine candidate. In 1883 he was Chief Inspector under the Boston Water Board, and was a member of the House in 1884, 1885 and 1886, serving on the Committees on Railroads and Claims. In the Senate of 1887 he was on the Committees on Claims, Insurance, and Library.

Fourth District. Hon. John H. Sullivan is a Democrat, and was born in Ireland in 1848, receiving a national school education. He settled in Boston, where he became inspector of the East India merchandize, holding this occupation for four years; also Superintendent of the National line of steamers. He was a member of the Common Council of 1884 and 1885, and was first elected to the Board of Aldermen of 1886, and was re-elected to the Board of this year.

Fifth District. Henry Harrison Sprague is a Republican, and resides at No. 11 Tremont place. He was born in Athol, Aug. 1, 1841, and graduated from Harvard University in 1864. After a course of studies he was admitted to the Bar, and has since practiced law, having an office at No. 19 Milk street. He was a member of the City Council in 1874, 1875 and 1876, and during the last two years of his service in the Council he was one of the Trustees of the City Hospital, while he was elected a Trustee at Large in 1878, and under the incorporation of the City Hospital in 1879 he was appointed on the Board of Trustees. He was a member of the House in 1881, 1882 and 1883.

Sixth District. Hon. John A. Collins is Democratic. He was born in Boston on Feb. 29, 1860 (leap year). He graduated from the Grammar and English High Schools, and afterwards attended the Boston Latin School, while he begun the study of law at Harvard University Law School, and graduated from Boston University Law School. Since he was admitted to the Suffolk Bar he has practiced law. He was elected to the House in 1885, and served on the Committee on Probate and Chancery, while he was re-elected the following year, and was a member of the Committee
on Bills in the Third Reading, and was also on the Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the New York & New England bond sale matter.

**Seventh District.** Hon. Edward J. Hathorne is a Republican. He lives at No. 10 Worcester square, and is one of the proprietors of the Citizens’ line of coaches, or "red ’bus line" as it is more familiarly known. He was born in Boston, April 2, 1854, and was educated in the public schools. He served in the Common Council in 1883, 1884 and 1885, and has been a Trustee of the City Hospital. He was a member of the House in 1886 and 1887, serving on the Committees on Cities and Redistricting, and last year was Chairman on the part of the House of the Committee on Cities. He has been Clerk of the First Corps of Cadets since 1879.

**Eighth District.** Hon. John F. Shea is a Democrat. He was born in Boston June 2, 1859, and was educated in the public schools, and after a course of studies was admitted to the bar. He lives at No. 31 Milford place, and has an office at No. 34 School street. His first public service was in the House in 1886, when he distinguished himself as a member of the Committee on Claims during the New York & New England bond sale investigation.

**Ninth District.** See President of Senate.

**Essex County.**

**First District.** Hon. William A. Clark, Jr., Republican, of Lynn, is a jeweler, and was born June 9, 1852, in Newark, N. J. He was for several years a member of the School Committee of Lynn, and was in the House in 1886-87, being appointed to the Committees on Railroads, Redistricting, and State House (House Chairman).

**Second District.** Hon. Samuel Roads, Jr., Democrat, journalist, was born in Marblehead, Oct. 22, 1854, and has always resided in that town, depending also upon its public schools for his education, and is now a Trustee of its Abbott Public Library. Sitting in the lower branch for three years, his committee appointments have been Prisons, Liquor Law, Rules, Railroads and Redistricting.

**Third District.** Hon. Benjamin Franklin Cook, Republican, real estate broker, lives in Gloucester, and was born Jan. 1, 1833, in Boston, attending the public schools of Gloucester. He served during the war in the famous Webster Regiment, Twelfth Massachusetts Volunteers, rising from the rank of Second Lieutenant to that of Lieutenant Colonel. For the three years next following the war he was Captain of Company G, Eighth Regiment, M. V. M. He was Inspector, Weigher and Guager in the Gloucester Custom House until 1886, except during 1868 and ’69 when he was a member of the House, and served on the committees on Printing and Hoosac Tunnel and Troy & Greenfield Railroad. Was in Senate 1887 and ’88, Chairman Committee on Fisheries and Game, and Mercantile Affairs.

**Fourth District.** Hon. James Davis Pike, Republican, of Merrimac, was born Feb. 26, 1829, at Salisbury, educated in public schools, is a dry goods dealer and treasurer of Bay State Felt Boot and Shoe Co. In the House, in 1864 and ’78, he served on Committee on Reimbursement of Military Bounties, Amendment of Valuation Act, and Harbors.

Sixth District. Hon. William T. McAlpine, Republican, paper manufacturer of Lawrence, was born in Saxonville, Mass., July 20, 1840, educated in the public schools of Lowell, for five years a member of the Lawrence City Council, and once the Republican nominee for Mayor of that city. He served throughout the war in the Second Massachusetts Infantry, and was wounded at Cedar Mountain and Chancellorsville. During the occupation of Atlanta, Ga., by Sherman’s troops he was Assistant Provost Marshal of the city.

Middlesex County.

First District. Hon. Edward Glines of Somerville, Republican, is a coffee and spice merchant, and was born in the city in which he resides Aug. 31, 1849, graduating from the public schools of his native place. In 1879 he was a member of the Somerville Common Council, and was President of that body during the following year. He sat in the House in 1882 and '83, serving on the Committees on Street Railways and Railroads. In Senate '87, serving on Committees on Railroads, Street Railways, Labor, Roads and Bridges, Public Health, Expediting Public Business. Residence, 129 Highland avenue, Somerville.

Second District. Hon. J. Varnum Fletcher, Republican, of Belmont, is a wholesale and retail dealer in provisions, and is one of the original occupants of Faneuil Hall Market. He was born Feb. 28, 1812, at Westford, Mass., and attended school in that town and in Groton. President Belmont Savings Bank, Trustee of Library. He has been a member of both branches of the old city government of Charlestown and was for several years a Selectman of Belmont. In the House in 1885-6, he was assigned to the Committees on Taxation and Banks and Banking, and last year to the same committee and to the Committee on Public Charitable Institutions, and is now elected to the Senate for the second term. On Committees on Banks and Banking, Agriculture, Parishes and Religious Societies, Public Charitable Institutions. Residence, Belmont.

Third District. Hon. Chester W. Kingsley, Republican, of Cambridge, is treasurer of a coal mining company. He was born in Brighton, Mass., June 9, 1824, and received his education in the schools of his native place. He has served in the Cambridge City Government and is president of its Water Board. For three years, beginning with '82, he was a member of the lower branch, serving on the Committees on Water Supply, Printing, and Liquor Law.

Fourth District. Hon. Edward J. Slattery, Democrat, of Framingham, is a rubber shoe cutter. He was born in Medway, Mass., in 1856, and was educated in the schools of Milford. He has never before held public office, except Senator, though often honored by temperance and labor organizations. He has been President of the Catholic Temperance
Association of Milford, Trustee of the Public Library in that town, President of the Milford Land League and President of Division 30, A. O. H. of Framingham, and is now in his third term of service as Master Workman of Local Assembly No. 3562, K. of L. Now elected to the Senate for the second term. Residence, Framingham.


Sixth District. John Kilbourne Clough Sleeper, Malden, Republican in politics during the entire lifetime of the Republican party, was born Feb. 7, 1828, in Bridgewater, Grafton County, N. H., and educated on the farm and in the public schools of his native town and Concord, in the same State, and Newbury Seminary, Vt. At the age of seventeen he found his way to Boston, where as boy in a wholesale store, he commenced the mercantile career which he has followed, with scarcely any intermission, until the present time. Though loyal to the flag and the cause, very delicate health rendered active service during the late “unpleasantness” impossible. He was a member of the House of Representatives in 1874, serving on the Committee on Hoosac Tunnel and Troy and Greenfield Railroad. In 1877 he again served in the House on the same committee. In 1883 he served as the second Mayor of the city of Malden. In 1887, he was, without solicitation by himself or friends, nominated and elected Senator, serving as Chairman of the Committee on Drainage and a member of the Committee on Election Laws, and renominated and re-elected Senator for 1888 by a very largely increased plurality. He has held many local offices, such as School Committee, Public Library Trustee, and kindred positions, and was one of the sub-Committee who framed the Malden city charter. Did not enter politics excepting as a voter until he was more than forty years of age. He is a total abstainer from the use of intoxicants. Residence, Malden.

Seventh District. Hon. Frank Whitehouse Howe, Republican, of Lowell, is a lumber dealer, and was born in the city of his residence, June 3, 1859, and attended its public schools, Phillips' Exeter Academy and Harvard College. This is his first year in the Legislature. He has sat in the Lowell Common Council, is a Director in the Lowell Street Railway, and President of the Lowell Base Ball Corporation.

Worcester County.

First District. Hon. Edwin Tyler Marble, Republican, of Worcester, is a manufacturer of cloth-finishing machinery. Born Aug. 18, 1827, in Sutton, Mass., he attended the local schools and the Worcester Academy. He was a member of the House in 1870, being on the Committee on Manufactures, and in Worcester has served three years in the Common


Fourth District. Hon. Harris C. Hartwell, Republican, lawyer, of Fitchburg, was born Dec. 28, 1847, at Groton, Mass., and was graduated at Harvard College in 1869. He served three years in the House, beginning with 1883. In that year he was assigned to the Committee on Banks and Banking; in 1884, Judiciary and Woman Suffrage (House Chairman), and in 1885, Judiciary (Chairman). He has been for ten years City Solicitor of Fitchburg, and State Senator 1887–88. Chairman Senate Judiciary Committee, and one of the ablest advocates of Restrictive Temperance Legislation as Senate leader and prominent candidate for Presidency of the Senate. Residence, Fitchburg.

Worcester and Hampshire District. Hon. Charles Albert Gleason, Republican, farmer, of New Braintree, was born in that town Feb. 7, 1846, and was educated in the common schools and at Westfield Academy. A member of the House in 1873, he was appointed to the Committee on Banks and Banking. In the Senate of 1886 he served on the Committees on Agriculture (Chairman) and Towns. He has been Town Treasurer and a member of the School Committee and Board of Selectmen of New Braintree, and President of the Worcester West Agricultural Society. Now elected to second term in the Senate. Residence, New Braintree.

Hampden County.

First District. Charles Clark Spellman, Democrat, lawyer, of Springfield, was born Dec. 3, 1843, in Hampden, then South Wilbraham, Mass., attended Williston Seminary, Easthampton, and was graduated at Yale College in 1867. He was for twelve years clerk of the Springfield Police Court. Member House of Representatives 1887, and now elected to Senate.

Second District. Levi Perkins, Independent; retired from the wholesale provision business, lives in Holyoke; was born in that city, then known as West Springfield, in 1831, and was educated in the public schools. He has been a member of the Holyoke City Council, has been a Trustee and member of the Finance Committee of the Holyoke Savings Bank fifteen years, is a Director in the Holyoke National Bank. Committee: Banks, Banking. Elected to House 1886 and now promoted to upper branch from the Second Hampden District. Residence, United States Hotel.

Franklin County.

First District. Hon. Charles Andrew Towne, Republican, of Orange, is a grocer and grain dealer, and was born Oct. 3, 1843, at Dana,
Mass., receiving a common school education. He has held various town offices, and sat in the House in 1883 and 1884, serving both years on the Committee on Roads and Bridges, and in his second term as Chairman of the Committee on Leave of Absence. He is one of the Trustees of the Orange Savings Bank. Is now chosen to the Senate for first term.

Berkshire County.


Berkshire and Hampshire District. Hon. Charles Nathaniel Clark, Republican, lawyer, of Northampton, is a native of that town, and was born April 4, 1853, graduating from the public schools and from Amherst College. He has held various local offices in Northampton, including membership in the School Committee, and served in the House in 1883, 1884 and 1885, being appointed to the Committees on Claims, Hoosac Tunnel and Troy and Greenfield Railroad, and Judiciary. Is now returned to the Senate for second term, and is a safe, judicious, upright legislator. Was on Judiciary Committee, Bills in Third Reading, and Public Service. Residence, United States Hotel.

Norfolk County.

First District. Hon. James T. Stevens, Republican, tack manufacturer of Braintree, was born in that town June 20, 1835. He enlisted in the Fourth and Forty-second Massachusetts Volunteers with the rank of Captain, and was a member of the House in 1876, being appointed to the Committee on Printing. He is a Trustee of the Braintree Savings Bank. Residence, Braintree.

Second District. Enos H. Tucker, Republican, of Needham, is a Division Superintendent on the New York and New England Railroad. He was born in Needham in 1817, received a common school education, and has held the offices of Selectman and Assessor. Was member of House in 1885-86, and now goes to the Senate for first term. Residence, Needham.

Plymouth County.

First District. JUBAL CONVERSE GLEASON, Republican, born in Hubbardston, Mass., Nov. 9, 1837, was graduated at Amherst College in 1863, and at the Harvard Medical School in 1867. He represented the Town of Hardwick in the House in 1879, serving on the Committee on Federal Relations. Last year he was again in the House, and was assigned to the Committees on Public Health and Redistricting. He has been Chairman of the Rockland School Committee since the incorporation of the town, and Medical Examiner of the Second Plymouth District since 1877; Chairman School Board fourteen years. On Committee on Judicial Relation, Rules, Public Health; Chairman Committee on Education. Is now returned to the Senate for the second term.
Second District. Hon. Ziba C. Keith, Republican, of Brockton, was formerly a dry goods dealer, but retired from business in 1883. He was born July 13, 1842, in North Bridgewater (now Brockton), and attended the common schools and Middlebury Academy. In 1875 and 1876 was a member of the House, being placed on the Committees on Salaries and Prisons. In 1882 he became the first Mayor of Brockton, and served in that capacity again in 1884 and 1885. Prior to the incorporation of the city, he was one of the Selectmen, and is now Vice-President of the Brockton Savings Bank, and Treasurer of the Campello Co-operative Bank. On Committees on Prison Labor, Water Supply; Chairman Committee Lunatic Commission. Elected to the Senate for the second term, he will prove one of the ablest men of the upper branch of the Legislature. Residence, Brockton.

Bristol County.

First District. Austin Messenger, Republican, born in Norton, Nov. 2, 1817; educated in public schools; engaged in manufacturing. Has been Town Clerk, Treasurer, Selectman, Assessor, Overseer of Poor. Member of House 1881-82, on Committee on County Estimates. Residence, Norton.

Second District. Hon. Robert Howard, Democrat, of Fall River, is a cotton spinner, and was born in Northwick, Cheshire, England, Feb. 8, 1845, receiving his education, as he expresses it, "between the spinning mules." In 1881 in the House he was a member of the Committee on Labor, and was assigned to the same Committee, and to that on Roads and Bridges in the last Senate, to which he was chosen. He is District Master Workman of District Assembly No. 30, K. of L., and their ablest leader now coming to the Senate for second term.

Third District. Hon. Franklyn Howland, Republican (Prohibition), of Acushnet, was born in 1843 in Little Compton, R. I.; educated at the public schools and at the Academy in East Greenwich, R. I. He was Chairman of the School Committee of Westport, and since 1876 has been engaged in literary and journalistic work, being now the editor of the Agricultural Department of the New Bedford Standard. He served with the Fourteenth New York Volunteers in the Army of the Potomac, and later with the Forty-eighth New York, and as Assistant Provost Marshal in the Department of the South, leaving the army with the rank of Captain. A year of confinement in the rebel prisons of Libby, Salisbury and New Orleans, nearly proved fatal, and left him greatly disabled physically.

Barnstable, Dukes and Nantucket Counties.

Cape District. 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 Troy and Greenfield Railroad, and also served on several special committees. He has been Postmaster at Bourne. He is now returned to the Senate for the second term.
Speaker of the House.

Hon. Charles J. Noyes, who was Speaker of the House last year, and who has been re-elected Speaker this year, represents Ward 14, and is a Republican through and through. He was born in Haverhill, August 7, 1841. He is a lineal descendent of Rev. James Noyes, who settled in Newbury and who erected the "old Noyes house," standing a short distance from the upper green, not far from the old town church in Newbury. He graduated from Haverhill Academy in 1860, the valedictorian and president of his class. In 1864 he graduated from Union College at Schenectady, where he was twice class orator and chairman of its Senior Catalogue Committee. While in college Mr. Noyes engaged in the study of law, and completed his studies in Providence, R. I. He was admitted to the Bar at Cambridge, and began simultaneously the practice of law in Boston and Haverhill in 1864. In the Lincoln campaign of 1864, Mr. Noyes was made the President of the Lincoln Club of Haverhill, and on the assassination of President Lincoln he delivered a memorial address before the city authorities. He was a member of the House in 1866, serving on the Committee on the Judiciary. The next year he was elected to the Senate, and served on the Committees on Education, Library (being Chairman), and on the Joint Special Committee on Amendments to the Constitution. At the close of the session he reopened his office at Boston and devoted himself to his profession. He removed to South Boston in April, 1872, and in 1876 he was nominated, with Mr. Alonzo Bancroft, for the House of 1877, both gentlemen being elected. Mr. Noyes served on the Committee on Mercantile Affairs, Hoosac Tunnel and Troy and Greenfield Railroads. In 1878 he served on the Committees on Harbors and Hoosac Tunnel. He was a member of the House the following year, and was a candidate for the Speakership, but was defeated by Mr. Levi C. Wade. Returning to the House in 1880, Mr. Noyes was elected Speaker, which position he held during the two subsequent years. He was a candidate for Lieutenant-Governor, but in the Convention in 1882 he was defeated by Hon. Oliver Ames. He ran for Councillor in 1883, and although the District was strongly Democratic he received a large vote. On the election of Hon. P. A. Collins to Congress he was appointed Special Justice of the Municipal Court of South Boston District, which position he has since held, acting in the summer term in the absence of Judge Burbank. He has been an active worker in politics for the past fifteen years, and has been on the stump in various parts of the country. He was elected to the House last year, and was again Speaker of that body.

Clerk of the House.

Edward A. McLaughlin, Clerk of the House of Representatives, was born in Boston, Sept. 25, 1853. Was educated at Boston College, and Loyola College, Baltimore, from which he graduated with the degree
of A. B. in 1871. Boston College also honored him with a degree of A. M. in 1877. The five years after receiving the degree of A. B. were spent as professor at Loyola and Seton Hall Colleges. Returning to Boston, he studied law with ex-Gov. Gaston, received the degree of LL. B. from Boston University, and was admitted to the Bar in 1877. As a clinical expert in legal and statute revision, codification, and expression, the ex-President of the Senate, Hon. R. R. Bishop, as Chairman of the Committee having in charge the General Statute Revision of 1880, certifies as follows in his report of 1881: "To incorporate the changes recommended by the Committee was a work requiring peculiar care, fidelity, and aptitude. It has been admirably performed since the adjournment of the Committee, on the 13th of July, by Mr. Edward A. McLaughlin." He was appointed Assistant Clerk of the House of Representatatives in 1878, serving with much ability and acceptance until the accession of Mr. Marden to the Speakership, when he was chosen Clerk in the Speaker's place. Mr. McLaughlin is still a young man, of fine presence, a clear, well-intoned voice, with all the refinement of native delicacy, thorough culture, and the instincts of the well-bred gentleman, qualities which have made him the most popular of Clerks, as his unanimous election for the fourth term, by a House not in accord with him politically, most conclusively indicates.

Suffolk County.

1. Charles T. Witt, is a Republican, and resides at No. 105 Eutaw street in East Boston. He was born in Norway, Me., July 18, 1848, and was educated in the common schools of that place. He came to Boston in March, 1863, and has been engaged in the milk business since 1870. He has been a member of the Ward and City Committees for the past four years.

2. Clarence P. Lovell, is a Republican. He was born in East Boston June 21, 1848, and was educated in the Grammar and Boston High schools. He entered the office of C. Lovell & Son, ship chandlers, in 1867, and was taken into the partnership in 1870. He has been a member of the Ward and City Committees, and was a member of the Common Council in 1881 and 1882. During both of these years he was a Director of the East Boston ferries. He is Vice-President of the National Shipowners' Association, and also a Director of the Chamber of Commerce.

2. Patrick J. Kennedy, is a Democrat. He was born in East Boston, Jan. 2, 1858, and educated in the public schools. He is a trader, and resides at No. 23 Border street. He was a member of the House in 1886 and 1887, serving on the Committees on Cities and Printing.

2. Thomas O. McEnany, is a Democrat. He was born in East Boston, Oct. 23, 1857, and is a graduate of the Adams School. He was for several years assistant book-keeper for John G. Gilbert, and later held a like position with Messrs. Hardy, Mayo & Co. He was a member of the Common Council in 1885 and 1886.

3. John W. O'Neil, is a Democrat, and was born in Charlestown in 1858. He was educated in the public schools, and is a painter by trade. He resides at No. 20 Moulton street, and is an active member of the Moulton Associates.

3. John E. Hayes, is a Democrat, and is engaged in the liquor business at No. 186 Chelsea street, Charlestown, while he resides at No. 178
Joseph William was Harvey Thomas Patrick studied member while a town, years Charlestown, Chelsea was Roxbury, while Affairs of been the in Massachusetts therefrom attending past Dec. himself the Council, as having School.

4. JOSEPH H. GLEASON, re-elected, Republican. He was born in Charlestown, April 9, 1848, educated in the public schools, and has for years been engaged in the dry goods business at No. 149 Main street, while he resides at No. 7 Forest place. He was a member of the House of 1887, serving on the Committee on Prisons.

4. WILLIAM H. PREBBLE, is a Republican. He was born in Charlestown, August 11, 1856, and was educated in the common schools. He studied law with George E. Smith and F. Hutchinson. He was admitted to the Suffolk Bar in November, 1880, and has since that time been practising, having an office at No. 23 Court street. He has been a member of the Ward and City Committee for the past five years. He is a member of the Charlestown Cadets, and a past officer of the Bunker Hill Lodge of Charlestown.

5. PATRICK J. CALNAN, is a Democrat, and is a shoe stock manufacturer, living at No. 18 Bow street, Charlestown. He was born in Roxbury, Nov. 25, 1847, and received his education in the public schools, while he has been a non-commissioned officer in the Ninth Regiment. He was elected to the House last year, and served on the Committee on State House.

5. EDWARD GAGAN, is a Democrat, and was born in Charlestown, Dec. 14, 1849. He attended the public schools, and in 1863 shipped in the Navy, from which he was discharged at the expiration of his service in 1865. He is an iron moulder by trade, but is at present engaged in the liquor business at No. 10 Chelsea street, while he resides at No. 12 Chelsea street. He is a member of Abraham Lincoln Post, and has been a member of the Democrat Ward and City Committees for the past six years.

6. HARVEY NEWTON COLLISON, is a Democrat, and lives at No. 88 Charter street. He was born in Boston, March 22, 1860, and after attending the public schools, he entered Harvard College, graduating therefrom in 1880, and afterwards taking a course at the Harvard Law School. From 1883 to 1885, inclusive, he was a member of the City Council, while he was elected to the House last year. He distinguished himself on the floor of the House, and was one of the able members of the Committees on the Judiciary and Rules.

6. EDWARD J. FLYNN, is a Democrat, and resides at 48 Snowhill street. He was born in Boston July 16, 1859, and was educated in the public schools, while he was a graduate of Boston College of the Class of 81. He studied law at Boston University Law School, graduating in 1884, while he also took a course of studies at the Harvard Law School. He was admitted to the Suffolk Bar in 1884, and has since practiced, having an office at No. 186 Washington street. He is a member of the Democratic Ward and City Committee; was a member of the House in 1885 and 1886, serving on the Committees on Election Laws and on Probate and Insolvency. He is at present a member of the Board of Directors of the East Boston Ferries.

7. THOMAS G. FARREN, is a Democrat, and is engaged in business as a retail grocer at No. 103 Endicott street, while he lives at No. 37
Norman street. He was born in this city March 20, 1858, and was educated in the public schools. He was a member of the House last year, serving on the Committee on County Estimates.

7. **John Doherty,** has had one year's experience in making State laws. He is a Democrat, and is engaged in the liquor business at No. 283 Causeway street. He was born in Ireland in 1846, and was educated in his native country. He was in the Common Council in 1884 and 1885. Last year his total vote was 696, while he had a plurality of 181.

8. **Edward J. Donovan,** is a bookkeeper, and boards at No. 10 North Russell street. He was born in Boston, March 15, 1864, and received a common school education. He was elected to the House last year as a Democrat, and served on the Committee on Parishes and Religious Societies.

8. **Harrison H. Atwood,** is a Republican, and in the House last year distinguished himself by the able speeches he made on several measures upon the floor. He was born in North Londonderry, Vt., August 26, 1863, and attended the public schools of Boston. He is an architect, having an office at No. 22 School street, while he lives at No. 25 Poplar street. He has been Secretary of the Republican City Committee for the past two years. In the House last year he served on the Committees on Liquor Law and State House.

9. **Henry Parkman,** is a Republican, and lives at No. 15 Charles street. He was born in Boston, May 23, 1850, and after attending the public schools, he entered Harvard College, being in the Class of 1870. From 1879 to 1884, inclusive, he sat in the Common Council. He was a member of the House in 1886 and 1887, serving on the Committee on Labor, and being House Chairman of the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading in 1886, and last year he was House Chairman of the Committee on Street Railways, and served on the Committee on Rules. He is a lawyer, and has an office in the Rogers' Building. For two years he was Chairman of the Republican City Committee.

9. **William O. Armstrong,** is a Republican, and lives at No. 6 Strong place. He was born in Oberlin, O., March 10, 1847, and received his education in the schools of that place. He is engaged in the business of porter at No. 220 Devonshire street. He represented his ward in the Common Council in 1885 and 1886. He was a member of the House last year, and served on the Committee on State House.

10. **Edward P. Fisk,** is a merchant at No. 87 Milk street, and resides at No. 20 Temple street. He was born in Boston, Jan. 25, 1852, and attended the public schools in Cambridge. He sat in the Common Council from 1882 to 1885, inclusive, and was a member of the House in 1886, serving on the Committee on Drainage, and in the House of 1887 he was Chairman of the same Committee on the part of the House, while he also served on the Committee on Banks and Banking. He is a staunch Republican.

10. **Jacob Fottler,** is a Republican. He was born on Savin Hill, Dorchester, Aug. 19, 1839. His early education was derived from attendance in the public schools, graduating from the Eliot High School in Jamaica Plain. He became connected with the produce trade in Faneuil Hall Market when a boy, and for many years was with Messrs. Hiland Smith & Co., while he afterwards became bookkeeper for Messrs. Sands, Furber & Co. Upon the retirement of Mr. Sands in 1872, he was taken into the partnership, and is at present a member of the firm. While in
the Common Council in 1885, 1886 and 1887, he has served on the Committees on Parks and Public Institutions. Mr. Fottler is a member of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, holding the rank of Second Lieutenant, and was one of the delegation who visited London the past summer. He is a Director in the Chamber of Commerce. He has always been a staunch and true Republican, and has taken a deep interest in city politics, more especially in the ward that he represents.

11. William Fisher Wharton, is a Republican, and lives at No. 153 Commonwealth avenue. He was born in Jamaica Plain, June 28, 1847, and after attending the public schools he entered Harvard College, from which he graduated, being in the Class of 1870, while he was a graduate of the Harvard Law School, Class of 1873. From 1880 to 1884 he was a member of the Common Council, and was a member of the House in 1885, 1886 and 1887, serving on the Committees on Rules, Cities, Railroads, and Expediting Business, of all of which he has been Chairman on the part of the House. He has practiced law since 1873, and has an office at No. 50 State street.

11. Andreas Blume, is a Republican, as his record in the Common Council plainly indicates. He was born in Weil, a small village in the Grand Duchy of Baden, Germany, on Dec. 8, 1857, and at the age of 10 was attending school at an academy on College Hill, near Cincinnati, O. In 1863 he entered the Harvard Law School, graduating in 1865. After two years' study of law in the office of the late Hon. N. S. Leland, he was admitted to the Suffolk Bar. He was first elected to the Common Council in 1883, and has since been a member of that body, where he has distinguished himself by opposing all schemes for increasing salaries and city expenditures. He has been a member of the Committee on Claims for the past four years.

12. Philip Henry Quinn, is a clerk, and lives at No. 30 Wendell street. He was born in Boston, March 11, 1859, and received his education in the public schools. He is an Independent Democrat, and was a member of the House in 1886, and also last year, serving on the Committee on Taxation.

12. Denis J. Quinn, was born on Old Fort Hill, June 2, 1861, and is a graduate of the public schools. Mr. Quinn has been very prominent in politics in his ward for several years, and is at present a member of the Democratic Ward and City Committee. He has been for the past five years in the employ of Messrs. Carter, Rice & Co. Although a very young man, he gives promise of being a good speaker and an able debater on the floor of the House.

13. Edward J. Leary, Democrat. He was born in South Boston, May 27, 1860, and was educated in the public schools, graduating from the Lawrence School. He is a music composer, and has worked for C. M. Gay, at No. 266 Washington street. He resides at No. 25 Fifth street, South Boston, and has represented his ward in the Common Council for the past two years, serving on the Committees on Bridges, Schools, and Harbor as Chairman, while he has also been a member of the Committees on Elections, Aldermanic Districts, Queen Kapioiiani and Philadelphia receptions.

13. Thomas F. Sullivan, Democrat, was born in New Hartford, Ct., in 1863, and was educated in the common schools of that place. He came to Boston in 1881, and worked in the grocery business for awhile, and later was travelling salesman for a prominent wholesale house. He
has been a member of the firm of McCormick & Sullivan, jobbers in cigars for the past four years. He resides at No. 118 Broadway, South Boston.

14. CHARLES J. NOYES. See Speaker.

14. DAVID J. HAGERTY, Democrat, was born in Boston, Jan. 1, 1857, and educated in the public schools. He resides at No. 726 East Eighth street. He was a member of the House last year, and served on the Committees on Probate and Insolvency, and Public Charitable Institutions.

15. MICHAEL GARITY, Democrat, was born in Ireland in 1848. He was a member of the House last year, and was on the Committee on Federal Relations.

15. FRANK FORREST WOODS, Republican, was born in South Boston, Oct. 3, 1855. He has been associated with the S. A. Woods Machine Company in various capacities for the past eleven years, and at present is the manager of the company's shops at South Boston. He has never held a political office before.

16. JAMES DONOVAN, Democrat, was born in Boston, May 28, 1859. He has been engaged in the grocery and provision business, and resides at No. 66 Chapman street. He was a member of the Common Council in 1882, and in January will enter upon his fifth consecutive term in the House, where he has served on the Committees of Mercantile Affairs, Prisons, Redistricting, and Railroads.

16. JEREMIAH DESMOND, Democrat, was born in Boston in May, 1853. He is a brassworker by trade, and lives at No. 11 Gloucester place. From 1885 to 1887, inclusive, he was a member of the House, and served on the Committees on Printing, Manufacturing, and Street Railways.

17. ALPHEUS SANFORD, Republican, was born in North Attleboro, July 5, 1856. He was educated in the common schools of that town and in the Boston Latin School, being a graduate of Class of '72. He graduated from Bowdoin College in the Class of '76. He studied law in the office of Joseph Nickerson, and was admitted to the Suffolk Bar in 1879, and since that time has been practising law, having an office at No. 70 Kilby street. He was a member of the Common Council of 1876, serving on the Committees on Water, Appropriations, and City Hospital. He has been Chairman of the Ward Committee for two years, and has been Assistant Secretary of the City Committee.

17. JOHN W. O'MEALEY, Democrat, was born in Boston, June 25, 1861. He was educated in the public schools, and is a graduate of the Massachusetts College of Pharmacy, and is a Trustee of the college at present. He is a druggist, and at present is with Heath & Co., at No. 635 Washington street, but for ten years he was in the employ of Kelley & Darkee. He lives at No. 266 Shawmut avenue. He is a member of the Common Council, and is on the Committees on Public Institutions and Contingent Expenses.

18. JOHN F. COLBY, Republican, was born in Bennington, N. H., March 3, 1834. He attended Appleton Academy, Mt. Vernon, Vt., and is a graduate of Dartmouth College. He studied law in the office of Hon. A. A. Ranney, and since his admittance to the bar has practiced, having an office at 47 Court street. He was a member of the Common Council in 1878 and 1879. In the House last year he served on the Committee on Parishes and Religious Societies, and was House Chairman of the Committee on Harbors and Public Lands.
18. **Henry Frost**, Republican, was born in Granby, P. Q., May 18, 1832, and his family came from Marlboro, N. H. In 1857 he entered the firm of Horton, Boon & Frost, which firm was changed in 1860 to Boon, Frost & Co., and in 1867 it became Henry Frost & Co. Shortly after the great Boston fire he retired from business, but the following year he entered the firm of Seavey, Foster & Bowman, of which house he is at present a member. He has been a member of the Republican Ward and City Committees for the past fifteen years, and has represented his Ward in the Common Council during the past two years. He was Chairman of the Committee on erecting the Young Men’s Christian Association Building, and has always taken a deep interest in this association. He resides at No. 664 Tremont street, where he has lived for the past thirty years.

19. **Thomas L. Noonan**, Democrat, was born in Halifax, N. S., June 22, 1835. He lives at 82 Cabot street. He was educated in the public schools of his native place. In the House last year, he served on the Committee on Elections.

19. **William H. Monahan**, Democrat, was born in Roxbury in 1857. He is by trade an iron moulder, but is at present engaged in the boot and shoe business at No. 1263 Tremont street, Roxbury. He has been a member of the Boston Fire Department for five years.

20. **John H. McDonough** was born March 29, 1857, in Portland, Me., and received his education in the public schools of that city. On coming to Boston, he followed for a number of years his trade as a watchmaker. He deserted his avocation a short time ago for the study of the law, and at present he is one of the legal luminaries in the office of Hon. Charles J. Noyes. In 1886, Mr. McDonough was on the Committee on Water Supply, and in 1887, in addition to this Committee, he served on the Committee on Election Laws. During both of these years his success as a legislator has been unmistakable. Time and again throughout this period, his skill as a debater, his oratorical powers and the comprehensiveness of his genius and intelligence, were notably evidenced; so much so, in fact, that during the last session he was the acknowledged Democratic leader of the House.

20. **Michael J. McEttrick**, Democrat, was born in Boston, June 22, 1846, and attended the public schools and the Roxbury Latin School, while he has acquired a scientific and medical education. He is at present interested in civil engineering, and resides at No. 7 Tabor street, Roxbury. In 1884 he was Assistant Assessor, and for two years was in the United States Engineering Corps. He has been a member of the House for the past three years, serving on the Committees on Roads and Bridges, Finance, Expenditures, and the Special Committee on Child Labor.

21. **M. Everett Ware**, Republican, was born in Boston, Aug. 4, 1841, and educated in the public schools. He served as a non-commissioned and commissioned officer in the Forty-fifth Massachusetts Regiment, and was afterwards Zaptain of Company H, Sixth Massachusetts, which Company he recruited in twenty-four hours. He is a member of the firm of Leonard Ware & Sons, dealers in fish oil at No. 473 Atlantic avenue. In the House last year he served on the Committees on Finance and Expenditures.

21. **John Backup**, Independent Republican, was born at Tariffville, Ct., July, 1830, where he received an academic education. He was for several years connected with the Internal Revenue Service, and was
Postmaster at Roxbury under Lincoln. He was President of the Roxbury Common Council in 1864 and 1865. He is engaged in the stationery and book business at No. 117 Dudley street. He was a member of the House in 1886 and 1887, and has served on the Committees on Manufatures and Water Supply.

22. JAMES J. DUNLEA, Democrat, lives at No. 3 Farnum place, Roxbury. He is a gate tender on the Boston and Providence Railroad. He was born in Roxbury, June 32, 1857, and was educated in the public schools. He was a member of the House last year, and served on the Committee on Labor.

23. DANIEL GUNN, Republican, lives on Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plains. He was born in Nova Scotia in 1826, and was educated in the public schools of his native town and in Boston. He is the senior member of the firm of Daniel Gunn & Co., printers and label manufacturers, at No. 31 Hawley Street. He was a member of the House in 1886 and 1887, and has been for two years the House Chairman of the Committee on Printing, and has also served on the Committees on Insurance and Elections.

23. EDWARD W. BREWER, Republican, was born in West Roxbury, Oct. 19, 1858. After attending the common schools, he entered Chauncy-Hall School, graduating therefrom in 1877. He then entered Harvard College, graduating in 1881 with honors and the degree of A.B. He attended Boston University, graduating in 1884, and the degree of LL.B. was conferred upon him. He was admitted to the Suffolk Bar in July, 1884, and has since practiced law, having an office at 34 School street. He was a member of the Ward and City Committees in 1884 and 1885. At present he holds the position of Clerk of the West Roxbury Municipal Court, having been appointed by Gov. Ames during the present year. He is very popular among the young men of West Roxbury, and has been identified with the Jamaica Club, holding the office of President for two years, and being at present one of the Board of Directors.

24. WILLIAM T. LEACH, Republican, resides in Buttonwood court, Dorchester. He was born in Manchester, Mass., Sept. 2, 1838, and attended the public schools in that place. He is engaged in the grocery business at No. 854 Dorchester avenue.

24. JOHN F. BROWN, Republican, lives on Nelson street, Dorchester. He was born in Douglas, Mass., on March 20, 1848. He is a lawyer, and has an office at No. 42 Court street. In the House last year, he served on the Committee on Probate and Insolvency, and was Chairman of the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading.

25. JAMES A. HATHAWAY, Republican, lives in Brighton, where he is engaged in the cattle business. He was born in Freetown, Mass., in 1837, and was educated in the common schools of that place. He has been a dealer in cattle since his youth. He was a member of the House in 1886.

26. ARTHUR B. CHAMPLIN, Republican, lives in Chelsea, where he is engaged in the publishing business. He was born in Chelsea, Feb. 7, 1858, and received his education in the public schools. He was a member of the Chelsea Common Council from 1881 to 1886, and during the last two years he was its President. He was a member of the House last year, and served on the Committee on Street Railways.

26. WILLIAM S. HIXON of Chelsea, is a Republican, but was for many years a Democrat. He was born in Cornwall, Orange County, New York State, in 1848, and was educated in the common schools of
that place. He enlisted in the Navy and served three years, and since the
war has been an energetic worker in the Grand Army, being aide-de-
camp on the staff of Gen. Fairchild. He was engaged in the commission
business at Nos. 44 and 54 North Market street for several years, but
for the past three years he has been engaged in the soapstone business,
succeeding the firm of North & Caswell at No. 14 Marshall street. He
is a member of the Common Council and the Ward and City Committees
of Chelsea.

27. Lyman M. Miller, Republican, is a varnish manufacturer in
Chelsea, where he resides. He was born in Worcester, April 1, 1836,
and was educated in the public schools of that place and in Chelsea.
He was for seven years in the Chelsea Common Council, two years as
President, and has served four terms in the Chelsea Board of Aldermen,
being elected Chairman in 1885. He was a member of the House last
year, and served on the Committee on Prisons.

27. David Floyd, 2d, Republican, lives in Winthrop. He was born
in that town Oct. 26, 1854, and attended the common schools and the
Boston Commercial College. He has held the office of Town Treasurer
of Winthrop, and many other local offices. He is a real estate agent.
He was a member of the House in 1887, serving on the Committee on
M mercantile Affairs.

Essex County.

1. Charles Goss, Republican, carriage manufacturer, of Amesbury,
was born in Orange county, Vt., in 1841, and educated in public schools,
He was a Lieutenant in the Fifteenth Vermont Volunteers, and was for
five years a Captain in Vermont militia.

1. John C. Risteen, Independent, was born at Houlton, Me., 1842.
Educated in the common schools, and engaged in clerical business in the
office of the Hamilton Woolen Co., where he is now paymaster of the
corporation. Nominated and elected to represent Amesbury District in
the Legislature for the first term. Residence, Clarendon Hotel.

2. J. Otis Wardwell, Republican, lawyer, of Haverhill, was born
in Lowell, Mass., March 14, 1857, and studied at the Georgetown High
School, New London Academy and Boston University. He has served
in the Haverhill Common Council.

2. Alden Potter Jaques, Republican, real estate broker, of Haver-
hill, was formerly a shoe manufacturer. He was born Mar. 4, 1835, in
Bowdoin, Me., and educated in the district schools. He has served two
terms on the Haverhill School Committee, and has twice been a member
of the Board of Aldermen of that city. Was member of the Legislature
last year, on the Committee on the Roads and Bridges.

3. Albert L. Dame, Democrat, trader, of Methuen, was born Apr.
1, 1841, in Wakefield, N. H., and educated in the public schools of
Methuen. Enlisted in the First Heavy Artillery; was Color
Sergeant. Elected to the House in 1887, serving on Committee on
Fisheries and Game. Residence, Methuen.

3. William H. Poore, is a Republican. Born in Bradford, May 28,
1864. Educated in the schools of Bradford and graduated at Williams
College. Has given many industrious years to the business and profession
of journalism. Residence, Bradford.

4. Michael Carney, Democrat, saloon keeper, of Lawrence, was
born Jan. 1, 1820, in Ireland, and educated in that country. Has been on

5. Harry Millett Eames, Republican, wool sorter, of Lawrence, was born July 9, 1853, in Andover, Mass., educated in that town, and takes public office for the first time.

5. William John Hinchcliffe, Republican, butcher, of Lawrence, was born in Andover, Mass., Sept. 7, 1855, and received a common school education. He was for two years a member of the Lawrence Common Council.

6. Michael F. Sullivan, is a Democrat. Born at Lawrence Sept. 22, 1858, educated in the parochial schools, and is a pharmacist by profession. Has held several offices of trust. Been member of Common Council and was President of that body; also Trustee of Public Library. This is his first term in the Legislature. Residence, at home.


7. William A. Butler, Republican. Born at Newbury, Feb. 4, 1859. Received a liberal education at Boston University. Studied law and has practiced at his profession till his election to the Legislature. Residence, Georgetown.

8. Edward P. Shaw, Republican. Born at Newburyport, Sept. 1, 1841. Educated in the public schools of Newburyport, where he has been engaged in mercantile business till his election to the House in 1881-82. Was on Committee on Roads and Bridges. Residence, Newburyport.

8. Luther Dame, Republican, real estate agent, of Newbury, was born in Kittery, Me., Mar. 3, 1826, educated at Portsmouth, N. H., and Framingham, Mass. In early life he was a school teacher, was active in the founding of the State of Kansas under Gov. Robinson, and during the war was Captain of Company C, Eleventh Massachusetts Volunteers. He served three years on the Newburyport Common Council, one year as President, and two terms in the Board of Aldermen.


10. Cyrus Story, Republican, of Gloucester, is a hardware dealer and insurance agent. He was born in Gloucester, Aug. 18, 1822, and received a common school education. He has been Town Clerk, Selectman, member of the School Committee, Deputy Collector of Customs, Special Justice of the Police Court, and has held many other local offices. A member of the House in 1885 and 1886, he served on the Committee on Mercantile Affairs in both years.

10. George Dennis, Republican, wholesale fish dealer, of Gloucester, was born in that city Sept. 3, 1825, and educated in its public schools.

10. William Howe Burnham, Republican, born at Essex, April 8, 1840, educated in the common schools of Essex, where he has been successfully engaged in farming. At the breaking out of the war, he enlisted in the Nineteenth Regiment Volunteer Infantry, and served faithfully through all the heroic service of that Regiment. Has been Chairman of the Selectmen five years, on the School Committee eleven years; also in various other town offices. Now serves his first term in Legislature. Residence, at home.

12. William Davis Sohier, Independent Republican, lawyer of Beverly, was born in Boston, Oct. 22, 1858, educated in private schools and at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and the Harvard Law School.

13. Francis Taylor Berry, Republican, grocer of Salem, was born in Salem, Aug. 18, 1849, and educated in the public schools. In the House of 1886, he served on Committee on Cities.

14. Samuel L. Gracey, Republican, born in Philadelphia, September, 1835, was educated in Philadelphia public schools. Graduating from the high school he entered mercantile life, spending some years in an importing and jobbing cloth house. He graduated from the theological school of the Boston University, and entered the ministry in his native city. At the breaking out of the war, he engaged actively in enlisting troops; and after a large part of the male members of his church had entered the service, he himself enlisted as a private and was soon after commissioned as chaplain of the 6th Pennsylvania Cavalry, with which he served for three years in the Army of the Potomac, participating in seventeen battles and skirmishes. He came out of the army at the close of the war suffering with malaria and was advised by physicians to remove to the sea coast of New England. For the last sixteen years he has been pastor of churches in Boston, Chelsea, Cambridge and vicinity (including Salem) and has ever taken an active interest in National and State politics, being always a firm supporter of the Republican party. His three years present pastorate at Salem, has been most acceptable and successful. He is a man of marked ability and will exert a strong influence in legislation always in support of prohibitory policy. Residence, at home.

15. Charles Henry Symonds, Republican, lawyer, of Salem, was born in that city Aug. 25, 1857, and was educated in its public schools and at Boston University. He was a member of the Salem Common Council in 1881, 1885, and 1886. Elected to the legislature last year, and was House Chairman of Prison Committee. Residence, Salem.

16. Francis Boardman, Democrat, baker, of Marblehead, is a native of that town, born April 28, 1826, and attended its schools. He was a Captain in the militia when the war broke out, of Company H, Eighth Regiment, and his command was one of the first two to report at Faneuil Hall under the call for three months' troops. Served during the war with his command in the gallant Eighteenth Regiment, famous for its patriotic record. Member of House for 1887, and re-elected this year.

16. James H. Richards, Republican, born at Lynn, Sept. 1839, educated in public schools, graduating at the Lynn High School, and like most of his fellow townsmen engaged in the shoe business. Has served several years both in the Lynn Common Council and on the Board of Alderman. Was a member of the lower branch of the Legislature 1875-77, serving on the Committees on Taxation and Woman Suffrage. Residence, 72 Fayette street, Lynn.

17. Daniel P. Stimpson, Republican, was born at Swampscott, Oct. 11, 1818. He was educated in the public schools of Boston, and afterwards went into the real estate and insurance business in Swampscott.
Mr. Stimpson has held town offices and been postmaster. Residence, at home.

18. JAMES P. MARTIN, Republican, was born in Charlestown, Mass., on the 28th day of January, 1827, and was educated in the public schools of that place, and after graduating spent two years in the drug business, but owing partly to delicate health and partly to a predelection for the sea, he commenced a sea life by shipping "before the mast" on a barque bound to the Mediterranean Sea, on the 27th of January, 1846. He followed that profession about twenty-one years, upwards of eleven years of which was as a shipmaster to India and China, sailing throughout the war constantly under the American flag. Nov. 1, 1868, having left the sea, he engaged in business on shore with the firm of A. B. Martin & Co., and soon after became a member of the firm, where he continued in the business (at Lynn, manufacturer of morocco) until January 11, 1882. Since that time he has been out of business; has served the city of Lynn as Alderman from Ward 4 in 1884, and again in 1887; was President of the Boston Marine Society two years, ending Nov. 9, 1887. In politics he has always been a straight-out Republican, though never an active politician. Residence, at home.

18. ELIHU B. HAYES, Republican, was born at Mt. Lebanon, Me., April 26, 1848, and was educated in the public schools and Mt. Lebanon Academy. Has been engaged in business as general newsdealer and Chairman and Trustee of Public Library. Residence, at home.

19. JOSEPH L. TOWNE, Democrat, apothecary, of Lynn, was born in Topsfield, Mass., May 19, 1861, and attended the public schools.

19. ARTHUR B. BREE, was born in Lynn, June 30, 1857, and was educated in the public schools, and is engaged in the grocery business. In politics he is a Republican. Has been a member of the Lynn City Council three years, serving on the Committees on Finance, Accounts, and Water Supply. A member of the Legislature of 1887, serving on the Mercantile Affairs Committee, and Monitor in the First Division. Residence, at home.

20. JOHN DRISCOLL, Democrat, was born at Barnstead, Eng., Oct. 31, 1853, and was educated in the public schools of Lynn, and is engaged in the shoe business. Has been a member of the Board of Aldermen for 1886–87. Residence, 29 Linden street, Lynn.

20. HORACE H. AMHERST, Republican, bookkeeper, of Saugus, was born Oct. 23, 1847, in that town, and educated in the public schools of Lynn. He is one of the Selectmen and Assessors of Saugus.

21. B. F. SOUTHWICK, Republican, was born at Lyndeborough, N. H., July 5, 1835, and was educated in the public schools of Peabody, Mass. He was a Lieutenant in the Fifth Regiment Massachusetts Volunteers, and after the war appointed Captain. Mr. Southwick is engaged in the wholesale fruit and produce business in Boston. Residence, Peabody.

22. ANSEL P. TYLER, Republican, born at Stoneham, Feb. 2, 1839; educated at school and academy at Middleton; engaged in shoe manufacturing business in the firm of Tyler & Armstrong. Has served on the Board of Selectmen, School Committee. Residence, Middleton.

Middlesex County.

1. JOHN READ, Republican, was born at Cambridge, Mass., May 19, 1840; educated in public schools and graduated at Harvard College, and
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is by profession Paymaster United States Navy. He has served four years in Common Council and on Board of Aldermen of Cambridge. Residence, Cambridge.

1. Chester F. Sanger, Republican, was born in Somerville, Mass., Dec. 22, 1858, but has been a resident of Cambridge nearly all his life. Fitted for college in the public schools of Cambridge, and graduated from Harvard in Class of 1880. Is a lawyer by profession. Residence, 27 Lancaster street, Cambridge.


5. Isaac S. Pear, Republican, of Cambridge, is a manufacturer of furniture. He was born Nov. 9, 1830, in Charlestown, Mass., and attended the Cambridge schools. In that city he has served one year in the Common Council and two years in the Board of Aldermen. He has been four years a Ward Officer, was member of the House last year, serving on Committee on Election Laws. Is member of the City Republican Committee. Director in Cambridge Mutual Fire Insurance Co. Residence, Cambridgeport.

6. Moses Davis Church, Republican, physician, of Cambridge, was born in Orleans County, Vt., April 3, 1842. Residence, Cambridge.

7. Samuel Cutler, Republican, of Somerville, is a dealer in cotton and cotton waste. He was born Aug. 27, 1825, in Townsend, Vt., and educated in the schools of his native town. He was in the Legislature last year, and served on Committees of Public Service and Parishes. Residence, Somerville.

8. Francis H. Raymond, Republican, born at Charlestown, Feb. 14, 1836, and educated at the public schools, graduating at the Somerville High School. He has been in mercantile business in Boston, is Treasurer of American Arms Co., and several other corporations, also a Director of Market National Bank, and Trustee of Public Library of Somerville. Residence, at home.

9. Irving L. Russell, Republican, Somerville, was born at West Somerville, Mass., May 24, 1852. He was educated in the public schools of Somerville, Warren Academy, Woburn; Eaton's Commercial College, Boston, and is engaged in the business of market gardener. He has held the positions of Councilman two years, Alderman three years, being
President of Board of Alderman one year of City of Somerville. Residence, Broadway, West Somerville, Mass.

8. **Theodore P. Dresser**, Republican, manufacturer, of Medford, was born in Haverhill, Mass., May 30, 1854, and received a common school education. He was formerly a car builder, and later engaged in newspaper enterprises. He has been a member of the Board of Auditors of the town, and is President of the Odd Fellows Building Association. Was member of Legislature last year, now elected to the second term. Residence, Medford.

9. **William A. Wilde**, Republican, book publisher, of Malden, was born July 11, 1827, at Acton, Mass., and received his education at Lawrence and Pepperell Academies. In Malden he has been a member of the School Committee, Superintendent of Schools, Chairman of the Water Commissioners and has filled other local offices. This is his second term in Legislature. Residence, Malden.

9. **Daniel Lake Milliken**, Republican, editor, of Malden, was born Sept. 21, 1837, in Walpole, N. H., and educated in the district schools of Vermont, Springfield (Vt.) Seminary and Claremont (N. H.) Academy. He has been Trustee of the Malden Public Library, and President of many deliberative, political and social clubs. He has followed journalism since 1862, and now enters upon his second term of Legislative service.

10. **Joseph H. Cannell**, Republican, of Everett, was born at Cambridge, Feb. 24, 1836. He was educated in that city, and is engaged in the real estate and insurance business, besides holding the offices of Town Clerk and Sinking Fund Commissioner in Everett. Mr. Cannell is also Agent for Everett Crystal Spring Water Company, and Examiner of Boston Five Cents Savings Bank. Residence, Everett.

11. **William E. Barrett**, Republican, journalist, of Melrose, was born in that town, Dec. 29, 1858, and was educated in its public schools, and at Claremont, N. H., and Dartmouth College. He graduated in 1880, and is the editor of the Boston *Daily Advertiser* and the Boston *Evening Record*.

12. **James E. Whitcher**, Republican, grocer, of Stoneham, was born Nov. 29, 1847, in Benton, N. H., and educated in the public schools of that town, and in seminaries at Newbury, Vt., and New Hampton, N. H. President Board of Trade, Grand Worthy Templar. Member of House in 1887; on Committee on Drainage. He is now elected to second legislative term. Residence, Stoneham.

13. **Charles Francis Woodward**, Republican, of Wakefield, is a shoe tool manufacturer, and represents his native town, where he was born Nov. 19, 1852, and educated. He is Tax Collector and Chairman of Assessors of Wakefield, and a Major in the Sixth Infantry, M. V. M., to which rank he has risen from Second Lieutenant. He served in the House last year, and was a member of Committee on Street Railways, and Military Affairs. Residence, Wakefield.

14. **Montressor Tyler Allen**, Republican, lawyer, of Woburn, was born in that town, May 20, 1844, and attended the College of Liberal Arts and Law School of Boston University. He enlisted in Company G, Fifth Massachusetts Volunteers.

14. **Horace G. Wadlin**, Republican, of Reading, is an architect in practice in Boston, and was born Oct. 2, 1852, in Wakefield, Mass., and attended the Reading schools. He served in the House in 1884 and 1885,
being on the Committees on Education (House Chairman), and Woman Suffrage (House Chairman). He was Chairman of the School Committee and Treasurer of the Trustees of the Public Library of Reading, and is Vice-President of the Reading Co-operative Bank. Chairman of Committee on Education, Woman Suffrage and Expediting Public Business. This is his fourth Legislative term. Residence, 20 Beacon street.

15. SAMUEL WALKER McCall, Republican, lawyer, of Winchester, was born in Bedford County, Pa., Feb. 28, 1851, and was educated at New Hampton (N. H.) Academy and Dartmouth College, and studied law in Boston.

16. CHARLES Q. PIERCE, Republican, of Watertown, was born Jan. 25, 1841, at West Boylston, Mass., and was educated in the public schools and New Ipswich Academy. He enlisted in the Fifty-third Regiment, M. V. M., and is now a shoe manufacturer. Residence, Watertown.

17. ARTHUR C. WALWORTH, Republican, of Newton, was born in Boston, April 29, 1844, and was educated at the Boston Latin School, and graduated at Yale College, Class of 1866. He studied engineering at Lawrence Scientific School and École des Ponts et Chaussées, Paris; was Captain First Regiment, M. V. M.; member of House, 1877; Chairman Committees County Estimates and Election Laws, and is President of Walworth Supply Co., steam engineers and contractors, 134 Congress street, one of the largest and best equipped companies in expert engineering, contracting and building in the United States.

17. WINFIELD S. SLOCUM, was born at Grafton, Worcester County, educated in the common and high schools of that town. Went to Amherst College, and graduated in 1869. Studied law and was admitted to practice in 1871, and formed with his father the firm of W. F. & W. S. Slocum, in Boston, in 1871, in which firm he has been since. He has resided in Newton for the last eighteen years, has always taken a great interest in the school question, and was upon the first School Committee of the city of Newton, serving there for three years. He has been City Solicitor of the city of Newton since April, 1881, and has always been an active Republican. Mr. Slocum is identified with the Congregational denomination. He is a member of the Odd Fellows, Knights of Honor, and other secret organizations, and is largely interested in the business and other local interests of Newton. Residence, Newtonville. Business address, No. 257 Washington street.

18. ERSKINE WARDEN, Republican, grocer, of Waltham, was born Feb. 20, 1839, in Barnet, Vt., and educated in the schools of his native town and at McIndoe’s Falls, Vt. He is one of the Trustees of the Waltham Savings Bank, and for ten years has been Grand Treasurer of the Grand Temple of Honor of Massachusetts. He was a member of the House in 1885 and 1886, and was placed on the Committee on Public Charitable Institutions; Trustee Massachusetts School for Feeble Minded, and one of the ablest men in the House of 1887, and is now re-elected for the fourth term. On Committees on Public Charitable Institutions, Liquor Law and Expediting Business. Residence, corner Moody and High streets, Waltham.

18. SAMUEL OTIS UPHAM, Republican, insurance agent, of Waltham, is a native of that town; was born Jan. 21, 1824, and received a common school education. He is the senior member of the House in point of service, having had a seat in that body in 1855. He was Messenger to
the Governor and Council from 1858 to 1861, Inspector in the Boston Custom House from 1862 to 1865, and Postmaster of Waltham from 1869 to 1886. He is re-elected to the House for his third term. Served on Committee on Railroads. Residence, Waltham.

19. E. H. Blake, Republican, of Bedford, was born at Boston, Nov. 2, 1838, and educated in the public schools. Mr. Blake has served as Overseer of the Poor and Alderman at Cambridge, where he is in the real estate and insurance business, also Selectman and Assessor of Bedford, where he resides.

20. George W. Trull, Republican, farmer, of Tewksbury, was born June 13, 1849, in Lowell, Mass., and educated in its public schools. Was member of the House last year; on Committee on Agriculture. Residence, at home.

21. Thomas J. Flynn, Democrat, of Lowell, is a common victualler; was born in Ireland, Feb. 5, 1849, and was educated in Lowell. He was a member of the Lowell Common Council in 1880 and 1881. On Committee on Cities and Towns. Residence, 221 Market street, Lowell.

22. Francis W. Qua, Republican, lawyer, of Lowell, was born at Lisbon, N. Y., Sept. 2, 1845, and educated in Ogdensburg public schools. Residence, Lowell.

23. Peter J. Brady, Democrat, clerk, of Lowell, was born in that city Oct. 29, 1861, and educated in its public schools. In 1884 and 1885, he was a member of the Common Council, and sat in the House last year, being assigned to the Committees on Printing and Hoosac Tunnel and Troy and Greenfield Railroad. This is his third term in the Legislature.

24. Charles E. Adams, Republican, merchant, of Lowell, was born in Lowell, April 16, 1841, and received his education in the schools of that city. He was in the Legislature of 1886, and served on Railroad Committee. Residence, 155 Wilder street, Lowell.

25. Solomon K. Dexter, Republican, commission merchant, of Lowell, was born May 23, 1839, in West Topsham, Vt., and attended the Vermont public schools. He has served two years in the Lowell Common Council, and was in the Legislature last year; serving on Committee on Finance and Expenditures. Residence, Lowell.

26. George Francis Morey, Republican, of Lowell, is not at present engaged in business, but was for twenty years junior proprietor and business manager of the Lowell Daily Citizen and News. He was born Jan. 20, 1826, in Windsor, Vt., and educated in the schools of his native town. He has served two years in the Lowell Common Council, two years on the Board of Overseers of the Poor, three years as a Director of the City Library, and this is his second term in Legislature.

27. Albert G. Thompson, Republican, grocer, of Lowell, was born Oct. 2, 1853, at South Berwick, Me., and educated at Berwick Academy. He has been in the City Council three years; and last year in the House, he served on Committee on Prisons. Residence, Lowell.


29. Dennis J. O'Brien, Democrat, of Hopkinton, is a machine edgetrimmer. He was born in Ireland, Dec. 7, 1845, and educated in the Hopkinton schools. He has served seven terms as Selectman, having
been Clerk and Chairman of the Board, and was for three years Chief of Police. During one year of the war he was in the Fourth Massachusetts Heavy Artillery; Selectman eight years; on Committee on Taxation in the House. Now re-elected to the House for the second term. Residence, at home.

28. William H. Hastings, Democrat, contractor and builder, of Framingham. was born in that town Oct. 15, 1840; educated in the public schools. Has been Selectman and Road Commissioner, and was a member of the House of 1887, being assigned to the Committee on Claims.

28. Charles Edward Spring, Republican, physician, of Holliston, was born in Grafton, Vt., Nov. 19, 1841; attended Burr Academy, Manchester, Vt., and Albany Medical College, Albany, N. Y. He was Assistant Surgeon United States Army, in 1865, and has been on the Holliston School Committee and Board of Health.


30. Alvin D. Russell, Republican, manager of the Maynard Co-operative Association, was born in Marlboro, N. H., Oct. 26, 1849, and attended the academy and commercial schools at New Hampton, N. H., and was a member of the House in 1885, being appointed to the Committee on Labor. He has served in the Newburyport Common Council, and in the House in 1885, was on Committee on Labor.

31. Arthur Wright, Republican, merchant, of Westford, was born Aug. 24, 1837, at Westford, educated in public schools and Westford Academy. He was on the Board of Selectmen seven years, School Committee nine years, and Postmaster sixteen years. Residence, Graniteville.

32. Benjamin H. Hartwell, Republican, physician, of Ayer, was born at Acton, Feb. 27, 1845, and was educated in the public schools of Groton, Lawrence Academy and Jefferson Medical College. He was on the Tenth Regiment Staff, Massachusetts Volunteers, has been Medical Examiner of Middlesex County, United States Pension Surgeon, President North Middlesex Savings Bank, and Director First National Bank, Ayer. Residence, Ayer.

Worcester County.

1. Sidney P. Smith, Republican, lawyer, of Athol, was born July 13, 1850, at Princeton, Ill., and graduated at Amherst College and Union College of Law, Chicago. He has been Special Justice of the First District Court of Northern Worcester, and is Chairman of the Athol School Committee. Comes to the Legislature on his second term with ability and experience for active and judicious service.


2. Nathaniel R. Perkins, Republican, born in Plainfield, Vt., Sept. 10, 1847, and educated at Newbury (Vt.) Seminary and Boston Univer-
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3. ALBERT LLEWELLYN WILEY, Republican, machinist, of Hardwick, was born in Hope, Knox County, Me., Dec. 14, 1835; educated in his native town and at Westbrook Seminary.

4. SAMUEL DWIGHT SIMONDS, Republican, superintendent chair manufactory of Westminster, was born at Athol, Mass., Feb. 4, 1846, and educated in the local schools and at Poughkeepsie, N. Y. He has been one of the Selectmen for five years, portion of the time Chairman, and is President of the Farmers and Mechanics' Association.

5. GEORGE H. COOLIDGE, Republican, merchant, of West Brookfield, was born in North Brookfield, Jan. 3, 1841, and educated in the public schools. He is Chairman of the Board of Selectmen.

6. LUTHER HILL, Republican, lawyer, of Spencer, is a native of that town; was born Nov. 22, 1825, and received a common school education. He served in the House in 1863, 1865 and 1870, and in the Senate in 1867, and was placed on the Committees on Towns, Probate and Chancery, Bills in the Third Reading, Railroads, and Constitutional Amendments. He has been Trial Justice and Postmaster. This is his sixth term in the Legislature.

7. CHARLES HAGGERTY, Democrat, lawyer, of Southbridge, was born in Newburg, N. Y., Dec. 6, 1854, studied in the common schools and at Nichols Academy, and was graduated at Bowdoin College in 1881. He is a member of the School Committee of Southbridge, and re-elected this year for a second term.

8. JOHN J. ALLEN, Republican, farmer, was born Nov. 28, 1844, at Milbury, and educated at Shrewsbury, Ct. He has served as Selectman for eight years, and Assessor for two years, and is Chairman of Selectmen at the present time.


10. ROWSE R. CLARKE, Republican, was born Kingston, R. I., 1822, studied medicine at Harvard Medical School, and practiced as physician. He enlisted in the Thirty-fourth Massachusetts Volunteers, and was Surgeon of the Regiment. Also appointed Medical Examiner.

11. JAMES LALLY, JR., Democrat, shoemaker, of Milford, was born April 2, 1862, and educated in public schools of Milford. Second term in Legislature; on Committee on Labor, and a live labor reformer. Residence, Milford.


13. Harrison Emmons Morton, Republican, boot and shoe manufacturer, of West Boylston, was born April 4, 1842, in Oxford, Me., and educated in the common schools of Poland, Me., and at Lewiston Falls Academy, Auburn, Me. He is a Director of the West Boylston Public Library, and one of the Board of Selectmen, and has been a member of the School Committee. This is his second term in the House. Committee on Roads and Bridges.


15. Horace M. Kendall, Republican, born in Dunstable, June 6, 1848, and educated in common schools of that town. He is a machinist, and has been three years member of the Fitchburg Common Council. Residence, at home.


17. Alfred S. Pinkerton, Republican, lawyer, of Worcester, was born March 19, 1856, in Lancaster, Pa., and educated in the public schools of that State, studying law with the late Hon. Peter C. Bacon of Worcester. He was member of House, 1887, and has been Chairman of Republican Town Committee, Secretary of Worcester County Republican Committee, Deputy Grand Master Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, I. O. of O. F. Residence, at home.


19. James Henry Mellen, Democrat, of Worcester, was born in that city, Nov. 7, 1845, and attended its public schools. He is editor of Worcester Daily Times and was in the House in 1877, 1878, 1879, 1881, 1883, 1886, serving on the Committees on Labor, Prisons, Public Charitable Institutions, Revision of the Statutes and Convict Labor.

21. JOHN WALLACE PLAISTED, Republican, born in Bridgeton, Me., April 3, 1828, educated in public schools of that town. He is a merchant and has been a member of City Council, Worcester. This is his first term in the Legislature. Residence, 29 Wyman street, Worcester.

22. DAVID MANNING, JR., Republican, born in Paxton, Aug. 29, 1845, educated in Worcester public schools, and graduated at Yale College, studying a profession at Harvard Law School; practising at Worcester. Residence, at home.

23. WILLIAM A. GILE, Republican, lawyer, of Worcester, was born June 5, 1843, in Franklin, N. H., and attended Franklin Academy and Tilton (N. H.) Seminary, graduating at the Harvard Law School after the war. During the war he enlisted in the Sixteenth New Hampshire Volunteers, also Captain in the Eighteenth New Hampshire Volunteers, and from 1865 to 1867 was Lieutenant and Captain in the One Hundred and Seventeenth United States Cavalry Troop on the Rio Grande. Was a member of General Court Martial of the Armies of Potomac and James. Elected to Legislature in 1887; on Committee on Drainage and Bills in Third Reading. Residence, at home.

Hampshire County.

1. JOHN BENNETT BOTTUM, Republican, lawyer, of Northampton, is a native of that city, was born July 7, 1852, and educated in the local schools and at Columbia Law School, New York. Was admitted to the Bar, in Massachusetts and New York, in 1874. He has been District Attorney pro tem, for the Northwestern District, and in the House in 1886 and 1887, served on the Committees on Probate and Insolvency, Bills in Third Reading, Special Joint Judiciary Committee, to sit during recess in 1886, and on Centennial Committee at Philadelphia. Residence, Adams House; etc., during the past seven years.

2. SCHUYLER CLARK, Republican, lawyer, of Huntington, was born at Coeymans, Albany County, New York, and educated in the common schools of Huntington, Massachusetts, of which town, he has been Chairman of Selectmen, Assessors, etc., during the past seven years.

3. WILSON DEWEY, Republican, of Williamsburg, was born at Granby, Connecticut, July 1, 1815. He is not engaged in active business.

4. PAYSON WILLISTON LYMAN, Republican, clergyman, of Belchertown, was born Feb. 28, 1842, at Easthampton, educated at Williston Seminary, Amherst College, Union Theological Seminary of New York City. He has held the following offices: Chairman School Committee, and President of Trustees of Monson Academy; Chairman Executive Committee of Trustees Clapp Memorial Library of Belchertown; member Executive Committee Connecticut Valley Congregational Club; on Standing Committee of Hampshire East Association and Conference.
5. Calvin Hitchcock, Republican, of Ware, was born March 22, 1817, in Homer, Cortland County, New York. He was educated in the public schools, and is engaged in mercantile business.

Hampden County.

1. Charles Henry Knox, Democrat, was born April 6, 1847, at Chester, educated at Williston Seminary and Wesleyan Academy, and is engaged in farming. He has been Chairman of Selectmen, Assessors, and Overseers of Poor, for six years; and was in the House in 1883, serving on Mercantile Affairs, and Library Committee.

2. William Provin, Democrat, whip manufacturer, of Westfield, was born Feb. 14, 1842, in Sullivan, Pennsylvania, and educated at Westfield Academy. He served in the war in Sixty-second New York Volunteers, and has been Chairman of the Board of Selectmen. In the House in 1886 and 1887, he served on Insurance Committee. Residence, Adams House.

2. Charles Fay Shepard, Republican, whip manufacturer, of Westfield, was born in that town, Nov. 10, 1827, and educated at Southwick and Westfield.

3. Reuben Winchester, Democrat, farmer, of Holyoke, was born at Marlboro, Vermont, Jan. 7, 1825, and educated in the same town where he was Assessor. As Councilman and Alderman of Holyoke, he served on Committees on Roads and Bridges, Sewers, Drains, Cross and Sidewalks, on Printing and Claims.

4. Jeremiah J. Keane, Democrat, bricklayer, of Holyoke, was born May 26, 1855, in New York City, and educated in the public schools. He was a member of the Committee on Public Health in the House in 1886. This is his third term in the House.

5. George W. Gibson, Democrat, grocer, of Chicopee, was born Aug. 15, 1851, at Malone, New York; educated at Franklin Academy in that town, and has been for four years on the Board of Selectmen of Chicopee. Residence, Adams House.


6. Ethan C. Robinson, Democrat, of Springfield, was born at Brattleboro, Vt., May 6, 1839. He has been in City Council, is Deputy Sheriff, and proprietor of Massasoit stables. Residence, Springfield.

7. A. Olin Brooks, of Springfield, was born April 23, 1852, at Stafford Springs, Conn. Graduated from Wesleyan Academy in 1870, since which has been a teacher, bookkeeper, and in the dry goods business. For ten years he has been engaged in the grocery business, in Springfield. Residence, Adams House.

8. Charles Amos Call, Republican, grocer, of Springfield, is a native of that city, and was born June 3, 1839. Educated in the public schools, and has served in both branches of the City Government.

8. Charles Henry Bennett, Democrat, merchant, of Springfield, was born in Wrentham, Mass., March 11, 1843, and educated in public schools and Day's Academy.

9. Henry Clark, Republican, farmer, of Wilbraham, was born in that town Oct. 24, 1841, and educated at the Wesleyan Academy. In 1884-85-86, he was on the Board of Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor.
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10. CHARLES F. GROSVENOR, Republican, of Ludlow, was born at Rehoboth, Aug. 10, 1850. Educated in common schools and Lawrence Academy, and is engaged in coal and grain business. He is a Selectman and Trial Justice.

Franklin County.

1. FREEMAN C. GRISWOLD, Democrat, lawyer, of Greenfield, was born in that town Dec. 15, 1858. Educated in the public schools, Williston Seminary, graduated at Yale College in 1881, and Harvard Law School in 1884. He is a member of the School Committee. Residence, Adams House.

2. FRANKLIN LEVI WATERS, Republican, merchant, of Orange, was born June 14, 1829, in Champlain, N. Y., and attended the district schools of his native town. Came to Massachusetts in 1847. A successful merchant for many years; now retired. He is, and has been for several years, Chairman of the Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor of Orange. Is Trustee of Orange Savings Bank, serving on Board of Investment. He was a member of the House last year, and on Committee on Manufactures.

3. JOSEPH FREEMAN BARTLETT, Republican, merchant, of Montague, was born July 25, 1843, at Ware. Educated in public schools of Belchertown, Pelham and Wilbraham. At the age of 17 he enlisted in the 10th Massachusetts, serving three years, when he re-enlisted and was transferred to the 37th Massachusetts, and the next year to 20th Massachusetts, serving until discharged, in 1865, after four years' continuous service. He participated in twenty-five battles, and was wounded in battles of Fair Oaks and Wilderness, and was commissioned Second Lieutenant in 37th Massachusetts, and First Lieutenant in 20th Massachusetts. Mr. Bartlett was for five years on Board of Selectmen; four years Overseer of Poor; three years Road Commissioner; three years Assessor; in the House in 1879, serving on Committee of Military Affairs; and at the present time Chairman Board Water Commissioners of Montague; Trustee of Crocker Institute for Savings, and Director of Franklin Electric Light Co.

4. HENRY C. HASKELL, Independent Democrat, manufacturer of boiler compound, farmer, of Deerfield, was born in Wendell, Mass., Oct. 25, 1837, and attended the local schools and Corning Free Academy, N. Y. He is Chairman of Selectmen and Assessors of Deerfield, member State Board of Agriculture H. H. & F. Society, and served on Committee on Printing in House during 1886.

5. ALBERT H. TEMPLE, Republican, mason, of Colrain, was born June 11, 1832, in Troy, N. Y. Educated in Bennington, Vt. He has been Postmaster in his town.

Berkshire County.

1. GEORGE H. KEARN, Democrat, of North Adams, is in the woolen business. He was born Jan. 6, 1839, in Bridgeport, Connecticut, and received a district school education. In the war he was a Lieutenant in the Sixty-first Massachusetts Volunteers, and was a member of the House in 1886-87, serving on the Committees on the State House and Hoosac Tunnel and Troy and Greenfield Railroad. Residence, Young's Hotel.
BIOGRAPHY. HOUSE.

1. Henry S. Lyons, Democrat, shoemaker, of North Adams, was born at Adams, Nov. 21, 1865, and educated in public schools. He is member National Executive Board Knights of Labor and Judge Advocate Sons of Veterans.

2. John Milton Morin, Democrat, of Adams, is a boss finisher of woolen goods; was born Feb. 14, 1828, in Lansingburg, New York, and attended the Lansingburg Academy. This is his second term in the Legislature.

3. Samuel M. Raymond, Democrat, broker and grain merchant, of Hinsdale, was born June 30, 1842, at Hinsdale, where he received his education.

4. Henry M. Perison, Republican, merchant, of Pittsfield, was born in Richmond, Massachusetts, May, 1825, educated in the district schools; has been a member of the Board of Health and a Trustee of the Public Library, was Coroner under the old system, and a member of the State Board of Agriculture. He was for twenty-five years an officer of the Berkshire Agricultural Society.

5. William Henry Carey, Democrat, merchant, of Dalton, was born in Richmond, Feb. 17, 1848, and educated in the local schools.

6. John Winthrop, Democrat, farmer, of Stockbridge, was born in Boston, June 20, 1841. He was graduated at Harvard College.

7. Robert H. McDonald, Democrat, merchant, of Great Barrington, was born June 1, 1854, in Lee, Massachusetts, and educated in the public schools of Barrington.

8. Robert Lovett Taft, Republican, manufacturer and farmer, of New Marlboro, was born at Sheffield, Aug. 7, 1841, and graduated at Williams College, Class of 1865. He enlisted in Forty-ninth Massachusetts Volunteers, Company E., and has been Postmaster at Clayton; also on School Committee. Residence, Adams House.

Norfolk County.

9. Frank A. Fales, Republican, of Norwood, is a flour and grain dealer, was born Oct. 13, 1848, in South Dedham, Mass., and attended the local schools. Since 1881 he has been one of the Board of Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor. In the House in 1886-87 he was placed on the Committees on Printing and Hoosac Tunnel and Troy and Greenfield Railroad. This is his third term. Residence, Norwood.

2. George Nathaniel Carpenter, Republican, of Brookline, is General Agent of the Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Company. He was born in Northfield, Vt., Jan. 26, 1840, and was graduated at the University of Vermont in 1861. He is a Trustee of Norwich University in that State, and served in the Eighth Vermont Regiment, rising to the rank of Captain, receiving commission as Captain U. S. Volunteers from President Lincoln. He was also a Colonel and Aide-de-Camp on the staff of Governor Dillingham. In the Legislature last year he served as House Chairman of Committee on Insurance. Residence, Brookline.

3. Ferdinand Adolphus Wyman, lawyer, of Hyde Park, was born in Waltham, Mass., Dec. 28, 1850, and educated at West Acton, Mass. He was admitted to the Bar in 1886, and was the assignee of F. Shaw & Bros., the extensive leather manufacturers.
4. ALBERT A. BRACKETT, Republican, leather dealer, of Milton, was born in Quincy, Mass., Dec. 5, 1850. Educated in public schools, and has been Clerk of the Milton Selectmen.

5. JOSIAH QUINCY, Independent Democrat, lawyer, of Quincy, was born in that town October 15, 1859, and educated at Adams Academy and Harvard College. This is his second term in the Legislature.

6. JOHN FLINT MERRILL, Republican, grocer, of Quincy, was born Jan. 16, 1849, in Brownfield, Me., and educated in the public schools.

7. JOHN ADAMS HOLBROOK, Democrat, boot and shoe manufacturer, of North Weymouth, was born in Weymouth May 27, 1837, and educated in the public schools.

8. WILLARD FRANKLIN GLEASON, Republican, of Holbrook, expressman, was born in Hubbardston, Massachusetts, Dec. 24, 1847, and educated at Franklin Academy, Shelburne Falls, Massachusetts. He has been Selectman, Assessor and Overseer of the Poor for eight years, and Chairman of the Water Commissioners for two years. In the House in 1883, he served on the Committee on Roads and Bridges.

9. BERNARD DOLAN, Democrat, shoemaker, was born in Ireland, 1838, and educated in Connecticut. Residence, East Stoughton.

7. RUFUS A. THAYER, Republican, farmer, of Randolph, was born in that town Dec. 3, 1839, and educated in the local schools, Hollis Institute, Pierce Academy and a Boston commercial college. He is Secretary of the Board of Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor, and a Trustee of the Randolph Savings Bank.

8. CHARLES W. SEAVEY, Republican, shoe manufacturer, of Medway, was born in that town, Nov. 15, 1859, and educated at Medway and Holliston.

9. EPHRAIM BARON STOWE, Republican, merchant, of Bellingham, was born in West Milbury, Massachusetts, Jan. 23, 1845, educated in the public schools, and has been on the School Committee one year, Assessor five years, and Auditor three years.

9. ALBERT E. MILLER, Republican, of Needham, was born July 7, 1834, in Senaca County, New York, and educated at University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia. He is a physician, and lecturer on education and public health. Residence, Needham.

**Plymouth County.**

1. ELKANAH FINNEY, Democrat, moulder, of Plymouth, was born Oct. 31, 1849, in Chiltonville, Mass. (a village of Plymouth), and educated in the public schools. He was in the House last year, serving on Committee on Water Supply.

2. FRANKLIN W. HATCH, Republican, of Marshfield, was born in that town Feb. 12, 1836, and educated in public schools, and engaged in coach and livery business. He is a staunch Republican and earnest advocate of restrictive temperance legislation, and every other element of reform politics.

3. HENRY A. TURNER, Republican, farmer, of South Scituate, was born in that town Nov. 21, 1827, and educated in the public schools. He enlisted in Company F, Forty-third Massachusetts Volunteers, and is a member of the Board of Selectmen, Assessors, and Overseers of the Poor.

4. JOHN QUINCY ADAMS THROOP, Republican, of Cohasset, was born in that town Oct. 14, 1824. Educated in the public schools, and is a
Justice of the Peace and Corresponding Secretary of Cohasset Mutual Fire Insurance Company. For 28 years he has been Chairman of Selectmen, Assessors, and Overseers of Poor, and from 1862 to 1883, when the office was abolished, he was Collector of the Port. In the House, in 1857 and 1867, he served on Committees on Public Charities and Prisons. Residence, Cohasset.

5. George Hartford Hunt, Republican, of Rockland, is a manufacturer of leather board, mills at Saccarappa, Me. He was born in Abington, Mass., May 23, 1843, and attended the public schools. He has been Chairman of the Rockland Selectmen and Assessors, and is a war veteran, serving in the Sixtieth and Twelfth (Webster) Regiment. In 1884 he was appointed to the Committees on Claims and Printing in the House, but was unseated in March of that year after a contest. In 1884 and 1886 he served in the House on Committees on Library, Printing, and Claims. Residence, Rockland.


7. John W. Delano, Democrat, of Marion, grain dealer, was born in Marion in 1852. Educated at the Red Rock Academy in that town.

8. Sidney T. Nelson, Republican, farmer, of Lakeville, was born Aug. 12, 1845, in Middleboro. Educated in common schools and Pierce Academy. Has been Selectman and Assessor for six years, and is a member of the School Committee. Residence, Lakeville.

9. George M. Hooper, Republican, brick manufacturer, of Bridgewater, was born in that town, Sept. 1, 1838, and educated at Bridgewater Academy and State Normal School. Residence, Bridgewater.

10. Patrick McCarthy, Democrat, McKay operator of Brockton, was born April 1, 1849, in Newtown, Ireland, and attended the Brockton schools. He served two years in the Brockton Common Council and one in the Board of Alderman, and was a member of the House in 1856, being placed on the Committees on Leave of Absence and Library. This is his third term in the Legislature.

11. A. Cranston Thompson, Republican, of Brockton, owner of a planing mill, was born in Halifax, Massachusetts, Dec. 19, 1843, and educated in the public schools of Halifax, Abington and Boston. He has been a member of the Board of Alderman and is a Director in the Home National Bank of Brockton.

12. Charles C. Bixby, Republican, real estate broker, of Brockton, was born in Bridport, Addison County, Vermont, Jan. 28, 1822, educated at Poultny Academy and Middlebury College. He has held many offices in Brockton, and in the House in 1868, served on the Committee on Finance.

Bristol County.

1. George R. Perry, Republican, of Norton, is in the britannia and silver ware business; was born in that town, May 3, 1836, and educated in the public schools. He has been for nine years Selectman and Overseer of the Poor, and in the House in 1876, he served on the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading.
1. **Abijah T. Wales**, Republican, was born in Attleboro, June 21, 1833, and educated in public schools. Enlisted Fortieth Massachusetts Infantry, and Second Massachusetts Cavalry. Has been Selectman Assessor and Overseer of the Poor, Postmaster of Attleboro, in 1881–86. In the House, 1878, 1887–88, on Committees on Fisheries and Finance. Residence, Attleboro.

2. **William Blanding Rogerson**, Republican, of Mansfield, a retired merchant, was born in Rehoboth, Massachusetts, Aug. 15, 1846, and educated in the common schools and New Hampton Academy. He has been for three years Selectman, Assessor and Overseer of the Poor.

3. **Frederick Stanley Hall**, Republican, lawyer, of Taunton, was born Feb. 10, 1861, in Norton, Mass., and after attending the public schools was graduated at Harvard College in 1882 and at Boston University Law School in 1885, and practiced his profession in Taunton. Elected to the House in 1887. Was on the House Judiciary Committee. Residence, Taunton.

4. **William L. White**, Republican, was born in Dighton, Feb. 21, 1843. Educated in Taunton public and High Schools. Engaged in carriage manufacturing. This is his first term in the House. Residence, at home.

5. **Rollin H. Babbitt**, Republican, farmer, of Berkley, was born in that town May, 1840. Educated in the public schools, and has served as Selectman and member of the School Committee.


7. **Isaac B. Tompkins**, Republican, was born in Westport, Aug. 27, 1826, and educated in public schools. Has been Chief of Police in New Bedford. Residence, New Bedford.

8. **Rufus H. Willis**, Republican, was born in Easton, March 18, 1838. Educated in public schools and Pierce Academy. In the shoe business. Enlisted in the Fourth Regiment Massachusetts Volunteers, and First Cavalry, for three years; transferred to Fourth Cavalry; commissioned Second and First Lieutenant. Has been Deputy Sheriff of Bristol County thirteen years. Member of House 1887–88, on Committee on Labor. Residence, 75 Hillman street, New Bedford.

9. **Charles P. Rugg**, Republican, of New Bedford, was born Aug. 12, 1827, at Hinsdale, N. H. Graduated at Amherst College in 1854, and has been High School teacher until 1886, when he retired. Residence, New Bedford.

10. **William Gordon, Jr.**, Republican, of New Bedford, of the firm of Taber, Gordon & Co., engaged largely in the whale fisheries, was born in New Bedford, Dec. 16, 1825, and attended the public schools and Phillips Andover Academy. He has been a member of the New Bedford City Government, and in the House in 1883 and 1884. Served on the Committees on Finance and Railroads.

11. **George W. Slocum**, Republican, farmer (formerly sea captain), of Dartmouth, was born in that town, Nov. 14, 1818, and attended the local schools.

12. **James Conroy**, Democrat, contractor, of Fall River, was born in County Sligo, Ireland, June 26, 1850, and educated in the schools of Glas-
gow, Scotland. In the House, last year, he served on Committee on Leave of Absence.

8. William Alexander Carmán, Democrat, storekeeper, of Fall River, was born March 10, 1854, in Biddeford, Me., and attended the local schools. He has served two years in the Fall River Council. In the House last year he served on Committee on Bills of Third Reading.

8. Andrew Quinn, Democrat, liquor dealer, of Fall River, was born in Ireland in 1833, and educated in the schools of Swansea, South Wales. In the House last year he served on Committee on Elections.

9. Robert Henry, Republican, of Fall River, was born at Lowell, Nov. 12, 1833. Educated at Wesleyan University. Member of the House in 1885-86-87, on Committees on Drainage and Insurance. Has served in Common Council, on School Committee; Trustee of Putnam Library and Mayor of Fall River. Residence, at home.

9. John C. Milne, Republican, editor of Fall River News, of Fall River, was born May 18, 1824, in Milfield, Scotland, and educated in the public schools and at Peirce Academy, Middleboro. He was for five years in the Fall River City Council, and has sat in the House for the last three years, serving on the Committees on Census, Banks and Banking, and Public Charitable Institutions (House Chairman in 1886-87). Has been for many years editor of Fall River Daily News, and proprietor of the largest printing establishment in the State outside of Boston. Director in several banking and manufacturing corporations. Residence, at home.

10. Edmund A. Davis, Republican, was born in Somerset, Dec. 10, 1839, and educated in the public schools. Dealer in stoves, ranges, etc. Comes to the House for his first term. Residence, Fall River.

Barnstable County.

1. Albert R. Eldridge, Republican, of Bourne, hardware and lumber dealer, was born in Wareham, Sept. 10, 1850. Educated in public schools, and has been Selectman, Assessor and Overseer of the Poor since the incorporation of the town in 1884.

1. Joshua Crowell, Republican, farmer, of Dennis, was born Oct. 24, 1843, at East Dennis, and educated in the common schools. He is a Director of First National Bank of Yarmouth, and was in the House in 1884-85, serving on Committee on Towns, and as Monitor.

2. Joseph W. Rogers, Republican and Prohibitionist, of Orleans, was born and educated in that town. He is in the provision business, and is Deputy Sheriff of the County. Residence, 8 Bloomingdale street, Chelsea.

3. David Conwell, Republican, wholesale fish dealer, of Provincetown, was born at that place, Oct. 27, 1818, and educated in the public schools.

Dukes County.

1. Edwin D. Vanderhoop, Republican, of Gay Head, was born in that town in 1848. Educated at Wayland Institute, Washington, engaged in teaching and is now a hotel proprietor. He enlisted in 1864, in the U. S. Navy. Residence, Natick.
Nantucket County.

I. Henry Riddell, Independent, of Nantucket, a photographer and accountant, was born in Nantucket, May 18, 1848, and educated in the local schools, and is Secretary and Treasurer of the Board of Selectmen.

Sergeant-at-Arms.

The office of Sergeant-at-Arms is one of the most important of legislative appointments, uniting as it does the executive authority of the General Court and superintendent of all its affairs in detail, purveyor of all supplies, and only responsible custodian of all its capital buildings and public properties pertaining thereto. The present incumbent has had but three predecessors since the appointment of Jacob Kuhn in 1787, with the official title of Messenger, serving two years short of his semi-centennial re-election. In 1835 he was succeeded by Benjamin Stevens of courtly memory, who first assumed the title of Sergeant-at-Arms, with a much wider range of authority and duties. With a service of twenty-four years, he was succeeded by Major John Morrissey of Plymouth, who carried the wand till 1875, or sixteen years. The accession of Capt. O. F. Mitchell completes the tripartite occupancy with the antecedent “Messenger.” After a service of eleven years, and the completion of a century since its organization, Capt. Mitchell gives way to the present incumbent. Capt. John G. B. Adams, the present Sergeant-at-Arms, was born in Groveland, Mass., on the sixth day of October, 1841, and passed his boyhood and youth in that locality, until the early summer of 1861, when, inspired by that military spirit to which the stirring events of that time gave birth, he enlisted as a private soldier in Major Ben: Perley Poore’s Rifle Battalion, which later became the nucleus of the Nineteenth Massachusetts Regiment. His kind, genial and lively disposition won for him the regard of his officers and comrades, with whom he was deservedly popular and a general favorite. He left the State on the 28th of August, 1861, as Sixth Corporal of Company A, of that regiment, and on March 1, 1862, was promoted to First Sergeant, after passing the best examination of non-commissioned officers. His many soldierly qualities soon brought him to the favorable notice of his commanding officers, and for gallantry in action he was twice recommended by them for promotion, and passed rapidly through the grades of Second and First Lieutenant to that of Captain, which rank he held at the close of the war. He participated in every march, shared every hardship, and was engaged in every battle of the Army of the Potomac in which his regiment took part. At Fredericksburg, Capt. Adams saved the colors of his regiment from capture, and bore them out of the battle in safety. He was twice severely wounded in the second day’s fight at Gettysburg, and taken to the field hospital, where he was given over to die by the surgeon in charge. After a short leave of absence, and before he had recovered from his wounds, he rejoined his regiment to follow its fortunes in all the bloody battles from the Wilderness to the siege of Petersburg; and while in the advanced lines before that city, on the 22d of June, 1864, was captured with his regiment by the enemy. For nine months he was a prisoner of war, suffering the untold misery of an existence in the prison pens of Libby, Macon, Ga., Charleston and Columbia, S. C., and Raleigh, N. C.; at Charleston, he was one of six hundred who were kept under fire for three months. Twice he
escaped from his captors, each time was recaptured worked at same until of four weeks from his place of confinement, and wHouse in 1848. More Union lines. Soon after the war, Capt. Adams enDocument Service. Messrs. Benjamin F. Doak & Co., the large and well-known champion facturers at Lynn, as foreman, where he remained for ten years in failing health, caused by wounds received in battle, compelled him to resign his position. After closing his connection with the Messrs. Doak & Co., he accepted a position as Inspector in the Boston Custom House, which he filled for fifteen months, and which he resigned to accept the appointment of Postmaster at Lynn, which position he held for nearly eight years, discharging his many duties acceptably to his townspeople, to the department at Washington, and creditably to himself. In January, 1886, on the establishment of the reformatory prison at Concord, Captain Adams was appointed Deputy Warden, which position he held one year. When Post 5, G. A. R., was instituted, he was the first recruit mustered in, and has a continuous membership up to the present time. He was three times elected its Commander, was Department Commander of Massachusetts for one year; has twelve times been a delegate to the National Convention of the order, and has been President of the Association of Survivors of Rebel Prisons for the past seven years. In all these organizations, Capt. Adams has been a member of more than ordinary prominence. As President of the Board of Trustees of the Soldiers' Home he is rendering most efficient service, and under his leadership most excellent results have been shown. A staunch Republican, he has always had the courage of his own convictions, and voted, as he fought, in a straightforward, open manner; was chosen messenger to forward the electoral vote of the State to Washington on the first election of Grant in 1868. With the above remarkable record, the gallant soldier is deserving of the position awarded him. Uniting as it does, in an exceptional degree, the executive duties of legislative administration in all its varied details, with that of semi-host, responsible for the comfort and well-being of his multitudinous guests, he has the opportunity to make the position a most agreeable one by disciplined and economic supervision, which he will doubtless improve, to protect the interests of the Commonwealth, and secure the confidence and grateful regards of the strangers within his gates, by popular and cheerful service in their behalf and welfare.

Doorkeeper of Senate.

* Stillman W. Edgell, Doorkeeper of the Senate, was born in Westminster, Massachusetts, Aug. 27, 1831, and educated in the public schools of that town. Removed to Fitchburg in 1847, and for fifteen years was engaged in the chair business until the breaking out of the war, when he enlisted in the Massachusetts Fifteenth Regiment, Nov. 20, 1861, and was with the regiment in Gen. Devens' brigade, Sedgwick's division, with the fighting Tenth, another Western Massachusetts Regiment, through all the "On to Richmond" campaign of '62, in the Chickahominy, Seven Days Melee, Fair Oaks, and back to Malvern Hill. He also followed the fortunes of Grant in all the sanguinary conflicts of the Wilderness to Cold Harbor, where he lost his arm at the shoulder, on that memorable day of battle, June 3, 1864. Instead of honorable discharge and "going home" at expiration of service in six weeks, it was an arm and shoulder amputation, with all that that implies, and it was eight months' suffering at the
was appointed Messenger in the Senate in 1865.

1. **Henry Riddel** was appointed Assistant Doorkeeper, serving nine years, and Doorkeeper in 1875, which position he still holds local schools, 1 years' occupancy, and is the oldest member in consecutive service of the Legislative Messenger Corps.

**Doorkeeper of House.**

**Thomas J. Tucker,** who has been for twenty years and more on the Messenger service of the General Court, was born in Boston, of an old West End family, Dec. 21, 1831; graduating at an early age from the old Mayhew School; was engaged in business in Boston until ill health compelled him to change his employment, and was offered an appointment on the Messenger Corps of the Legislature under the administration of Major Benj. Stevens, Sergeant-at-Arms. In 1869, Major Morrissey appointed him Assistant Doorkeeper, which place he held eight years, when he was promoted by Capt. O. F. Mitchell, in 1875, Doorkeeper of the House of Representatives. Mr. Tucker has served under three of the four Sergeant-at-Arms who have held that office, and antedates in appointment any other member of the Messenger service of the Legislature. Mr. Tucker has given a lifetime of efficient service to the cause of temperance, having served in all of the active and honorary offices of the Massachusetts Division of the Sons of Temperance to the Grand Worthy Patriarch. Also member of the National Division, and Life Director of the Massachusetts Total Abstinence Society. Mr. Tucker is recognized by a host of friends in the House as a lifetime faithful, public official.

**Veteran Messengers.**

The exceptionally long and faithful service of two well-known habitués of the State House on the Sergeant-at-Arms corps makes it eminently fitting to place on record a brief notice. First of these, in seniority of service, is William S. Stoddard, Treasury Messenger, who was born in Boston, April 7, 1815, and bred a Boston boy at the public schools, learning and working at the carpenter's trade. In 1840 he was appointed Messenger by Benj. Stevens, the first Sergeant-at-Arms, and served in the care of the halls and cupola. Afterwards Legislative Messenger, and subsequently one of the four Chief Messengers, with special duty at the Treasury office. For forty-six years he has given that constant conscientious devotion to his important trusts that has secured the respect and warm regards of hosts of friends. Of the "millions" consigned to his trust for exchange and deposit through all these decades, not a dollar ever missed its way or clung to an itching palm.

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PLYMOUTH COUNTY.

Dist. 1. — Elkanah Finney . . . . . Plymouth.
" 2. — Franklin W. Hatch . . . . . Marshfield.
" 3. — Henry A. Turner . . . . . South Scituate.
" 5. — George H. Hunt . . . . . Rockland.
" 7. — John W. Delano . . . . . Marion.
" 11. — A. Cranston Thompson . .
" 12. — Charles C. Bixby . . . . .

BRISTOL COUNTY.

     Abijah T. Wales . . . . . Attleborough.
     William L. White, Jr . . . . Taunton
     Frederick S. Hall . . . . .
" 5. — Isaac B. Tompkins . . . . . New Bedford.
     Rufus H. Willis . . . . .
" 6. — Charles P. Rugg . . . . .
     William Gordon, Jr . . . .
" 7. — George W. Slocum . . . . . Dartmouth.
" 8. — John Conroy . . . . . Fall River.
     William A. Carman . . . .
     Andrew Quinn . . . . .
" 9. — Robert Henry . . . . .
     John C. Milne . . . . .
" 10. — Edmund A. Davis . . . . . Somerset.

BARNSTABLE COUNTY.

     Joshua Crowell . . . . . Dennis.
" 3. — David Conwell . . . . . Provincetown.

DUKES COUNTY.


NANTUCKET COUNTY.

Dist. 1. — Henry Riddell . . . . . Nantucket.
COUNCILLOR, SENATE, AND HOUSE COMMITTEES.

COMMITTEES OF THE COUNCIL.

On Pardons.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor.
Mr. Bourne. Mr. Johnson.
Mr. Allen. Mr. McPherson.

On Finance.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor.
Mr. Bourne. Mr. Morse.
Mr. Johnson. Mr. Gunn.

On Railroads.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor.
Mr. Bourne. Mr. Gunn.
Mr. Allen. Mr. Cunniff.

On Harbors and Public Lands.

Mr. Bourne.
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Mr. Jewett.

On Charitable Institutions.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor.
Mr. Allen. Mr. Gunn.
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On Prisons.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor.
Mr. Allen. Mr. McPherson.
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Mr. McPherson. Mr. Morse.
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COMMITTEES.

HOUSE AND SENATE COMMITTEES.

Agriculture.
(18 West wing.)

Senate:  
Gleason,  
Howland,  
Palmer.

House:  
Brigham,  
Trull,  
Allen,  
Babbitt,  
Haskell,  
Shepard,  
Pierson,  
Turner.

Banks and Banking.
(12 West wing.)

Senate:  
Fletcher,  
Gleason,  
Marble.

House:  
Milne,  
Call,  
Witt,  
Read,  
Richards,  
Holbrook,  
Brewer,  
Raymond.

Bills in Third Reading.

Senate:  
Collins,

House:  
Southworth.  
Brown,  
Slocum,  
Carroll.

Cities.
(16 West wing.)

Senate:  
Hathorne,  
Sprague,  
Shea.

House:  
Parkman,  
Hinchcliffe,  
Flynn,  
Miller,  
Slocum,  
Close,  
Cheney,  
Leary.

Constitutional Amendments.

Senate:  
Hartwell,  
Sprague,  
Crosby.

House:  
Blume,  
Gile,  
Pinkerton,  
Parkman,  
Russell,  
Flynn,  
Finney,  
McCarthy.

County Estimates.
(6 East wing.)

House:  
Conroy,  
Jaques,  
Clark,  
Taft,  
Thayer,  
Clark,  
Gagen.

Drainage.
(13 West wing.)

Senate:  
Kingsley,  
Slatterly,  
Messinger.

House:  
Fisk,  
Whitcher,  
Walworth,  
Dunlea,  
Noonan,  
Rogers,  
Rogerson,  
Sullivan.
### COMMITTEES.

#### Education.

(12 West wing.)

- **Senate:**
  - Gleason,
  - Gleason,
  - Marble.

- **House:**
  - Wright,
  - McEttrick,
  - Lyman,

- **Hooper:**
  - Clark,
  - Stowe.

#### Elections.

(16 West wing.)

- **House:**
  - Fales,
  - O'Neill,
  - Quinn,
  - Garity,

- **Dennis:**
  - Perry.

#### Election Laws.

(15 West wing.)

- **Senate:**
  - Sprague,
  - Shea.

- **House:**
  - Sanford,
  - Hunt,
  - Thompson,
  - Russell,
  - O'Neil.

- **McDonald:**
  - Spring.

#### Engrossed Bills.

- **Senate:**
  - Howland.

- **House:**
  - Howe,
  - Spellman,
  - Hunt,

- **Floyd:**
  - Conroy.

#### Expenditures.

(Sergeant-at-Arms’ Office.)

- **Senate:**
  - Sleeper,
  - Ladd,
  - Pike.

- **House:**
  - Ware,
  - Dexter,
  - Wales,

- **Kimball:**
  - Lovell,
  - Hartwell,

- **Bennett:**
  - Allen
  - Kimball
  - Conroy.

#### Expediting Business.

- **Senate:**
  - President,
  - Glines,
  - Southworth.

- **House:**
  - Speaker,
  - Wadlin,

- **Walworth:**
  - Symonds,
  - Hall,

- **McDonough:**
  - Wardwell,
  - Mellen.

#### Federal Relations.

(6 East wing.)

- **Senate:**
  - Glines,
  - Perkins.

- **House:**
  - Barrett,
  - Eames,

- **Provin:**
  - Hitchcock,
  - Temple,

- **Thompson:**
  - Sullivan.

#### Finance.

(Sergeant-at-Arms’ Office.)

- **House:**
  - Wales,
  - Ware,
  - Dexter,

- **Hartwell:**
  - Allen,
  - Lovell,

- **Kimball:**
  - Bennett.
COMMITTEES.

Fisheries and Game.
(3 East wing.)

*Senate:* Cook, Dame, Delano, Taft.
*House:* Crowell, Stimpson, 
*Howe:* Dennis, Conwell,

Harbors and Public Lands.
(4 East wing.)

*Senate:* Keith, P. H. Quinn, Rugg, Hixon.
*House:* Story, Kennedy, 
*Spellman:* Gleason, White,

Insurance.
(16 West wing.)

*Senate:* Dwyer, Church, Davis.
*House:* Carpenter, Farren, 
*Pike:* Henry, Clark,

Judiciary, Senate.
(2 East wing.)

*Hartwell,* Sprague, Spellman, Crosby.
*Clark,*

Judiciary, House.
(8 West wing.)

*Wharton,* Smith, Pinkerton, Flynn, Pratt.
*Bottum,* Collison, Wardwell, 
*Colby,*

Labor.
(Blue Room, East wing.)

*Senate:* Howard, Quincy, Goss, Manning, Simonds.
*Keith,* Mellen, Keane, 
*Stevens:* Tyler, Seavey,

Leave of Absence.

*House:* Slocum, Davis, Carey.

Library.
(Library.)

*Senate:* Southworth, Milne, Carey, McCooey.
*Dwyer:* Sanger, Dexter, 
*Milliken:* Vanderhoop,
COMMITTEES.

Liquor Law.

(Room A, West wing.)

Senate: Gleason, Sullivan. 
House: Manning, Eames, Haynes, Rogers, McEttrick, Cronin, Driscoll.

Manufactures.

(Room A, West wing.)

Senate: McAlpine, Palmer, Wheelock. 

Mercantile Affairs.

(5 East wing.)

Senate, Clark, Cook, Stevens. 
House: Gile, Leach, Atwood, McEnaney, Brooks, Brackett, Knox, Holman.

Military Affairs.

(Room D, West wing.)

Senate: Walker, Hathorne, Palmer. 
House: Woodward, Boardman, Bartlett, Southwick, Spring, Martin, Riddell, Lyons.

Parishes and Religious Societies.

(7 East wing.)

Senate: Fletcher, Wheelock. 
House: Gracey, Colby, Lyman, Haskell, Dewey, Tyler, Kendall.

Pay Roll.

(Sergeant-at-Arms’ Office.)

House: Dame, Doherty, Dewey.

Printing.

(13 West wing.)

Senate: Kimball, Roads. 
House: Gunn, Lally, Poor, Perry, Carney, Dolan, Rounesville.

Prisons.

(5 East wing.)

Senate: Perkins, Walker. 
House: Hall, Thompson, Berry, Willis, Gibson, Butler, Fisher.
COMMITTEES.

Probate and Insolvency.

(Room B, West wing.)

Senate: Crosby, Kimball, Collins.
House: Haggerty, Brewer, Sanger.
Preble, Sohier, Griswold.

Public Charitable Institutions.

(Room A, West wing.)

Senate: Towne, Clark, Howard.
House: Ferry, Frost, Perkins.
Robinson, O'Mealey, Risteen.

Public Health.

(14 West wing.)

Senate: Gleason, Towne.
House: Friend, Brady, Hastings.
Hayes, D. J. Quinn.

Public Service.

(No. 18.)

Senate: Hartwell, Sullivan.
House: Gleason, Clark, Norwood.
Towne, Grosvenor.

Railroads.

(10 West wing.)

Senate: Glines, Keith, Roads, Southworth.
House: James Donovan, Gordon, McDonough, Keane.
Symonds, Breed, Wyman, Raymond.

Roads and Bridges.

(6 East wing.)

Senate: Slattery, Keith.
House: Plaisted, Siocum, Hatch.
Dame, Winchester.

Rules.

Senate: President, Hartwell, Sprague.
House: Roads, Speaker, Wharton.
Parkman, Collison, Bottom, Gile.
Hall, Quincy, Smith.
COMMITTEES.

State House.

(Room D, West wing.)

Senate:
Tucker, Clark.

House:
Fales, Jaques, Armstrong, Hathaway, Bixby, Calnan, Fottler.

Street Railways.

(4 East wing.)

Senate:
Kimball, Howe, Tucker.

House:
Dresser, Woodward, 'Lothrop, E. J. Donovan, Shaw, Gunn, Cannell.

Taxation.

(15 West wing.)

Senate:
Marble, Collins.

House:
Floyd, O'Brien, Blake, Burnham, Nelson, Thayer, Carroll.

Towns.

(Blue Room, East wing.)

Senate:
Ladd, Messinger.

House:
Qua, Greenwood, Champlin, Coolidge, Eldridge, Winthrop, Coveney.

Treasury.

Senate:
Sleeper.

House:
Ladd, Pike.

Water Supply.

(14 West wing.)

Senate:
Keith, Kingsley, McAlpine.

House:
Backup, Wilde, Finney, Pear, Hayes, Merrill, Pierce, Clark.

Woman Suffrage.

Senate:
Howland, Slattery.

House:
Milliken, Quincy, Hinchcliffe, Brown, Barrett, Doherty, Carman.
STATE HOUSE DIRECTORY.

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SURGEON-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

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William S. Stoddard, Treasury Messenger .................... Chelsea.
James N. Tolman, Document Messenger ........................ Boston.
Calvin B. Hutchinson, General Messenger ..................... Whitman.
Charles W. Philbrick, Special Messenger ........................ Lowell.
George Stafford, Engineer ....................................... Blackstone.
John L. Chandler, Day Fireman ................................ Boston.
A. D. Earle, Night Fireman ...................................... Boston.
D. W. Taft, Day Watchman ....................................... Palmer.
James R. Brown, Night Watchman ............................... Somerville.
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R. J. Taylor, Elevator (east wing) .............................. Boston.
J. Albert Roberts, Document Room ............................... Danvers Centre.
Mrs. Atwell, Telegraph Operator ............................... Boston.

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James Sidwell, Assistant Doorkeeper .......................... East Boston.
Charles H. Marsh, Messenger .................................. Hingham.
Wm. H. Whiting .................................................... Pittsfield.
James E. Armstrong .............................................. Chelsea.
Joseph Halstrick, Jr. ............................................. Boston.
Charles W. Parker ................................................ West Acton.
Alfred D. Wise ..................................................... Boston.
Henry Finan, Page ................................................ Charlestown.
Herbert E. Stevens, Page ......................................... Brockton.

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John Kinnear, Assistant Doorkeeper .......................... Cambridge.
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Ezra T. Pope ....................................................... Sandwich.
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Joseph Comuton ................................................... Boston.
Charles D. Ufford ................................................ Springfield.
Charles H. Smith ................................................ Dover.
Henry W. Sykes ................................................... Sheffield.
Charles R. Ayer .................................................. Methuen.
James Beatty ....................................................... Waltham.
Benjamin B. Brown ............................................... Fall River.
Thomas Coyne ...................................................... Milford.

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Sidney Gardner, "
Wilfred B. Tyler, Page
H. V. Lawrence, Page

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Colonel Morgan Rotch
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Lynn.
New Bedford.
Worcester.

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Charles W. Hastings ..........................

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Amos H. Fairbanks .......................... Clerk.
Alice S. Roberts ..........................
Julia M. M. Starbuck ..........................
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Jos. W. White ..........................

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STATE HOUSE DIRECTORY.

DEPARTMENT OF IN-DOOR POOR.

Basement, West wing.

Central Office.

Stephen C. Wrightington, Superintendent.

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DEPARTMENT OF OUT-DOOR POOR.

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Harbor and Land.
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Insurance, Fire.
" Life.
Inland Fisheries.
Insane Hospital, Westborough.
Laws and Resolves.
Labor Statistics.
Lunacy and Charity, Board of.
Lunatic Hospital, Danvers.
" " Northampton.
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Miss Maria C. Smith ........................................... Assistant.
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SERGEANT-AT-ARMS' DEPARTMENT.

James N. Tolman, Messenger in Charge.

George C. Clapp ................................................ Assistant Messenger.
J. Albert Roberts ............................................... Assistant Messenger.

DOCUMENTS.

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Amherst College, Trustees' Report............................
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  " Petitions.
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Mrs. Atwell, Operator . . . . . 65 Hancock Street.

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Second Floor, East wing.

JAMES J. MAHONEY in charge.

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STATE HOUSE DIRECTORY.

HOUSE MESSENGERS' ROOM.
Second Floor, West wing.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.
Second Floor, East wing.

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John Kinnear . . . . . . . . . . . . Assist't Doorkeeper.
J. J. Mahoney . . . . . . . . . . . . Postmaster.

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Third Floor, West wing.

Charles J. Noyes, Speaker.

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H. D. Coolidge . . . . . . . . . . . . Assistant Clerk.
S. W. Edgell . . . . . . . . . . . . Doorkeeper.
Joseph Sidwell . . . . . . . . . . . . Assist't Doorkeeper.
Charles N. Marsh . . . . . . . . . . . . Messenger.

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Third Floor, East wing.

SENATE ANTEROOM.

Halsey J. Boardman, President.

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Third Floor, East wing.

**Senate Anteroom.**

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Henry D. Coolidge, *Assistant Clerk*

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13 Beacon Street.

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Charles H. Walcott  
Bernard F. Supple, *Clerk*

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Frank H. Drown, ............................................... Mattapan.
Clarence Dow, .................................................. Somerville.
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Robert T. Swan, ............................................... Dorchester.
Albert E. Taylor, Messenger .................................. Roxbury.
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Annies L. Flynn, ............................................... Cambridgeport.
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STATE HOUSE DIRECTORY.

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The corner stone was laid July 4, 1795, by Governor Samuel Adams, assisted by Paul Revere, Master of the Grand Lodge of Masons. The stone was drawn to the spot by fifteen white horses, representing the number of States of the Union at that time. The building is 173 feet front; the height, including dome, is 110 feet; and the foundation is about that height above the waters of the bay. The dome is 53 feet in diameter, and 35 feet high.

Extensive improvements, including a "new part," extending backward upon Mount Vernon Street, were made, chiefly under the direction of a commission, in the years 1853, 1854, 1855, and 1856.

Under a resolve of 1866, a commission was appointed to inquire and report concerning the whole subject of remodeling or rebuilding the State House. They reported three propositions, without deciding in favor of either. The first was a plan of remodeling, at an expense of $375,430; the second a plan of remodeling, at an expense of $759,872; and the third a plan for a new building, at an expense of $2,042,574. The report of the commission was referred to the committee on the State House of the session of 1867, who recommended a plan of alterations at the estimated expense of $150,000; and by resolve No. 84 of that year the work was ordered to be executed under the supervision of a commission consisting of the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, who were authorized by the same resolve to expend $150,000, and by a subsequent resolve, $20,000 in addition. The President of the Senate died on the 29th of October, and thereafter the work was continued by the surviving commissioner.

The work was commenced on the second day of July, and was so nearly completed, so far as the conveniences for the legislative department were concerned, that both branches of the General Court met on the first day of January, and continued their sessions substantially without interruption. The improvements consist of an almost entire reconstruction of the interior of the building, except the "new part" before referred to as having been added from 1853 to 1856, whereby waste spaces are economized, the access to the several parts of the building simplified and made much more convenient, additional height and commodiousness given to a large part of the rooms, and a net gain of more than thirty rooms secured without extending the exterior walls of the building. Including the extension of the old, as well as the construction of the additional rooms,
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the contents of these apartments have been increased from about 103,000 to about 265,000 cubic feet,—a net gain of 162,000 cubic feet.

The exterior improvements consist principally in the removal of a large number of supernumerary chimneys, and other excrescences, which had marred and concealed the original well-approved architectural proportions of the State House. Two new galleries were added to the Representatives' Hall; and its finish, as also that of the Senate Chamber, was much improved, while their general outline was retained. The Council Chamber, with the exception of the ceiling, which was frescoed, remains with its ancient finish unchanged. The Governor's room was enlarged laterally, and additional height was also added by absorbing into it the old "green room," which was directly above. A new "green room," a spacious hall, elegantly finished, and well lighted and ventilated, fifty-six by thirty-seven feet has been constructed. The ceiling of the Doric Hall was raised two feet, and finished in panels; and its floor, and also those of the corridors on either side of it, were laid with marble tile. Improvements were made in the basement story, which entirely changed its character and utilized its waste places. Openings were made in both wings between the main building and the addition, by which spacious corridors were secured, leading directly from the Mount Vernon street entrance, which by branch corridors are connected with each other, and give easy access to every part of the basement. The floors of the corridors in this story are also laid with marble tile. The whole is heated by steam. Warm fresh hydrated air for ventilation is supplied, to every room by a fan propelled by a steam engine; and the same engine runs an exhaust-fan for removing the foul air from the halls and some of the principal rooms. A steam pump forces water to the upper part of the building through large pipes, to which there is attached in the several stories more than a thousand feet of rubber hose, by which every room may be reached in case of fire. In addition to this precaution against fire, there is a steam pipe leading to the dome, by means of which a fire there may be almost instantly extinguished.

These improvements were executed from the plans of the architects, Washburn & Son, and under their direct and constant supervision. Cost, including furniture, about $250,000.

The legislature of 1868 made provision for reseating the Senate Chamber and the Hall of the House, which improvements were made under the supervision of legislative committees, in season for the accommodation of the legislature of 1869, at a cost of about $6,600.

By Resolve Chap. 68 of the year 1881, the sum of $45,000 was authorized to be expended for improving the basement of the State House, in accordance with plans submitted by the joint standing committee on the State House. The work was begun soon after the regular session of 1881, and was carried on under the supervision of the commissioners on the State House, consisting of Oreb F. Mitchell, Sergeant-at-Arms, Hon. Daniel A. Gleason, Treasurer and Receiver-General, and Hon. Henry B. Peirce, Secretary of State, assisted by John W. Leighton and Asa H. Caton, both of Boston, and appointed, under the resolve referred to, by the Governor and Council. Under the plans the floor of the basement was brought down to a common level, that of the old part in the front portion of the building being lowered about three feet. In excavating for this, the drainage was found to be in a very defective condition, the drains being broken and clogged so that the sewage could not run into the cesspools, but spread under the floors, causing discomfort and actual danger
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to all who occupied the building. A complete change in the system of
drainage was found to be necessary, and the old cesspools were given up,
and a connection was made with the main city sewers in Beacon and Tem-
ple streets. The whole equipment of the building for drainage is now of
the most thorough and approved character. By excavating under the
front steps, a large space was gained, which has been utilized for a bar-
ber shop, a kitchen for the new restaurant, a new office for the commis-
sioners of savings banks, and for sundry conveniences for the occupants
of the State House. The room just behind this space, and formerly oc-
cupied by dark closets, passage ways, and the air ducts of the system of
ventilation, has been finished into a commodious and well-lighted restau-
rant, large enough to seat sixty persons at table, and conveniently fitted up
for the purpose, giving a much needed accommodation. The space oc-
cupied by the old kitchen and lunch room, and for other purposes, on the
easterly end, together with the Surgeon-General's old quarters, has been
formed into a commodious suite of rooms for the Deputy Tax Commis-
sioner and his assistants. The rooms formerly occupied by this department,
on the floor above, reverted to the Department of the Secretary of State,
to which they formerly belonged, and by which they were again much
needed. The space in the southwest corner of the basement, formerly
occupied by the Adjutant-General's department for a fire-proof, was re-
modeled and fitted into offices for the department of Public Charities,
and the rooms vacated by this department are used for legislative commit-
tee rooms for which there was pressing need. The room formerly occu-
pied as the private office of the Secretary of the Board of Agriculture,
and that used for passage ways near by, was made into a fire-proof for the
Adjutant-General's department; and the Secretary of the Board of Agri-
culture has been assigned a room on the floor above, the large room
formerly occupied by his department being utilized for additional commit-
tee rooms and offices.
Three large new boilers were put in, adding greatly to the heating
capacity, which increase was imperatively needed, and a complete arrange-
ment for draught and ventilating ducts was secured by the building of a
large new chimney. A place was also secured for storing five hundred
tons of coal, by excavation in the court at the westerly end. New en-
trances were added to the basement, one from Hancock avenue on the
west, and one from Mount Vernon street on the east.
These improvements and repairs add greatly not only to the capacity
and convenience of the building, but also remedy defects that were alike
destructive to comfort and dangerous to life and health. The sum ap-
propriated was somewhat exceeded in doing the work, an excess made
necessary by the unforeseen condition of the drainage, without the re-
modeling of which the work could not proceed; and also by the insecure
foundations in the front part of the basement, which, until the excavations
had proceeded to a considerable extent, seemed to be solid masonry,
but which proved to be only an insufficient wall, wholly unfit for use with
the enlargement contemplated.
Under authority of Chapter 70 of the Resolves of 1885, passenger ele-
vators were erected in the east and west wings of the State House.

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