

JAMES RICHEY.

James Richey was the son of John Richey, a brother of Josias Richey, P. L. S. of Perth. He was born in 1820 in the County of Mayo, Ireland, but came to Canada when a child with his parent's family.

He served his apprenticeship with his uncle, Josias, and received his appointment as a Deputy Provincial Surveyor on March 13th, 1843.

He married Ann Dickson, by whom he had eleven children, of whom the following are now living: Matthew, Jennie and Alexander (born 1865), and the following are dead: John S., James R., Josias, Wm. H., Robert D., Catherine, Tillie and Carrie.

James practised at Pakenham, where he died on April 19th, 1874. A tombstone was erected to his memory in the Pakenham Cemetery.

Note.—Alexander Richey states that his father died when he was about nine years of age (1875), and he is of the opinion that his grandfather's name was Josias, and that he came from the County of Mayo, Ireland.

The genealogy as given in the sketch of Josias Richey by William Richey of Smith Falls is, however, probably more trustworthy.

