



JAMES F. WALSH.  
Greenwich.

James Francis Walsh, of Greenwich, was born in Lewisboro, Westchester County, N. Y., March 15, 1864, a son of James F. and Annie E. Walsh. His boyhood days were spent in Ridgefield, to which place his parents removed shortly after his birth. Educated in the local schools of this latter place, at the age of 18 years Mr. Walsh removed to Greenwich, entering the law office of his brother, the Hon. R. Jay Walsh, as a student. He was admitted to the Bar January 20, 1888, continuing the practice of his profession in partnership with his brother until January, 1890, when he opened an office of his own. He enjoys a large and lucrative practice. He entered public life at a time when Greenwich was changing from a staid New England town to her present self, and is one of a number of the young business and professional men who have done so much to advance the welfare of the town and borough, in the face of the opposition of the older conservatism. He has not only preached—he has practiced. Energetic in his dealings in real estate, as in business, he has succeeded in amassing a competency. He is a Director in, and Treasurer of The Byram Land Improvement Company; a Director in, and Secretary of the Greenwich Gas and Electric Lighting Company; a Director in, and Treasurer of The Riverside Water Company; and a Director in, and Attorney for The National Investment Company. He is also Prosecuting Agent for the County Commissioners which position he has creditably held since 1888; and since the organization of the Borough Court, in 1888, he has been Prosecuting Attorney. On April 11, 1893, Mr. Walsh was married to Emily Gene Tweedale, a lady who has won for herself an *entree* to the hearts of both the rich and poor in the community. He was efficient chairman of the Committee on Railroads.