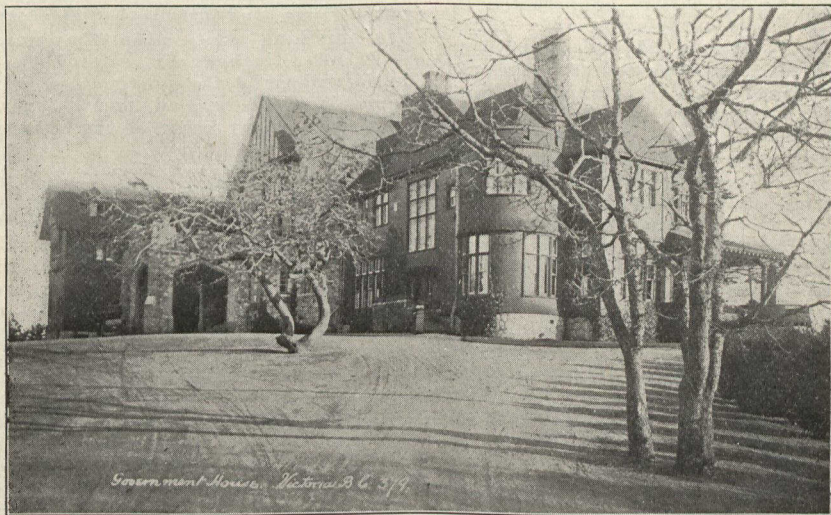


Rev. C. W. Houghton told of the work the Columbia Coast Mission is doing for the men in the logging camps. This mission aims to do for the loggers and fishermen of the Pacific Coast what Dr. Grenfell does in Labrador. It maintains a hospital ship, several hospitals and a staff of doctors and nurses, in addition to the mission staff and endeavors to assist the men in all ways. The need of \$10,000 for the purpose of assisting the medical work of the Columbia Coast Mission, was referred to by Mr. Houghton, who asked that the delegates do what they could towards assisting in the work. The mission, he said, had hospitals on the coast and had the medical boat Columbia well equipped, even with an X-ray appar-

of the Empress Hotel, was a great success, and one of the most imposing social functions in which the Association has been asked to participate.

As the leading lumberman of the province, Mr. John Hendry occupied the chair, and Mr. A. C. Flumerfelt, chairman of the provincial committee of arrangements, acted as toastmaster. Covers were laid for two hundred, and nearly every place was occupied, there being in fact 199 present. Owing to the large number of distinguished gentlemen present,—privy councillors, senators, members of provincial cabinets, administrators, etc.,—the speakers only were seated at the head table. On the right of the chairman were Sir Richard McBride, Hon. W. A. Charlton, M.P.; Mr. E. T. Allen,



Government House, Victoria, B.C., where the Delegates to the Convention were entertained on Thursday Afternoon.

atus. At Rock Bay, he told the delegates, 45 lives had been saved through the agency of the mission hospital.

The Garden Party.

The convention adjourned at four o'clock to allow the delegates to attend the garden party at Government House given by His Honor the Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Paterson. The weather was most suitable, and a very pleasant hour was spent by the company in the beautiful grounds of the gubernatorial residence.

The Banquet.

The banquet tendered the delegates by the lumbermen, with citizens of British Columbia, in the magnificent dining-room

of Portland, Ore.; Mr. R. H. Campbell, Dominion director of forestry; Mr. C. H. Lugin, editor of the Colonist, and Mr. A. C. Flumerfelt. To his left were Mr. Justice Duff, Hon. C. H. Campbell (Manitoba), Mr. G. H. Barnard, M.P., Hon. J. K. Flemming, premier of New Brunswick, Mr. William McNeill, Vancouver, director of the Canadian Lumbermen's Association, and Hon. W. R. Ross, Minister of Lands.

The dinner was most elaborate; there were eleven speeches on the toast list, yet the service was so good and the speaking so much to the point that the last guest was out of the banquetting hall half an hour after midnight. It was noted on all hands that the speaking was of a very high order.

THE DOMINION OF CANADA.

The toast of 'The King' having been loyally honored, Mr. Justice L. P. Duff, of