Acting-Collector, Col. C. A. Worsnop, who for the past two years has been acting as collector on a surveyor's pay and who for years previously had been by universal acknowledgement the real executive brain of the Port of Vancouver. The following resolution was unanimously endorsed:-

"Resolved that the Vancouver Customs Association go on record as strongly protesting against the action of those responsible for the failure to appoint an executive officer from within the service to the collectorship of customs for the Port of Vancouver.

For the purpose of bringing about a closer affiliation between the various branches of the service a delegation from the Amalgamated Postal Workers attended the meeting and outlined a plan, which embodies the idea of having some sort of council at Ottawa on a salary basis to watch the Civil Service Commission in the interests of the civil servants. It was felt that the Commission is now the big thing and is being used by the Government and

ship of Hamilton can hardly be truly expressed in words. Since the earliest days of organization. "Bob" Colvin has been in the front rank and is full of interesting stories of the events of the pioneer days in association work. The accompanying cut of the president is the only one on hand, but it is certain that "Bob" is too big a man to feel slighted at a small appearing photograph when he knows of the warmth of the congratulations showered upon him.

## CSFC-RECOMMEND NEW KIND OF CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

A new kind of Civil Service Commission, to be composed of representatives of administrative officials, the employees, and the outside public, with at least two women members, is one recommendation made recently by the Advisory Committee on Employment Policies to the Joint Congressional Commission on Reclassification of the Civil Service.

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the Department as a convenient "goat" upon which to put the blame for questionable acts. The plan suggested was given only as a "germ" and the Vancouver Customs Association promised to consider the matter at some special meeting in the near future.

The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows:-

President, H. J. Horner; vice-president, N. J. DeGraves; sec.-Treas., C. Cocker; executive, R. Adam, R. Maxwell, W. V. T. Green, Jas. Ker, W. J. Bartlett, G. H. Sweet, D. C. Darrach, F. Farrington, R. N. Hopkins, Jas. Mulvaney, J. A. Wood, R. A. MacLachlan, G. B. Bamber.

Exactly half of the officers and executive are returned men of whom nearly all were Customs employees before enlisting.

## Congratulations

The pleasure of all members of the D. C. A., at the news of the promotion of president Robert Colvin to the Collector-



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