COPE, FRANK, Mayor of Vancouver
Merchant, resident four years (41923-4); License Commissioner (41938-9); license law satisfactory; inspection carried out; Sunday closing observed; Indians given liquor by outsiders, not licensees (41940-55, 41973-83); Scott and Dunkin Acts unsatisfactory in operation (41956-61; 41964; 41984); anti prohibition (41962-72); favours compensation (41985).
DEVINE, JOHN, of Vancouver, Agent
Collector in Province seven years; License Commissioner (42712-7); license law enforced would make fine city; not enforced; liquor sold in restaurants Sundays and week days; fears increase of licenses; hotels preferable to saloons; favours regular hours for closing (42718-40, 42771-85); License Inspectors' duties not performed (42741-6); favours prohibition; impracticable at present; compensation dependent on circumstances (42749-57).
HAMMERSLEY, ALFRED ST. GEORGE, of VancouverPage 654
Barrister and City Solicitor, resident four and a half years (42876-7); license laws in Australia and New Zealand much the same as here; preferred to local option (42880-93): Sunday law beneficial though violated (42894-6); suggests severe punishment for habitual drunkards (42897-9); prohibition impracticable, failed in New Zealand, produces smuggling; favours compensation (42905-16); licenses in Australia and New Zealand require consent of community; annual application; are granted hotels only; carry no vested right (42917-30).
JACK, W. D. BRYDONE, M.D., of Vancouver
Resident three years (42838-40); license law satisfactory, though violated (42843-7); favours prohibition, next license; compensation or time (42848-52); Sunday drinking, social evil and liquor (42853-5); abstinence conduces to best health; drinking hereditary; enforced prohibition would prove beneficial; abstainers and insurance (42856-7).
JORDAN, GEORGE A., of Vancouver
Police Magistrate, appointed by Provincial Government (42024-9); community law-abiding; Chinese and liquor (42030-6); liquor and crime (42038-9; 42062-70); law well observed; Sunday selling; prosecutions; no illicit selling; police enforce law; insufficient (42041-51; 42071-2); Scott Act failed in County of Victoria; repealed (420527; 42073-4); prohibition impracticable; facilities for smuggling and illicit distilling; favours compensation (42058-61; 42075-96); law broken, disastrous; fault of officials (42097-103).
McLEOD, MURDOCK G., of Vancouver
License Inspector, Jailor, and Clerk of Police Court; resident four years; official duties (42178-84; 42214-20); bars closed Sundays; no illicit selling, unless in fancy houses (42185-95; 42211-3; 42221-39; 42246-8); Scott Act in Bruce, Ontario, failed to prohibit; was repealed (42196-203); prohibition impracticable in British Columbia on account of facilities for smuggling, and illicit distilling; favours compensation (42204-10); crime and liquor (42240-5).
McGUIGAN, THOMAS F., of Vancouver
City Clerk; in Province eight years (41986-90); license law works fairly; strict Sunday closing (41994-5); prohibition impracticable (41996-9; 42013); liquor under permit in North-west Territories; on Canadian Pacific Railway construction under prohibition; smuggling in every shape from all quarters (42000-12; 42015-21; favours compensation (42014): too many licenses (42023).