

make Vancouver his home and both his heart and his treasure are now located there permanently.

Wolfenden, Richard Lt.-Col., (Victoria), was born in Rathwell, Yorkshire, Eng., on 20th March, 1836, and is the third son of the late Robert Wolfenden, esq. Col. Wolfenden was educated at Arkholme and Kirkby Lonsdale, Westmoreland, Eng., and at the age of fourteen entered the printing office of the late John Foster, of Kirkby Lonsdale. In 1855 Col. Wolfenden joined the Royal engineers and acted as an instructor of musketry from 1856 to 1858, when he volunteered for service in British Columbia, under Col. Moody, R.E. In 1859 he arrived at the camp at New Westminster and was employed as accountant in the Lands and Works Department from the date of his arrival till 1862. In 1860 in addition to other duties Col. Wolfenden established the present Government printing office and in 1863 was appointed (on the disbanding of the Royal engineers) superintendent of printing, which position he has filled ever since. He was one of the first to join the volunteer movement in British Columbia and received his commission as ensign and adjutant in the New Westminster rifle volunteers on their enrollment in 1864, which appointment he held until his resignation in 1868 on his removal to Victoria, the capital of the newly-made colony of British Columbia. In 1858 Col. Wolfenden joined the Victoria rifles and received his commission as ensign (No. 1 company) on the enrollment of the active militia of the Province (after the Confederation) in 1874. He was appointed lieutenant in 1876, captain in 1878, captain and adjutant of the British Columbia garrison artillery in 1883, major in 1885, lieutenant-colonel in 1886 and retired, retaining rank, in 1888. Col. Wolfenden is a member of the board of school trustees, of which he is secretary, is president of the Victoria rifle association and vice-president of the Provincial rifle association. He is a member of the Victoria club and the order of United Workmen, and is an adherent of the Church of England. He has been twice married; in 1865 to Kate, daughter of the late George Corby, esq., of Canterbury, England, and in 1879 to Felicite, daughter of the late John Bayley, Esq., of Victoria. Col. Wolfenden is the oldest member of the civil service of British Columbia, having served under the Governors Douglas, Seymour and Musgrave before confederation and since