

breeder of thorough-bred stock. Has been Presdt. of the Agricultural Soc., B.C. First returned to Parlt. at last g.e. A Liberal Conservative, and a Ministerialist.—*North Saanich B.C.*

ORR, JAMES. (*New Westminster Dist.*)

Youngest s. of the Rev. Dean Orr, and grand-s. of John Orr, of Toxtethe Park, Liverpool, Eng. B. in Liverpool 23 April 1826, and was brought to America when about six years of age. Ed. in the U.S. and in Ontario. Unmarried. Is Clerk Assessor and Collector, and Clerk of the Police Court for New Westminster. Made explorations for the Crown Colony Govt. in 1865, and was the first to report on the fitness of the North Thompson and Fraser River Valleys for a railway. Was a Deputy Paymaster of the C.P.R. for three seasons, and was for a time in charge of a Fishery on Queen Charlotte Island. Served in the L.C. of B.C. in 1863 and 1864. Was an unsuccessful candidate for present seat at g.e. 1878. Elected at last g.e. An Independent.—*New Westminster, B.C.*

POOLEY, CHARLES EDWARD. (*Esquimault.*)

Is a Barrister-at-Law, and practices in Victoria. First returned to Parlt. at last g.e. A Conservative, and a Ministerialist.—*"Fernhill," Esquimault; Union Club.*

RAYBOULD, WILLIAM, J.P. (*Nanaimo.*)

Is a merchant. First returned to Parlt. at last g.e. A Conservative, and a Ministerialist.—*Front Street, Nanaimo.*

ROBSON, Hon. JOHN, J.P. (*New Westminster Dist.*)

S. of the late Mr. John Robson, of Sarnia, Ont., a native of Scot., who emigrated to Can., 1820, and settled in Lanark, Ont., by Euphemia Richardson. B. at Perth, Ont., 14 March 1824. Ed. at the Grammar School there. M., April 1854, Susan, fourth dau. of Capt. John Longworth, of Goderich, Ont. Is Editor and Publisher of the "*British Columbian*" newspaper. A Lieutenant in the "Home Guards," Rifle Volunteers, and a J.P. for B.C. Was Mayor of New Westminster in 1866. Was Paymaster of the Canadian Pacific Railway in B.C. from 1875 to 1879, when the position was abolished. Sat for New Westminster Dist., in L.C. of B.C. from 1866 to 1870 and for Nanaimo from 1871 to 1875. Being