

18. That it is relevant to say here that the deal later made with the Sterling Industrial Corporation by the Beauharnois syndicate out of which Senator McDougald and R. A. C. Henry have reaped substantial personal gain, also depended upon the approval of the Dominion Government *of etc*
19. On the 15th, January, 1929, the Dominion Government heard the Beauharnois application.
20. A committee of Government engineers was set up to examine the proposals of Beauharnois. Their scheme was modified and corrected in certain respects. There was a great deal of contention which the Beauharnois promoters had to meet and if possible overcome.
21. Finally, on the 8th March, 1929, the Order in Council of approval of the Project was signed and became effective, subject to twenty-eight conditions with which the Beauharnois promoters would have to comply to the satisfaction of the Dominion Government.
22. Modified plans were subsequently submitted to the Governments Departments. These, the reports of the Special Committee of the House of Commons, says did not receive necessary government approval.
23. On the 25th June, 1929, agreement was entered into between Beauharnois and the Dominion Government incorporating the terms of the Order in Council P.C. 422.
24. On November 6th, 1929, the Dominion Government passed Orders in Council authorizing transfer to Beauharnois of three water power leases from the Montreal Cotton Company.
25. On December 5th, 1929, the Quebec Government passed an Order in Council authorizing diversion of 13,072 cubic feet per second by Beauharnois in addition to its 40,000 feet.
26. It is to be noted here that all these dealings