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7. It is further agreed that nothing herein contained is to limit or preclude the parties to this reference, submitting such further and other questions or matters to the said arbitrators, as may be mutually agreed upon between the parties hereto.

MONTREAL, 10th April, 1893.

Counsel recommend for adoption.

D. GIROUARD,

Counsel for Quebec.

W. D. HOGG,

Counsel for Dominion of Canada.

ÆMILIUS IRVING,

Counsel for Ontario.

COPY of a report of a Committee of the Honourable the Executive Council, dated 13th April, 1893, approved by the Administrator of the Province on the 13th April, 1893.

In connection with the arbitration proposed between the Dominion and the provinces of Ontario and Quebec.

The Honourable the Treasurer of the province in a report dated the thirteenth of April, instant, 1893, sets forth: That in connection with the arbitration proposed between the Dominion and the provinces of Ontario and Quebec, jointly and separately, and between the two provinces, the following has been submitted by Counsel, acting on behalf of the Dominion and the provinces:

FIRST AGREEMENT OF SUBMISSION.

“Agreement made on behalf of the Government of Canada of the first part, the Government of Ontario of the second part, and the Government of Quebec of the third part.”

(Identical with the agreement set forth in full at page xv.)

The Honourable the Treasurer recommends that the same be adopted and concurred in as the first deed of submission to said arbitrators, and that the said subject matters be referred to the said arbitrators for their decision and award, subject to the approval by the Dominion Government and that of Ontario.

And the Honourable the Treasurer further recommends that a copy of this be sent to the Secretary of State for Canada and the Lieutenant-Governor of the province of Ontario.

Certified,

GUSTAVE GRENIER,

Clerk, Executive Council.

COPY of an Order in Council, approved by His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario the 15th day of April, A.D. 1893.

Upon the recommendation of the Honourable the Treasurer, the Committee of Council advise that the annexed document in connection with the arbitration proposed between the Dominion of Canada and the provinces of Ontario and Quebec, jointly and separately, and between the two provinces, submitted by Counsel acting on behalf of the Dominion and provinces, be adopted and concurred in as the first deed of submission to the arbitrators and that the subject matters therein mentioned be referred to the said arbitrators for their decision and award, subject to the approval of the Dominion Government and that of Quebec.

The Committee further advise that a copy of this order be sent to the Secretary of State for Canada, and the Lieutenant-Governor of the province of Quebec.

Certified,

J. LONSDALE CAPREOL,

Asst. Clerk Executive Council.

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