FRIDAY, 24th July, 1891.

The Committee met at 10 a.m.

PRESENT:

Messieurs Girouard, Chairman,

Moncreiff, Fraser, Amyot, German, Mulock, Beausoleil, Cameron (Huron), Kirkpatrick, Ouimet, Pelletier, Choquette, Langelier, Coatsworth, Lavergne, Tarte, Thompson (Sir John), Masson, Davies, McDonald (Victoria), Tupper, Desaulniers,

Desjardins (L'Islet), McLeod, Weldon, Edgar, Mills (Bothwell), Wood (Brockville).—29. Flint,

The Minutes of yesterday were reed and confirmed.

At the request of Mr. Osler, Q.C., it was

Ordered, That a summons be issued for the attendance of George E. Perley,

Kingston, on Wednesday next.

The examination in chief of Mr. R. H. McGreevy, sen., was resumed and concluded. During his examination three letters were filed and marked as Exhibits "E13," "F13" and "G13," and also copies (10) of records from Superior Court, Quebec, in Thomas McGreevy vs. Robert Henry McGreevy, marked as Exhibits "H13" to "Q13," inclusive. The cross examination of Mr. McGreevy was then begun by Mr. Stuart, Q.C., during which the following Exhibits were filed: "R13," Blotter from 1st September, 1889; "S13," Loose sheet of blotter from 10th June to 23rd July, 1887; "T13," Loose sheet of blotter from 7th January, 1887, to 2nd May, 1889; "U13," Journal; "V13," Ledger.

Ordered, That Mr. McGreevy make further search for the blotters from 1883

to 1887.

Mr. McGreevy being asked why he had not complied with the order of the Committee of the 7th instant, requiring the production of all his books and papers, read a statement giving reasons why the said books and papers should not be open to the inspection of the whole Committee. (For statement See page 655 of the Evidence.)

Resolved, That Mr. R. H. McGreevy produce all diaries and papers in his possession before the Sub-Committee for their inspection.

At 1 o'clock the Committee took recess.

3.30 o'clock P.M.

The cross-examination of Mr. McGreevy was resumed. A copy of the judgment of the Superior Court in the case of Thomas McGreevy vs. Robert H. McGreevy was filed and marked Exhibit "W13."

Mr. J. B. Williams, C.E., Quebec, was sworn and examined as to the alleged proposition, made in 1885, to appoint him Resident Engineer at Esquimalt. Mr. Williams was then discharged from further attendance.

Resolved, That Mr. Alan MacDougall, C.E., of Toronto, be appointed as associate Engineer with Mr. Jennings, C.E., in the work referred to him by this Committee.

Ordered, That the Clerk do telegraph to the General Managers of the Quebec Bank, and of La Banque Nationale, requiring them to prepare for the use of the Committee a statement of the account of Hon. Thomas McGreevy at their respective banks from 1882 to date.

The Committee then adjourned till Tuesday next at 10 a.m.

Attest.

WALTER TODD, Clerk of the Committee.