

DOMINION OF CANADA,  
PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA. }

TO WIT:

IN THE MATTER of the Pecuniary Claims, Commission  
and the Memorial of His Britannic Majesty's Government  
in support of the claim in respect to the "Favourite."

I, JAMES HILL LAWSON, of the City of Victoria, in the  
Province of British Columbia, do solemnly and sincerely declare as  
follows:—

1. I have read over the Memorial of His Britannic Majesty's  
Government in support of the claim of the "Favourite," now pro-  
duced and marked as Exhibit "A" to this, my declaration.

2. I say that the facts stated in regard to the registration of  
the "Favourite" in paragraph one of said Memorial are true, and  
I believe Laughlin McLean, therein referred to, was always a Brit-  
ish subject.

3. The facts stated in Paragraphs 2 to 9, inclusive, of said  
Memorial are true in substance and in fact.

4. The statement in Paragraph 10 of said Memorial is true,  
as I am informed and do verily believe. The source of my informa-  
tion is as follows: The said ship's original Articles for the said  
voyage.

5. The facts stated in Paragraphs 22, 24, 26 and 27 of said  
Memorial are true.

AND I make this solemn declaration conscientiously, believing  
it to be true, and knowing that it is of the same force and effect  
as if made under oath and by virtue of the "Canada Evidence Act."

DECLARED before me at the City  
of Victoria, in the Province of  
British Columbia, this 28th day of  
December, A. D. 1912. }

J. H. LAWSON.

H. G. S. HEISTERMAN,

A Notary Public in and for the Province of British Columbia.

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