

BAIE DES CHALEURS RAILWAY CO.

The facts relating to a portion of this road, viz.
60th to 80th mile, known as
Hogan's contract.

The fact of my having taken a contract from the above Company resulting in the loss of a year of my time, and injury to my reputation as a contractor, (which is unavoidable, while I am obliged to be around or in any way identified with such a concern)—and for me the most serious of all—the fact, that I induced, in perfectly good faith my particular friend, Mr. Macdonell, to join me with his money and personal services in the contract, and that he did so on my simple word that the transaction was all right, and, without any investigation on his part, placed to my credit (20th July, 1891,) for this work in the Bank of Nova Scotia, Montreal, \$75,000, being his share of \$150,000 placed there that day for the purpose of this contract, and that he has continued ever since to furnish his share as money was required until over \$100,000 of his money is tied up against which he