

APPENDIX No. 3

No. 50.—Opinion of Sir A. Lacoste, K.C., *re* Classification.

No. 51.—Opinion of Mr. S. Beaudin, K.C., *re* Classification.

The committee adjourned till to-morrow at 11 o'clock a.m.

Attest,

VICTOR GEOFFRION,
Chairman.

WALTER TODD,
Clerk.

WEDNESDAY, March 16, 1910.

The committee met at 11 o'clock a.m.

PRESENT:—Messrs. Geoffrion (chairman); Macdonald, Clarke (Essex), and Wilson (Laval)—4.

The examination of Mr. Lumsden by Mr. Smith, K.C., was continued:

The following exhibits were filed, *viz.*:

No. 52.—Opinion of Donald Macmaster, K.C., on specifications.

No. 53.—Opinion of Wallace Nesbitt, K.C., on specifications.

The committee adjourned till to-morrow at 3.30 o'clock, p.m.

Attest,

VICTOR GEOFFRION,
Chairman.

WALTER TODD,
Clerk.

THURSDAY, March 17, 1910.

The committee met at 3.30 o'clock p.m.

PRESENT:—Messrs. Geoffrion (Chairman), Macdonald, Clarke (Essex), and Wilson (Laval)—4.

Mr. Lumsden's examination by Mr. Smith, K.C., was continued.

The follow Exhibits were filed, *viz.*:—

No. 54 Letter February 20, 1908—H. A. Woods to H. D. Lumsden.

“ 55 Letter January 14, 1908—H. D. Lumsden to A. E. Doucet.

“ 56 Letter May 15, 1908—H. D. Lumsden to H. A. Woods.

“ 57 Extract from Minutes of meeting of Commissioners at Ottawa on July 14, 1909.

“ 58 Blue print showing sketch where boulders exist.

At the suggestion of Mr. Macdonald the Clerk, Mr. Todd, made a statement explanatory of the circumstances under which the words 'and reported to the House' were omitted from the Second Report of the committee presented to the House on the 22nd February last, though such words were included in the motion of Mr. Lennox as agreed to on that day, and on which the said Report was based. (For this statement *see* page 302 of the Evidence.)

Mr. Macdonald moved that the committee, in pursuance of the power to report from time to time conferred upon them by the Order of Reference, do consider the question of making a Report to the House, submitting their Proceedings to date, and that the clerk be directed to prepare the said Report and submit the same to the committee for its approval, which was agreed to.

The committee adjourned till to-morrow at 11 o'clock a.m.

Attest,

VICTOR GEOFFRION,
Chairman.

WALTER TODD,
Clerk.