

THURSDAY, 13th August, 1891.

The Committee met at 10.30 a.m.

PRESENT :

Messieurs Girouard, Chairman.

Adams,	Desaulniers,	McLeod,
Amyot,	Desjardins (<i>L'Islet</i>),	Mills (<i>Bothwell</i>),
Baker,	Dickey,	Moncrieff,
Beausoleil,	Flint,	Mulock,
Chapleau	Fraser,	Quimet,
Choquette,	German,	Tarte,
Coatsworth,	Ives,	Thompson (<i>Sir John</i>),
Costigan,	Kirkpatrick,	Tupper,
Curran,	Lavergne,	Weldon.—32
Daly,	Masson,	
Davies,	McDonald (<i>Victoria</i>),	

The Minutes of Wednesday were read and confirmed.

The Chairman presented the Eighth Report of the Sub-Committee appointed to examine the books of account, &c., recommending that the sum of \$100 be given to Martin P. Connolly, and \$10 to H. J. Chaloner for services rendered to the Committee, which was read.

Mr. Tarte made a statement respecting the charge against the Minister of Public Works as contained in paragraph 63 of the Order of Reference. (For statement, *see* page 1134 of the Evidence).

The cross-examination of Sir Hector Langevin was resumed and concluded, he was then discharged from further attendance, subject to recall if required.

Mr. Chaloner having objected to the sum recommended by the Sub-Committee to be paid him for his services, as being insufficient, it was

Moved by Mr. Amyot, That the Report of the Sub-Committee be amended by increasing the amount to be paid to Mr. Chaloner to \$25, and that the Report, as amended, be adopted. Motion agreed to.

Ordered, That Mr. Chaloner and Mr. St. George Boswell be discharged from further attendance.

Mr. Boswell having made a claim for remuneration for services rendered, it was

Ordered, That the claim of Mr. Boswell for remuneration be referred to the Sub-Committee.

Mr. L. J. Archambault, Q.C., Montreal, was sworn and examined, and discharged from further attendance.

Dr. J. A. Rodier, Montreal, was sworn and examined, and discharged from further attendance.

Committee then adjourned till to-morrow at 10.30 a.m.

Attest.

WALTER TODD,
Clerk of Committee.