## HARBOUR COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE.

QUEBEC, April 14th, 1896.

Honorable

JOHN COSTIGAN, M. P.,

Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

Ottawa.

SIR,

The Quebec Harbour Commissioners, at their meeting this day, 14th April, 1896, acting as Pilotage Authority, call attention to the great necessity of a Gas Buoy being placed on the shoulder at the Bank of St. Thomas, Montmagny, where a wooden buoy has, for all times, been placed as a danger signal, there now being a spare Gas Buoy on hand in Quebec. The Commissioners urge its use at the place named.

The Commissioners also renew their application for a Light and Fog Signal at Barnaby Island, the importance thereof being great.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant.

JAS. WOODS.

Secretary-Treasurer.