Form of submission.

said board and the parties making the submission; and any such submission shall be according to the form set forth in the schedule to this Act, or in words to the same effect.

Members to be sworn.

19. The several members of the said Board of Arbitration shall, before they act as such, take and subscribe before the President or Vice-President of the said corporation, an oath they they will faithfully, impartially and diligently, perform their duties as members of the said Board of Arbitration, and this oath shall be kept among the documents of the said corporation.

Members of

20. Any member of the council of the said corporation may 10 be arbitrators, at the same time be a member of the said Board of Arbitration.

Powers for hearing cases.

21. The three members appointed to hear any case submitted for arbitration, as aforesaid, or any two of them, shall have full power to examine upon oath (which oath any one of such three members is hereby empowered to administer) any party or wit- 15 ness, who, appearing voluntarily before them, shall be willing to be so examined, and shall give their award thereupon in writing, and their decision, or that of any two of them, given in such award, shall bind the parties according to the terms of the submission and the provisions of this Act. 20

Award,

Power to an

examiners of inspectors,

22. From and after the passing of this Act, it shall be lawful point board of for the council of the said corporation to appoint five persons to constitute a Board of Examiners for the Town of Chatham, for the year commencing on the first day of September then next, and ending on thirty-first day of August following, to examine 25 applicants for the office of inspector of flour and meal, or of any other article subject to inspection, and for the said council to do all such other acts, matters and things, connected with the inspection of flour and meal or any other article, and have as full power and be subject to the same conditions as those conferred 30 upon and required of the councils of the Boards of Trade, by virtue of the Act chapter forty-seven of the Consolidated Statutes of

> of Canada; and the said examiners and inspector shall also be subject to all the conditions, requirements, oaths, matters and

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things (touching their offices) set forth in the said Act.

Oaths and affirmation.

23. Any person who may by law, in other cases, make a solemn affirmation, instead of taking an oath, may make such solemn affirmation in any case where by this Act an oath is required; and any person hereby authorized to administer an oath may in such case as aforesaid, administer such solemn affirmation; 40 and any person who shall wilfully swear or affirm falsely, in any case where an oath or solemn affirmation is required or authorized by this Act, shall be guilty of wilful perjury.

Her Majesty's rights saved.

24. Nothing in this Act shall affect any rights of Her Majesty, Her Heirs or Successors, or of any party or person whomsoever, 45 such rights only excepted as are herein expressly mentioned and affected.