The Provincial Notes amounting to \$493,333.33, which are in course of preparation, will be delivered to you in the course of a few days; they will bear interest at five per eent. from this date, (11th December).

I have the honor to be, Sir, your most obedient serv ant,

(Signed.)

J. Morris, R. G.

To C. J. Smith, Esq.,

Acting Manager, Bank B. N. America, Quebec.

[No. 761.]

RECEIVER GENERAL'S OFFICE, Quebec, Dec. 22, 1862.

SIR,-I have the honor, by direction of the Receiver General, to transmit you Provincial Notes to the amount of Five hundred thousand dollars, (\$500,000) dated 11th instant, and numbered as follows:

> Nos. 0501 @ 1000 A=500 × 500 \$250,000 " 0501 (a) 1000 B=500 × 500 \$250,000

They are payable twelve months after date, and bear interest at Five per cent per

annum from the 11th.

I enclose also the Receiver General's cheque on your Bank for \$493,333.33 in payment of exchange on London received from you for £100,000 sterling, at 11 per cent. premium.

I request a certificate of Deposit for \$500,000,—and have the honor to be, Sir, Your obedient servant,

(Signed,)

T. D. HARINGTON,

D. R. G.

C. P. Smith, Esq., Manager, Bank B. N. America. Quebec.

> BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA Quebec, December 22nd, 1862.

Received this day from the Receiver General, one thousand Notes of the Government of Canada, of five hundred dollars each, dated 11th December, 1862, and payable one year after date with five per cent interest.

(Signed.)

C. F. SMITH, Acting Manager.

Mr. Reiffenstein was then further Examined.

[By the Chairman:]

Ques. 14. Will you furnish the Committee with a copy of the letter of Mr. Starnes, acknowledged by the Receiver General's Department on the 3rd day of December last, and also with a copy of the account of the Government with the Ontario Bank during 1862, and up to the present time?

The witness was allowed to send in the answer to this question in writing.

Resolved, That the Chairman cause application to be made for the attendance before the Committee of the Honorable J. Simpson, a Member of the Legislative Council.

Ordered, That the evidence taken before the Committee be printed, from time to time, for the use of the Committee.

Adjourned to call of the Chair.