

CANADA.
 Province of Quebec,
 District of Quebec. }

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, etc.

GREETING :—

By virtue of the Royal Commission, under the Great Seal of the Dominion of Canada, constituting and nominating us, the Honourable Adolphe Basile Routhier, and the Honourable Melbourne M. Tait, Judges of the Superior Court of this province, Commissioners to take evidence as to the truth or falsity of certain charges made against the Honourable Sir Adolphe P. Caron, member of the House of Commons and Government of Canada, and one of Her Majesty's Privy Councillors for the Dominion of Canada, mentioned in the first part of our said Commission, and report to the Honourable the Secretary of State for the Dominion of Canada.

To Dr. Grandbois, member of Parliament for the county of Temiscouata, and A. R. Macdonald, Superintendent on the Intercolonial Railway, both of the town of Fraserville, district of Kamouraska.

We command you, under penalties of the law, to appear before us, in our Court-house, in the city of Quebec, at the place of sitting of said Commission, at half-past ten of the forenoon, on the fourth day of October, next, to give evidence in this affair, and you shall have to be present, day by day, until legally liberated. And we further command you to bring with you, then and there, and produce all agreements, correspondence, papers, vouchers or documents of any kind relating to the sale to J. J. McDonald of an interest in the Temiscouata Railway, or to the payment of the consideration therefor, or to contributions by any person beneficially interested in the subsidies to said railway, for election purposes, to aid in the election to the House of Commons of Sir Adolphe Caron or other members or supporters of the Government of which he was a member.

Given under our Seal, in the city of Quebec, this thirtieth day of September, eighteen hundred and ninety-two.

A. B. ROUTHIER,
 M. M. TAIT,

Commissioners.

I, the undersigned, a sworn Bailiff of the Superior Court for the district of Kamouraska, residing at Fraserville, hereby certify under my oath of office, that on the 1st October, instant, between two and three in the afternoon, I served this original subpœna on A. R. McDonald and P. E. Grandbois, the witnesses elsewhere named, leaving with each of them a duly certified copy thereof, at their respective domiciles at Fraserville, speaking to A. R. McDonald himself, and as to P. E. Grandbois, to a reasonable person of his family at his said domicile, exhibiting to them, there and then, this original.

I certify, moreover, that, in serving this subpœna on the said witnesses, I tendered to each of them a sum of ten dollars to defray their travelling expenses, which they did accept.

Fraserville, 1st October, 1892.

A. T. CHAMBERLAND,
B.S.C.