Edgar versus Caron.

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, as mentioned in the first part of our said Commission, and report to the Honourable the Seeretary of State for the Dominion of Canada.

To Frank Ross, James Geggie and Antoine Bonhomme, all of the city of Quebec, the former, merchants, and James Geggie and Antoine Bonhomme,

accountants.

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 sittings of said Commission, at half-past ten o'clock of the forenoon, on the twenty-third day of September, instant, 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, vouchers, papers, correspondence or books connected with the Quebec and Lake St. John Railway Company, or the construction thereof, or the financing therefor, and also all notes or vouchers, books containing entries relating to payments to or for Sir Adolphe Caron while the late J. G. Ross was connected with the construction of or financing for the said railway, or beneficially interested in the Dominion subsidies thereto.

Given under our Seal, in the city of Quebec, this twenty-second day of

September, eighteen hundred and ninety-two.

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

Commissioners.

I, Adrisse Dion, sworn Bailiff of the Superior Court for the province of Quebec, appointed in and for the district of Quebec, and residing in the city of Quebec, St. Valier street, No. 267, hereby certify under my oath of office, that on the 22nd September, instant, between five and seven in the afternoon, I personally served this subpœna on Frank Ross, Esq., speaking to a reasonable person of his family at his domicile, St. Foy Road, and on James Geggie Ross, speaking to himself at the office of Mr. Ross, in lower town, Quebec, delivering unto them, there, true certified copies hereof, and there and then exhibiting unto them this original.

I certify, moreover, that the distances from the domiciles of the said witnesses to the Court-house at Quebec is seven miles, and from my domicile

to the place of service is at least seven miles.

Quebec, 22nd September, 1892.

ADRISSE DION, B.S.C.