GIVE ASSIST-ANCE AND TO OBTAIN INFOR-MATION.

communications and interviews wherein they secured his services to assist them in dealing with the Department of Public Works in order to secure the said contract.

28. That he agreed to help them, and that he did in fact help them in divers ways, and, amongst others, by obtaining from the Department of Public Works information, figures, and calculations which he communicated to them.

R. H. Mc-GREEVY A PARTNER.

29. That to the knowledge and with the consent of the said Thomas McGreevy, and for the purpose of securing for themselves his influence, Larkin, Connolly & Co. took into partnership with themselves his brother, Robert H. McGreevy, giving him a 20 per cent, interest in their firm.

ALTERATIONS.

30. That during the execution of the said contract, the said Thomas Mc-Greevy was the agent or one of the agents in the pay of Larkin, Connolly & Co. in dealing with the Department of Public Works; that he endeavoured to obtain, and did obtain for them, at their request, important alterations in the works and more favourable conditions.

31. That the said more favourable conditions and the said alterations enabled them to realize, to the detriment of the public interests, very

large profits.

SUMS PAID TO Hon. T. Mc-GREEVY.

32. That during the execution of the works large sums were paid by Larkin, Connolly & Co., to Thomas McGreevy for his services in dealing with the Minister of Public Works, with the officers of the Department, and generally for his influence as a member of the Parliament of Canada.

INFORMATION FURNISHED.

33. That in consideration of the sums of money so received by him and of the promises to him made, the said Thomas McGreevy furnished to Larkin, Connolly & Co., a great deal of information; strove to procure and did procure to be made by the Department and the Hon. Minister of Public Works, in the plans of the Graving Dock and the excution of the works, alterations which have cost large sums of money to the public

ALTERATIONS

TO INDUCE M. 34. That he himself took steps to induce certain members of the Parlia-P.'s to assist. ment of Canada to assist him, the said Thomas McGreevy, in his efforts, in concert with Larkin, Connolly & Co., to obtain alterations and additional works, for which large sums of money were offered to him by the members of the firm.

MEMBERS AP-PROACHED.

35. That on his suggestion members of the Parliament of Canada were approached by members of the firm of Larkin, Connolly & Co.

36. That certain members of the said firm have declared that the said members of the Canadian Parliament on being so approached had asked for a certain sum of money for exerting their influence in favour of Larkin, Connolly & Co., with the Minister of Public Works, and that Larkin, Connolly & Co., had agreed to give them money for that purpose.

DISMISSAL OF

37. That Thomas McGreevy, acting in concert with Larkin, Connolly & CERTAIN OFFI-Co., did at their request corruptly endeavour to procure the dismissal from office, of certain public officers employed in connection with the works of the Graving Dock at Esquimalt in order to have them replaced by others who would suit Larkin, Connolly & Co., the former having for a time incurred the ill-will of Larkin, Connolly & Co., because they then compelled them to carry out the works in conformity with the specifications and contract and prepared their estimates according to the terms of the said contract.

WET BASIN. DREDGING.

38. That during the winter of 1886-87 the said Thomas McGreevy proposed to and made with the firm of Larkin, Connolly & Co., through certain members of the said firm, an arrangement whereby the said firm undertook to pay to him the sum of \$25,000 on condition that he would obtain for the firm the sum of 35 cents per cubic yard for the dredging