Chignecto Marine Transport Railway Company, Limited.

To the Honorable the Members of the

Canadian Senate and House of Commons.

GENTLEMEN,-

As the Acts authorizing the contract for the construction of this Railway have expired by limitation of time, I have come to Canada on behalf of the investors in the Company, to ask for their re-enactment, in order to enable the Company to proceed with and complete this notable Public Work on which, under the authority of the Acts now expired, they have already expended \$3,500,000, and executed nearly three-fourths of the undertaking.

For the information of members of both Houses, I have prepared the following statement in order to place before you, in a brief form, the chief facts and circumstances relating to the present position of the Works.

I am,

Honorable members of the Canadian Parliament,

Your most obedient servant,

A. D. PROVAND.

A Director of the Chignecto Marine Transport Railway Co., Limited.