

without refining the whole or some portion of it, the Deputy Master shall demand for assaying and refining the same such additional charge as the Governor-General in Council may from time to time fix, and until such charge is paid to him may refuse to receive, assay, or coin such bullion; and

(b) where the bullion brought to the branch Mint for coinage is finer than the standard fineness of the coin to be coined thereout, there shall be delivered to the person bringing the same such additional amount of coin as is proportionate to such superior fineness;

(c) no undue preference shall be shown to any person as respects the bullion brought to the branch Mint, and every person shall have priority according to the time at which he brought it;

(d) the Governor-General in Council may make regulations for carrying into effect the provisions of this Article with respect to gold bullion, and the bringing, coining, and delivery out thereof, and in particular for regulating the time and conditions at and under which it is to be so brought, assayed, coined, and delivered out, and the minimum amount which may be so brought.

(ii.) The charges under this Article for coining, assaying, and refining shall be collected by the Deputy Master in accordance with the said regulations, either as a payment in advance, or as a deduction from the coin delivered out, or otherwise, and shall be accounted for and paid over in such manner as the Governor-General in Council directs to the Minister of Finance and Receiver-General of Canada, to be by him paid into the Consolidated Revenue Fund of Canada.

6. Subject to the provisions of this Proclamation, the Ottawa branch Mint shall be deemed to be part of Our Mint, and accordingly

(a) the Deputy Master shall comply with all directions he may receive from the Master of Our Mint, whether as regards the returns to be made, or the transmission of specimen sterling gold coins to England or otherwise; and

(b) the said specimen sterling gold coins shall be subject to the trial of the pyx under section twelve of the Coinage Act, 1870, so, however, that they shall be examined separately from the coins coined in England or at any branch Mint other than the one regulated by this Proclamation; and

(c) the Deputy Master and other officers and persons for the purpose of carrying on the business of the branch Mint may be appointed, promoted, suspended, and removed, and their duties assigned and salaries awarded under section fifteen of the Coinage Act, 1870.

7. Subject to any regulations and conditions which may be made by the Master of Our Mint, the Deputy Master of the Ottawa branch Mint shall coin at that branch Mint any gold, silver, bronze, or other coin which the Governor-General of the Dominion requires to be so coined, and which is for the time being a coin of the Dominion and current and legal tender in the Dominion, but coins coined under this Article shall not for the purposes of the Coinage Act, 1870, be deemed to be coins made at, or issued from, Our Mint.

8. The Governor-General in Council shall cause the store of bullion and coin at the Ottawa branch Mint to be inspected half-yearly, and cause the persons inspecting the same to report thereon to the Deputy Master of the branch

Mint, stating the exact amount of bullion and coin inspected by them; and copies of such report shall be transmitted by the Deputy Master to the Governor-General and to the Master of Our Mint in London.

9. The Master of Our Mint shall, in the execution of this Proclamation, act in accordance with any regulations made or directions given by the Lords Commissioners of Our Treasury.

10. In this Proclamation—

The expression "Mint" means Our Royal Mint in England;

The expression "Governor-General" includes the officer for the time being administering the Government of the Dominion;

The expression "Deputy Master of the branch Mint" includes any person who lawfully exercises at such branch Mint the authority of Deputy Master.

11. This Proclamation may be cited as the Ottawa Mint Proclamation, 1907.

12. This Proclamation shall come into force on the ninth day of November, nineteen hundred and seven.

Given at Our Court at *Buckingham Palace*, this second day of *November*, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and seven, and in the seventh year of Our reign.

GOD save the KING.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 2nd day of *November*, 1907.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

This day The Right Honourable Bernard Arthur William Patrick Hastings, Earl of Granard, and The Right Honourable Horace Brand, Lord Farquhar, G.C.V.O., were, by His Majesty's command, respectively sworn of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took their places at the Board accordingly.

*A. W. FitzRoy.*

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 2nd day of *November*, 1907.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

His Majesty in Council was this day pleased to appoint Captain William Vere Reeve Fane, of Fulbeck Hall, Grantham, to be Sheriff of the County of Lincoln, in the room of Edgar Lubbock, of North House, Grantham, Esquire, deceased.

*A. W. FitzRoy.*

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 2nd day of *November*, 1907.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

His Majesty was this day pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, in pursuance of the provisions contained in seventh section of the Medical Act, 1886, to nominate