CONFIRMATION OF THE APPOINTMENT OF A TEMPORARY SUBSTITUTE ON THE GOVERNING COMMISSION.

NOTE BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL.

In conformity with paragraph VI of the Instructions for the Saar Basin Governing Commission, adopted by the Council on February 15th, 1920, the Secretary-General has the honour to inform the Council that Mr. Stephens, Chairman of the Governing Commission, notified him in a telegram dated August 5th last, that he had appointed M. Rosemann, Saar Member of the Commission, to act temporarily as Chairman of the Governing Commission during his absence of a few days from Saarbruck.

By the provisions of the paragraph in question, Mr. Stephens is authorised to make this appointment, but it must be submitted to the Council for confirmation. The Secretary-General ventures to suggest that this confirmation should be considered as given unless some Member of the Council should make any observation on the subject before the beginning of the next ordinary session of the Council.