

By Mr. Cartwright, the Petition of the Reverend Thomas Phillips, of Etobicoke, in the Home District.
By Mr. Forbes, the Petition of C. P. Treadwell, of L'Orignal, Sheriff; and of Ignace Raizenne, of the Parish of St. Benoit, Notary.

By Mr. Henry Smith, the Petition of the Venerable G. O. Stuart, and others, Inhabitants of the Township of Kingston; and the Petition of Isaac Bond, and others, Inhabitants of the township of Loughborough, and other places.

By the Honourable Mr. Draper, the Petition of W. Kingsmill, Sheriff, and others, of the town of Niagara; and the Petition of John C. Ball, and others, of the township of Niagara.

By Mr. Delisle, the Petition of the Inhabitants of Cote de la Vertu, Parish of St. Laurent, District of Montreal, and neighbouring places; and the Petition of D. D. Eschambault, and other Inhabitants, of Laprarie.

By Mr. Hale, the Petition of Samuel Brooks, and others, Trustees of the Sherbrooke Academy.

By Captain Steele, the Petition of W. H. Richardson, and others, Inhabitants of the township of Tecumseth.

Pursuant to the order of the day, the following Petitions were read:

Midland District Bank. Of the President, Directors and Company, of the Commercial Bank of the Midland District, praying that they may be allowed to increase their Capital Stock.

R. B. McGinnis. Of R. B. McGinnis, and others, of the County of Huntingdon, praying to be indemnified for losses sustained during the late Rebellion.

Agricultural Society, Huntingdon. Of E. W. Douglas, President of the Agricultural Society for the County of Huntingdon, and others, praying that the Agricultural Societies of Canada East be placed on the same footing as those of Canada West.

T. Van Vliet and John Odell. Of Traver Van Vliet and John Odell, of Lacolle, praying to be indemnified for losses sustained during the late Rebellion.

Inhabitants, Lochiel. Of divers Freeholders and Inhabitants of the township of Lochiel, and other places, praying that certain concessions in the townships of Lochiel and Kenyon, be annexed to the Ottawa District.

Inhabitants, Eastern and Ottawa Districts. Of George Macdonell, and others, Inhabitants of the Eastern and Ottawa Districts, complaining that the sum of £1500, voted by the Legislature to repair the Post Road from Cornwall to the Ottawa, has been misapplied, and praying that justice be done in the premises.

Gore Bank. Of the President, Directors and Company, of the Gore Bank, praying that certain amendments be made to the act of incorporation of the said Bank.

T. Ward, and others. Of T. Ward, and others, of the town of Port Hope, in the County of Durham, in the Newcastle District, praying that the plank road now being constructed from the western end of Rice Lake to Lake Ontario, be discontinued by an Act of the Legislature, and that the monies to be expended on the same, be laid out on the present travelled line of road.

John Knowlson, and others. Of John Knowlson, and others, of the townships of Cavan and Manvers, praying that an inquiry into the causes of intemperance be instituted, and that such steps be taken as may secure its suppression.

Paul Glasford, and others. Of Paul Glasford, and others, Inhabitants of the town of Brockville, praying that a Bankrupt Law may be passed.

Of Silvester Skinner, of the town of Brockville, praying for a Patent for a threshing and cleaning Machine, invented by himself and two other individuals. Silvester Skinner.

Of M. M. Crawford, and others, of Bayham, praying that the lumber trade be protected by the imposition of a duty on lumber imported from the United States into this Province. M. M. Crawford, and others.

Of Leonard Wilcox, of Toronto, praying to be indemnified for losses sustained by him in consequence of the illegal seizure of his property by a Custom-House Officer. Leonard Wilcox.

Of L. L. Hutchison, and others, of Bayham, praying that the township of Bayham be annexed to and form part of the District of Brock. L. L. Hutchison.

Of James Wilson, and others, of the township of Bayham, praying that the said township be annexed to the County of Norfolk, in the District of Talbot. Jas. Wilson, and others.

Of the Municipal Council of the District of Talbot, praying that the western limits of the County of Norfolk be defined. Talbot District Council.

Of the Reverend T. Cooke, S. B. Hart, and others, Inhabitants of the District of Three Rivers, praying for amendments to the Municipal District Ordinance; for the repeal of the Judicature, Winter Vehicles, and Rural Police, Ordinances; also, for the application of the Jesuits' Estates to the purposes of Education, in Canada East; for the concession of the lands of the Crown, in the rear of the town of Three Rivers; and protesting against the Union Act. Rev. T. Cooke, and others.

Of John Garbutt, and others, Inhabitants of the County of Simcoe, praying that, that part of the township of West Gwillimbury commonly known as the old survey, be not annexed to the township of East Gwillimbury. John Garbutt, and others.

Of Jephtha Bradshaw, and others, School Commissioners of the township of Madoc, praying for certain amendments to the School Act. Jephtha Bradshaw, and others.

Of Robert Barclay, and others, of Kingston, Stone Masons, praying to be indemnified for losses sustained by them in consequence of the non-performance of a public contract, from causes beyond their control. R. Barclay, and others.

Of Mehitable Shaw, of Laprarie de la Magdelaine, widow of the late T. H. Woolrich, stating that her husband died in January last from the effects of a disease contracted while employed as a Captain of Volunteers, during the late Rebellion in Lower Canada, and praying relief. Mehitable Shaw.

Resolved, That the Petition of the President, Directors and Company, of the Commercial Bank of the Midland District, be referred to a Special Committee, to examine the contents thereof, and to report thereon with all convenient speed; with power to send for persons, papers and records. Petitions referred: Commercial Bank.

Ordered, That Mr. Morris, Mr. Merritt, Mr. L. M. Viger, Mr. Leslie, and Mr. Holmes, do compose the said Committee.

Resolved, That the Petition of James Wilson, and others, of the township of Bayham, be referred to a Special Committee, to examine the contents thereof, and to report thereon with all convenient speed; with power to send for persons, papers and records. Jas. Wilson, and others.

Ordered, That Mr. Powell, Mr. Parke, Mr. Merritt, Mr. Durand and Mr. Yule, do compose the said Committee.

Resolved,