

cents (\$19,355.21) available under the last of such letters of credit on the thirty-first of December, 1880.

All which is respectfully submitted.

WILLIAM MILLER,
Chairman.

And the same being again read by the Clerk,
On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Miller*, seconded by the Honorable Mr. *Dickey*,
it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.

The Honorable Mr. *Cornwall* moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. *deBoucherville*,

That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying that His Excellency will cause to be laid before this House, copies of all Correspondence between the Government of *Canada*, the Imperial Government, Mr. *Sandford Fleming*, and others, in reference to Mr. *Sandford Fleming's* scheme for connecting *Canada* with *Asia* by submarine telegraph, together with all other documents relating to the same.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and it was

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General by such Members of this House as are Members of the Privy Council.

The Honorable Mr. *Trudel* moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. *Cornwall*,

That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying that His Excellency will be pleased to cause to be laid before this House, copies of all Letters, Documents and other writings bearing dates between January, 1874, and the 18th March, 1881, that may be found in the possession of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, relating to the rights of *Joseph Goyette*, *Pierre Dionne* and *Toussaint Huot*, in an Eel Fishery situate in the bed of the River *Richelieu*, between the opposite Towns of *Iberville* and *Saint Johns*.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and it was

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General by such Members of this House as are Members of the Privy Council.

The Honorable the Speaker informed the House that he had received the following communication:—

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S SECRETARY,
OTTAWA, 19th March, 1881.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that His Excellency the Governor General will proceed to the Senate Chamber to prorogue the Session of the Dominion Parliament on Monday the 21st instant at 3.30 o'clock.

I have the honour to be, Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

F. DEWINTON, Lieut.-Col., R.A.,
Governor General's Secretary.

The Honorable
The Speaker of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day the Bill, intituled: "An Act further to amend the Act therein mentioned respecting the Militia and Defence of the Dominion of *Canada*" was read a third time.