

By Mr. Galbraith,—The Petition of *D. E. Scott* and others, of *Pakenham* and vicinity.

The Honorable Mr. *Campbell* reported, from the General Committee of Elections, the names of the Members of the Select Committee appointed to try and determine the matter of the Petition complaining of an undue Election and Return for the Electoral District of *Jacques Cartier*, to which they had annexed the Petition referred to them by the House relative thereto; and the names of the Committee were read, as follow :—The Honorable *Thomas McGreevy*, *Adolphe Caron*, Esquire, *Wilfred Prevost*, Esquire, *John Charlton*, Esquire; Chairman, *David Mills*, Esquire.

The Honorable Mr. *Campbell* also reported, from the General Committee of Elections, the names of the Members of the Select Committee appointed to try and determine the matter of the Petition complaining of an undue Election and Return for the Electoral District of *Maskeinongé*, to which they had annexed the Petition referred to them by the House relative thereto; and the names of the Committee were read, as follow :—The Honorable *Pierre Fortin*, *Henri Thomas Taschereau*, Esquire, *Eli Lacerte*, Esquire, *Gavin Fleming*, Esquire; Chairman, *Louis François George Baby*, Esquire.

The Honorable Mr. *Campbell* also reported, from the General Committee of Elections, the names of the Members of the Select Committee appointed to try and determine the matter of the Petition complaining of an undue Election and Return for the Electoral District of *Portneuf*, to which they had annexed the Petition referred to them by the House relative thereto; and the names of the Committee were read, as follow :—*Joseph Hyacinthe Bellerose*, Esquire, *François Béchard*, Esquire, *Basil Benoit*, Esquire, *James F. Forbes*, Esquire; Chairman, *Edward Towle Brooks*, Esquire.

The Honorable Mr. *Campbell* also reported, from the General Committee of Elections, the names of the Members of the Select Committee appointed to try and determine the matter of the Petition complaining of an undue Election and Return for the Electoral District of *South Leeds*, to which they had annexed the Petition referred to them by the House relative thereto; and the names of the Committee were read as follow :—*Thomas Nicholson Gibbs*, Esquire; *William Harvey*, Esquire, *John White*, Esquire (*Hastings*), *William Henry Brouse*, Esquire; Chairman, *Télesphore Fournier*, Esquire.

Mr. *Pozzer*, from the Select Committee appointed to try and determine the matter of the Petition complaining of an undue Election and Return for the East Riding of the County of *Durham*, presented to the House the Final Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth :—

Your Committee beg leave to report the following Resolutions as their final determination :—

*Resolved*, That *Lewis Ross*, Esquire, the sitting Member, is duly elected to represent the Electoral District of the East Riding of the County of *Durham*.

*Resolved*, That the Petition of *Charles Edwy Smith*, of the Town of *Port Hope*, in the County of *Durham*, Merchant, and *Henry Lockington*, of the Township of *Hope*, in the County of *Durham*, Yeoman, is not frivolous or vexatious.

*Resolved*, That the Defence of the said *Lewis Ross*, Esquire, the sitting Member against the said Petition, is not frivolous or vexatious.

Mr. *Joly*, from the Select Committee appointed to try and determine the matter of the Petition complaining of an undue Election and Return for the Electoral District of the North Riding of the County of *Huron*, informed the House, that the Committee, having met, pursuant to adjournment, the Petitioner and sitting Member, by a consent in writing signed by them, made application to further adjourn the proceedings of the said Committee, until the first day of September next.

The Committee having assented to the application of the parties, ask leave to adjourn until the first day of September next.