

By Mr. Wood,—The Petition of the Town Council of the Town of *Brantford*.

By Mr. Dickson,—The Petition of *W. Brown* and others, of the County of *Huron*.

By Mr. Pâquet,—The Petition of *L. Plante* and others; and the Petition of the Reverend *V. Plinguet* and others, both of *L'Isle Dupas*; and the Petition of *L. Ferland* and others, of *St. Norbert*, all of the County of *Berthier*.

By Mr. Dufresne (*Montcalm*),—The Petition of *W. Frazer* and others, of the Township of *Kilkeenny*.

By Mr. Stirton,—The Petition of the Town Council of the Town of *Guelph*.

By Mr. Ferguson (*South Simcoe*),—The Petition of *F. H. Medcalf* and others, of the City of *Toronto*; the Petition of the Municipal Council of the United Counties of *York* and *Peel*; two Petitions of the Municipal Council of the County of *Simcoe*; the Petition of the Provisional Directors of the *Toronto* and *Georgian Bay* Canal Company; the Petition of the Town Council of the Town of *Barrie*; the Petition of the Municipality of the Township of *Essa*; the Petition of the Town Council of the Town of *Collingwood*; and the Petition of the Municipality of the Township of *Sunnidale*.

By the Honorable Mr. Rose,—The Petition of *F. Myers* and others; and the Petition of *Henry Porter* and others, both of the City of *Montreal*; and the Petition of the Reverend *W. Simpson* and others, of *Lachine*.

By Mr. Mackenzie (*North Oxford*),—The Petition of the Town Council of the Town of *Ingersoll*.

By Mr. Smith (*East Durham*),—The Petition of *W. Frazer*, of the Town of *Port Hope*.

By Mr. Parker,—The Petition of the Agricultural Society of the Electoral Division of the North Riding of *Wellington*.

By Mr. Irvine,—The Petition of the Local Municipality of the Parish of *Quebec*; the Petition of *A. Henderson* and others of *St. Andrews*, County of *Argenteuil*; and the Petition of *James Henry* and others, of the Township of *Inverness*.

By Mr. McKellar,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Kent*.

By Mr. Rymal,—The Petition of *Robert Chisholm* and others, Merchants and others, of the City of *Hamilton*.

By Mr. Cartwright,—The Petition of the Officers and Members of *St. John's* Church of the Village of *Portsmouth*, Township of *Kingston*; and the Petition of *G. H. Low* and others, Members of the Church of *England*, residing in the Parish of *Darlington*.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read:—

Of *Charles Rhéaume* and others, of the Parish of *Charlesbourg*; praying for amendments to the Act respecting the Militia.

Of *L'Union St. Pierre de Montréal*; praying for amendments to their Act of incorporation.

Of the Municipal Council of the United Counties of *Lanark* and *Renfrew*; representing that in the contemplated Constitutional changes, it is proposed that the debts due by the several Municipalities in *Upper Canada*, under the Consolidated Municipal Loan Fund Act, are to be continued local debts against the said Municipalities, and praying that the said debts be assumed by the General Government.

Of the Municipality of the Township of *Oxford*,—and of the Municipality of the Village of *Kemptville*; severally praying that the Bill for the relief of the *Ottawa* and *Prescott* Railway Company, and for ensuring the efficient working of its Railway, and for other purposes, may become law.

Of *Simon Fraser*, of the City of *Ottawa*; praying that the Bill for the relief of the *Ottawa* and *Prescott* Railway Company, and for ensuring the efficient working of its Railway, and for other purposes, may not become law.

Of *G. L. Rhicard* and others, of the Parish of *St. Armand* West, and the Village of *Philipsburgh*, County of *Missisquoi*; praying that the Bill to amend 'An Act respecting Railways,' may not become law.

Of the Reverend *Samuel D. Rice*, Co-delegate of the Reverend *W. S. Thornton*, M.D., President of the Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church in *Canada*; praying for the passing of an Act to enable the Trustees of Churches belonging to the