The chairman reported that the committee had made some further progress, and asked leave to sit again this day.

The report was received, and leave granted accordingly.

The following petitions were severally brought up and laid on the table:-

By Mr. McKay, the petition of Thomas Baines and R. H. Thornhill.

By Mr. Murney, the petition of John Turnbull, and seven others, Magistrates of the new district of Victoria.

By Mr. Bockus, the petition of the President and Directors of the Bank of Montreal.

By Mr. Sherwood, the petition of Michael Keating.

By Mr. Small, the petition of J. F. Maddock and George Hamilton, Clerks in the Receiver General's Department.

And by Mr. Shade, the petition of H. Hyndman, and seventeen others, of the county of Huron; and the petition of Daniel Lizars, and seventeen others, of the county of Huron.

Pursuant to the order of the day, the bill to extend the limits of Darlington Harbor, was read the third time.

On the question for passing the bill, the yeas and nays were taken as follows: Division on passing.

## YEAS.

Messrs. Aikman, Bockus, Boulton, Burritt, Burwell, Cartwright, Chisholm of Glengarry, Chisholm Yeas-28. of Halton, Ferrie, Gamble, Hunter, Kearnes, Manahan, Marks, McDonell of Northumberland, McDonell of Stormont, McKay, McMicking, Murney, Powell, Richardson, Ruttan, Rykert, Shade, Sherwood, Solicitor General, Wickens, Woodruff-28.

## NAYS.

Messrs. Cook, McIntosh, Moore, Small-4.

The question was carried in the affirmative, by a majority of twenty-four, and the bill was passed.

Mr. Boulton, seconded by Mr. Elliott, moves that the bill be entitled, "An Act Title. to extend the limits of Port Darlington Harbour."

Which was carried, and Messrs. Boulton and Elliott were ordered to carry the bill up to the Honorable the Legislative Council, and to request their concurrence thereto.

Pursuant to the order of the day, the address to His Excellency the Governor General, for information respecting the bill to indemnify sufferers by the rebellion, was read the third time and passed, and is as follows:-

> To His Excellency The Right Honorable CHARLES POULETT THOMSON, one of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council, Governor General of British North America, and Captain General and Governor-in-Chief in and over the Provinces of Lower Canada and Upper Canada, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and the Island of Prince Edward, and Vice Admiral of the same.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY,

Commons House of Assembly, Nineteenth day of December, 1859.

We, Her Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Commons of Upper Address. Canada, in Provincial Parliament assembled, humbly request that Your Excellency will be pleased to inform this House if any, and what, reply has been made by Her Majesty's Government to the bill passed during the last Session of the Provincial Legislature, for remunerating, the sufferers during the late attempt at insurrection in this Province, and reserved by His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, for the signification of Her Majety's pleasure thereon.

ALLAN N. MACNAB, SPHARES. Nays-4.

Bill passed-majority 24.

Bill sent to Leg. Council

Address for information on bill to indemnify sufferers by the rebellion read 3d time and passed

Progress reported-sit again to-day.

Petitions brought up:

Of T. Baines and R. H. Thornhill. J. Turnbull and 7 others.

**President and Directors** Montreal Bank.

M. Keating.

J. F. Maddock and Geo. Hamilton,

H. Hyndman and 17 others, and D. Lizars and 17 others.

Darlington Harbor extension bill read 3d time.