

for the expression of the feelings of the country," added instead thereof.

And a Debate arising thereupon;

At six o'clock, P. M. pursuant to Order, the House was adjourned by Mr. Speaker, without a Question first put, till Thursday next.

Jovis, 15^o die Februarii;

ANNO 12^o VICTORIÆ REGINÆ, 1849.

St. Lawrence
and Atlantic
Railroad.

MR. SPEAKER laid before the House, a Statement of the Affairs of the *St. Lawrence and Atlantic Railroad Company* to 30th November, 1848, pursuant to Act 8 Vic. c. 25.

For the said Statement, see Appendix (H.H.)

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Hamilton and
Gore Savings
Bank.

And also, Statement of the Affairs of the *Hamilton and Gore District Savings Bank*, received in conformity to an Order of this House, of the twenty-fifth January last.

For the said Statement, see Appendix (P.)

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Petitions
brought up.

The following Petitions were severally brought up, and laid on the table:—

By Mr. Malloch,—The Petition of *Hamnett Pinhey*, Esquire, Warden, on behalf of the Municipal Council of the District of *Dalhousie* (Bridge).

By Mr. Brooks,—The Petition of the British American Land Company.

By Mr. Duchesnay,—The Petition of *Pierre Ignace Déry* and others, of the Parish of *St. Raymond*, and of the County of *Portneuf*.

By Mr. Christie,—The Petition of *Thomas A. Young*, of the City of *Quebec*, Esquire.

By Mr. M'Lean,—The Petition of *George Poapst* and others, of the ninth Concession of *Cornwall*.

By Mr. Méthot,—The Petition of *Joseph Bovint* and others, of *Quebec*; and the Petition of Messieurs *Allan Gilmour* and Company, and others, of the City of *Quebec*.

By the Honorable Mr. *Badgley*,—The Petition of *Ephraim Knight*, Esquire, and others, of the County of *Missisquoi*, Members of the Order of *Rechabites*.

By Mr. Davignon,—The Petition of *Joseph Charland* and others, Councillors of the Village of *Christieville*, County of *Rouville*; the Petition of the Trustees of the *Longueuil* and *Chambly* Turnpike Road; and the Petition of *Jean Langevin*, of the City of *Montreal*, Esquire.

By Mr. Beaubien,—The Petition of the Reverend *Charles Bancroft* and others, of the Municipality of *St. John Dorchester*, County of *Chambly*.

By Mr. Cartier,—The Petition of the *St. Lawrence and Atlantic Railroad Company* (Aid).

By Mr. Holmes,—The Petition of *E. Glackmeyer*, Esquire, and others, of the City and District of *Montreal*; and the Petition of the President and Directors of the New City Gas Company of *Montreal*.

By the Honorable Mr. *Robinson*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the District of *Simcoe* (division of District).

By the Honorable Mr. Attorney General *Baldwin*,—The Petition of *Abner Hurd* and others, of the Township of *Roach*; the Petition of the Municipal Council of the Home District (Salaries of District Officers); and the Petition of *Isaac Travis* and others, of the Townships of *East* and *North Gwillimbury*.

By the Honorable Mr. *Boulton*,—The Petition of *James Platt*, Esquire, Mayor, and others, of the City of *Oswego*, in the State of *New York*, and others.

By Mr. *Chabot*,—The Petition of Mrs. *E. M. Aylwin* and other Ladies composing the Committee

of the Lower Town Infant School of *Quebec*; and the Petition of the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of *Montreal*, and others of the City of *Quebec*.

By the Honorable Mr. *Hincks*,—The Petition of *Matthew Scott* and others, of the Township of *Norwich*, District of *Brock*; and the Petition of *Alexander Hosack* and others, of the Township of *West Zorra*.

By Mr. *Wetenhall*,—The Petition of *Thomas Atkinson*, senior, and others, of the Township of *Nelson*, District of *Gore*.

By Mr. *Scott*, of *Two Mountains*,—The Petition of *Thomas Kains*, Esquire, and others, of the County of *Two Mountains*.

By Mr. *M'Farland*,—The Petition of *Henry Smith*, Esquire, and others, of *Grimsby* and other Townships.

By Mr. *Flint*,—The Petition of *James Jamison* and others, of the District of *Victoria*.

By Mr. *DeWitt*,—The Petition of *William Workman*, Esquire, and others, of the City of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Chauveau*,—The Petition of *Michel Hamel*, junior, and others, of the Parish of *Ste. Foye*.

By the Honorable Mr. *Macdonald*,—The Petition of *Francis M. Hill*, Esquire, Mayor, and others, Citizens of *Kingston*; and the Petition of the Reverend *M. Lalor*, and others.

By Mr. *Scott*, of *Bytown*,—The Petition of *J. Bedard* and others, of the Town of *Bytown*; and the Petition of *Thomas Corcoran*.

By Mr. *Gugy*,—The Petition of the Reverend *Jasper H. Nicolls*, on behalf of the Council of Bishop's College at *Lennoxville*.

By Mr. *Hall*,—The Petition of *G. B. Hall* and others, of the Town of *Peterborough*.

By Mr. *Cauchon*,—The Petition of the Reverend *Louis Théodore Bernard* and others, of the Parish of *Beauport*, County of *Quebec*.

Pursuant to the Order of the day, the following Petitions read.

Of *George M'Leod* and others, of the Village of *Portsmouth*, Township of *Kingston*; praying that the said Village may not be included within the limits of the City of *Kingston*.

Of *William Ritchie*, on behalf of the Trustees of the *Sherbrooke Academy*; praying for the usual aid.

Of the Mayor and Councillors of the Municipal Council of the Village *St. John*, County of *Chambly*; praying for certain amendments to the Act 10 & 11 Vic. c. 7, for the establishment of Municipal authorities in *Lower Canada*.

Of *William Blakely* and others, of the third Concession of *Ameliasburgh*, District of *Prince Edward*; praying that no Legislative action may be had with reference to the division line between the second and third Concessions of that Township, but that any difficulties arising thereout of may be settled by the ordinary Courts of Justice.

Of *Robert C. Wilkins* and others, of *Ameliasburgh*, District of *Prince Edward*; praying that a Special Commission be appointed to examine and permanently establish the Concession lines of the said Township.

Of *James Bowie*, of the City of *Montreal*, Esquire, complaining of the non-payment of certain claims for services rendered and articles supplied by him in his capacity of Physician to the Emigrant Sheds in 1847, and praying an investigation and relief in the premises.

Of *Daniel Villiard* and others, of the Township of *Pakenham*, District of *Bathurst*; praying that no division may be made of the said District.

Of *George O'Kill Stuart*, Esquire, Mayor, on behalf of the inhabitants of the City of *Quebec*; praying the House to consider favorably the project of a Railroad to connect the City of *Quebec* with *Halifax*.