Tuesday, 11th April, 1899.

The Senate met at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Members convened were:-

The Honourable CHARLES ALPHONSE PANTALEON PELLETIER, C.M.G., Speaker,

The Honourable Messieurs

Aikins,	Cox,	MacKeen,	Owens,
Allan,	Dandurand,	Masson,	Perley,
Almon,	Dever,	McCallum,	Poirier,
Baird,	Dickey,	McDonald (C.B.),	Power,
Baker,	Dobson,	McKay,	Price,
Bellerose,	Drummond,	McLaren,	Primrose,
Bernier,	Ferguson,	McMillan,	Prowse,
Bolduc.	Fiset,	McSweeney,	Reid.
Boucherville, de (C.M.G.		Merner,	Scott,
Bowell (Sir Mackenzie),		Miller,	Templeman,
Carmichael,	Landry,	Mills,	Vidal,
Casgrain,	Lovitt,	Montplaisir,	Wark,
Clemow,	Macdonald (Victoria),	O'Brien,	Yeo.
Cochrane.	MacInnes,	O'Donoĥoe,	

PRAYERS.

The following Petitions were severally brought up, and laid on the Table:-

By the Honourable Mr. Allan,—Of the Dominion of Canada Guarantee and Accident Insurance Company; and of George Gooderham and others.

By the Honourable Mr. Macdonald (Victoria),—Of E. F. Fauquier, of the City of

Ottawa, and others of elsewhere.

By the Honourable Mr. Clemow,—Of the Bronsons and Weston Lumber Company (Limited); of George E. Williams, of the Town of Brampton; of H. J. Beemer, of the City of Montreal, and others of elsewhere; of the Bedlington and Nelson Railway Company; and of the Ottawa, Arnprior and Parry Sound Railway Company.

By the Honourable Mr. MacInnes,—Of the Canada Southern Railway Company;

and of the Canada Life Assurance Company.

By the Honourable Mr. Cox, -Of the Dominion Permanent Loan Company.

By the Honourable Mr. Casgrain,—Of the Erie and Huron Railway Company; and of John McKindley, of the City of Boston, in the State of Massachusetts, one of the United States of America, and others of elsewhere.

By the Honourable Mr. McDonald (C.B.):—Of S. Walker Janes and others.

By the Honourable Sir Mackenzie Bowell,—Of the Imperial Life Assurance Company of Canada.

By the Honourable Mr. Baird,—Of the Restigouche Boom Company; and of the

Calvin Company (Limited).

By the Honourable Mr. Aikins,—Of the London Fire Insurance Company of Canada.

By the Honourable Mr. Landry,—Of P. Garneau, President, and J. G. Scott, Secretary, of the Great Northern Railway Company.

By the Honourable Mr. Templeman,—Of James Dugdale and others, of the City of London, England.