during the past four years, with the names of the persons who received payment, whether as witnesses or otherwise, and the amounts received by each.

On motion of Mr. Young, seconded by Mr. Thomson (Welland),

Ordered, That there be laid before this House, copy of a Return shewing the nature and value of all manufactures and other articles exchanged between Canada and the Australian Colonies, from the 1st of July, 1876, up to the latest returns in possession of the Government, together with copies of the Tariffs of these Colonies and any other information in possession of the Government which may be useful in promoting the valuable trade springing up between us.

Mr. Lanthier moved, seconded by Mr. Harwood, and the Question being proposed, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, for 1st. Copy of the Report of Alphonso Wells, Deputy Provincial Land Surveyor, dated the 10th November, 1841, with the plans respecting the division line between the two-Provinces formerly called Upper and Lower Canada, running between the River

Ottawa and the River St. Lawrence;

2nd. Copy of the Report of the Commissioners appointed under the Act 23 Vict., chap. 21, intituled "An Act respecting the Line of Division between Upper and Lower Canada." With a statement of all moneys paid for claims and compensation under the provisions of the said Act; the amount paid to each individual claimant; and copies of the plans of the parcels of land to which such payments relate, and to which the receipts given refer; as well as copies of the deeds in the form of Instruments under the hand and seal of the Commissioner, issued by him according to the provisions contained in the 1st sub section of the 4th section of the said Act;

And a Debate arising thereupon: -The said Motion was, with leave of the House,

withdrawn.

On motion of Mr. Fiset, seconded by Mr. Metcalfe,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House, copies of Mr. Kingsford's Report on the survey of the Harbor of Matane, with the plans and estimates accompanying the said Report.

Mr. Blain moved, seconded by Mr. Metcalfe, and the Question being proposed, That it be an Order of The House that if, at the hour of 10 o'clock, P.M., the business of the day be not concluded, Mr. Speaker shall leave the Chair and the House shall stand adjourned until its next regular meeting, unless it be otherwise resolved by a majority of the Members present at that hour; and in case there is any desire to continue in Session, Mr. Speaker shall, on being requested by not less than five Members, put the question without debate; And a Debate arising thereupon:—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the

Senate by their Clerk, as followeth:-

The Senate acquaint this House, That they have appointed the Honorable-Messieurs Alexander, Allan, Baillargeon, Bourinot, Chapais, Cornwall, Fabre, Ferguson, Haythorne, Miller, Montgomery, Reesor, Ryan, Stevens, Trudel and Wilmot, a Committee to assist His Honor the Speaker in the direction of the Library of Parliament so far as the interests of their House are concerned and to act on behalf of their House as Members of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the Library.

And also, the Senate acquaint this House, That they have appointed the Honor able Messieurs Aikins, Bellerose, Bureau, Carrall, Cochrane, Fabre, Ferrier, Haythorne, McLelan (Londonderry), Macfarlane, Penny, Reesor, Scott, Simpson and Wark, a Committee to superintend the printing of their House, during the present Session and to act on behalf of their House with the Committee of this House as a Joint Committee.

of both Houses on the subject of Printing.