

Tuesday, 17th February, 1880

The Members convened were

The Honorable *AMOS EDWIN BOTSFORD*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Aikins,</i>	<i>Corvell,</i>	<i>Hamilton (Kingston),</i>	<i>Penny,</i>
<i>Alexander,</i>	<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Chapais,</i>	<i>Hope,</i>	<i>Pozer,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Christie,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Archibald,</i>	<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>Reesor,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Cormier,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>Ryan,</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McMaster,</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Macdonald,</i>	<i>Seymour,</i>
<i>Benson,</i>	<i>Dumouchel,</i>	<i>Macfarlane,</i>	<i>Simpson,</i>
<i>Boucherville, de,</i>	<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Bourinot,</i>	<i>Ferrier,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Brouse,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>Bull,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>Pdquet,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Bureau,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Guvremont,</i>		
<i>Sir Alexander,</i>			

PRAYERS :

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petition was read :—

Of the *Stadacona* Fire and Life Assurance Company; praying for An Act to authorize the Company to surrender its Charter and wind up its affairs.

The Honorable the Speaker presented to the House,—A statement of the National Investment Company of *Canada*, made up to the 31st December, 1879.

Also,—A List of the Shareholders of the Bank of *Ottawa*, as on the 31st January, 1880.

And also,—A Return of the Baptisms, Marriages and Burials in the County of *Gaspé*, for the year 1878.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table, and they are as follow :—

(*Vide Sessional Papers, Nos. 22, 21 and 34.*)

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the House resumed the adjourned Debate on the Honorable Mr. *Trudel's* motion, viz. :—

That the following Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General to offer the respectful thanks of this House to His Excellency for the gracious Speech which His Excellency has been pleased to make to both Houses of Parliament, namely :—