Wednesday, 15th April, 1896.

The Members convened were:

The Honourable JOHN JONES ROSS, Speaker,

The Honourable Messieurs

Aikins,	Clemow,	McCallum.	Pelletier,
Almon,	De Blois,	McClelan,	Perley,
Angers,	Desjardins,	McDonald (C.B.),	Poirier,
Armand,	Dever,	McInnes (N. Westm'tr),	Power,
Arsenault,	Dickey,	McKay,	Primrose,
Baird,	Dobson,	McKindsey,	Prowse,
Baker,	Drummond,	McMillan,	Reesor,
Bellerose,	Ferguson (P.E.I.),	Merner,	Scott,
Bernier,	Guévremont,	Miller,	Sullivan,
Bolduc,	Kirchhoffer,	O'Brien,	Vidal,
Boucherville, de	Landry,	O'Donohoe, •	Villeneuve,
Boulton,	Macdonald (P.E.I.),	Ógilvie,	Wark,
Bowell (Sir Mackenzie),		Owens,	Wood.
Casgrain,	MacInnes (Burlington).		

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Mr. McKay, from the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, presented their Third Report.

Ordered, That it be received, and

The same was then read by the Clerk, and it is as follows:-

THE SENATE, COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8, WEDNESDAY, 15th April, 1896.

The Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts beg leave to make their Third Report, as follows:—

1. Your Committee have examined the accounts of the Clerk of the Senate for the year ended 30th June, 1895, and find them correct.

2. The amounts received during the said year are shown by the accounts, as follows:—

Letters of credit and bills of exchange	\$134,158 1,854	
Total	\$136.019	

3. The Clerk has accounted for the above to the satisfaction of your Committee, as follows:—

Amount of cheques issued	\$121,890 05
do bills of exchange remitted	158 51
do cash deposited to the credit of the Receiv	er
General or otherwise accounted for.	1,854 46
Balance in bank at close of the year (after providing f	or
outstanding cheques) written off	12,109 95
Total	\$136,012 97