O'Donohoe, Ogilvie, Pâquet, Pelletier, Perley, Power, Prowse, Read (Quinté), Robitaille, Rodier, Scott, Smith, and Stevens, be appointed a Committee to examine and report upon the Contingent Accounts of the Senate for the present Session.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Honorable Messieurs Almon, Archibald, Armand, Bellerose, Bolduc, Botsford, Boulton, DeBlois, Dever, Flint, Glasier, Gowan, Grant, Guévremont, Haythorne, Howlan, Lacoste, Lougheed, McInnes (B.C.), McKay, McMillan, Macdonald (B.C.), Macfarlane, Merner, Miller, Montgomery, O'Donohoe, Ogilvie, Pâquet, Pelletier, Poirier, Power, Prowse, Read (Quinté), Reesor, Rodier, Ross, Scott, Stevens, Sullivan, and Sutherland, be appointed a Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, with power to examine and inquire into all such matters and things as may be referred to the said Committee, to report from time to time their observations and opinions thereon, and to send for persons, papers and records.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Honorable Messieurs Bellerose, Bolduc, Casgrain, DeBoucherville, Haythorne, Howlan, McCallum, Macfarlane, Merner, Perley, Power, Rodier, Ross, Scott, Thibaudeau, and Vidal, be appointed a Committee to inquire into the best means to be adopted to obtain correct reports of the Debates and Proceedings of the Senate, and for the publication of the same, and to report from time to time their views to the House.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Honorable Messieurs Dickey, Gowan, Kaulbach, McClelan, McKindsey, Macdonald (B.C.), Ogilvie, Read (Quinté), and Sutherland, be appointed the Select Committee on Divorce.

The Honorable Mr. Clemow moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Flint,

That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying that His Excellency will be pleased to cause to be laid before this House, copies of all reports and other communications in reference to the deposit of sawdust, slabs, or other offensive material in the Ottawa, and other rivers of the Dominion.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the

affirmative, and it was

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General by such Members of this House as are Members of the Privy Council.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Railway Act.'"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McCallum, seconded by the Honorable Mr.

McKindsey, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until Tuesday next.

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—A Return of the average number of men employed on the Dominion Police Force during each month of the year 1889, and of their pay and travelling expenses (under R. S. Chap. 184, Sec. 5).

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table, and it is as follows:—

(Vide Sessional Papers, No. 23.)

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith,

The House adjourned.