

or persons that may have induced his dismissal therefrom, and explanatory of the causes thereof.
Ordered, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, by such Members of this House as are of the Honorable the Executive Council of this Province.

Peter Stuart.

On motion of Mr. *Christie*, seconded by Mr. *Gugy*,
Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying that he will be pleased to cause to be laid before this House, copies of any correspondence between the Executive Government and *Peter Stuart*, of *Cornwall*, Esquire, relative to the intended appointment of that gentleman to the Office of Sheriff of the Eastern District.

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

A. B. Papineau.

On motion of Mr. *Christie*, seconded by Mr. *Gugy*,
Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying him to be pleased to cause to be laid before this House, copies of any petitions, papers, and correspondence (in addition to those already on the Journals of this House,) that may be in the possession of the Executive Government relative to the dismissal of *A. B. Papineau*, of *St. Martin*, Esquire, as well previous as subsequent to his dismissal from the Magistracy of the District of *Montreal* and other offices of trust and honor under Her Majesty's Government, and explanatory of the causes of his said dismissal.

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

On motion of Mr. *Brooks*, seconded by Mr. *McConnell*,

Imports.

Resolved, 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, a Statement, in detail, of the Imports into this Province for the years 1847 and 1848, and the value thereof, with the amount of Duties thereon, distinguishing between those Articles paying specific, and those paying *ad valorem* Duties.

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

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Sherwood*, seconded by Mr. *Prince*,

Alexander Morrison.

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying that he will be pleased to cause to be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence which has passed between *Alexander Morrison* and the Provincial Government, upon the subject of his claim for compensation for the loss of a lot of land in the *Niagara* District, on a prior Patent having been issued to the one under which he claims, as well as copies of all Orders in Council and other documents having reference thereto.

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

Bill to extend certain privileges to Law

Ordered, That the Honorable Mr. *Badgley* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act of *Lower Canada*, sixth *William* the Fourth, in-

titled, "An Act to repeal certain parts of an Ordinance therein mentioned concerning persons to be admitted to practise the Law or to practise as Notaries in this Province."

Students in Lower Canada.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read for the first time; and ordered to be read a second time, on Monday, the nineteenth instant.

Ordered, That the Honorable Mr. *Badgley* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the Members of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada* in connection with the Church of *Scotland*.

Presbyterian Church Bill

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read for the first time; and ordered to be read a second time, on Thursday next.

Ordered, That the Honorable Mr. *Badgley* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate certain persons under the name of the Prison Discipline Society of *Montreal*.

Montreal Prison Discipline Society Bill

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read for the first time; and ordered to be read a second time, on Thursday next.

On motion of Mr. *Fortier*, seconded by Mr. *Polette*.

Ordered, That it be an Instruction to the Select Committee appointed to enquire into the system adopted in the distribution of the *Canada Gazette*, to enquire into the mode of distribution of the Provincial Statutes in *Lower Canada*.

Provincial Statutes.

Ordered, That the Honorable Mr. *LaTerrière* have leave to bring in a Bill to authorize the inhabitant householders holding lands in the new Settlements on the borders of the *Saguenay*, forming the Second Municipal Division of that County, to establish a Municipal Council therein, and for other purposes.

Saguenay Municipal Council Bill

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read for the first time; and ordered to be read a second time, on Thursday next.

Mr. *Sauvageau*, from the Committee to whom it was referred to consider of the Motion made on Friday last, That a Supply be granted to Her Majesty, reported a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:—

Supply

Resolved, That a Supply be granted to Her Majesty.

The said Resolution being read a second time, was agreed to.

Resolved, That this House will, on Tuesday next, resolve itself into a Committee to consider of the Supply granted to Her Majesty.

The Order of the day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate upon the Question proposed on Tuesday last, That this House having heard the evidence adduced on the part of *John George Vansittart*, Esquire, in defence of his conduct as Returning Officer for the County of *Oxford* at the last General Election, adheres to its Resolution of the 21st March last, "That the said *John George Vansittart*, Esquire, having taken upon himself to return *Peter Carroll*, Esquire, as Member for the said County to serve in this present Parliament, contrary to the majority of votes received by him on the Poll Book in favor of the Honorable *Francis Hincks*, who ought therefore to have been returned, acted illegally, in defiance of law, in manifest violation of the rights of the freeholders of the said County, and in breach of the privileges of this House."

Oxford Election.