

Of *Elijah Rowell*, of *Frelighsburg*, County of *Missisquoi*, and of *Thomas Merrill Prime*, of the Township of *Brome*, County of *Brome*; praying for the passing of an Act to enable them to practise physic, surgery and midwifery in *Lower Canada*.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Wentworth*; praying for the passing of an Act conferring upon County Councils the power to pass By-laws for granting compensation to the members of such Councils for travelling expenses to and from the meetings of such Councils, and for attendance at such meetings.

Of *Antoine Brodeur* and the Honorable *L. T. Drummoud*, proprietors of lands in the Township of *Upton*; praying for the passing of an Act to ratify the survey made by *Mr. W. O'Dwyer*, P.L.S., of the division line between the Townships of *Upton* and *Grantham*.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Oxford*; praying for amendments to the Assessment Law of *Upper Canada*.

Of the Great Western Railway Company; praying for amendments to their Acts of incorporation, and also for power to construct a Railway from the Oil Springs, in the Township of *Enniskillen*, to some point on the said Great Western Railway.

Of *John H. Ritchey* and others, policy holders of the Canada Life Assurance Company; praying for amendments to the Act of incorporation of the said Company.

Of the *Buffalo* and *Lake Huron* Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act to amend their Act of incorporation, and for other purposes.

Of the *Hamilton* and *Port Dover* Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act to enable them to sell or lease their Railway to the *Buffalo* and *Lake Huron* Railway Company, and for other purposes.

The Honorable *Mr. Sherwood*, from the Select Committee appointed to try and determine the matter of the Petition complaining of an undue Election and Return for the East Riding of the County of *Durham*, informed the House, that *James Morton*, Esquire, a Member of the Committee, was not present within one hour after the time appointed for the meeting of the said Committee, on Saturday last.

*Mr. Langevin*, from the Select Committee appointed to try and determine the matter of the Petition complaining of an undue Election and Return for the County of *Verchères*, informed the House, that *Jean Baptiste Mongenais*, Esquire, a Member of the Committee, was not present within one hour after the time appointed for the meeting of the said Committee, on Saturday last and this day.

Ordered, That *Jean Baptiste Mongenais*, Esquire, do attend in his place in this House, at its next sitting.

*Mr. Crawford*, from the Select Committee appointed to try and determine the matter of the Petition complaining of an undue Election and Return for the West Riding of the County of *Elgin*, presented to the House the final Report of the said Committee, which was received and read, as followeth:—

That they have determined that *George Macbeth*, Esquire, the Sitting Member, was not duly elected to represent the West Riding of the County of *Elgin* at the last general election.

That *John Scoble*, Esquire, had the majority of legal votes at the said election, and ought to have been returned as a Member to represent the said Riding at the said Election.

That neither the Petition nor the Defence is frivolous or vexatious

Ordered, That the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery do attend this House, forthwith, with the last Return for the West Riding of the County of *Elgin*, and amend the same by erasing the name of "*George Macbeth*," and inserting the name of "*John Scoble*" instead thereof.

The Clerk of the Crown in Chancery attended, according to Order, and amended the Return for the West Riding of the County of *Elgin*.

The Honorable *Mr. Drummoud*, from the Select Committee appointed to try and determine the matter of the Petition complaining of an undue Election and Return for the South Riding of the County of *Leeds*, informed the House that the Honorable *Alexander*