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“ That the Honourable Hector Louis Langevin, the Member representing the electoral district of Charlevoix in this House, having stated from his place in this House that he is credibly informed and believes that he can establish by satisfactory evidence that the Honorable Joseph Edouard Cauchon, the Member representing in this House the electoral district of Quebec Centre, and the President of the Privy Council of Canada, was instrumental in hiring, or causing to be hired, a number of men who are employed in summer as members of the River Police at Quebec, and in sending them or causing them to be sent to the electoral district of Charlevoix during the recent election of a Member to represent that district in the House of Commons; and that the said men were headed or accompanied by one Edmond Trudelle, an officer or employé of the Customs Department at Quebec, and that the whole or a large portion of said body of men were conveyed to said district in vehicles, the cost of such hire being charged to the said Honourable Joseph Edouard Cauchon, who has promised to pay, or directed or caused the same to be paid, the said men so headed or accompanied being sent to said electoral district to interfere illegally in said election, to disturb said election, and thus to deprive the electors or a portion of the electors of said district of their freedom as such electors; and the said Honourable Joseph Edouard Cauchon having denied these charges; it is ordered that the Standing Committee on Privileges and Elections do enquire into all the circumstances connected with the above charges, with power to send for persons, papers and records, and with instructions to report in full the evidence taken before them, and the proceedings of said Committee on the subject.”—*Hon. Mr. Langevin*.....

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Motion in amendment—

“That all the words between ‘charge and enquired’ be struck out, and that the following words be substituted :—‘A select Committee be appointed to.’” (*Mr. Fréchette*.)

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Amendment adopted, and Committee struck.....

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