Thursday, 25th April, 1895.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable JOHN JONES ROSS, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Allan, Desjardins, McCallum, Perley, Almon, McClelan, McDonald (C.B.), Dever, Poirier, Angers, Dobson, Power, Armand, Ferguson (Niagara), McInnes (Victoria), Primrose, Arsenault, Ferguson (P.E.I.), McKay Prowse, Bellerose, Guévremont, McKindsey, Read (Quinté), Bernier, Kaulbach, McLaren, Reesor, Bolduc, McMillan, Robitaille, Landry, Boucherville, de Lewin, Merner, Sanford, Boulton, Lougheed, Miller, Scott, Bowell (Sir Mackenzie), Macdonald (P.E.I.), Casgrain, Macdonald (Victoria), Montplaisir, Sullivan, O'Donohoe, Sutherland, Clemow, MacInnes (Burlington), Ogilvie, Vidal, Cochrane, Masson, Pelletier, Wark. De Blois,

PRAYERS.

The following Petitions were severally brought up, and laid on the Table:-By the Honourable Mr. Desjardins,—Of the Central Council of "L'Alliance

Nationale" of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec.

By the Honourable Mr. McLaren-Of William Jackson Conroy, of the Township of Hull, in the County of Wright, and Province of Quebec, and others of the City of Ottawa, in the Province of Ontario, and elsewhere; of the Ottawa, Arnprior and Parry Sound Railway Company, and of David Maclaren, per his attorney, Alexander Maclaren, and others, of the City of Ottawa and elsewhere.

By the Honourable Mr. Dobson,-Of W. McArthur and others, of Fenelon

Falls, in the Province of Ontario.

By the Honourable Mr. Sullivan,—Of the Thousand Island Railway Company. By the Honourable Mr. Boulton,—Of W. A. Doyle and others, residents of the District on the proposed lines of the Great North-west Central Railway Company. By the Honourable Mr. Lougheed,-Of the Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo

Railway Company.

By the Honourable Mr. Clemow, -Of the Great North-west Central Railway Company; of George Earl Church, Civil Engineer and Contractor, and others of the City of London, England, and others of the City of Ottawa, Canada; and of Julia Ethel Chute (née Elliott), of the City of Toronto, in the Province of Ontario, Wife of William Osborne Chute, formerly of the same place.

The Honourable Mr. Clemow presented to the Senate the following Certificate from the Clerk of the Senate:-

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE SENATE,

OTTAWA, 25th April, 1895.

In the matter of William Wallace Colton, Petitioner for a Bill of Divorce. I hereby certify that I have received from the Petitioner the sum of two hundred dollars, in accordance with Rule 108 of this House.

EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN. Clerk of the Senate.

Ordered. That the same do lie on the Table.