

The Order of the Day for the second reading of the Bill to provide for the taxation and recovery of Arbitrators' Fees, being read ;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time ; and referred to the Select Committee on the Bill to regulate the costs of Arbitrators.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of the Bill to enable the Executors of the late *Lawrence McLaughlin* to sell and convey the real estate of the said late *Lawrence McLaughlin*, being read ;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time ; and referred to the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

A Message from the Legislative Council, by *John Fennings Taylor*, Esquire, one of the Masters in Chancery :—

MR. SPEAKER.

The Honorable Sir *E. P. Taché*, and the Honorable Messieurs *Aikins*, *Alexander*, *Armand*, *Blake*, *Burnham*, *E. H. Duchesnay*, *Letellier de St. Just*, *Olivier*, *Sanborn*, *Simpson*, *Christie*, *Mare* and *Allan*, are instructed to act on behalf of the Legislative Council, with the Committee of the Legislative Assembly, as a Joint Committee of both Houses, to enquire into and report what measures can be adopted for the advancement of Agriculture in this Province, as desired by the Legislative Assembly in their Message of Tuesday last.

And then he withdrew.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of the Bill for the relief of the Trustees and Devises of the late *John David Smith*, and to enable the said Trustees to wind up the trusts of the estate, being read ;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time ; and referred to the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of the Bill to legalize By-Law No. 116 of the Corporation of the Township of *Bayham*, and to declare the Debentures issued under the said By-Law legal, valid, and binding on the said Corporation, being read ;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time ; and referred to the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of the Bill for the sale or other disposition of the lands belonging to the Estate of the late *John Lorn McDougall*, being read ;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time ; and referred to the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the *Canada Free Baptist Missionary Society*, being read ;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time ; and referred to the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of the Bill for the relief of the *Ottawa and Prescott Railway Company*, and for ensuring the efficient working of its Railway, and for other purposes, being read ;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time ; and referred to the Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the *Society of l'Union St. Joseph* of the Town of *Lévis*, being read ;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time ; and referred to the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the *Society of l'Union St. Joseph* of *St. Joseph de Lévis*, being read ;