Tuesday, 27th July, 1858.

COMMITTEE MET.

PRESENT:

THE HON. ATTY. GENL. GEORGE E. CARTIER, CHAIRMAN.

MR. BABY.

Mr. Bellingham.

Mr. Buchanan,

MR. BUREAU,

MR. BURTON.

MR. DALY,

Mr. Dorion,

Mr. Ferres.

Mr. Foley.

Hon. Mr. HARWOOD,

Hon. Mr. J. S. MACDONALD.

MR. MACLEOD,

MR. McMicken,

Mr. SIMARD,

MR. TURCOTTE.

The Committee took into consideration Bill (No. 208) to enable Municipalities holding stock in the London and Port Stanley Railway Company to have increased representation in the direction of the said Company.

The Petition from the City of London applying for the Bill was read.

John Carling, Esq., M. P. P., appeared and addressed the Committee in favor of the application.

George Macbeth, Esq., M. P. P., a Director in the said Company, appeared and addressed the Committee against the application.

The Preamble was read and adopted.

The first, second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth, ninth, tenth, eleventh and twelfth clauses were severally read an adopted.

Ordered, That the following clause A be added to the Bill, and that it do follow the twelfth clause.

(Clause A.)

- "Provided always, that inasmuch as the present Directors have incurred per-"sonal liabilities for the said Company for money borrowed for its use and other."
- " wise, therefore the foregoing provisions shall have no effect unless and until the
- " present Directors shall have been relieved from all personal liability whatever
- " contracted by them as aforesaid."