

WENTWORTH, *Taché, Thompson, Viger, and Watts.*
—(48.)

NAYS.

Messieurs *Badgley, Brooks, Burritt, Cayley, Christie, Cryslar, Dickson, Gagy, Johnson, Lyon, Macdonald* of KINGSTON, *Sir Allan N. MacNab, Malloch, M^cConnell, M^cLean, Meyers, Prince, Robinson, Seymour, Sherwood* of BROCKVILLE, *Smith* of FRONTENAC, *Stevenson, and Wilson.*
—(24.)

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The 7th Resolution being read a second time, was agreed to.

Indemnification Bill
(L.C.)

Ordered, That the Honorable Mr. Attorney General *LaFontaine* have leave to bring in a Bill to provide for the Indemnification of parties in *Lower Canada* whose property was destroyed during the Rebellion in 1837 and 1838.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read for the first time; and ordered to be read a second time, on Friday next.

Orders deferred.

Ordered, That the remaining Orders of the day be postponed until to-morrow.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Attorney General *LaFontaine*, seconded by the Honorable Mr. *Viger*,

The House adjourned.

Mercurii, 28^o die Februarii;

ANNO 12^o VICTORIÆ REGINÆ, 1849.

Petitions brought up

THE following Petitions were severally brought up, and laid on the table:—

By Mr. *Duchesnay*,—The Petition of *C. J. Duchesnay*, Esquire, and others, of the County of *Richelieu*.

By Mr. *DeWitt*,—The Petition of *William Robinson*, on behalf of a public meeting of the Inhabitants of the Townships of *Leeds and Lansdowne*.

By Mr. *Christie*,—The Petition of *John Connor*, late a Gunner and Driver in the Royal Regiment of Artillery.

By Mr. *Jobin*,—The Petition of *William Evans*, and of his sons *John E. Evans* and *William Evans*, junior, of *Côte St. Paul*.

By Mr. Solicitor General *Blake*,—The Petition of *Henry Jessup*, of the City of *Toronto*, Esquire.

By the Honorable Mr. *Merritt*,—The Petition of *Mahlon Willet* and others, of the County of *Chambly*; and the Petition of *G. T. Havens* and others, of the Township of *Grantham*.

By Mr. *Morrison*,—The Petition of Mrs. *Rebecca Sylvester*, of *Toronto*; and the Petition of *Jacob Papst*, of *Toronto*.

By the Honorable Mr. *Boulton*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the District of *Talbot* (wild Lands); and the Petition of the Municipal Council of the District of *Talbot* (Courts of Assize.)

By Mr. *Watts*,—The Petition of *Robert Layfield* and others, of *Inverness* and other Townships; and the Petition of the Reverend *J. E. A. Dupuis* and others, of *Halifax, Inverness*, and other Townships, County of *Megantic*.

By the Honorable Mr. *Badgley*,—The Petition of the Caput of the University of *M^cGill College*.

Petitions read.

Pursuant to the Order of the day, the following Petitions were read:—

Of *J. Marks*, Esquire, and others, of the County of *Frontenac*; of *Edmund Murney*, Esquire, and others, of the County of *Hastings*; of *Adiel Sher-*

wood, Esquire, Chairman, and *John Bacon*, Secretary, on behalf of a public meeting of the Inhabitants of the District of *Johnstown* assembled at *Brockville*; and of *Frederick S. Verity* and others, of the County of *Beauharnois*; praying for the rejection of the proposed measure for the indemnification of Rebellion Losses in *Lower Canada*.

Of the *Hamilton Mercantile Library Association*; praying an Act of Incorporation.

Of *Martin M^cKinnon*, of the Township of *Vaughan*, County of *York*; representing that he was the occupant of a Clergy Reserve lot of land in the said Township which was afterwards erected into a Rectory, and of which he is about to be dispossessed; and praying for the abolition of the Rectories, and the sale of the Clergy Reserve Lands to their present occupants at a fair valuation.

Of *James Emmerson* and others, of the northern Townships of the County of *Kent*; praying that the said Townships may be set apart as a separate District, and remain attached to the Western District until their population shall warrant such division.

Of *Murdoch M^cDonnell*, of the Town of *Perth*; praying that the Act 10 and 11 Vic. c. 106, may be so amended as to confirm him in his title to a certain piece of land conveyed to him by the Trustees of the Calvinistic Baptist Church of the said Town.

Of *Joseph D. Clement*, President, and others, the Vice-Presidents, Officers, Committee of Management, and Members of the *Brantford Mechanics' Institute*; praying for aid.

Of *R. B. Hudson* and others, of the Township of *Bristol*; praying for certain amendments to the Common School Act.

Of *Pierre Brunelle* and others, of *Cap Blanc*, in the City of *Quebec*; representing that an unjust grant of the lands composing the said *Cap Blanc*, has been made to *E. Baird*, Esquire, in consequence of which they have suffered damage at law,—and praying for an enquiry and relief in the premises.

Of *Firmin Perrin*, Esquire, of the Parish of *Berthier*; representing that he was a creditor of Messieurs *Nelson* and *Deschambault*, to a certain amount in 1837, and that he has suffered loss in consequence of the destruction of their property in 1837-8, and praying indemnification for his said loss.

Of *Firmin Perrin*, Esquire, of the Parish of *Berthier*; praying indemnification for certain Losses sustained by him during the Troubles of 1837-8.

Of *John M^cGolrick* and others, of the City of *Quebec*; complaining of certain grievances in the mode of proceeding by *W. K. M^cCord*, Esquire, Inspector and Superintendent of Police of the said City, in his Magisterial capacity and in the Police Court, and praying relief.

Of the Mayor, and Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of *Toronto*; praying for certain alterations to the proposed Municipal Council Bill.

Of *W. H. Anderson*, Esquire, and others, stockholders and subscribers to the *Quebec Protestant Cemetery Association*; praying for a certain amendment to the Bill to incorporate the *Mount Hermon Cemetery*.

Of *Joshua Wixon* and others, of *Pickering*, Home District; praying that no division may be made of the said District.

Of *Gideon Tiffany* and others, of the Township of *Delaware*; praying that in the proposed division of the District of *London* for electoral purposes, the said Township may remain undivided and attached to the County of *Middlesex*.

Of the Municipal Council of the District of *Ottawa*; praying that the payment of money out of the revenues of the said District, may not be involved in any measure for settling questions arising out of sales of lands by Sheriffs for arrears of taxes.

Of *John M^cConville* and others, of the Parish of