## Wednesday, 8th January, 1896.

The Senate met at Eight o'clock in the evening.

## The Members convened were :---

The Honourable JOHN JONES ROSS, Speaker,

Allow	De Blois,	McClelan,	Poirier,
Allan,			
Almon,	Desjardins,	McDonald (C.B.),	Power,
Angers,	Dever,	McKay,	Primrose,
Armand,	Dickey,	McKindsey,	Prowse,
Arsenault,	Dobson,	McLaren,	Read (Quinté),
Baird,	Drummond,	McMillan,	Reid (Cariboo),
Bellerose,	Ferguson (P.E.I.),	Merner,	Scott,
Bernier	Gowan,	Miller,	Smith (Sir Frank
Bolduc,	Guévremont,	Montplaisir,	Snowball,
Boucherville, de	Landry,	O'Donohoe,	Sullivan,
Boulton,	Lougheed,	O'Brien,	Vidal,
Bowell (Sir Mackenzie),	Macdonald (P.E.I.),	Ogilvie,	Villeneuve,
Casgrain,	MacInnes (Burlington),	Owens,	Wark,
Clemow,	Masson,	Pelletier,	Wood.
Cochrane,	McCallum,	Perley,	

## The Honourable Messieurs

## PRAYERS.

The following Petition was brought up, and laid on the Table :---

By the Honourable Mr. McInnes (Burlington),-Of the Canada and Michigan Tunnel Company.

The Honourable the Speaker reported to the Senate that the Clerk had received several Certificates from the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, and

The same were then read by the Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, CANADA,

OTTAWA, 7th January, 1896.

(Sir Frank),

This is to certify that His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased to summon to the Senate, by Letters Patent, under the Great Seal, bearing date the seventh day of the month of January, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and ninetysix (1896), the Honourable James Cox Aikins, of Toronto, in the Province of Ontario, for the Province of Ontario.

SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU,

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery for Canada.

TO EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN, Esquire, Clerk of the Senate.

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