Message, with correspondence between the Dominion Government and the Governments of *Ontario* and *Quebec*, with other documents respecting the awards of the Arbitrators.

Message, with accompanying Order in Council, and memorandum establishing under the provisions of the Act 33 Vic., chap. 31., regulations respecting the Public Lands in the Province of Manitoba.

The Committee also recommend that the following document be printed in the Sessional Papers only:—

Return made under the 9th sec. of 33 Vic., cap. 40, intituled "An Act to vest in Her Majesty, for the purposes therein mentioned, the property and powers now vested in the Trustees of the Bank of Upper Canada."

The Committee also recommend that the following documents be not printed:-

Return to Address,—Return of sums collected by Customs Officers, &c., for bonds entries, &c., and a statement of what fees, if any, such officers are entitled to receive in connection with their duties.

Report of the Minister of Agriculture in terms of the Census Act.

Royal Canadian Bank Charter, Canada, 1870,

Message with the Annual Reports and Statements of the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, of the receipts and expenditures under the "Harbor and Police Act," and "the sick and distressed Mariners' Relief Act."

Mr. Brousseau, from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, presented to the House the Third Report of the said Committee, which was read. (Appendix No. 1).

Mr. MacFarlane, from the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented to the House the Fourth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have examined the notices given on the following Petitions, and find them sufficient, viz:—Of John Pickard, M.P., and others, for the incorporation of the Fredericton and St. Mary's Bridge Company,—Of Eugéne Chinic, and others, for an increase of capital of La Banque Nationale, and amendments to their Act of incorporation,—Of the Honorable W. P. Howland, and others, for incorporation of the Dominion Life Association,—Of the Quebec Bank,—Of the Ontario Bank,—And of the Great Western Railway Company.

The time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills will expire To-morrow (the 8th instant), and for receiving Private Bills on the 15th instant. Your Committee beg to recommend an extension of the same for two weeks respectively.

On motion of Mr. MacFarlane, seconded by Mr. Kempt,

Ordered, That the time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills be extended to the 22nd instant, and for receiving Private Bills to the 29th instant.

The Honorable Mr. Tupper, a Member of the Honorable the Privy Council, presented, pursuant to an Order of the House of Commons, dated 27th January 1871,—Return shewing the amount paid, and to whom paid, for the sale of postage Stamps, for the year ending 30th June, 1870. (Sessional papers No. 27,)

The Honorable Mr. Langevin, a Member of the Honorable the Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—General Report of the Minister of Public Works, for the fiscal year ending 30th June 1870. (Sessional Papers No. 4.)

A Bill to amend the Census Act, was, according to Order, read the third time. Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.