The Honorable Mr. Howlan moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal,

That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General; praying that His Excellency will be pleased to cause to be laid before this House, a copy of the plans and reports of the late Survey concerning the proposed Sabway between Cape Traverse, Prince Edward Island, and Cape Tormentine, New Brunswick.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and it was

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General by such Members of this House as are Members of the Privy Council.

The Honorable Mr. Glasier moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery,

That a Select Committee be appointed to inquire into the action taken by the Government and payments made or recommended, since the report of a former Select Committee presented to this Honorable House on the 17th March, 1881, by the Honorable Mr. Read, Chairman, and adopted by concurrence of the Whole House on the following day, in relation to "the circumstances of a debt alleged to devolve upon the Dominion Government by the British North America Act, and said to be now due to the Honorable Benjamin Beveridge, James Tibbets and others, but the payment of which is withheld for some cause unknown," and that the said Committee be composed of the Honorable Messieurs Montgomery, Read, Lewin, Trudel, Robitaille, Boyd, Dever, and the mover, with power to send for persons and papers.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

The Order of the Day being read for the reading of the Petition of Margaret Riddell, praying for the passing of a Act to dissolve her marriage with George Field Herchmer,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McKay, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until Thursday, the twelfth day of May next.

The Honorable Mr. Smith moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford,

That the House do now adjourn.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and

The Honorable the Speaker declared the House continued until Wednesday, the eleventh day of May next, at eight o'clock in the evening.