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 VI.—STANDING COMMITTEE ON MISCELLANEOUS PRIVATE BILLS—*continued.*
*Matters referred :*

Instruction (6th May,) to the Committee, to report to the House, to-morrow, the evidence taken which has moved the Committee to report, that the Preamble of the Bill, (No. 141) to amend the Charter of the Metropolitan Gas and Water Company, has not been proven. *Report*, 7th May.

Instruction (12th May,) to the Committee, to report to the House the Bill (No. 260) to authorize a Survey of, and to establish the Concession line between the 7th and 8th Concessions of Clarke, and for other purposes. *Report*, 13th May.

*First Report*, on Bills Nos. 82, 171, 169, 114, 124, 122, 78, 79, 147, 128, 145 and 136, 16th April; *Second Report*, on Bills Nos. 80, 164, 125, 131, 92, 119, 126 and 149, 17th April; *Third Report*, on Bills Nos. 110, 129, 123, 151, 133, 174 and 130, 21st April; *Fourth Report*, on Bills Nos. 192, 88, 118, 86 and 146, 23rd April; *Fifth Report*, on Bills Nos. 148, 85, 94, 132, 84 and 141, 28th April; *Sixth Report*, on Bills Nos. 134, 185 and 87, 29th April; *Seventh Report*, on Bills Nos. 140, 155, 175, 154, 187, 116 and 193, 30th April; *Eighth Report*, on Bills Nos. 202, 201, 139, 143, 190, 236, 172 and 216, 4th May; *Ninth Report*, on Bills Nos. 113 and 112, 5th May; *Tenth Report*, on Bills Nos. 178, 177, 264, 159 and 299, 6th May; *Eleventh Report*, on Bill No. 217, 7th May; *Twelfth Report*, on Bills Nos. 127, 228, 276, 254 and 237, 8th May; *Thirteenth Report*, on Bills Nos. 194, 215, 280, 268, 212 and 81, 11th May; *Fourteenth Report*, on Bills Nos. 233, 247 and 260, 12th May; *Fifteenth Report*, on Bills Nos. 255, 271, 234, 121, 102 and 260, 13th May; *Sixteenth Report*, on Bills Nos. 315 and 157, 14th May; *Seventeenth Report*, on Bills Nos. 285, 252, 245, 137, 296, 272, 303, 229, 328, 326, 298 and 230, 15th May; *Eighteenth Report*, on Bills Nos. 257, 336, 281 and 314, 18th May; *Nineteenth Report*, on Bills Nos. 259, 198, 334, 138, 316, 228 and 308, 19th May; *Twentieth Report*, on Bills Nos. 327, 213 and 212, 20th May; *Twenty-first Report*, on Bills Nos. 266, 83, 321, 238 and 325, 23rd May; *Twenty-second Report*, on Bills Nos. 349 and 232, 26th May; *Twenty-third Report*, on Bills Nos. 273, 270 and 332, 27th May; *Twenty-fourth Report*, on Bills Nos. 362, 318, 352, 371, 351, 348, 191, 353, 350, 286, 375, 330 and 214, 29th May; *Twenty-fifth Report*, on Bill No. 319, 30th May; *Twenty-sixth Report*, on Bills Nos. 390, 302, 373, 389 and 382, 5th June; and *Twenty-seventh Report*, on Bill No. 307, 6th June.

## VII.—STANDING COMMITTEE ON STANDING ORDERS.

It is the duty of this Committee to take into consideration, without a special reference, all Petitions for Private or Local Bills that may from time to time be received by the House, and to report in each case whether the provisions of the Rules with regard to the publication of Notices, have been complied with.

The following abstract taken from the Private Bill Register, will convey the judgment of the Committee in reference to the various Petitions taken into their consideration, as far as regards the compliance or non-compliance with the Rules of the House affecting applications for Private Bills. The number prefixed to each entry refers to the number of the application in the Register, on examining which fuller particulars of the progress of the Committee, in investigating the same, can be obtained. The date of the Report in each case is given, where such Report was unfavorable, or was not followed up by the introduction of a Bill. But if a Bill was reported, or was subsequently introduced reference is given to the Schedule of Bill for its full title, and the proceedings thereon, and the date of the Report of the Committee is omitted, as being superfluous and unnecessary in the present digest, which professes merely to give the final result of the several applications enumerated.