

No. 56.

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, HOUSE OF COMMONS.

OTTAWA, WEDNESDAY, 9TH MARCH, 1881

PRAYERS.

One Petition was brought up, and laid on the Table.

Mr. *Domville*, from the Select Standing Committee on *Banking and Commerce*, presented the Sixth Report of the Committee, reporting the Bill No. 69 from the Senate, intitled: "An Act respecting "*La Banque Ville-Marie*," without amendment.

The Committee have also considered the Bill No. 62 respecting "The Citizens Insurance Company of Canada," and would recommend that the said Bill *be withdrawn*, and that the fees paid thereon, less the cost of printing and translation, *be re-funded*.

On motion of Mr. *Domville*, the fees paid on the last mentioned Bill, were ordered *to be re-funded*, less the cost of printing and translation, and the Bill withdrawn in accordance with the recommendation of the said Committee, as contained in their Sixth Report.

Mr. *Langevin*, from the Select Standing Committee on *Railways, Canals, and Telegraph Lines*, presented the Fourth Report of the said Committee, which is as follows:—

The Committee would recommend that there be prepared for the use of this Committee, special Railway Maps, indicating clearly and in different colors:—

1. Each Railway now in operation.
2. Railways for which Charters have been granted, and which are in course of construction.
3. Railways for which Charters have been asked during this Session, and which have been granted.
4. The through lines of Railways, to, and from the United States.
5. The through lines of Railways from the West to the Maritime Provinces and Ports thereof;— and
6. The branch and feeding lines to the Main lines.

Mr. *Langevin* presented,—Return to Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 11th ult. ; for Copies of all Correspondence between the Government and *Michel Mathieu*, Esquire, Advocate, M.P.P., or any other person, in relation to the purchase of a property for the establishment of a Post Office in the Town of Sorel.