

Also,—The Report, Evidence on the Export Cattle Trade of Canada taken at Montreal, Quebec and Three Rivers before Mr. Wm. Smith, Deputy Minister of Marine of Canada.

Also,—The Summary Report of the Geological Survey Department for the year 1890.

Also,—The Public Accounts for the Fiscal Year ended 30th June, 1890.

And also,—Report of Evidence taken by Mr. Wm. Smith, Deputy Minister of Marine, relative to the carrying of Deck Loads of Timber and Deals during the winter months.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table, and they are as follows:—

(*Vide Sessional Papers, Nos. 18, 17, 3, 7, 7b, 17a, 7c.*)

The Honourable the Speaker presented to the House,—A Statement of Affairs of the British Canadian Loan and Investment Company, for the year ended 31st December, 1890; also, a list of Shareholders on 31st December, 1890.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table, and they are as follows:—

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 56.*)

The Honourable the Speaker presented to the House,—The Report of the Clerk respecting the absence for two consecutive Sessions of the Honourable George Alexander.

The same was then read by the Clerk and is as follows:—

THE SENATE,
CLERK'S OFFICE,
4th May, 1891.

In conformity with the 10th Rule of the Senate, I have the honour to report for the information of the House that the Honourable George Alexander, Member of the Senate for the Province of Ontario, has failed to give his attendance in the Senate for the last two consecutive Sessions of the last Parliament.

Firstly.—For and during the third Session of the Sixth Parliament, which was opened on the thirty-first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, and prorogued on the second day of May of the same year.

Secondly.—For and during the fourth Session of the Sixth Parliament, which was opened on the sixteenth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety, and prorogued on the sixteenth day of May of the same year.

EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN,
Clerk of the Senate.

The Honourable,
The Speaker of the Senate,
Ottawa.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honourable Mr. Carling, it was

Ordered, That the Report of the Clerk be referred to the Committee appointed to consider the Orders and Customs of this House and Privileges of Parliament; the Committee to meet to-morrow at a quarter to three o'clock, p.m., in the Senate Chamber.

Then, on motion of the Honourable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honourable Mr. Carling,

The House adjourned.