

By Mr. Malloch,—The Petition of the Reverend T. Smith and others, Roman Catholics of Upper Canada.

By Mr. Fortier,—The Petition of J. P. Pacaud and others, of Arthabaska and other Townships; and the Petition of Jean Gaulette and others, of Stanfold and other Townships.

By Mr. Price,—The Petition of Joseph Richard Thompson, of the Township of Brock, Home District.

By Mr. M'Farland,—The Petition of Archibald Thompson and others, of the Township of Stamford, District of Niagara; the Petition of Robert Hobson and others, District Councillors and Magistrates of the District of Niagara; the Petition of Charles Park and others, of the District of Niagara; and the Petition of Solomon Doan and others, of the Township of Crowland, District of Niagara.

By Mr. DeWitt,—The Petition of the Reverend Messire Charland and others, of St. Clément and other Parishes, County of Beauharnois.

By the Honorable Mr. Attorney General Baldwin,—The Petition of William Bagshaw and others, of the Township of Brock, Home District; and the Petition of Patrick Finn and others, Trustees of the Roman Catholic separate School of the Town of Niagara.

By Mr. Macdonald of Glengary,—The Petition of L. Duvernay and others, Proprietors of Newspapers in the City of Montreal.

By Mr. Christie,—The Petition of Joseph Meagher, Esquire, and others, of the Township of La Nouvelle, County of Bonaventure; the Petition of J. Douglas, Esquire, and others, of the City of Quebec; the Petition of James Cormier and others, of the Magdalen Islands; and the Petition of Archibald Norman and others, of the District of Gaspé.

Ordered, That the Honorable Mr. Boulton have leave to bring in a Bill to authorize the formation of Joint Stock Companies in Upper Canada, for the construction of Plank, Gravelled, or Macadamized Roads therein.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read for the first time; and ordered to be read a second time, on this day three weeks.

Ordered, That the Honorable Mr. Boulton have leave to bring in a Bill to alter the Law relating to the limitation of Actions in this Province.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read for the first time; and ordered to be read a second time, on Thursday next.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Attorney General Baldwin, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Price,

Ordered, That the Order of the twenty-second March last, for the attendance of John George Vansittart, Esquire, Returning Officer for the County of Oxford at the last General Election, at the Bar of this House, on the fourth day of the present Session, be discharged.

Ordered, That the time granted to the said John George Vansittart, Esquire, to produce evidence in relation to his conduct at the said Election, be extended to Monday next; and that he do attend at the Bar of this House on that day.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Attorney General Baldwin, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Attorney General LaFontaine,

The House adjourned until Monday next.

Lunæ, 22<sup>o</sup> die Januarii;

ANNO 12<sup>o</sup> VICTORIÆ REGINÆ, 1849.

THE Honorable Marc Paschal de Sales LaTerrère, Mr. Laterrère takes his seat.  
Member for the County of Saguenay, having previously taken the Oath, according to Law, and subscribed before the Commissioners the Roll containing the same, took his seat in the House.

The following Petitions were severally brought up, and laid on the Table:—

By Mr. Thompson,—The Petition of Abraham Nash and others, of the Township of Cayuga, District of Niagara; the Petition of the President, Directors, and Company of the Gore Bank; and the Petition of John Jones and others, of the Township of Walpole.

By Mr. M'Lean,—The Petition of Adam Cockburn and others, of Finch, and the adjoining Townships.

By the Honorable Mr. Cameron, of Kent,—The Petition of John E. W. Daly, Esquire, and others, of North Easthope and other Townships, in the County and District of Huron, and of others of the Government Lands north of the eastern section of the said District.

By Mr. Duchesnay,—The Petition of G. O. Stuart, Esquire, and others, of the City of Quebec, and of the Counties of Quebec and Portneuf.

By Mr. M'Farland,—The Petition of Alexander Douglas and others, of the District of Niagara; and the Petition of Charles Park and others, of the vicinity of the Welland River and the Welland Canal, District of Niagara.

By Mr. Fortier,—The Petition of the Corporation of the College of Nicolet.

By Sir Allan N. MacNab,—The Petition of Hugh C. Baker, Esquire, President, and others the Vice-President and Directors of the Canada Life Assurance Company.

By Mr. Smith, of Wentworth,—The Petition of Alfred Digby and others, of Brantford and other Townships.

By Mr. Wetenhall,—The Petition of the Trafalgar, Esquesing, and Erin Road Company.

By Mr. Fournier,—The Petition of F. X. Fournier and others, of the Parish of Saint Jean Port Joli.

By Mr. Polette,—The Petition of Mrs. Julie Angélique Badeaux, of the Town of Three Rivers, widow of the late Louis Charles Cressé, Esquire.

By Mr. Morrison,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the Home District (Boundary Lines.)

By Mr. DeWitt,—The Petition of Robert Barrie and others, of the western division of Hinchinbrooke and Godmanchester; the Petition of Fisher Ames and others, of the County of Beauharnois, and the Petition of M. A. Primeau and A. A. Trottier, of the County of Beauharnois.

By Mr. Egan,—The Petition of Peter Aylen and others, of the County of Ottawa; and the Petition of James Wadsworth and others, of the County of Ottawa.

By Mr. Cauchon,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of Rimouski (Court House and Gaol;) the Petition of N. M'Farlane and others, of the Fief Marie Anne, District of Three Rivers; and the Petition of Joseph Smolinski, of Montreal.

By Mr. Dumas,—The Petition of Alexandre M. Delisle and B. H. LeMoine, of the City of Montreal, Esquires, and of Jean Bte. Debien, junior, of the Parish of Ste. Rose, in the District of Montreal.

By Mr. Davignon,—The Petition of J. A. C. Marchand and others, of the Counties of Chambly, Rouville, and Huntingdon.

By the Honorable Mr. Sherwood,—The Petition of the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of Toronto,

Joint Stock  
Road Com-  
panies (U. C.)  
Bill.

Limitation of  
Actions Bill.

Oxford Elec-  
tion.