

Of the Canada and Michigan Tunnel Company; praying for the passing of an Act defining the time of or for extending the time for commencing and completing the said Tunnel.

Of the Niagara Grand Island Bridge Company; praying for the passing of an Act extending the time for the commencement and completion of their proposed Bridge.

Of the Canada Southern Railway Company; praying for the passing of the Bill to extend the time for the commencement and completion of the proposed works of the Niagara Grand Island Bridge Company.

Of the Canada Southern Railway Company and the Provisional Directors of the River St. Clair Railway Bridge and Tunnel Company; praying for the passing of an Act extending the time for the commencement and completion of the proposed works of the latter Company.

Of Rufus Henry Pope and others, of the Town of Cookshire, in the County of Compton and Province of Quebec; praying for the passing of an Act incorporating them as the Lake Megantic Railway Company.

Of E. Franklin Clements and others, of the Town of Yarmouth, in the Province of Nova Scotia; praying for the passing of an Act incorporating them as the New York, New England and Canada Company.

Of the Wood Mountain and Qu'Appelle Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act extending the time for the completion of their works, and for other purposes.

Of C. V. Alloway and others, of the City of Winnipeg; praying to be incorporated as the Lac Seul Railway Company.

Of the Montreal and Ottawa Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act extending the time for the completion of their Railway.

Of the Atlantic and North-west Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act extending the time for the completion of their Railway.

Of the Municipal Council of the Township of Tilbury East; praying for the passing of a Bill incorporating the St. Clair and Erie Canal Company.

Of the Municipal Council of the Township of Romney, in the Province of Ontario; praying for the passing of the Bill incorporating the St. Clair and Erie Canal Company.

Of the Municipal Councils of the Township of Tilbury, North Mersea, and the Village of Tilbury Centre, all in the Province of Ontario; praying for the passing of the Bill incorporating the St. Clair and Erie Canal Company;—and

Of the Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Company; praying for the passing of an Act making provision for the redemption of certain Bonds and Debentures, authorizing the issue of new Bonds and Debentures, and for other purposes.

The Honourable Mr. Bowell, Minister of Trade and Commerce, presented to the House,—A statement *re* Fishing Bounty payments for 1892–93, required by Chapter 96 Revised Statutes, for submission to Parliament.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table, and it is as follows:—

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 35b.*)

The Honourable Mr. Bowell, Minister of Trade and Commerce, presented to the House,—Report of the Board of Civil Service Examiners, for the year ended 31st December, 1893.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table, and it is as follows:—

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 16b.*)

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (A) intituled: "An Act to amend the 'Harbour Masters' Act.'"

(*In the Committee.*)

After some time the House was resumed, and