

By the Honorable Mr. *McMaster*,—Of the Reverend *Robert Alexander Fyfe*, and others, of the Provinces of *Ontario* and *Quebec*.

By the Honorable Mr. *Read*,—Of *John Stewart*, of the City of *Kingston*, in the Province of *Ontario*.

By the Honorable Mr. *Pelletier*,—Of the *Quebec Fire Insurance Company*.

By the Honorable Mr. *Penny*,—Of *George F. Johnston*, of the City of *Montreal*, in the Province of *Quebec*.

By the Honorable Mr. *Simpson*,—Of *David Fisher*, of the City of *Toronto*, in the County of *York*, and *Jane Mahina Draper*, of the Town of *Whitby*, Widow, Province of *Ontario*.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petition was read :—

Of the *Stadacona Fire and Life Insurance Company*; praying for an Act to amend the Act of Incorporation of the said Company, authorizing the reduction of its capital stock, and for other purposes.

The Honorable the Speaker presented to the House the following certificate from the Clerk of the Senate :—

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE SENATE,
Wednesday, 13th February, 1878.

In the matter of *George F. Johnston's* Petition for a Bill of Divorce.

I hereby certify that I have received from the Petitioner the fee of two hundred dollars, in accordance with the 83rd Rule of this House.

ROBERT LAFLOUPE,
Clerk of the Senate.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honorable the Speaker presented to the House,—A List of the Shareholders of *La Banque Nationale* made up to the 16th April, 1877.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 15.*)

The Honorable Mr. *Pelletier*, Minister of Agriculture, presented to the House Tables of the Trade and Navigation of the Dominion of *Canada* for the fiscal year ending 30th June, 1877.

And also the Report of the Minister of Agriculture for the Dominion of *Canada* for the calendar year 1877.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, Nos. 2 and 9.*)

The Honorable Mr. *Bureau* moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. *Penny*, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying that he will be pleased to cause to be laid before this House, copies of all documents and pleadings relating to the questions decided by the award rendered at *Halifax*, on the subject of the indemnity of five million five hundred thousand