Of W. Brydone Jack, President of the University of New Brunswick; praying that that Institution may be placed on the same footing as the Universities of Ontario and Quebec with respect to the grant of money for Meteorological and other observations.

Of the Union Bank of Lower Canada; praying for the passing of an Act to authorize an increase of the Capital Stock of the said Bank, by one million of dollars, to extend the time for the payment of the present capital, and for other purposes.

Of the Nova Scotia Auxiliary Bible Society; praying to be exempted from the payment of a duty of five per cent., on all copies of the Holy Scriptures imported by the said Society.

The Honorable Mr. Campbell presented to the House a Bill intituled "An Act to "make further provision for the Government of the North West Territories."

The said Bill was read for the first time.

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

The Honorable Mr. Campbell acquainted the House that he had a Message from His Excellency the Governor General under his sign Manual which His Excellency had commanded him to deliver to this House.

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

LISGAR,

The Governor General transmits for the information of the Senate the accompanying Order in Council, and Memorandum establishing, under the provisions of the Act 33 Victoria, chapter 3, Regulations respecting the Public Lands in the Province of Manitoba.

Government House Ottawa, 1st March, 1871.

(For Order in Council, &c., Vide Sessional Papers.)

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

Then on motion of the Honorable Mr. Hamilton (Kingston), seconded by the Honorable Mr. Holmes,

The House adjourned.