By the Honorable Mr. Páquet,-Of Hubert Belisle, and others, Pilots for the S Ports of Quebec and Montreal.

By the Honorable Mr. Mc Master, -Of the Municipal Council of the County of I Grey, in the Province of Ontario.

By the Honorable Mr. Reesor,-Of the Ontario Mutual Life Assurance Company.

By the Honorable Mr. Leonard,—Of the Municipal Council of the Town of St. Thomas, in the Province of Ontario.

By the Honorable Mr. Penny,—Of Charles A. M. Globensky, of St. Eustache, in the Province of Quebec; and of the Montreal Building Association.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read :-

Of John Walker, and others, of London and Toronto, in the Province of Ontario; praying for an Act to allow any Railway Company to cross the tracks of the Grand Trunk Railway Company at such place between John and York Streets, in the City of Toronto, as may be necessary to obtain access to a certain wharf and water-lot, and

Of Margaret Jones, President, and Bella Lightbody, Secretary of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of the Town of Brantford, in the Province of Ontario; praying that during the present Session an Act be passed to amend the Temperance Act of 1864.

The Honorable the Speaker presented to the House,—A List of the Shareholders of the Quebec Bank, made up to the 31st December, 1877.

Also, a List of the Shareholders of Exchange Bank of Canada, made up to the 12th February, 1878.

Also, a List of the Shareholders of the Bank Ville Marie, made up to the 4th February, 1878.

And also a List of the Shareholders of The National Investment Company (Limited), made up to the 31st December, 1877.

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

(Vide Sessional Papers, No. )

The Honorable Mr. Scott, Secretary of State, presented to the House the Official Return of the distribution of the Dominion Statutes of Canada, 40th Vic., 4th Session 3rd Parliament, 1877.

Also, the Annual Report of the Minister of Public Works for the fiscal year, 1st July, 1876, to 30th June, 1877, on the Works under his control.

Also the Tenth An ual Report of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, being for the fiscal year ended 30th June, 1877.

And also the Public Accounts of Canada for the fiscal year ended 30th June, 1877.

(Vide Sessional Papers, No. )

The Honorable Mr. *Pelletier*, Minister of Agriculture, presented to the House the Report of the Postmaster General for the year ending 30th June, 1877. *Ordered*, That the same do lie on the Table and it is as follow :—

(Vide Sessional Papers, No. )