
NOTICES OF MOTIONS.

For Tuesday, 8th March, 1870.

By the Honorable Mr. Bureau.

1870.

3rd March.—That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying that His Excellency will cause the following items of information concerning "La Banque du Peuple," a Branch incorporated by 7 *Vict.*, cap. 66, and whose charter was renewed by 18 *Vict.*, cap. 43, to be laid before this House, viz:—

1. The names of the principal partners and partners *in commendam* on the 1st January last, with the number of shares held by each of them respectively.
2. The names of the present Directors or principal partners, by whom elected or appointed, and the amount of indemnity they receive annually.
3. The names of the cashier or cashiers and other persons employed, and their salaries respectively.
4. The number of immoveables possessed by the said Corporation where situated, and their respective values, and the prices paid for them respectively.
5. The amount of the hypothecary and other collateral securities held by the said Corporation.
6. The amount of the dividends paid since the financial year 1854, of the said bank, that is to say, since the renewal of the charter of the said corporation.
7. The amount of the reserved fund in each of the years since 1854.
8. Whether, in those years, or any of them, (and if so, in which of them,) money was taken from the reserved fund to pay the principal partners semi-annual dividends on the first Mondays of March and September in each of those years, and what amount each year.
9. The amount of the reserved fund at the time of the renewal of the Charter of the said corporation, which would have expired on the 1st June, 1862.
10. Whether, since the creation of the Corporation, and since the renewal of its Charter, the reserved fund, or reserved funds, was or were distributed among the principal partners or partners *in commendam*, in addition to the semi-annual dividends paid to the said partners; and if so, in what years, and to what amount.
11. Whether the reserved fund accumulated under the first Charter, and before its renewal by the Act, 18 *Victoria*, Cap. 43, was divided and distributed among the said principal partners and partners *in commendam*, before the opening of books of subscription for the £200,000 equal to \$800,000, in 16,000 shares of \$50, which the said Corporation was thereby authorized to add to its capital stock.
12. The number and the names of the principal partners or partners *in commendam*, who benefitted by subscribing for new shares, and thereby sharing in the profits of the old reserved fund.