

By Mr. *Caron*,—The Petition of *F. Bellemare* and others, of the Parish of *St. Paulin*, and the Petition of *P. C. Rivard* and others, of the Parish of *St. Léon*, both of the County of *Maskinongé*; and the Petition of *D. Maigret* and others.

By Mr. *Sylvain*,—The Petition of the Reverend *J. B. Gagnon* and others, of the Parish of *St. André*. County of *Kamouraska*; and the Petition of the Reverend *G. Nadeau* and others, of the Parish of *Ste Luce*, of the County of *Rimouski*.

By Mr. *Stirton*,—The Petition of the Municipality of the Township of *Nichol*.

By Mr. *Mackenzie*,—Two Petitions of the Municipal Council of the County of *Lambton*.

By Mr. *Simpson*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Lincoln*.

By Mr. *Benjamin*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Hastings*.

By the Honorable Mr. *McDougall*,—The Petition of the Reverend *W. T. McMullen* and others, of the Town of *Woodstock*.

By Mr. *Morris*,—The Petition of the Presbytery of *Montreal*, in connection with the Church of *Scotland*.

By Mr. *Street*,—The Petition of *James Smith*, of the Town of *Lindsay*.

By Mr. *Alexandre Dufresne*,—The Petition of *Edouard Thomas*, *Belle Isle*.

By Mr. *Scatcherd*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Middlesex*.

By Mr. *Blanchet*,—The Petition of the Reverend *H. Desruisseaux* and others, of the Parish of *St Etienne de Lauzon*, County of *Lévis*.

By Mr. *Jackson*,—The Petition of *R. Roberts* and others, of the Townships of *Holland* and *Sullivan*, County of *Grey*.

Mr. *Langevin*, from the Select Committee appointed to try and determine the matter of the Petition complaining of an undue Election and Return for the County of *Verchères*, informed the House, that *Jean Baptiste Mongenais*, Esquire, a member of the Committee, was not present within one hour after the time appointed for the meeting of the said Committee, this day.

Ordered, That *Jean Baptiste Mongenais*, Esquire, do attend in his place in this House, at its next sitting.

The Honorable Mr. *Sherwood*, from the Select Committee appointed to try and determine the matter of the Petition complaining of an undue Election and Return for the East Riding of the County of *Durham*, informed the House, that *James Morton*, Esquire, a member of the Committee, was not present within one hour after the time appointed for the meeting of the said Committee this day.

Ordered, That *James Morton*, Esquire, do attend in his place in this House, at its next sitting.

The Order of this House of yesterday for the attendance of *James Morton*, Esquire, in his place in this House, this day, being read;

And Mr. *Morton* not attending in his place,

Ordered, That the 85th section of the Act respecting controverted Parliamentary Elections be now read; and the same being read,

Ordered, That *James Morton*, Esquire, being a Member of the Select Committee appointed to try and determine the matter of the Petition complaining of an undue Election and Return for the East Riding of the County of *Durham*, and not being present within one hour after the time appointed for the meeting of the Committee, yesterday, be taken into the custody of the Sergeant-at-Arms attending this House, for such neglect of duty.

The Order of this House of yesterday for the attendance of *Jean Baptiste Mongenais*, Esquire, in his place in this House, this day being read;

And Mr. *Mongenais* not attending in his place,

Ordered, That the 85th section of the Act respecting controverted Parliamentary Elections be now read. and the same being read;

Ordered, That *Jean Baptiste Mongenais*, Esquire, being a member of the Select Committee appointed to try and determine the matter of the Petition complaining of an