Thursday, 6th December, 1906.

The Members convened were:-

The Honourable RAOUL DANDURAND, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Baird. David. Macdonald (P.E.I.), Power, Mackay (Alma), Baker, Davis, Robertson, Béique. De Veber, MacKeen. Ross (Moosejaw), Bernier. McDonald Ross (Halifax). Domville. Bolduc. Douglas. (Cape Breton), Roy. Boucherville, de Edwards. McGregor, Scott. (C.M.G.), Ellis. McHugh, Shehyn, Bowell Ferguson. McKay (Truro), Sullivan. (Sir Mackenzie), Fiset, McLaren. Talbot, Carling (Sir John), Gibson, McMillan. Thibaudeau Cartwright Godbout. McMullen. (Rigaud). Thibaudeau (Sir Richard), Jaffray, McSweeney. Casgrain Jones. Merner, (de la Vallière), (Windsor), Kerr. Watson, Mitchell. Casgrain King, Montplaisir, Wilson. (de Lanaudière), Kirchhoffer. Wood, Owens, Choquette. Landry. Perley. Yeo. Cloran, Legris, Poirier, Young. Coffey, Lougheed,

PRAYERS.

The following Petitions were severally brought up, and laid on the Table:—
By the Honourable Mr. McMullen,—Of the St. Mary's and Western Ontario
Railway Company.

By the Honourable Mr. Mitchell,—Of the George E. Smith Lumber Company. By the Honourable Mr. Jaffray,—Of the British America Assurance Company;

By the Honourable Mr. Bernier, for the Honourable Mr. Forget,—Of the Royal Victoria Life Insurance Company.

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

Of William A. Damen, praying for the passing of an Act to extend the period of duration of certain letters patent for improvements to rubber tires for bicycles.

The Honourable Mr. Scott, Secretary of State, presented to the Senate,—Return to an Address of the Senate, dated the 5th June, 1906, for:—

1. A copy of the petitions signed by the citizens of Quebec protesting against the choice of the place where Sir Charles Ross has built his rifle factory.

2. A copy of the petitions sent by certain persons asking the Government to increase the land placed at the disposition of Sir Charles Ross.

3. A copy of the plan of the land leased by the Government to Sir Charles Ross for the purposes of his rifle factory.