

Wednesday, 12th April, 1899.

The members convened were:—

The Honourable Sir *CHARLES ALPHONSE PANTALÉON PELLETIER*,
K.C.M.G., Speaker,

The Honourable Messieurs

Aikins,	Cox,	MacKeen,	Owens,
Allan,	Dandurand,	McCallum,	Perley,
Almon,	Dever,	McDonald (C. B.),	Poirier,
Baird,	Dickey,	McKay,	Power,
Baker,	Dobson,	McKindsey,	Primrose,
Bellerose,	Drummond,	McLaren,	Prowse,
Bernier,	Ferguson,	McMillan,	Reid,
Bolduc,	Fiset,	McSweeney,	Ross,
Boucherville, de (C.M.G.),	Forget,	Merner,	Sanford,
Boulton,	Kirchhoffer,	Miller,	Scott,
Bowell (Sir Mackenzie),	Landry,	Mills,	Vidal,
Carmichael,	Lovitt,	Montplaisir,	Villeneuve,
Casgrain,	Macdonald (Victoria),	O'Brien,	Wark.
Clemow,	MacInnes,	O'Donohoe,	Yeo.

PRAYERS.

The following Petitions were severally brought up, and laid on the Table:—

By the Honourable Mr. Clemow,—Of C. Ross and others, of the City of Ottawa; of the Hull Electric Company; and of the Portage du Fort and Bristol Railway Company.

By the Honourable Mr. Dobson.—Of J. C. Taylor and others, Provisional Directors of the Lindsay, Bobcaygeon and Pontypool Railway Company.

By the Honourable Mr. Cox,—Of the James Bay Railway Company; of the Nipissing and James Bay Railway Company; and of the Dominion Bank and the Guarantee and Pension Fund Society of the Dominion Bank.

By the Honourable Mr. Kirchhoffer,—Of James Arthur Seybold and others.

By the Honourable Mr. Drummond,—Of Achille Gagnon and others, of Arthabaska-ville and elsewhere.

By the Honourable Sir Mackenzie Bowell,—Of the Huron and Erie Loan and Savings Company.

By the Honourable Mr. Bellerose,—Of the Montreal Island Belt Line Railway Company.

The Honourable Mr. Macdonald (Victoria), from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their Second Report.

Ordered, That it be received, and

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

THE SENATE,

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,

WEDNESDAY, 12th April, 1899.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders have the honour to make their Second Report.

Your Committee have examined the following Petitions and find that sufficient notice has been given in each case:—