Mr. DeCosmos moved, seconded by Mr. Roscoe, That there be laid before this House, copy of a Return containing a Report and Chart of the latest British Admiralty Survey of Portland Channel, the eastern water boundary between British Columbia and Alaska; And a Debate arising thereupon:—The said Motion was, with leave of the House. withdrawn.

On motion of Mr. Langevin, seconded by Mr. Cimon,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House, a Return giving: 1st,—A detailed statement of all sums of money received by *Pierre Alexis Tremblay*, Esquire, Land Surveyor, in connection with the Ordnance Lands in 1876 and 1877;

2nd,—A statement showing all the sums of money received during the said two years by *Dorila Tremblay*, as Lighthouse Keeper at *Portneuf*, from the Department of Marine and Fisheries;

3rd,—A similar statement about *Hilaire Tremblay*, as Lighthouse Keeper at *Baie St. Paul*;

4th.—A similar statement about *Thomas Tremblay*, for services rendered by him in the Department of Marine and Fisheries, in the *Quebec* Agency;

5th,—A similar statement about William Tremblay, for services rendered by him in the same Department, Quebec Agency;

6th,—A similar statement about Simon Tremblay, as mail carrier, from the St. Alphonse and Chicoutimi Wharves, to the Chicoutimi Post Office;

7th,—A similar statement about Louis Guay, as Lighthouse Keeper at Tadousac; 8th,—A similar statement about J. A. Gagné, Esquire, Official Assignee at Chicoutimi, for services rendered by him in connection with the arrest of certain parties on the Island of Anticosti;

9th,—A similar statement about Mr. Johnny Guay, Merchant, of Chicoutimi, for services rendered by him in the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Quebec Agency, and in the Department of Public Works, in connection with the Lighthouses, Lighthouse Keepers, buoys, range-lights, and the Government wharves and slides in the Counties of Chicoutimi and Saguenay.

On motion of Mr. Tupper, seconded by Sir John A. Macdonald,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House, a copy of all correspondence respecting the removal of the Post Office at South Gut of St. Anns, County of Victoria, Nova Scotia.

On motion of Mr. Tupper, seconded by Sir John A. Macdonald.

Ordered, That there be laid before this House, copies of all papers and correspondence regarding the conveyance of the mails between *Port Hastings* and *Grand Narrows* in *Nova Scotia*, shewing the amount of the contract and whether the lowest tender was awarded the contract; also all subsequent correspondence regarding the -changing of the route.

On motion of Mr. Pope (Queen's, P.E.I.), seconded by Mr. Musson,

Ordered. That there be laid before this House, copy of the Government Engineer's Report on Victoria Harbour and Breakwater at Wood Island; and copies of all communications received since last Session, relating to the said works.

Mr. Domville moved, seconded by Mr. Plumb, and the Question being proposed, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence between the Government, or any person connected with the Public Works or Railway Department, and any company or individual respecting the distribution or loan of old rails, not yet submitted to Parliament;