

Of the President and Corporation of the College of *Chambly*; praying aid in support of the said College.

Of Mrs. *Mary H. Mountain* and others, the Ladies Managers of the Male Orphan Asylum of *Quebec*; praying aid in support of the said Asylum.

Of *T. Panneton* and others, of the Parish of *Three Rivers*; praying for the adoption of a more equitable system of exacting tithes in *Lower Canada*.

Of the Municipal Council of the District of *Newcastle*; praying for certain amendments to the Common School Act.

Of *Joseph Morrin*, Esquire, and others, Physicians and Surgeons, members and professors of the School of Medicine of *Quebec*; praying a grant of money in aid of the said School.

Of *Olivier Blais*, of the City of *Quebec*, seaman; praying indemnification for loss sustained by him, to the amount of forty-one pounds eight shillings and ninepence currency, in conveying certain Emigrants from *Quebec* to *Miramichi*, (*New Brunswick*), at the request of the Chief Emigrant Agent.

Of *William Price*, Esquire, and others, of the City of *Quebec* and its vicinity; praying that the Duties on salted and fresh provisions, grain and flour, be repealed.

Of *John Bechton* and others, of *Canada West*; praying that the jurisdiction of the Division Courts in *Upper Canada* be extended.

Of the Reverend *Alexander Macdonell* and others, of the Parish of *St. Luke*, including the Townships of *North* and *South Plantaganet*, *Alfred*, and part of *Caledonia*; praying that the waste lands of the Crown and the Clergy Reserve Lands in the said Parish be reduced in price, or granted free of charge to actual settlers.

Of *Robert Conroy* and others, of *Bytown* and its vicinity; praying the College of *Bytown* may receive a like support by Legislative aid as the other Colleges of *Upper Canada*.

Of *Henry P. Croft* and others, of the Parish of *St. Louis de Kamouraska*; praying certain amendments to the Law for the protection and preservation of certain game and wild fowl.

Of *E. C. Thomas*, President, and *Thomas M. Simons*, Secretary of the "*Hamilton and Gore Mechanics' Institute*;" praying an Act of Incorporation for the said Institution.

On motion of Mr. *Jobin*, seconded by Mr. *Boutillier*,

Ordered, That the Select Committee appointed to try the merits of the Petition complaining of an undue Election and Return for the County of *Stormont*, have leave to adjourn until Tuesday, the twentieth day of February next, at noon.

Ordered, That the Petition of the *Montreal and Lachine* Railroad Company; the Petition of *Thomas W. Lloyd*, President, and others, Officers and Members of the *St. George's* Society of *Quebec*; the Petition of the Corporation of the City of *Kingston*, and of divers inhabitants of the said City; and the Petition of *Alexandre M. Delisle* and *B. H. LeMoine*, of the City of *Montreal*, Esquires, and of *Jean Bte. Debien*, junior, of the Parish of *Ste. Rose*, in the District of *Montreal*, be referred to the Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

Ordered, That the Petition of *Alexander Parker* and others, of *Caledonia* and other Townships, in the District of *Ottawa*, be referred to the Standing Committee on Road and Bridge Bills.

Ordered, That the Petition of *Joseph Smolinski*, of *Montreal*, be referred to the Standing Committee on Contingencies.

Ordered, That the Petition of *Alexander Douglas* and others, of the District of *Niagara*, be referred to the Standing Committee on Railroad and Telegraph Line Bills.

Resolved, That the Petition of *James M'Kenzie* and others, Merchants, Ship-riggers, and others interested in the trade of Ship-building at *Quebec*, be referred to a Select Committee, composed of Mr. *Méthot*, Mr. *Lenieur*, Mr. *Cauchon*, Mr. *Egan*, and Mr. *Laurin*, to examine the contents thereof, and to report thereon with all convenient speed; with power to send for persons, papers, and records.

The Honorable Mr. *Price*, one of Her Majesty's Executive Council, presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Geological Report on the North Shore of *Lake Huron*, by *W. E. Logan*, Esquire, Provincial Geologist.

For the said Report, see Appendix (G.)

Ordered, That five hundred copies of the said Report be printed for the use of the Members of this House.

Mr. *Scott*, of *Two Mountains*, from the Select Committee to which was referred the Petition of *Joseph Ouimette* and others, of *St. Eustache* and other Parishes, in the County of *Two Mountains*, presented to the House the Report of the said Committee, which was again read, as followeth:—

Your Committee having duly considered the merits of the Petition referred to them, unanimously agree to submit the same to the favorable consideration of your Honorable House.

Ordered, That the Entries in the Journals of this House of the 17th and 25th June, and 4th July, 1847, and 9th March, 1848, relative to the *Bytown* and *L'Orignal* Road, be referred to the Standing Committee on Road and Bridge Bills.

On motion of Mr. *Macdonald*, of *Glengary*, seconded by Mr. *Holmes*,

Ordered, That the Petition of *William K. M'Kenzie*, of *L'Orignal*, in the County of *Prescott*, Esquire, complaining of the undue Election and Return of *Thomas Hall Johnson*, Esquire, as a Member to represent the County of *Prescott* in this present Parliament, be taken into consideration by this House, on Monday, the twenty-sixth day of February next, at the hour of four o'clock P.M.; and that notice to that effect, in writing, be forthwith given by Mr. Speaker to the Petitioner, his counsel or agent, and to the sitting Member, his counsel or agent, according to the provisions of the second clause of an Act passed, by the Parliament of *Upper Canada*, during the fourth year of the Reign of His late Majesty *George* the Fourth, chapter four.

Ordered, That the Petition of *William Price*, Esquire, and others, of the City of *Quebec* and its vicinity, be printed for the use of the Members of this House.

On motion of Mr. *Davignon*, seconded by Mr. *Boutillier*,

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee, to consider the expediency of amending the Ordinance 4 Vic. c. 16, in so far as it relates to the manner of levying

Stormont Election.

Petition of the Lachine Railroad Company; Of T. W. Lloyd and others; Of the Corporation of Kingston; Of A. M. Delisle and others;

Of A. Parker and others;

Of J. Smolinski;

Of A. Douglas and others;

Of J. M'Kenzie and others, referred.

Geological Report.

Appendix (G.)

Report on Petition of J. Ouimette and others.

Bytown and L'Orignal Road.

Prescott Election.

Petition of W. Price and others.

Longueuil and Chambly Turnpike Road.