

By Mr. *Sidney Smith*,—The Petition of *Ephraim Doolittle* and others, of the Township of *Haldimand*, County of *Northumberland*.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Sir *Allan N. MacNab*, seconded by Mr. Solicitor General *Smith*,

The House adjourned until Monday next.

Monday, 18th February, 1856.

THE following Petitions were severally brought up, and laid on the table:—

By Mr. *Jobin*,—The Petition of the Reverend *L. Guyon, Curé*, and others, of the Parish of *Ste. Elizabeth*; two Petitions of the Reverend *J. B. St. Germain, Curé*, of the Parish of *St. Laurent, Island of Montreal*; and the Petition of *Joseph Allard* and others.

By Mr. *Papin*,—The Petition of the Mechanics' Institute and Library Association of *Lanoraie*; and the Petition of the Corporation of the College of *L'Assomption*.

By the Honorable Mr. *Merritt*,—The Petition of *T. N. Ball* and others, inhabitants of the Township of *Thorold*, County of *Welland*.

By Mr. *Charles Daoust*,—The Petition of the Institut Canadien of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Powell*,—Four Petitions of the Municipal Council of the County of *Carlton*.

By Mr. *Angus Morrison*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Simcoe*.

By the Honorable Mr. *Cameron*,—The Petition of *Ogle R. Gowan*, of the City of *Toronto*, Grand Master of the Orange Association, and others.

By Mr. *Antoine Aimé Dorion*,—The Petition of Sister *M. J. Hainault dite Deschamps* and others, Sisters of Charity, in charge of the General Hospital in the City of *Montreal*; the Petition of *Louis Leclaire* and others, of the City of *Montreal*; and the Petition of *G. H. Ryland*, Vice-President, and *Thomas Austin*, Secretary-Treasurer of the Association of Registrars in *Lower Canada*.

By the Honorable Mr. *Young*,—The Petition of *Jacques Viger*, President, and the Very Reverend *A. F. Truteau*, Secretary, on behalf of the Association of the School of *St. Jacques, Montreal*; and the Petition of the *Quebec Board of Trade*.

By Mr. *Evanturel*,—The Petition of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of *Quebec*.

By Mr. *Loranger*,—The Petition of the Municipality of the Parish of *St. Martin*, County of *Laval*; the Petition of *Michel Bibaud*; the Petition of *William W. Fisher* and others, of the Parish of *St. Bernard de Lacolle*, County of *St. John*; and the Petition of the Reverend *J. D. Laporte* and others, School Commissioners and others, of the Parish of *St. Ambroise de Kildare*, County of *Joliette*.

By Mr. *Jean Baptiste Eric Dorion*,—The Petition of *Hilaire Allard* and others, of the Village of *L'Avenir*; the Petition of *Edouard Bourassa* and others, of the Village of *L'Avenir*; and the Petition of *Charles Charpentier* and others, of the Village of *L'Avenir*.

By Mr. *Brodeur*,—The Petition of Sister *Marie St. Maurice Borgel*, Superior of the Sisters of the Presentation of *Mary*, at *St. Hugues*, County of *Bagot*.

By Mr. *Bell*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the United Counties of *Lanark* and *Renfrew*.