

Monday, 14th September, 1896.

The Members convened were :—

The Honourable *CHARLES ALPHONSE PANTALÉON PELLETIER*, Speaker,

The Honourable Messieurs

Adams,	Cochrane,	MacKeen,	O'Donohoe,
Aikins,	De Blois,	Masson,	Ogilvie,
Allan,	Dever,	McCallum,	Owens,
Almon,	Dickey,	McClelan,	Perley,
Armand,	Dobson,	McDonald (C.B.),	Poirier,
Baird,	Ferguson (P.E.I.),	McInnes (N. Westm'tr.),	Power,
Béchar,	Forget,	McKay,	Primrose,
Bellerose,	Gowan,	McKindsey,	Prowse,
Bernier,	Kirchhoffer,	McLaren,	Reid,
Bolduc,	Landry,	McMillan,	Scott,
Boulton,	Lewin,	Merner,	Snowball,
Bowell (Sir Mackenzie),	Lougheed,	Miller,	Sullivan,
Carling (Sir John),	Macdonald (P.E.I.),	Montplaisir,	Temple,
Casgrain,	Macdonald (Victoria),	Mowat (Sir Oliver),	Vidal,
Clemow,	MacInnes (Burlington),	O'Brien,	Wark,

PRAYERS.

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

By the Honourable Mr. McInnes (New Westminster),—Of Nathan Russell Stone, of the City of Spokane, in the State of Washington, one of the United States of America, and others of the Dominion of Canada.

By the Honourable Mr. McKindsey,—Of S. H. Janes, and others of the City of Toronto and elsewhere.

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

Of W. Templeton and others, of the City of Vancouver, Province of British Columbia; praying for the passing of an Act incorporating them as the Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern Railway Company.

The Honourable the Speaker presented to the Senate,—The accounts and vouchers of the Clerk of the Senate, for the fiscal year ended 30th June, 1896.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable the Speaker presented to the Senate,—A Return from the Clerk of the Senate in reference to the property qualification of Senators.

Ordered That the same do lie on the Table, and it is as follows :—

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE SENATE,

OTTAWA, 8th September, 1896.

In pursuance of the 100th Rule, I have the honour to lay upon the Table of the Senate the following list of the Honourable Senators who have made and filed with me