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MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS  
OF  
**THE SENATE**  
OF CANADA

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Saturday, May 23rd, 1874.

The Members convened, were

The Honorable *DAVID CHRISTIE*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Aikins,</i>	<i>Cormier,</i>	<i>Lacoste,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Alexander,</i>	<i>DeLery,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>Reesor,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Dever,</i>	<i>Letellier de St. Just,</i>	<i>Ryan,</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Dickson,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Dumouchel,</i>	<i>McDonald,</i>	<i>Seymour,</i>
<i>Benson,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>McLelan,</i>	<i>Skead,</i>
<i>Botsford,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McMaster,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Bureau,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>Macdonald,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Guevremont,</i>	<i>Malhiot,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Carrall,</i>	<i>Hamilton (Kingston),</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Wark,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Haviland,</i>	<i>Panet,</i>	<i>Wilmot.</i>
<i>Chapais,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Penny,</i>	
<i>Chinic,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	

PRAYERS :

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

Of *William Adamson*, as Master of the Loyal Orange County Lodge of the City of *Toronto*, in the Province of *Ontario*; praying against the granting of an amnesty to certain persons engaged in the Rebellion in the Province of *Manitoba*.

The Honorable Mr. *Hamilton (Kingston)*, from the Committee on Banking, Commerce, and Railways, to whom was referred the Bill intituled : "An Act to incorporate