

the Counties of *Huron* and *Perth*; severally praying that certain lands belonging to the *Canada Company* may be withdrawn and sold to actual settlers.

Of the Minister and Warden of *St. Peter's Chapel, Quebec*,—and of the Incumbent and Churchwardens of *St. Matthew's Chapel, Quebec*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to remove all doubts as to the legality of a certain Canon or By-law adopted at the Synod of the Diocese of *Quebec*, establishing certain Chapelries within the Parish of *Quebec*.

Mr. *Irvine*, from the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, presented to the House the Eighth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have considered the Bill to confirm and establish the existing line between the 4th and 5th Ranges of the Township of *Buckingham*, and have agreed to an amendment, which they submit for the consideration of Your Honorable House.

Mr. *Somerville*, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented to the House the Twelfth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have considered the Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Wellington*, for the legalization of a certain By-law of the said Corporation for granting a bonus in aid of the construction of the *Wellington, Grey, and Bruce Railway*,—and also a further Petition of the same Council, praying a suspension of the Rules of the House in favor of the foregoing Petition. Your Committee find that no notice was given in this case, and no sufficient reason has been urged to induce them to recommend a suspension of the Rule.

*Ordered*, That the Petition of *William Caniff*, of the Town of *Belleville*, be referred to the Select Committee appointed to assist Mr. Speaker in the direction of the Library of Parliament, so far as the interests of this House are concerned, and to act as Members of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the Library.

The Clerk of the Legislative Council delivered, at the Bar of the House, the following Message:—

The Legislative Council have passed the following Bills of their own, to which they desire the concurrence of this House:—

Bill, intituled, “An Act further to amend the charter of the *Quebec Bank*.”

Bill, intituled, “An Act to amend the Acts relating to the *Canada Landed Credit Company*.”

And then he withdrew.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Solicitor General *Langevin*, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Solicitor General *Cockburn*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Legislative Council, intituled, “An Act further to amend the charter of the *Quebec Bank*,” be now read a first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time, on Tuesday next.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *McDougall*, seconded by Mr. *McConkey*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Legislative Council, intituled, “An Act to amend the Acts relating to the *Canada Landed Credit Company*,” be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time, on Tuesday next.

A Bill to amend chapter thirty-four of the Consolidated Statutes of *Canada*, relating to Patents of Invention, was, according to order, read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Legislative Council, and desire their concurrence.

A Bill respecting the Court of Queen's Bench for *Lower Canada*, was, according to Order, read the third time.