

Act of incorporation;—Of *John Stewart*, for an Act empowering the Court of Queen's Bench of Ontario, to refund the amount deposited with his Petition against the return of the Right Honorable Sir *John A. Macdonald*, as Member for the City of *Kingston*;—Of *John Walker* and others, by their Attorney *Alexander Dixon*, for an Act empowering any other Railway Company to cross the tracks of the Grand Trunk Railway, southwards, between *John* and *York* Streets, in the City of *Toronto*;—Of the *Stadacona* Fire and Life Insurance Company, for an Act empowering them to reduce their capital stock, and for further amendments to their Act of incorporation;—and of the *Montreal* and City of *Ottawa* Junction Railway Company, for an Act to extend the time for the completion of their Railway, and for further amendments to their Act of incorporation.

The time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills having expired, your Committee recommend that the same be extended for ten days, and the time for receiving Private Bills for a like period.

On motion of Mr. *Rymal*, seconded by Mr. *Perry*,

Ordered, That the time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills be extended for ten days; and the time for presenting Private Bill, for a like period.

Resolved, That this House doth concur in the Report of the Special Committee appointed to prepare and report Lists of Members to compose the Select Standing Committees ordered by this House; in so far as it relates to the following Committees, viz: On Privileges and Elections,—On Expiring Laws,—On Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines,—On Miscellaneous Private Bills,—On Printing,—On Public Accounts,—On Banking and Commerce, and on Immigration and Colonization.

On motion of Mr. *Ross (Middlesex)*, seconded by Mr. *Oliver*,

Resolved, That a Message be sent to the Senate requesting that their Honors will unite with this House in the formation of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the subject of the Printing of Parliament, and informing their Honors that the Members of the Select Standing Committee on Printing, viz: Messieurs *Bourassa*, *Bowell*, *Charlton*, *Church*, *Delorme*, *Desjardins*, *De Veber*, *Goudge*, *Lanthier*, *Ross (Middlesex)*, *Ross (Prince Edward)*, *Stephenson*, *Thompson (Haldimand)*, *Trow* and *Wallace (Norfolk)*, will act as Members of the said Joint Committee on Printing.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Ordered, That Mr. *Thomson (Welland)* have leave to bring in a Bill to authorize and confirm the scheme of arrangement of the *Canada* Southern Railway Company. He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Ordered, That Mr. *Oliver* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Ontario* Express and Transportation Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Ordered, That Mr. *Desjardins* have leave to bring in a Bill to authorize the *National* Insurance Company to reduce its capital stock, and for other purposes.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Ordered, That Mr. *Galbraith* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Acts incorporating the *Brockville* and *Ottawa* Railway Company and the *Canada* Central Railway Company, and to provide for the amalgamation of the said Companies.