the City of Quebec, was not introduced on a petition, as a Private Bill, and cannot therefore properly come under the notice of Your Committee.

The Honorable Mr. Attorney General Cartier, from the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill respecting the Code of Civil Procedure of Lower Canada, together with the Commissioners' Report and other papers connected therewith, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General, presented to the House the Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have taken into consideration the Bill in question, and have adopted

it, with amendments.

Your Committee have also taken into consideration the Code of Civil Procedure of Lower Canada, the reports and correspondence relating thereto, and the amendments which have been suggested thereto by the Commissioners charged with its preparation, and which have been submitted to be substituted for different provisions which they represent to be the existing law. Some of the amendments so suggested have not met the approval of Your Committee, and have in consequence been rejected. The other amendments in which Your Committee have concurred, certain others to which they have made modifications and other amendments suggested by themselves, to the provisions of the said Code, are embodied in the Resolutions contained in the Schedule hereunto attached, and to which reference is made in the Bill submitted.

Ordered, That Mr. Currier have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act incorporating the Canadian Institute of the City of Ottawa.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and

read for the first time; and ordered to be read a second time, on Monday next.

Ordered, That the 53rd Rule of this House be suspended as regards a Bill to authorize the Town Council of the Town of Brantford to build a drill shed on a certain piece of land.

Ordered, That Mr. Bown have leave to bring in a Bill to authorize the Town Council

of the Town of Brantford to build a drill shed on a certain piece of land.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read for the first time; and ordered to be read a second time, on Monday next.

The Honorable Mr. Attorney General Cartier, from the Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, presented to the House the Fifth Report of the said

Committee, which was read as followeth:-

Your Committee have considered the Bill to authorize the sale of the *Peterborough* and *Chemong* Lake Railway; the Bill, intituled, "The *Buffalo* and Lake *Huron* Railway "Capitalization Arrears Act, 1866;" and the Bill, from the Legislative Council, intituled, "An Act to incorporate the *Belleville* and *Marmora* Railway Company," and have made several amendments to each, which they humbly submit for the adoption of Your Honorable House.

The Honorable Mr. Rose, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, presented to the House, the Fifth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as fol-

loweth :-

Your Committee have considered the Bill to incorporate the *Dresden* Great Western Oil Company; the Bill to incorporate the *Roxton* Mining Company; the Bill to amend the Charter of the *Quebec* Fire Assurance Company; the Bill to incorporate the Union Fire Ocean and Inland Marine Insurance Company of *Canada*; the Bill, from the Legislative Council, intituled, "An Act further to amend the Charter of the Bank of *Upper Canada*," and have agreed to several amendments to each, which they submit for the consideration of Your Honorable House.

Your Committee have also examined the following Bills from the Legislative Council,

and have agreed to report the same severally, without any amendment:—

Bill, intituled, "An Act to amend the Act passed in the 26th year of Her Majesty's "reign, chaptered 59, intituled, 'An Act to incorporate the St. Lawrence Tow Boat Com-"pany;'"