
Wednesday, April 28th, 1869.

The Members convened were :

The Honorable *Joseph Edouard Cauchon*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Aitkins,</i>	<i>Cormier,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>
<i>Archibald,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Lucoste,</i>	<i>Olivier,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Dickson,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Bensoa,</i>	<i>Duchesnay, A. J.,</i>	<i>Leslie,</i>	<i>Sanborn,</i>
<i>Bill,</i>	<i>Duchesnay, E. H. J.,</i>	<i>Letellier de St. Just,</i>	<i>Seymour,</i>
<i>Blake,</i>	<i>Dumouchel,</i>	<i>Locke,</i>	<i>Shaw,</i>
<i>Botsford,</i>	<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McCrea,</i>	<i>Simpson,</i>
<i>Bourinot,</i>	<i>Ferrier,</i>	<i>McCully,</i>	<i>Skead,</i>
<i>Bureau,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>McDonald,</i>	<i>Tessier,</i>
<i>Burnham,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McMaster,</i>	<i>Wark,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>Mathiot,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Chapuis,</i>	<i>Hamilton (Inkerman),</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Wilson,</i>
<i>Christie,</i>	<i>Holmes,</i>	<i>Mills,</i>	

PRAYERS.

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

By the Honorable Mr. *Shaw*; of *George Howison*, and others, of the South Riding of *Grenville*.

By the Honorable Mr. *Bureau*; of *Z. V. Mondor*, of the City of *Quebec*.

By the Honorable Mr. *Simpson*, of *George W. Jones*, of the Village of *Port Perry*.

By the Honorable Mr. *Ross*; of the Honorable *D. L. Macpherson*, and others.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were severally read :

Of *John Charlton*, and others; of *Jacob McCall*, and others; of *W. C. Brown*, and others; and of *Daniel A. McCall*, and others, of the County of *Norfolk*; severally praying that several Export duties levied under Schedule F of the Tariff Act of 1868 may be repealed.

Of the Great Western Railway Company; praying that certain additional power be superadded to their powers and included in the Bill before the Legislature for giving effect to the settlement and payment to be made in respect to the Government Loan.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Peel*; praying that better provisions may be made for the Volunteers in their attendance on Battalion Drill.

Of the Reverend *L. J. Guyon* and others, of the Parish of *St. Eustache*; of the Reverend *Eug. Desmarais*, and others, of the Parish of *St. Placide*, and of *J. B. Mon-genis*, and others, of the Parish of *Rigaud*, in the County of *Two Mountains*; severally praying that the House will take such measures as to cause the obstructions to the navigation of the *Ottawa River* to be removed, and an uninterrupted line to the full capacity of the leading channel, and the supply of water from the summit level, to be opened throughout.

Of *Thomas Irvine*, and others, and of *James Mitchell* and others; severally praying that a duty be imposed upon all foreign-grown hops when imported into *Canada*.