

all correspondence between the Government of the Dominion and the Government of Ontario, in reference to the disposal by the latter of lots, covered by water in the Harbours of Lakes Huron and Superior, to private individuals.

*Ordered*, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency by such Members of this House as are of the Queen's Privy Council.

On motion of Mr. Vail, seconded by Mr. Burpee, (*St. John*),

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Statement of the amount collected for wharfage at the Public Pier at Digby, Nova Scotia, for each year from 1879 to 1882 inclusive.

On motion of Mr. Fortin, seconded by Mr. Grandbois,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence relating to the Steamer running in connection with the Intercolonial Railway between Campbellton, Gaspé, and intermediate ports.

Mr. McLelan, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 9th April, 1883, for a Statement of the Amount collected for Wharfage at the Public Pier at Digby, Nova Scotia, for each year from 1879 to 1882, inclusive. (*Sessional Papers, No. 79.*)

On motion of Mr. Irvine, seconded by Mr. Burpee (*Sunbury*),

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all letters, Reports and other documents relating to any complaint or charge preferred against Stephen G. Burpee, Postmaster at Florenceville, N.B., since January 1st, 1879.

On motion of Mr. Irvine, seconded by Mr. Burpee (*Sunbury*),

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence which passed between any Department of the Government and any person whomsoever, in relation to the appointment of James H. Jacques and Charles Kearney, of Carleton County, New Brunswick, both or either of them, to positions in the Civil Service of Canada.

On motion of Mr. De St. Georges, seconded by Mr. Rinfret,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence between the Government and the Lake St. John Railway Company, in relation to the Subsidy granted to the said Company, and a Statement of all sums paid to the said Company, on account of the said Subsidy, up to this date.

On motion of Mr. Kirk, seconded by Mr. Campbell (*Renfrew*),

*Resolved*, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying His Excellency to cause to be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence, papers or telegrams that have passed between the Government of the Dominion or any member thereof, and the Government of the United States of America, or any member or officer thereof, and any member or officer of the United States National Distillers' Association, in relation to the modification of the existing Customs Laws, and Regulations of this Dominion, and all Orders in Council in relation thereto, and also all Petitions, correspondence and telegrams from persons or associations in this Dominion, relating to the subject.

*Ordered*, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency by such Members of this House as are of the Queen's Privy Council.

Mr. Hawkins moved, seconded by Mr. Hesson, and the Question being proposed, That a Special Committee be appointed to examine and report upon the conduct of the County Judge of the County of Kent, Province of Ontario, in refusing to re-count