

97. *Hubert, P. Lois Organiques et jurisprudence sur le Notariat actuel en la province de Québec. Enregistré par Dufresne, frères, Trois-Rivières, 1870.*
98. *Dawson, Rev. E.M. Our strength and their strength. The North-West Territory, and other papers, 8vo. Ottawa, 1870.*

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

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Wednesday, 16th February, 1870.

*Barthélemy Pouliot*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of *L'Islet*, having previously taken the Oath, according to Law, and subscribed before the Commissioners the Roll containing the same, took his seat in the House.

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

By Mr. *Mackenzie*,—The Petition of the Municipal Corporation of the Village of *Petrolia* ; and the Petition of the Chiefs and other Indians of *Oka*, in the Seigniorship of the *Lake of Two Mountains*, District of *Terrebonne*.

By Mr. *Ross (Wellington)*,—The Petition of the Municipal Corporation of the County of *Wellington*.

By Mr. *Fortin*,—The Petition of *Lucien Briand* and others, Shipmasters, Fishermen and Mariners, of the *Magdalen Islands* ; the Petition of the Municipal Council of the *Magdalen Islands*, County of *Gaspé* ; and the Petition of the Reverend *M. N. Bilodeau* and others, of the Municipality of *Ste. Anne des Monts*, County of *Gaspé*.

On motion of the Honorable Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by the Honorable Sir *George E. Cartier*,

*Resolved*, That this House do now adjourn for half an hour.

The House adjourned accordingly.

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FIFTEEN MINUTES TO FIVE O'CLOCK, P.M.

The Honorable *Adams George Archibald*, Member for the Electoral District of *Colchester*, having previously taken the Oath, according to Law, and subscribed before Commissioners the Roll containing the same, took his seat in the House.

The Order of the Day being read, for taking into consideration the Speech of His Excellency the Governor General to both Houses of Parliament ;

*Ordered*, That the said Order be postponed till To-morrow.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

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Thursday, 17th February, 1870.

The following Petition was brought up, and laid on the Table :—

By Mr. *Simard*,—The Petition of *La Banque Nationale*.

The Order of the Day being read, for taking into consideration the Speech of His Excellency the Governor General to both Houses of Parliament ;

The House proceeded accordingly to take the said Speech into consideration.

Mr. *Savary* moved, seconded by Mr. *Scriver*, and the Question being proposed, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General to thank His Excellency for His Gracious Speech at the opening of the present Session, and further to