

Petition  
presented.

The Honorable Mr. *M'Kay*, presented a Petition from *F. Papino* and others, Chiefs and Heads of Families of the Indian Tribes of *Algonquins*, and *Nippissings*, residing at the Lake of *Two Mountains*, praying for the adoption of certain measures for their protection, and for the improvement of the Indian Tribes in *Lower Canada*.

*Ordered*, That the same do lie on the table.

Returns from  
Dorchester and  
Kent Agricul-  
tural Societies  
presented.

The Honorable the Speaker presented to the House a Return from the County Agricultural Society, No. 2, of the County of *Dorchester*, for the year ended in February 1851;

And also, a Return from the County of *Kent* Agricultural Society, from the 22nd May, 1850, to 22nd May, 1851.

*Ordered*, That the same do lie on the table, and they are as follow :—

(*Vide Sessional Papers.*)

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sented.

The Honorable the Speaker presented a Petition from the *Quebec* Infant School, praying for pecuniary aid;

Also, a Petition from the Rev. *Fred. Caron* and others, of the Parish of *Saint Joseph de la Beauce*, in the County of *Dorchester*, praying for the abolition of the Seigniorial Tenure in *Lower Canada*;

Also, a Petition from *Prudent Fortin* and others, of the said Parish of *Syndics*, for the erection of a Public Bridge over the River *Chaudière*, praying for aid to enable them to complete the said Bridge;

Also, a Petition from *Charles Fortier* and others, of the Parish of *Sainte Claire*, in the County of *Dorchester*, praying for the Commutation of the Seigniorial Tenure in *Lower Canada*;

Also, a Petition from the Rev. *Jean Langevin* and others, of the said Parish, praying for aid to repair a Bridge over the River *Etchemin*;

Also, a Petition from the Rev. *Pierre M. Mignault* of *Chambly*, praying for a grant to enable the Corporation of the College of *Chambly*, to build an additional Wing to that College;

Also, a Petition from *Louis Lasbrecque* and others, of the Parishes of *Saint Elzear*, and *St. Bernard de la Nouvelle Beauce*, in the County of *Dorchester*;

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And also, a Petition from *H. Tachereau* and others, of the Parish of *St. Marie Nouvelle Beauce*, in the said County of *Dorchester*, severally praying for the Commutation of the Seigniorial Tenure in *Lower Canada*.

*Ordered*, That the same do lie on the table.

The Honorable Mr. *Leslie* presented a Petition from *Charles Hubert Lassiseraye*, of the City of *Montreal*, praying for payment of One Hundred and Fifty Pounds, due to him for Arrears of his Salary as a Schoolmaster in the employ of the Education Society of the Town of *Three Rivers*;

Also, a Petition from *Pierre Guibord* and others, of the Parish of *Saint Paul de la Valtrie*, in the County of *Berthier*, praying for the abolition of the Seigniorial Tenure in *Lower Canada*;

And also, a Petition from *Les Clercs Paroissiaux ou Catéchistes de Saint Viateur*, praying for an increase of the Annual Grant to them for *Joliette* College.

*Ordered*, That the same do lie on the table.

The Honorable Mr. *Irving* presented three Petitions from the Municipal Council of the County of *Haldimand*, praying that authority may be given to the said Council to shut up *Ottawa* Street, in the Town of *Cayuga*; also, praying that provision may be made by Law for the support of poor, infirm and indigent persons; and also, praying that a Law may be passed to enable them to appropriate a due proportion of Statute labour to the improvement of Roads, running between Townships.

*Ordered*, That the same do lie on the table.

The Honorable Mr. *Taché* presented a Petition from *Norbert Beliveau*, of the Parish of *Saint Grégoire*, in the County of *Nicolet*, praying to be indemnified for the destruction of his property by incendiaries, in consequence of his having discharged his duty as an Assessor, appointed by the Municipal Council of the said County;

Also,