On motion of the Honourable Mr. Scott, seconded by the Honourable Mr. Mills, it was

Resolved, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons by one of the Masters in Chancery, informing that House that the Senate has appointed the Honourable Messieurs Armand, Bernier, Carling, Sir John, K.C.M.G., Dever, Dobson, Ferguson, Fiset, King, Macdonald (P.E.I.), MacKeen, McKindsey, Merner, O'Donohoe, Ogilvie, Perley, Power, Primrose, Reid, Sanford, Sullivan, and Wark, a Committee to superintend the Printing of the Senate during the present Session, and to act on behalf of this House with the Committee of the House of Commons as a Joint Committee of both Houses on the subject of Printing.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, in the following words:—

House of Commons,

Wednesday, 16th February, 1898.

Resolved, That a Message be sent to the Senate, informing their Honours that this House will unite with them in the formation of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the subject of the Printing of Parliament, and that the members of the Select Standing Committee on Printing, viz.:—Messieurs Bergeron, Bourassa, Charlton, Dupont, Ellis, Foster, Gibson, Hughes, Landerkin, LaRivière, Macdonald (Huron), Maclean, McMullen, Montague, Oliver, Parmalee, Préfontaine, Richardson, Somerville, Sutherland, Taylor, and Tisdale, will act as members on the part of this House on said Joint Committee on the Printing of Parliament.

Ordered, That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest,

J. G. BOURINOT,

Clerk of the Commons.

The Honourable Mr. Mills, Minister of Justice, presented to the Senate,—A Return of Orders in Council, relating to Dominion Lands in the Provinces of Manitoba and British Columbia, and in the North-west Territories, which have been published in the Canada Gazette and in the British Columbia Gazette in according with the provisions of: 1st. Clause 91 of the Dominion Lands Act, Chapter 54 of the Revised Statutes of Canada;

2nd. Sub-section (d) of Section 38 of the Regulations of the Survey, Administration, Disposal and Management of Dominion Lands within the 40-mile Railway Belt in the Province of British Columbia: and

3rd. Section 46 of the North-west Irrigation Act.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table, and it is as follows:—

(Vide Sessional Papers, No. .)

Then, on motion of the Honourable Mr. Mills, seconded by the Honourable Mr. Scott,

The Senate adjourned.