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BEING THE 3<sup>RD</sup> SESSION OF THE 6<sup>TH</sup> PARLIAMENT OF CANADA.

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# PROCLAMATIONS.

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## CANADA.



*JOHN J. MCGEE,*  
*Deputy Governor.*

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VICTORIA, *by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.*

To Our Beloved and Faithful the Senators of the Dominion of Canada and the Members elected to serve in the House of Commons of Our said Dominion, and to each and every of you—GREETING :

WHEREAS Our Parliament of Canada stands prorogued to the THIRTIETH day of the month of JUNE instant, at which time, at Our City of OTTAWA, you were held and constrained to appear; Now KNOW YE, that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our Loving Subjects, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council for Canada, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time aforesaid, hereby convoking, and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, on the NINTH day of the month of AUGUST next, to meet Us in Our Parliament of Canada, at Our City of OTTAWA, there to take into consideration the state and welfare of Our said Dominion of Canada, and therein to do as may seem necessary. **HEREIN FAIL NOT.**

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed. WITNESS, JOHN J. MCGEE, Esquire, Deputy of Our Right Trusty and Well-Beloved the Right Honourable Sir FREDERICK ARTHUR STANLEY, Baron Stanley of Preston, in the County of Lancaster, in the Peerage of Great Britain; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of of the Bath, Governor General of Canada and Vice-Admiral of the same.

At Our Government House, in Our City of OTTAWA, this TWENTY-EIGHTH day of JUNE in the year of Our Lord, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, and in the Fifty-second year of Our Reign.

By Command,

SAMUEL E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU,  
*Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, Canada.*

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**W**HEREAS Our Parliament of Canada stands prorogued to the NINTH day of the month of AUGUST instant, at which time, at Our City of Ottawa, you were held and constrained to appear; Now KNOW YE, that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our Loving Subjects, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council for Canada, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time aforesaid, hereby convoking and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, on the EIGHTEENTH day of the month of SEPTEMBER next, to meet Us in Our Parliament of Canada, at Our City of OTTAWA, there to take into consideration the state and welfare of Our said Dominion of Canada, and therein to do as may seem necessary. **HEREIN FAIL NOT.**

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At Our Government House, in Our City of OTTAWA, this SECOND day of AUGUST, in the year of Our Lord, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, and in the Fifty-second year of Our Reign.

By Command,

SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU,  
*Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, Canada.*

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**W**HEREAS Our Parliament of Canada stands prorogued to the EIGHTEENTH day of the month of SEPTEMBER instant, at which time, at Our City of Ottawa, you were held and constrained to appear; Now KNOW YE, that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our Loving Subjects, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council for Canada, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time aforesaid, hereby convoking and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, on the TWENTY-NINTH day of the month of OCTOBER next, to meet Us in Our Parlia-

ment of Canada, at Our City of Ottawa, there to take into consideration the state and welfare of Our said Dominion of Canada, and therein to do as may seem necessary. **HEREIN FAIL NOT.**

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At Our Government House, in Our City of OTTAWA, this TWELFTH day of SEPTEMBER, in the year of Our Lord, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, and in the Fifty-second year of Our Reign.

By Command,

SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU,  
*Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, Canada.*

JOHN J. MCGEE,  
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To Our Beloved and Faithful the Senators of the Dominion of Canada, and the Members elected to serve in the House of Commons of Our said Dominion, and to each and every of you—**GREETING :**

**W**HEREAS Our Parliament of Canada stands prorogued to the TWENTY-NINTH day of the month of OCTOBER instant, at which time, at Our City of Ottawa, you were held and constrained to appear; Now KNOW YE, that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our Loving Subjects, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council for Canada, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time aforesaid, hereby convoking and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, on the TENTH day of the month of DECEMBER next, to meet us in Our Parliament of Canada, at Our City of Ottawa, there to take into consideration the state and welfare of Our said Dominion of Canada, and therein to do as may seem necessary. **HEREIN FAIL NOT.**

**IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF,** We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed. **WITNESS,** JOHN J. MCGEE, Esquire, Deputy of Our Right Trusty and Well-Beloved the Right Honourable Sir FREDERICK ARTHUR STANLEY, Baron Stanley of Preston, in the County of Lancaster, in the Peerage of Great Britain; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor General of Canada and Vice-Admiral of the same.

At Our Government House, in Our City of OTTAWA, this TWENTY-FIFTH day of OCTOBER, in the year of Our Lord, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, and in the Fifty-second year of Our Reign.

By Command,

SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU,  
*Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, Canada.*

JOHN J. MCGEE,  
Deputy Governor.

[L.S.]

VICTORIA, *by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.*

To Our Beloved and Faithful the Senators of the Dominion of Canada, and the Members elected to serve in the House of Commons of Our said Dominion, and to each and every of you—GREETING :

WHEREAS the Meeting of Our Parliament of Canada stands Prorogued to the TENTH day of the month of DECEMBER instant, NEVERTHELESS, for certain causes and considerations, We have thought fit further to prorogue the same, so that neither you, nor any of you on the said day at Our City of Ottawa to appear are to be held and constrained : for WE DO WILL THAT you and each of you, be as to Us, in this matter, entirely exonerated ; commanding, and by the tenor of these presents, enjoining you, and each of you, and all others in this behalf interested, that on THURSDAY, the THIRTY-FIRST day of the month of JANUARY next, at Our City of OTTAWA aforesaid, personally you be and appear, for the DESPATCH OF BUSINESS, to treat, do, act and conclude upon those things which in Our said Parliament of Canada, by the Common Council of Our said Dominion, may, by the favour of God, be ordained.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed. WITNESS, JOHN J. MCGEE, Esquire, Deputy of Our Right Trusty and Well-Beloved the Right Honourable Sir FREDERICK ARTHUR STANLEY, Baron Stanley of Preston, in the County of Lancaster, in the Peerage of Great Britain ; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor General of Canada and Vice-Admiral of the same.

At Our Government House, in Our City of OTTAWA, this FIRST day of DECEMBER, in the year of Our Lord, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, and in the Fifty-second year of Our Reign.

By Command,  
SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU,  
*Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, Canada.*

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Thursday, 31st January, 1889.

This being the day on which Parliament is convoked by Proclamation (hereunto annexed) for the Despatch of Business, and the Members of the House being assembled;

PRAYERS,

A Message was brought by *René E. Kimber*, Esquire, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod:—

MR. SPEAKER :

His Excellency the Governor General desires the immediate attendance of this Honourable House in the Senate Chamber.

Accordingly, Mr. Speaker, with the House went up to the Senate Chamber; And having returned;

Mr. Speaker informed the House, that he had received from the Judges selected for the trial of Election Petitions, pursuant to "The Dominion Controverted Elections Act," Certificates and Reports relating to the Elections,—

For the Electoral District of the County of *Halton* ;  
 For the Electoral District of the County of *Shelburne* ; and  
 For the Electoral District of the East Riding of the County of *Northumberland*  
 (*Ontario*),

And the same were read, and ordered to be entered in the Journals of this House,  
 and are as follow :—

### HALTON CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

*In the High Court of Justice—Queen's Bench Division.*

#### THE DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT.

Election of a Member for the House of Commons for the Electoral District of the  
 County of *Halton*, holden on the seventh day of February, 1888.

Between

JAMES ALLAN TODD,

*Petitioner :*

and

DAVID HENDERSON,

*Respondent.*

I, the Honourable *John Douglas Armour*, Chief Justice of the Queen's Bench Division of the High Court of Justice for *Ontario* and the Judge before whom the election petition herein was tried, on the fifth day of July, A. D., 1888, do hereby certify that, at the conclusion of the trial of the said petition, I determined that the said *David Henderson* was not duly elected, and that the said election was void ; and I do further certify, that, appended hereto, is a copy of the notes of the evidence taken upon said trial. And I do hereby report that no corrupt practice has been proved to have been committed by, or with the knowledge and consent of, any candidate at such election.

And I do further report that *Samuel Beaumont*, of the Township of *Esquesing*, manufacturer, *William Kennedy*, of the City of *Hamilton*, labourer, *John King*, of the Township of *Nassagaweya*, farmer, *Edward Stewart*, of the Township of *Nassagaweya*, farmer, *Wesley J. Brecken*, of the Township of *Nelson*, farmer, *George Moir*, of the Town of *St. Mary's*, publisher, *Isaac Pickard*, of the Township of *Trafalgar*, fisherman, and *Bernice Pickard*, of the Township of *Trafalgar*, fisherman, have been proved at the said trial to have been guilty of corrupt practices at the said election.

And I do further report that, so far as I have been able to judge from the evidence adduced before me, corrupt practices have not, nor is there reason to believe that corrupt practices have, extensively prevailed at the said election.

And I am of opinion that the enquiry into the circumstances of the election has not been rendered incomplete by the action of any of the parties to the petition, and that further enquiry as to whether corrupt practices have extensively prevailed is not desirable.

Dated this seventeenth day of July, A. D., 1888.

(Signed) J. D. ARMOUR,  
*C. J., Q. B. D.*

### SHELBURNE CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

*In the Supreme Court, 1888 (A, No. 2108.)*

#### THE DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT.

Election of a Member for the House of Commons for the Electoral District of the  
 County of *Shelburne*, in the Province of *Nova Scotia*, holden on the fifteenth day  
 of December, A. D. 1887.

Dominion of Canada,  
Province of Nova Scotia,  
To Wit: }

AUSTEN LOCKE and ENOS SMITH,  
*Petitioners;*  
and  
JOHN WIMBURN LAURIE,  
*Respondent.*

To the Honourable  
The Speaker of the House of Commons.

SIR,—Pursuant to the provisions of “The Dominion Controverted Elections Act,” section 44, I beg to report with reference to the said Election of *John Wimburn Laurie* :—

(a.) That no corrupt practice has been proved to have been committed by, or with the knowledge or consent of the candidate at said Election.

(b.) That the following persons have been proved at the said trial to have been guilty of a corrupt practice, or corrupt practices.

- 1st. *John Bower*, of *Shelburne*, in the County of *Shelburne*, merchant.
- 2nd. *Benjamin F. Kenny*, of *Doctor's Cove*, in the said County, trader.
- 3rd. *Philip J. Hogg*, late of *Shelburne*, in the said County, shoemaker.
- 4th. *William R. Acker*, of *Birchtown*, in the County of *Shelburne*, farmer.
- 5th. *Thomas E. Ryer*, of *Shelburne*, in the County of *Shelburne*, hotel keeper.
- 6th. *David Sutherland*, of *Clyde*, in the County of *Shelburne*, trader.
- 7th. *John Purney*, of *Sand Point*, in the County of *Shelburne*, trader.

(c.) That there is no reason to believe that corrupt practices have extensively prevailed at the said Election.

(d.) That I am not of the opinion that the enquiry into the circumstances of the said Election has been rendered incomplete by the action of any of the parties to the Petition, or that further enquiry as to whether corrupt practices have extensively prevailed is desirable.

I hereby certify that annexed hereto is a true copy of my judgment on the said trial, and that on the said trial I determined that the Respondent, *John Wimburn Laurie*, was guilty of corrupt practices by his agents, and I determined his Election and return null and void. I also annex hereto a copy of the evidence on the said trial.

(Signed) H. W. SMITH.

*Halifax*, 15th September, 1888.

### NORTHUMBERLAND, EAST (ONT.) CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

*In the Court of Appeal*

THE DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT.

Election of a Member for the House of Commons of Canada, for the East Riding of the County of *Northumberland*, holden on the fifteenth and twenty-second days of December, 1887.

Dominion of Canada,  
Province of Ontario,  
To wit: }

Between

ICHABOD RICHMOND,  
and  
EDWARD COCHRANE,  
*Petitioner;*  
*Respondent.*

To the Honourable

The Speaker of the House of Commons.

I, *George William Burton*, the judge assigned for the trial of the Petition herein, held at *Brighton* on Tuesday and Wednesday, the 2nd and 3rd days of October instant, beg to report as follows:—

I find the above named Respondent, *Edward Cochrane*, was not duly elected, and I find the election of the said *Edward Cochrane* void.

I further find (a) that no corrupt practice has been proved to have been committed by, or with the knowledge and consent of, any candidate at said election.

(b.) That *W. H. Stapleton*, of the said Town of *Brighton*, livery stable keeper, was guilty of a corrupt practice at the said election.

(c.) There is no reason to believe that corrupt practices have extensively prevailed at the said election.

(d.) I am not of opinion that the enquiry into the circumstances of the election has been rendered incomplete by the action of any of the parties to the petition, or that further enquiry as to whether corrupt practices have prevailed is desirable.

(Signed) GEO. W. BURTON,  
J. A.

Dated at *Osgoode HALL*,  
This 12th day of October, A. D., 1888.

Mr. Speaker also informed the House, that in conformity with Chapter 9, Section 46, of the Revised Statutes, he had issued his several warrants to the Clerk of Crown in Chancery to make out new Writs of Election for the said Electoral Districts respectively.

Mr. Speaker also informed the House, that he had received from the Registrar of the Supreme Court of *Canada* certified copies of the judgments of the said Court in the following Election Appeals, viz.:

For the Electoral District of the County of *Haldimand*; and

For the Electoral District of *Joliette*,

And the same were read, and ordered to be entered in the Journals of this House, and are as follow:—

#### HALDIMAND CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

*In the Supreme Court of Canada.*

FRIDAY, the fourteenth day of December, A. D. 1888.

*Present :*

The Honourable Sir *William Johnstone Ritchie*, Knight, Chief Justice.

do *Mr. Justice Strong*,

do *Mr. Justice Fournier*,

do *Mr. Justice Taschereau*,

do *Mr. Justice Gwynne*,

Election of a Member for the House of Commons for the Electoral District of *Haldimand*, holden on the twelfth day of November, 1887.

Between

THOMAS WALSH,

(*Petitioner in the Court below*), Appellant;

and

WALTER HUMPHRIES MONTAGUE,

(*Respondent in the Court below*), Respondent.

The appeal of the above named Appellant from the judgment, order and determination pronounced, made and given in the above cause on the twenty-eighth day

of January, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, by the Honourable Mr. Justice *Street*, sitting for the trial of the election petition in the said cause, whereby the petition of the said Appellant was dismissed with costs, and it was found and determined that the said Respondent, *Walter Humphries Montague*, the Member whose election and return were complained of, was duly elected and returned, having come on for hearing before this Court on the third, fourth, fifth and sixth days of October, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, in the presence of Counsel, as well for the Appellant as the Respondent, whereupon and upon hearing what was alleged by Counsel aforesaid, this Court was pleased to direct that the said appeal should stand over for judgment, and the same coming on this day for Judgment, this Court did order and adjudge that the said appeal should be and the same was allowed, and that the said Judgment, order, finding and determination of the Honourable Mr. Justice *Street* should be and the same was reversed and set aside.

And this Court did further order, adjudge and determine as follow:—

1. That the said Respondent, *Walter Humphries Montague*, was, by his agent one *Frederick Harrison*, but without the knowledge or consent of the said *Walter Humphries Montague*, guilty of the corrupt practice of inducing one *Thomas Nixon* to take a false oath in a matter wherein an oath was required under the Dominion Elections Act.

2. That the said election for the said Electoral District of *Haldimand* holden, on the twelfth day of November, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, was and is a void election and that the said *Walter Humphries Montague* was not duly elected or returned at the said election to serve as a Member of the House of Commons for the said Electoral District of *Haldimand*.

3. That the said Respondent should and do pay to the said Appellant as well the costs incurred by the said Appellant in the Court below as in this Court.

4. That the sum of one hundred dollars deposited by the said Appellant in the Court below, as security for the costs of the appeal to this Court, be repaid to the said Appellant.

5. That the original record be returned by the Registrar of this Court to the proper officer of the Court below.

Certified,

(Signed) ROBERT CASSELS,  
Registrar.

## JOLIETTE CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

*In the Supreme Court of Canada.*

SATURDAY, the 15th day of December, A.D. 1888.

Present :

The Honourable Sir *William Johnstone Ritchie*, K night, Chief Justice.

do Mr. Justice *Strong*,  
do Mr. Justice *Fournier*,  
do Mr. Justice *Gwynne*,  
do Mr. Justice *Patterson*.

Election of a Member for the House of Commons for the Electoral District of *Joliette*, holden on the 15th and 22nd days of February, 1887.

Between

EDOUARD GUILBAULT,  
(Respondent in the Court below) Appellant,  
and

ANTHIME DESSERT and EDMOND WODON,  
(Petitioners in the Court below) Respondents.

The appeal of the above named *Edouard Guilbault* from the judgments rendered and pronounced in the above cause by the Honourable Mr. Justice *Henri Thomas Taschereau*, sitting for the trial of the election petition in the said cause, having come on for hearing before this Court, on the sixth day of November, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, in presence of Counsel, as well for the appellant as the respondent, whereupon and upon hearing what was alleged by Counsel aforesaid, this Court was pleased to direct that the said appeal should stand over for judgment, and the same coming on this day for judgment, this Court did order and adjudge that the said appeal should be and the same was dismissed, and the said judgments of the Court below affirmed; that is to say, this Court did order, adjudge and determine as follow:—

1. That the said election petition, in so far as it asked for the annulling and setting aside of the said election, should be and the same was maintained; that the said election for the said Electoral District of *Joliette*, holden on the fifteenth and twenty-second days of February, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, was and is a void election, and that the said *Edouard Guilbault* was not duly elected and returned at the said election to serve as a Member of the House of Commons for the said Electoral District of *Joliette*, the said *Edouard Guilbault* having been guilty of corrupt practices at the said election by and through his agent, one *Adélaré Barrette*, but without the knowledge or consent of the said *Edouard Guilbault*.

2. That the said appellant should and do pay to the said respondents the costs incurred by the said respondents in this Court, and also all costs incurred by the respondents in the Court below, ordered and adjudged by the Court below to be paid by the appellant to the respondents, the petitioners in said Court.

3. That the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100) deposited by the said appellant as security for the costs of the said appeal, be paid to the said respondents and applied by them in payment *pro tanto* of the costs of the appeal to this Court.

4. That the original record be returned by the Registrar of this Court to the proper officer of the Court below.

Certified,

(Signed) ROBERT CASSELS,  
*Registrar.*

Mr. Speaker also informed the House, That in conformity with Chapter 9, Section 46, of the Revised Statutes he had issued his several Warrants to the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery to make out new Writs of Election for the said Electoral Districts, respectively.

Mr. Speaker further informed the House, That he had received from the Judges selected for the trial of Election Petitions, pursuant to the Dominion Controverted Elections Act, Certificates and Reports relating to the Elections,—

For the Electoral District of the East Riding of the County of *Hastings*; and

For the Electoral District of *Laprairie*.

And the same were read and ordered to be entered in the Journals of this House, and are as follow:—

#### HASTINGS, EAST, CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

To the Honourable

The Speaker of the House of Commons of the Dominion of *Canada*.

#### THE DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT.

Election of a Member of the House of Commons of *Canada*, for the Electoral District of the East Riding of the County of *Hastings*, holden on the 22nd day of February, 1887.

JOHN WHITE,

and

SAMUEL BARTON BURDETT,

*Petitioner;*

*Respondent.*

I, the Honourable *John Edward Rose*, one of the Judges of the Common Pleas Division of the High Court of Justice for *Ontario*, do hereby certify, pursuant to section 43 of the Dominion Controverted Elections Act, that I did, on Wednesday, the 13th day of June, instant, hold a Court at the City of *Belleville*, in the County of *Hastings*, for the trial of the petition of *John White*, respecting the above election, and that I then and there determined that *Samuel Barton Burdett*, whose election and return for the above named Electoral District of the East Riding of *Hastings* was complained of, was duly returned and elected, the above named Petitioner, *John White*, not having offered or adduced any evidence in support of his petition.

And I do further certify that, for the reason that no evidence was offered or adduced before me of the corrupt practices charged in the said petition, I am unable to make any report pursuant to section 44 of the said Dominion Controverted Elections Act.

Dated 21st June, 1888.

(Signed) JOHN E. ROSE,  
J., C.P.D.

(Translation.)

LAPRAIRIE CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

Canada,  
Province of Quebec, }  
District of Montreal. }

In the Superior Court.

DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT.

The fourteenth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

Present :

Hon. Mr. Justice *Mathieu*.

No. 2.

In re Election of a Member of the House of Commons of *Canada* for the Electoral District of *Laprairie*, in the Judicial District of *Montreal*, held on the fifteenth and twenty-second days of February, 1887, being the days of nomination and polling, respectively.

ARTHUR MATTE and EDMOND LEFEBVRE, both farmers of the Parish of *St. Constant*, in the Electoral District of *Laprairie*, in the Judicial District of *Montreal*,

*Petitioners*;

and

CYRILLE DOYON, farmer and manufacturer, of the Parish of *St. Isidore*, in the said Electoral District of *Laprairie*, and a Member of the House of Commons of *Canada*.

*Respondent*.

The Court having heard the Parties by their respective Counsel and Attorneys, on the application of the Respondent, praying that all proceedings on the Election Petition be declared to have been abandoned and dropped, and that the Petition be dismissed with costs, and on the motion of Petitioners asking that a day be fixed for the trial of the said Petition.

Whereas the Election Petition in this case was presented on the twenty-fifth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven ;

Considering that under the provisions of section 32 of Chapter 9 of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, "The Dominion Controverted Elections Act," it is enacted that the trial of every Election Petition shall be commenced within six months from the

time when the same has been presented and shall be proceeded with from day to day until such trial is over;

Considering that the trial of the said Election Petition was not commenced within the said period, and that the said Petition must be taken and considered as being out of Court on the expiration of six months from the date of the presentation thereof;

Hath declared and adjudged and doth declare and adjudge that the said Election Petition be taken and considered as having been out of Court since the expiration of six months from the date of the presentation thereof.

(A true copy.)

L. H. COLLARD,  
*Deputy P.S.C.*

Mr. Speaker also informed the House, That he had received from the Registrar of the Supreme Court of *Canada* certified copies of the judgments of the said Court in the following Election Appeals, viz. :—

For the Electoral District of the East Riding of the County of *Simcoe*, and  
For the Electoral District of *Maskinongé*.

And the same were read, and ordered to be entered in the Journals of this House, and are as follow :—

### SIMCOE, EAST, CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

*In the Supreme Court of Canada.*

WEDNESDAY, the third day of October, A.D. 1888.

*Present :*

The Honourable Sir *William Johnstone Ritchie*, Knight, Chief Justice,  
do *Mr. Justice Strong*,  
do *Mr. Justice Fournier*,  
do *Mr. Justice Taschereau*,  
do *Mr. Justice Gwynne*,

### THE DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT.

Election of a Member for the House of Commons for the Electoral District of the East Riding of the County of *Simcoe*, holden on the fifteenth and twenty-second days of February, A D., 1887.

Between

HERMAN HENRY COOK,

(*Respondent in the Court below*), *Appellant* ;

and

HENRY SMITH FAIRALL,

(*Petitioner in the Court below*), *Respondent*.

The appeal of the above named Appellant, *Herman Henry Cook*, from the rulings, findings, judgment and determination of the Honourable Mr. Justice *Rose* in the above cause, having come on for hearing before this Court this day in presence of Counsel, as well for the Appellant as the Respondent, whereupon and upon hearing what was alleged by Counsel aforesaid, this Court did order, adjudge and determine that the said appeal should be and the same was allowed; that the said rulings, findings, judgment and determination of the Honourable Mr. Justice *Rose* should be and the same were reversed and set aside; that the election petition presented and filed in

this cause against the election and return of the above named Appellant, be taken and considered as out of Court at the expiration of six months from the date of the presentation thereof; that the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100) deposited by the said Appellant in the Court below, as security for the costs of the said appeal to this Court, be repaid to the said Appellant, and that the original record transmitted to the Registrar of this Court be returned to the proper officer of the Court below.

And this Court did not see fit to make any order as to the costs either of the Court below or of this Court.

Certified a true copy,  
(Signed) ROBERT CASSELS,  
Registrar.

### MASKINONGÉ CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

*In the Supreme Court of Canada.*

WEDNESDAY, the third day of October, A. D. 1888.

*Present :*

The Honourable Sir *William Johnstone Ritchie*, Knight, Chief Justice,  
do Mr. Justice *Strong*,  
do Mr. Justice *Fournier*,  
do Mr. Justice *Taschereau*,  
do Mr. Justice *Gwynne*.

#### THE DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT.

Election of a Member of the House of Commons of *Canada* for the Electoral District of *Maskinongé*, holden on the fifteenth and twenty-second days of February, in the year of Our Lord, 1887.

Between

CHARLES J. COULOMBE,  
(Respondent in the Court below) Appellant ;

THOMAS CARON and JOSEPH PICHETTE,  
(Petitioners in the Court below) Respondents.

Upon motion of Mr. A. Ferguson, of Counsel for the Appellant, *Charles J. Coulombe*, this day made in presence of Counsel for the Respondents that the appeal of said Appellant in this cause from the Judgment of Mr. Justice *Bourgeois*, one of the Justices of the Superior Court for *Lower Canada*, District of *Three Rivers*, rendered on the fourteenth day of December last, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, refusing the motion of the Appellant, made twenty-ninth October last, asking for the dismissal of the petition in this matter, and also from the Judgment of the said the Honourable Mr. Justice *Bourgeois*, rendered on the said fourteenth day of December last (1887) granting the motion of the Respondents made on the tenth day of December last (1887), extending the time within which to proceed with the trial of said petition, should be quashed for want of jurisdiction, and upon hearing what was alleged by Counsel aforesaid, this Court did order and adjudge that the said appeal should be and the same was quashed for want of jurisdiction with costs.

And this Court did further order and adjudge that the original record be transmitted to the proper officer of the Court below by the Registrar of this Court.

Certified a true copy,  
(Signed) ROBERT CASSELS,  
Registrar.

Mr. Speaker also informed the House, that during the Recess he had received communications from several Members notifying him that the following vacancies had occurred in the representation of the Electoral Districts of *Pictou, Cumberland, Nicolet, Colchester, East Assiniboia, Lanark (South Riding), Montreal East, Cardwell, Cariboo, and Provencher*; and that he had issued his Warrants to the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery to make out new Writs of Election for the said Electoral Districts.

Ottawa, 28th May, 1888.

The Honourable

The Speaker of the House of Commons.

SIR,—We have the honour to inform you that a vacancy has occurred in the House of Commons, in the representation of the County of *Pictou*, by the acceptance by *Charles Hibbert Tupper*, Esquire, of an office in the service of the Government of *Canada*, at the nomination of the Crown, to which a salary is attached, viz., the office of Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

We have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient servants,

JNO. S. D. THOMPSON (L.S.)

*Member for the County of Antigonish, Nova Scotia.*

JOHN COSTIGAN (L.S.)

*Member for the County of Victoria, New Brunswick.*

Dominion of Canada, }  
To Wit: } *House of Commons.*

To the Honourable

The Speaker of the House of Commons.

We, the undersigned, hereby give notice that a vacancy hath occurred in the representation in the House of Commons, for the Electoral District of the County of *Cumberland*, in the Province of *Nova Scotia*, by the acceptance of the office of High Commissioner for *Canada* in *London, Great Britain*, by the Honourable Sir *Charles Tupper*, G.C.M.G.

Given under our hands and seals, at the City of *Ottawa*, this 19th day of June, 1888.

HECTOR L. LANGEVIN (L.S.)

*Member for the Electoral District of the City of Three Rivers.*

JNO. S. D. THOMPSON (L.S.)

*Member for the Electoral District of the County of Antigonish.*

Dominion of Canada, }  
 To wit : } *House of Commons.*

To the Honourable  
 The Speaker of the House of Commons.

We, the undersigned, hereby give notice that a vacancy hath occurred in the representation of the House of Commons for the Electoral District of *Nicolet*, in the Province of *Quebec*, by the death of *Athanase Gaudet*, Esquire.

Given under our hands and seals at the City of *Ottawa*, the 20th day of *June*, 1888.

HECTOR L. LANGEVIN (L.S.)

*Member representing the Electoral District of the City of Three Rivers.*

ADOLPHE P. CARON (L.S.)

*Member representing the Electoral District of the County of Quebec.*

Dominion of Canada, }  
 To wit : } *House of Commons.*

To the Honourable  
 The Speaker of the House of Commons.

We, the undersigned, hereby give notice that a vacancy hath occurred in the representation in the House of Commons for the Electoral District of the County of *Colchester*, in the Province of *Nova Scotia*, by the acceptance of an office of emolument under the Crown, viz.: the office of Lieutenant Governor of the Province of *Nova Scotia*.

Given under our hands and seals at the City of *Ottawa*, this 16th day of *July*, 1888.

ADOLPHE P. CARON (L.S.)

*Member for the Electoral District of the County of Quebec, in the Province of Quebec.*

JOHN CARLING (L.S.)

*Member for the Electoral District of the City of London, in the Province of Ontario.*

Dominion of Canada, }  
 To Wit : } *House of Commons.*

To the Honourable  
 The Speaker of the House of Commons.

We, the undersigned, hereby give notice that a vacancy hath occurred in the representation in the House of Commons for the Electoral District of *East Assiniboia*, through the acceptance by *William Dell Perley* of a Senatorship for the *North-West Territories*.

Given under our hands and seals at the City of *Ottawa*, this second day of *August*, 1888.

M. BOWELL (L.S.)

*Member for the Electoral District of North Hastings, Ontario.*

HECTOR L. LANGEVIN (L.S.)

*Member for the Electoral District of Three Rivers, Quebec.*

Dominion of Canada, }  
 To Wit : } *House of Commons.*

To the Honourable  
 The Speaker of the House of Commons.

We, the undersigned, hereby give notice that a vacancy hath occurred in the representation in the House of Commons for the Electoral District of the South Riding of *Lanark*, through the acceptance by *John Graham Haggart* of the office of Postmaster General.

Given under our hands and seals at the City of Ottawa, this second day of August, 1888.

M. BOWELL (L.S.)  
*Member for the Electoral District of North Hastings, Ontario.*

HECTOR L. LANGEVIN (L.S.)  
*Member for the Electoral District of the City of Three Rivers.*

Dominion of Canada, }  
 To Wit : } *House of Commons.*

To the Honourable  
 The Speaker of the House of Commons.

We, the undersigned, hereby give notice that a vacancy hath occurred in the representation in the House of Commons for the Electoral District of *Montreal East*, by the death of *Michel Joseph Charles Coursol*, Esquire, the Member representing the said District in the said House of Commons.

Given under our hands and seals, at the City of Ottawa, this 27th day of August, 1888.

HECTOR L. LANGEVIN, (L.S.)  
*Member for the Electoral District of the City of Three Rivers.*

JOHN HAGGART (L.S.)  
*Member for the Electoral District of the North Riding of Lanark.*

Dominion of Canada, }  
 To Wit : } *House of Commons.*

To the Honourable,  
 The Speaker of the House of Commons.

We, the undersigned, hereby give notice that a vacancy hath occurred in the representation in the House of Commons for the Electoral District of the County of *Cardwell, Ontario*, in consequence of the death of the Honourable *Thomas White*.

Given under our hands and seals, at the City of Ottawa, this fifteenth day of September, 1888.

HECTOR L. LANGEVIN (L.S.)  
*Member for the Electoral District of the City of Three Rivers.*

JOHN CARLING (L.S.)  
*Member for the Electoral District of London, Ontario.*

Dominion of Canada, }  
 To Wit : } *House of Commons.*

To the Honourable  
 The Speaker of the House of Commons.

We, the undersigned, hereby give notice that a vacancy hath occurred in the representation in the House of Commons for the Electoral District of *Cariboo*, Pro-

vince of *British Columbia*, by the summoning to the Senate of *Canada* of *James Reid*, Esquire.

Given under our hands and seals, at the City of *Ottawa*, this sixth day of October, 1888.

JOHN COSTIGAN (L.S.)

*Member for the Electoral District of Victoria, New Brunswick.*

M. BOWELL (L.S.)

*Member for the Electoral District of the North Riding of the County of Hastings.*

To the Honourable *J. A. Ouimet*,  
Speaker of the House of Commons.

We, the undersigned, hereby give you notice that the Electoral Division of *Provencher*, in the Province of *Manitoba*, has become vacant by the acceptance of office by the Honourable *Joseph Royal*, now Lieutenant Governor of the *North-West Territories*.

And we hereto affix our respective signatures and seals at the City of *Ottawa*, this third day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine.

HECTOR L. LANGEVIN (L.S.)

*Member representing the Electoral District of the City of Three Rivers.*

ADOLPHE P. CARON (L.S.)

*Member representing the Electoral Division of the County of Quebec.*

Mr. Speaker further informed the House, That during the Recess the Clerk of the House had received from the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery the following Certificates:—

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, *Canada*,  
*Ottawa*, 19th January, 1889.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the fifth day of June last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *J. S. Harris*, Esquire, of *Pictou, Nova Scotia*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of the County of *Pictou*, in the Province of *Nova Scotia*, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District in the House of Commons of *Canada*, in the present Parliament, in the room of *Charles Hibbert Tupper*, Esquire, who has accepted the office of Minister of Marine and Fisheries; Honourable *Charles Hibbert Tupper*, Barrister-at-Law, of *Halifax, Nova Scotia*, has been duly returned as such representative, as appears by the Return to the said Writ, deposited of Record in my office.

SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU (L.S.)

*Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, Canada.*

To *J. G. Bourinot*, Esquire, LL.D.,  
Clerk of the House of Commons of *Canada*.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, *Canada*,  
*Ottawa*, 19th January, 1889.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the twenty-fifth day of June last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *Matthew A. Logan*, Esquire, of *Amherst, Nova Scotia*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of the County of *Cumberland*, in the Province of *Nova Scotia*, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District in the House of Commons of *Canada*, in the present Parliament, in the room of *Sir Charles Tupper*, G.C.M.G., who has accepted the office of High Commissioner for *Canada*, in *London*,

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England; Arthur R. Dickey, Esquire, Barrister-at-Law, of Amherst, Nova Scotia, has, been duly returned as such representative, as appears by the Return to the said Writ, deposited of Record in my office.

SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU (L.S.)

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, Canada.

To J. G. Bourinot, Esquire, LL.D.,  
Clerk of the House of Commons of Canada.

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OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, Canada,  
Ottawa, 19th January, 1889.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the twenty-seventh day of June last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to Joseph Achille Blondin, Esquire, of Bécancour, P. Q., as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of the County of Nicolet, in the Province of Quebec, for the Election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District in the House of Commons of Canada, in the present Parliament, in the room of Athanase Gaudet, Esquire, deceased; Fabien Boisvert, Esquire, Land Surveyor, of the Parish of St. John the Baptist, P. Q., has been duly returned as such representative, as appears by the Return to the said Writ, deposited of Record in my Office.

SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU, [L.S.]

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, Canada.

To J. G. Bourinot, Esquire, LL.D.,  
Clerk of the House of Commons of Canada.

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OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, Canada,  
Ottawa, 19th January, 1889.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the nineteenth day of July last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to Leander J. Crowe, Esquire, of Truro, Nova Scotia, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of the County of Colchester, in the Province of Nova Scotia, for the Election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District in the House of Commons of Canada, in the present Parliament, in the room of Honourable A. W. McLellan, who has accepted the office of Lieutenant Governor of Nova Scotia; Sir Adams G. Archibald, K.C.M.G., of Truro, Nova Scotia, has been duly returned as such representative, as appears by the Return to the said Writ, deposited of Record in my Office.

SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU, (L.S.)

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, Canada.

To J. G. Bourinot, Esquire, LL.D.,  
Clerk of the House of Commons of Canada.

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OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, Canada,  
Ottawa, 19th January, 1889.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the thirty-first day of July last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to Solomon Hannant, Esquire, of Milton, Ontario, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of the County of Halton, in the Province of Ontario, for the Election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District in the House of Commons of Canada, in the present Parliament, in the room of David Henderson, Esquire, whose election

has been declared void; *John Waldie*, Esquire, Lumber Merchant, of *Toronto, Ontario*, has been duly returned as such representative, as appears by the Return to the said Writ, deposited of Record in my Office.

SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU, (L.S.)  
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, *Canada*.

To *J. G. Bourinot*, Esquire, LL.D.,  
Clerk of the House of Commons of *Canada*.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, *Canada*,  
*Ottawa*, 19th January, 1889.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the fourth day of August last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *Wm. W. Berford*, Esquire, of *Perth, Ontario*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of the South Riding of the County of *Lanark*, in the Province of *Ontario*, in the Election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District in the House of Commons of *Canada*, in the present Parliament, in the room of *John G. Haggart*, Esquire, who has accepted the office of Postmaster General of *Canada*; Honourable *John Graham Haggart*, of the Town of *Perth, Ontario*, has been duly returned as such representative, as appears by the Return to the said Writ, deposited of Record in my Office.

SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU, (L.S.)  
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, *Canada*.

To *J. G. Bourinot*, Esquire, LL.D.,  
Clerk of the House of Commons of *Canada*.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, *Canada*,  
*Ottawa*, 19th January, 1889.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the 8th day of August last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *John Hewgill*, Esquire, of *Moosomin, North-West Territories*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of the East Riding of *East Assiniboia* in the *North West Territories*, for the Election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District in the House of Commons of *Canada*, in the present Parliament, in the room of *William Dell Perley*, Esquire, who has been summoned to the Senate; Honourable *Edgar Dewdney*, of the Town of *Regina, North-West Territories*, Minister of the Interior, has been duly returned as such representative, as appears by the Return to the said Writ, deposited of Record in my Office.

SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU, (L.S.)  
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, *Canada*.

To *J. G. Bourinot*, Esquire, LL.D.,  
Clerk of the House of Commons of *Canada*.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, *Canada*,  
*Ottawa*, 19th January, 1889.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the 7th day of September last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *Tancrède De Lorimier*, Esquire, of *Montreal, Province of Quebec*, Returning Officer for the Electoral District of the East Riding of *Montreal*, in the Province of *Quebec*, for the Election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District in the House of Commons of *Canada*, in the present Parliament in the room of *Michel J. C. Coursol*,

Esquire, deceased; *Alphonse Téléphore Lépine*, Esquire, of the City of *Montreal*, Printer, has been duly returned as such representative, as appears by the Return to the said Writ, deposited of Record in my office.

SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU, (L.S.),  
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, *Canada*.

To *J. G. Bourinot*, Esquire, LL.D.,  
Clerk of the House of Commons of *Canada*.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, *Canada*,  
*Ottawa*, 19th January, 1889.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the fifteenth day of September last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *John Kelly*, Esquire, of *Athlone, Ontario*, Returning Officer for the Electoral District of the County of *Cardwell*, in the Province of *Ontario*, for the Election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District in the House of Commons of *Canada*, in the present Parliament, in the room of Honourable *Thomas White*, deceased; *Robert Smeaton White*, Esquire, of the City of *Montreal, P. Q.*, has been duly returned as such representative, as appears by the Return to the said Writ, deposited of Record in my Office.

SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU, [L.S.]  
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, *Canada*.

To *J. G. Bourinot*, Esquire, LL.D.,  
Clerk of the House of Commons of *Canada*.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, *Canada*,  
*Ottawa*, 19th January, 1889.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the twenty-seventh day of September last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *George W. McLean*, Esquire, of *Shelburne, N.S.*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of the County of *Shelburne*, in the Province of *Nova Scotia*, for the Election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District in the House of Commons of *Canada*, in the present Parliament, in the room of Lieutenant-General *J. Wimburn Laurie*, whose election has been declared void; Lieutenant-General *J. Wimburn Laurie*, of *Oakfield, N.S.*, has been duly returned as such representative, as appears by the Return to the said Writ, deposited of Record in my Office.

SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU, [L.S.]  
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, *Canada*.

To *J. G. Bourinot*, Esquire, LL.D.,  
Clerk of the House of Commons of *Canada*.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, *Canada*,  
*Ottawa*, 19th January, 1889.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the sixth day of October last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *John Stevenson*, Esquire, of *Quesnelle, British Columbia*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of the County of *Cariboo*, in the Province of *British Columbia*, for the Election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District in the House of Commons of *Canada*, in the present Parliament in the room of *James Reid*, Esquire, who has been summoned to the Senate, *Frank Stillman Barnard*, Esquire, of *Victoria, British Columbia*,

has been duly returned as such representative, as appears by the Return to the said Writ, deposited of Record in my Office.

SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU, [L.S.]  
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, *Canada*.

To *J. G. Bourinot*, Esquire, LL.D.,  
Clerk of the House of Commons of *Canada*.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, *Canada*,  
*Ottawa*, 19th January, 1889.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election dated the second day of November last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *David Ewing*, Esquire, of *Warkworth, Ontario*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of the East Riding of the County of *Northumberland*, in the Province of *Ontario*, for the Election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District in the House of Commons of *Canada*, in the present Parliament in the room of *Edward Cochrane*, Esquire, whose election has been declared void; *Edward Cochrane*, Esquire, of the Township of *Cramahe, Ontario*, farmer, has been duly returned as such representative, as appears by the Return to the said Writ, deposited of Record in my Office.

SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU, [L.S.]  
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, *Canada*.

To *J. G. Bourinot*, Esquire, LL.D.,  
Clerk of the House of Commons of *Canada*.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, *Canada*,  
*Ottawa*, 29th January, 1889.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the twenty-eighth day of December last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *A. M. Rivard*, Esquire, of *Joliette, P.Q.*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of the County of *Joliette*, in the Province of *Quebec*, for the Election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District in the House of Commons of *Canada*, in the present Parliament, in the room of *Eloiard Guilbault*, Esquire, whose election has been declared void; *Hilaire Neveu*, Esquire, of *St. Ambroise de Kildare*, farmer, has been duly returned as such representative, as appears by the Return to the said Writ, deposited of Record in my Office.

SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU, [L.S.]  
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, *Canada*.

To *J. G. Bourinot*, Esquire, LL.D.,  
Clerk of the House of Commons of *Canada*.

Mr. Speaker informed the House, that he had received from the Honourable Mr. Justice *Weatherbe*, one of the Judges selected for the trial of Election Petitions, pursuant to "The Dominion Controverted Elections Act," a certificate relating to the Election for the Electoral District of *Cumberland*.

And the same was read and ordered to be entered in the Journals of this House, and is as follows:—

#### CUMBERLAND CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

*Halifax, Nova Scotia*, 29th November, 1888.

To the Honourable  
The Speaker of the House of Commons, *Canada*.

SIR,—The duty of trying the petition of *Charles R. Casey* against the return and election of *Arthur R. Dickey*, a copy of which petition is attached to my notes of

the trial appended to this report, having been assigned to me as a Judge of the Supreme Court, I have the honour to report that, at the conclusion of the trial, which took place on the 28th instant, at *Amherst*, in the County of *Cumberland*, I determined and declared as such Judge, and I hereby certify, the election and return of the said *Arthur R. Dickey*, the respondent, to be void.

It will be obvious from my notes of the trial that I am unable to make any report as to the matters comprised in sub-sections (a), (b) and (c) of Section 44 of "The Dominion Controverted Elections Act;" nor am I, having no knowledge except from what passed at the trial and herewith reported, enabled to offer an opinion required by sub-section (d) of said Section 44.

I beg respectfully under Section 45 of said Act to report the special circumstances of this case, in order that if it should be considered any obscurity exists in the Act as applied to cases of this nature an amendment may be made.

I have the honour to be,

Your obedient servant,  
(Signed) ROBERT WEATHERBE

Mr. Speaker also informed the House, That in conformity with Chapter 9, Section 46, of the Revised Statutes, he had issued his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery to make out a new Writ of Election for the said Electoral District.

Mr. Speaker further informed the House, That the Clerk of the House had received from the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, the following certificate:—

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, *Canada*,  
*Ottawa*, 19th January, 1889.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the seventh day of December last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *Matthew A. Logan*, Esquire, of *Amherst, N.S.*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of the County of *Cumberland*, in the Province of *Nova Scotia*, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District in the House of Commons of *Canada*, in the present Parliament, in the room of *Arthur R. Dickey*, Esquire, whose election has been declared void; *Arthur R. Dickey*, Esquire, of *Amherst, N.S.*, Barrister-at law, has been duly returned as such representative, as appears by the Return to the said Writ, deposited of Record in my Office.

SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU (L.S.)  
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, *Canada*.

To *J. G. Bourinot*, Esquire, LL.D.,  
Clerk of the House of Commons of *Canada*.

The Honourable *Charles Hibbert Tupper*, Member for the Electoral District of *Pictou*; *Fabien Boisvert*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of *Nicolet*; the Honourable *John Graham Haggart*, Member for the Electoral District of the County of *Lanark* (South Riding); the Honourable *Edgar Dewdney*, Member for the Electoral District of East *Assiniboia*; the Honourable *Sir Adams G. Archibald*, Member for the Electoral District of *Colchester*; *Alphonse Télesphore Lépine*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of *Montreal East*; *Robert Smeaton White*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of the County of *Cardwell*; *Arthur R. Dickey*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of *Cumberland*; and *Hilaire Neveu*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of *Joliette*, having previously taken the Oath according to law, and subscribed before the Commissioners the Roll containing the same, took their seats in the House.

Ordered, That *Sir John A. Macdonald* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the Administration of Oaths of Office.

He accordingly presented the said Bill the House, and the same was received and read the first time.

Mr. Speaker reported, That when the House did attend His Excellency the Governor General this day in the Senate Chamber, His Excellency was pleased to make a speech to both Houses of Parliament, of which Mr. Speaker said he had, to prevent mistakes, obtained a copy, which he read to the House as followeth :—

*Honourable Gentlemen of the Senate :*

*Gentlemen of the House of Commons :*

In addressing the Parliament of *Canada* for the first time, in fulfilment of the important trust which has been committed to me as Her Majesty's Representative, I desire to express the satisfaction with which I resort to your advice and assistance.

I am conscious of the honour which attends my association with your labours for the welfare of the Dominion, and it will be my earnest endeavour to co-operate with you, to the utmost of my power, in all that may promote the prosperity of the people of this country, the development of her material resources, and the maintenance of the constitutional ties which unite her provinces.

It is to be regretted that the treaty concluded between Her Majesty and the President of the *United States* for the adjustment of the questions which have arisen with reference to "The Fisheries," has not been sanctioned by the *United States* Senate, in whom the power of ratification is vested ; and that our legislation of last year on the subject is therefore in a great measure inoperative.

It now only remains for *Canada* to continue to maintain her rights as prescribed by the Convention of 1818, until some satisfactory re-adjustment is arranged by treaty between the two nations.

A measure will again be submitted to you to amend the Acts respecting the Electoral Franchise, for the purpose of simplifying the law and lessening the cost of its operation.

It is expedient, in the interests of commerce, to assimilate, and in some particulars to amend, the laws which now obtain in the several Provinces of the Dominion relating to Bills of Exchange, Cheques and Promissory Notes ; and a Bill with this object will be laid before you.

A Bill will also be provided for making uniform throughout the Dominion the laws relating to Bills of Lading.

During the recess my Government has carefully considered the subject of Ocean Steam Service, and you will be asked to provide subsidies for the improvement of the Atlantic Mail Service, and for the establishment in concert with Her Majesty's Government, of a line of fast steamers between *British Columbia* and *China* and *Japan*. Your attention will also be invited to the best mode of developing our trade, and securing direct communication by steam with *Australasia*, the *West Indies* and *South America*.

A Bill will be submitted for your consideration for the prevention of certain offences in connection with Municipal Councils, and to give greater facilities for making enquiries as to such matters.

Several measures will also be presented to you for improving the law of procedure in criminal cases. Among these will be a Bill to permit the release on probation of persons convicted of first offences, a Bill authorizing regulations to be made for the practice in cases partaking of the nature of criminal proceedings, and a Bill to make the Speedy Trials Act applicable throughout *Canada*.

Bills relating to the inspection of timber and lumber, for the improvement of the Postal System, and for increasing the efficiency of the *North-West* Mounted Police, will also be submitted for your consideration.

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The Royal Commissioners on Labour having concluded their enquiries, I hope to be able to lay before you at an early day their Report with the important evidence collected by them in various parts of *Canada*.

*Gentlemen of the House of Commons :*

The accounts for the past and the Estimates for the ensuing year will be laid before you. These Estimates have been prepared with a due regard to economy and the efficiency of the public service.

*Honourable Gentlemen of the Senate :*

*Gentlemen of the House of Commons :*

I now commend these several subjects and the others which may be brought before you to your earnest consideration, and I trust that the result of your deliberations may, under the Divine Blessing, tend to promote the well-being and prosperity of *Canada*.

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*,  
*Ordered*, That the Speech of His Excellency the Governor General to both Houses of the Parliament of the Dominion of *Canada*, be taken into consideration To-morrow.

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*,  
*Resolved*, That Select Standing Committees of this House for the present Session be appointed for the following purposes:—1. On Privileges and Elections. 2. On Expiring Laws. 3. On Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines. 4. On Miscellaneous Private Bills. 5. On Standing Orders. 6. On Printing. 7. On Public Accounts. 8. On Banking and Commerce. 9. On Agriculture and Colonization; which said Committees shall severally be empowered to examine and enquire into all such matters and things as may be referred to them by the House; and to report from time to time their observations and opinions thereon; with power to send for persons, papers and records.

Mr. Speaker communicated to the House, The Report of the Joint Librarians of Parliament. (*Sessional Papers, No. 19*).

And then The House adjourned till To-Morrow.

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Friday, 1st February, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Shanly*,—The Petition of Sir *A. T. Galt* and others.

By Mr. *Mara*,—The Petition of *James Isbester* and others, Provisional Directors of the *Kootenay and Athabasca Railway Company*.

By Mr. *Bowman*,—The Petition of the *Ontario Mutual Life Assurance Company*.  
By Mr. *Denison*,—Three Petitions of District Assembly No. 125, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Hesson*,—Three Petitions of *John Hoy* and others; the Petition of *James Wagner* and others; the Petition of *Ernest Wicke* and others; the Petition of *William Turner* and others; and the Petition of *James Wilson* and others, all of the City of *Stratford, Ontario*.

Mr. Speaker informed the House, That he had received from the Registrar of the Supreme Court of *Canada* a certified copy of the Judgment of the said Court in the following Election Appeal, viz :—

For the Electoral District of *Rimouski*.

And the same was read, and ordered to be entered in the Journals of this House, and is as follows :—

### RIMOUSKI CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

*In the Supreme Court of Canada.*

TUESDAY, the 15th day of January, 1889.

*Present :*

The Honourable	Sir <i>William Johnstone Ritchie</i> , Knight, Chief Justice.
do	Mr. Justice <i>Strong</i> ,
do	Mr. Justice <i>Fournier</i> ,
do	Mr. Justice <i>Gwynne</i> ,
do	Mr. Justice <i>Patterson</i> .

### DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT.

Election of a Member for the House of Commons of *Canada*, for the Electoral District of *Rimouski*, held on the 15th and 22nd days of February, 1887.

Between

IGNACE POIRIER,

(*Petitioner in the Court below*) Appellant ;

and

JEAN BAPTISTE ROMUALD FISET,

(*Respondent in the Court below*) Respondent.

On the application made to this Court on behalf of the above named Respondent, that the above appeal of the above named Appellant from the judgment of the Honourable Mr. Justice *Pelletier*, rendered in the above cause, whereby the Election Petition of the said Appellant was dismissed and the said Respondent was declared duly elected, might be dismissed for want of prosecution or quashed for want of jurisdiction, upon hearing, read the notice of motion, the affidavit of *N. A. Belcourt*, in support thereof, the record and other papers filed, and upon hearing counsel for the said Respondent, no one appearing on behalf of the said Appellant, this Court did order, adjudge and determine that the said appeal should be and the same was dismissed with costs to be paid by the said Appellant to the said Respondent.

And this Court did further order, adjudge and determine that so much of the sum of one hundred dollars deposited by the said Appellant in the Court below as security for the costs of the said appeal as may be required to satisfy the Respondent's costs of the said appeal, be paid to the said Respondent, and the balance (if any) repaid to the said Appellant.

And this Court did further order, adjudge and determine that the record transmitted to this Court be returned to the proper officer of the Court below.

Certified,  
(Signed) ROBERT CASSELS,  
Registrar.

Mr. Speaker informed the House, that the Clerk of the House had received from the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, the following certificate:—

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, *Canada*,  
Ottawa, 1st February, 1889.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the third day of January last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *Auguste Gauthier*, Esquire, of *Lorette, Manitoba*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of the County of *Provencher*, in the Province of *Manitoba*, for the Election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District in the House of Commons of *Canada*, in the present Parliament, in the room of Honourable *Joseph Royal*, who has accepted the office of Lieutenant Governor of the *North-West Territories*; *Alphonse Alfred Clément LaRivière*, of *St. Boniface*, gentleman, has been duly returned as such representative, as appears by the Return to the said Writ, deposited of Record in my office.

SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU, [L.S.]  
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, *Canada*.

To *J. G. Bourinot*, Esquire, LL.D.,  
Clerk of the House of Commons of *Canada*.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Annual Report of the Minister of Public Works, for the fiscal year 1887–88, on the works under his control. (*Sessional Papers, No. 9.*)

*Mr. Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Public Accounts of *Canada*, for the fiscal year ended 30th June, 1888. (*Sessional Papers, No. 2.*)

*Mr. Tupper*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Twenty-First Annual Report of the Department of Marine, for the fiscal year ended 30th June, 1888. (*Sessional Papers, No. 7.*)

Sir *John Thompson*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Account of the average number of men employed on the Dominion Police Force during each month of the year 1888, and of their pay and travelling expenses (under Revised Statutes of *Canada*, Chapter 184, Section 5). (*Sessional Papers, No. 29.*)

*Mr. Bowell*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Tables of the Trade and Navigation of the Dominion of *Canada*, for the fiscal year ended 30th June, 1888, compiled from official Returns. (*Sessional Papers, No. 1.*)

*Mr. Costigan*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Report, Returns and Statistics of the Inland Revenues of the Dominion of *Canada*, for the fiscal year ended 30th June, 1888. (*Sessional Papers, No. 4.*)

On motion of Mr. *Bowell*, seconded by Mr. *Desjardins*.

*Resolved*, That a Select Committee composed of Messieurs *Baker, Béchard, Charlton, Colby, Davin, Desjardins, Ellis, Innes, Scriver, Somerville, Taylor, Tupper, Vanasse*, and *Weldon (Albert)*, be appointed to supervise the Official Report of the Debates of this House during the present Session; with power to report from time to time.

*Edward Cochrane*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of the East Riding of the County of *Northumberland (Ontario)* 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 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. *White (Cardwell)* moved, seconded by Mr. *Lépine*, 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 commencement of the present Session, and further to assure His Excellency:—

1. That we are grateful to him for intimating to us that, in addressing the Parliament of *Canada* for the first time, in fulfilment of the important trust which has been committed to him, as Her Majesty's Representative, he desires to express the satisfaction with which he resorts to our advice and assistance.

2. That we thank His Excellency for informing us that he is conscious of the honour which attends his association with our labours for the welfare of the Dominion, and that it will be his earnest endeavour to co-operate with us, to the utmost of his power, in all that may promote the prosperity of the people of this country, the development of her material resources, and the maintenance of the constitutional ties which unite her Provinces.

3. That with His Excellency we agree that it is to be regretted that the treaty concluded between Her Majesty and the President of the *United States* for the adjustment of the questions which have arisen with reference to "The Fisheries" has not been sanctioned by the *United States* Senate, in whom the power of ratification is vested, and that our legislation of last year on the subject is therefore in a great measure inoperative.

4. That we concur with His Excellency in the view that it now only remains for *Canada* to continue to maintain her rights as prescribed by the Convention of 1818, until some satisfactory re-adjustment is arranged by treaty between the two nations.

5. That we learn with satisfaction that a measure will again be submitted to us to amend the Acts respecting the Electoral Franchise, for the purpose of simplifying the law and lessening the cost of its operation.

6. That, having been informed by His Excellency that it is expedient, in the interests of commerce, to assimilate, and in some particulars to amend, the laws which now obtain in the several Provinces of the Dominion relating to Bills of Exchange, Cheques and Promissory Notes, any Bill with this object will receive our earnest consideration.

7. That we will carefully consider any Bill provided for making uniform throughout the Dominion the laws relating to Bills of Lading.

8. That we thank His Excellency for informing us that during the recess his Government has carefully considered the subject of Ocean Steam Service, and that we will willingly enter upon the consideration of a measure to provide subsidies for the improvement of the Atlantic Mail Service, and for the establishment, in concert with Her Majesty's Government, of a line of fast steamers between *British Columbia* and *China* and *Japan*; and that we are grateful to His Excellency for the intimation that our attention will also be invited to the best mode of developing our trade, and securing direct communication by steam with *Australasia*, the *West Indies* and *South America*.

9. That His Excellency may rest assured that any Bill submitted for our consideration for the prevention of certain offences in connection with Municipal Councils, and to give greater facilities for making enquiries as to such matters, will receive our thoughtful attention.

10. That we learn with interest that several measures will also be presented to us for improving the law of procedure in criminal cases, and that among these will be a Bill to permit the release on probation of persons convicted of first offences, a Bill authorizing regulations to be made for the practice in cases partaking of the nature of criminal proceedings, and a Bill to make the Speedy Trials Act applicable throughout *Canada*, and that all such measures will be willingly considered by us.

11. That we assure His Excellency that any Bills relating to the inspection of timber and lumber, for the improvement of the Postal System, and for increasing the efficiency of the *North-West Mounted Police*, which are submitted for our consideration, will receive our earnest attention.

12. That we thank His Excellency for informing us that the Royal Commissioners on Labour having concluded their enquiries, he hopes to be able to lay before us at an early day their report with the important evidence collected by them in various parts of *Canada*.

13. That our thanks are due to His Excellency for informing us that the accounts for the past and the Estimates for the ensuing year will be laid before us, and that we will respectfully consider these Estimates, which will, we trust, be found to have been prepared with a due regard to economy and the efficiency of the public service.

14. That His Excellency may rest assured that these several subjects and any others which may be brought before us will receive our earnest consideration, and that with him we trust that the result of our deliberations may, under the Divine Blessing, tend to promote the well-being and prosperity of *Canada*.

And the Question being put on the Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

*Resolved*, That the said Resolution be referred to a Select Committee composed of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, and Messieurs *White (Cardwell)* and *Lépine*, to prepare and report the draft of an Address in answer to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor General to both Houses of Parliament, in conformity to the said Resolution.

Sir *John A. Macdonald* reported from the Select Committee appointed to draw up an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, That they had drawn up an Address accordingly, and the same was read, as followeth:—

To His Excellency the Right Honourable Sir *Frederick Arthur Stanley*, Baron *Stanley of Preston*, in the County of *Lancaster*, in the Peerage of *Great Britain*; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor General of *Canada* and Vice-Admiral of the same.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY:—

We, Her Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Commons of *Canada* in Parliament assembled, humbly thank Your Excellency for your gracious Speech at the opening of this Session, and assure Your Excellency that we are grateful to you for intimating to us that, in addressing the Parliament of *Canada* for the first time, in fulfilment of the important trust which has been committed to you, as Her Majesty's Representative, you desire to express the satisfaction with which you resort to our advice and assistance.

We thank Your Excellency for informing us that you are conscious of the honour which attends your association with our labours for the welfare of the Dominion, and that it will be your earnest endeavour to co-operate with us, to the utmost of your power, in all that may promote the prosperity of the people of this

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country, the development of her material resources, and the maintenance of the constitutional ties which unite her provinces.

With Your Excellency we agree that it is to be regretted that the treaty concluded between Her Majesty and the President of the *United States* for the adjustment of the questions which have arisen with reference to "The Fisheries" has not been sanctioned by the *United States* Senate, in whom the power of ratification is vested, and that our legislation of last year on the subject is therefore in a great measure inoperative.

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We assure Your Excellency that any Bills relating to the inspection of timber and lumber, for the improvement of the Postal System, and for increasing the efficiency of the *North-West* Mounted Police, submitted for our consideration, will receive our earnest attention.

We thank Your Excellency for informing us that the Royal Commissioners on Labour having concluded their enquiries, you hope to be able to lay before us at an early day their report with the important evidence collected by them in various parts of *Canada*.

Our thanks are due to Your Excellency for informing us that the accounts for the past, and the Estimates for the ensuing year will be laid before us, and we will respectfully consider these Estimates, which will, we trust, be found to have been prepared with a due regard to economy and efficiency of the public service.

Your Excellency may rest assured that these several subjects and any others which may be brought before us will receive our earnest consideration, and with you we trust that the result of our deliberations may, under the Divine Blessing, tend to promote the well-being and prosperity of *Canada*.

The said Address being read a second time, was agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the said Address be engrossed.

*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. *Foster*, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*,

*Resolved*, That this House will, on Tuesday next, resolve itself into a Committee to consider of the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty.

On motion of Mr. *Foster*, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*,

*Resolved*, That this House will, on Tuesday next, resolve itself into a Committee to consider of Ways and Means for raising the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty.

And then The House adjourned till Monday next.

Monday, 4th February, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Denison*,—The Petition of *Edward Carney* and others; three Petitions of *George Creighton* and others; four Petitions of the Hand-in-Hand Assembly, No. 5743, Knights of Labour; two Petitions of *George A. Harrap* and others, all of *Toronto*; the Petition of the Regular Baptist Foreign Missionary Society of *Ontario* and *Quebec*; and the Petition of the Regular Baptist Missionary Society of *Ontario*.

By Mr. *McKay*,—The Petition of the *Hamilton Central Railway Company*.

By Mr. *Perley*,—The Petition of the Corporation of the City of *Ottawa*.

By Mr. *Curran*,—The Petition of the *Saint Gabriel Levee and Railway Company*.

By Mr. *Marshall*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Mid-dlesex, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Laurier*,—The Petition of *Octave Vézina* and others; the Petition of *P. P. Lemieux* and others; the Petition of *Chrysanthe Juneau* and others; the Petition of *W. Roth* and others; the Petition of *S. Bérubé* and others; the Petition of *T. Bédard* and others; and the Petition of *D. Chamberland* and others.

By Mr. *Wood (Westmoreland)*,—The Petition of the *New Brunswick and Prince Edward Railway Company*.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received:—

Of Sir *A. T. Galt* and others; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The *Alberta Railway and Coal Company*."

Of *James Isbester* and others, Provisional Directors of the *Kootenay and Athabasca Railway Company*; praying for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation.

Of the *Ontario Mutual Life Assurance Company*; praying for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation.

Of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; and of *Ernest Wicke* and others, of the City of *Stratford*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act for the proper inspection of Stationary Engines and Boilers.

Of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; and of *James Wagner* and others, of the City of *Stratford*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act setting apart a day to be known as "Labour Day," as a National Holiday, for the benefit of the wage-earners of the Dominion.

Of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; and of *John Hoy* and others, of the City of *Stratford*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to compel all vessels, whether steam or sail, navigating the inland waters of *Canada*, to carry competent crews, and for other purposes.

Of *John Hoy* and others, of the City of *Stratford, Ontario*; praying for an amendment of the Seamen's Agreement Act.

Of *John Hoy* and others, of the City of *Stratford, Ontario*; praying for the abolition of the present system of Immigration.

Of *William Turner* and others, of the City of *Stratford, Ontario*; praying that the clause in the Dominion Elections Act, requiring a deposit from candidates for election, be repealed.

Of *James Wilson* and others, of the City of *Stratford, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation of contract labour.

*John Waldie*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of *Halton*, and *Alphonse Alfred Clément LaRivière*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of *Provencher*, having previously taken the Oath according to law, and subscribed before the Commissioners the Roll containing the same, took their seats in the House.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 9th April, 1838, for a copy of Report of Engineers and Surveyors appointed to survey the Straits of *Northumberland* from *Carleton Point, Prince Edward Island*, to *Cape Jourimain, New Brunswick*, during the summer of 1837, with a view of ascertaining the practicability of building a sub way across the Straits. (*Sessional Papers, No. 21.*)

Also,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 7th May, 1888, for copies of all correspondence and telegrams between the Department of Railways and Messrs. *Sims and Slater*, Contractors for the Eastern Section of the *Cape Breton Railway*, between the *Grand Narrows* and *Sydney*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 22.*)

Also,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 9th April, 1888, for copies of all papers, documents, telegrams and correspondence in connection with the land grant to the *Souris and Rocky Mountain Railway Company*, or relating to the construction of said Railway. (*Sessional Papers, No. 22a.*)

Also,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 9th April, 1888, for copies of all papers, documents, telegrams and correspondence in connection with the land grant to the *North-West Central Railway Company*, or relating to the construction of the said Railway. (*Sessional Papers, No. 22b.*)

Also,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 9th April, 1888, for copies of all papers, documents, telegrams and correspondence as to the incorporation of the *Great North-West Central Railway Company*, or relating to any land grant thereto, or to the construction of the line of the said Railway or any part thereof. (*Sessional Papers, No. 22c.*)

Also,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 16th April, 1888, for a Return of all correspondence, petitions, reports of engineers, and others, regarding the construction of a harbour of refuge at *Wellington, Lake Ontario*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 23.*)

And also,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 16th April, 1888, for a Return of all tenders received by the Government for the supply of coal during the past calendar year, the names of successful tenderers, and the rate per ton in all contracts for coal entered into by the Government during the same period. (*Sessional Papers, No. 24.*)

Mr. *Bowell*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 30th April, 1888, for copies of all correspondence, Orders in Council, reports, papers and documents touching the seizure made on *F. O. Vallerand*, at *Quebec*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 25.*)

Also,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 30th April, 1888, for copies of all correspondence, Orders in Council, papers and documents respecting the seizure of diamonds and other precious stones effected at *Quebec* on one *David Levi*, and the cancelling of the said seizure. (*Sessional Papers, No. 25a.*)

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Report of the Auditor General on Appropriation Accounts, for the year ended 30th June, 1888. (*Sessional Papers, No. 3.*)

Also,—Statement of Governor General's Warrants issued and expenditure made under same, since last Session of Parliament, in accordance with Consolidated Revenue and Audit Act, Section 32, Sub-section 2. (*Sessional Papers, No. 26.*)

Also,—Statement of all Superannuations and Retiring Allowances in the Civil Service, giving the name and rank of each person superannuated or retired, his salary, age and length of service, his allowance and cause of retirement, and whether the vacancy has been filled by promotion or new appointment, &c., for the year ended 31st December, 1888. (*Sessional Papers, No. 27.*)

Also,—Statement of Expenditure under authority of 51 Victoria, Chapter 1, on account Miscellaneous Unforeseen Expenses, from 1st July, 1888, to 31st January, 1889. (*Sessional Papers, No. 28.*)

And also,—Preliminary Abstract of the business of Canadian Life Insurance Companies for the year ending 31st December, 1888. (*Sessional Papers, No. 11a.*)

Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Annual Report of the Department of Militia and Defence of the Dominion of *Canada*, 31st December, 1888. Also the Militia List. (*Sessional Papers, No. 13.*)

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Kirkpatrick* have leave to bring in a Bill to permit Foreign vessels to aid vessels wrecked or disabled in Canadian waters.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Brown* have leave to bring in a Bill to make further provision, as to the prevention of cruelty to animals, and to amend Chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, intituled: "An Act respecting Cruelty to Animals."

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Sir *John Thompson* have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend the Revised Statutes, Chapter five, respecting the Electoral Franchise.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Sir *John Thompson* have leave to bring in a Bill relating to Bills of Exchange, Cheques and Promissory Notes.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Boyle* have leave to bring in a Bill to prevent practice of fraud by tree peddlers and commission men in the sale of nursery stock.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Patterson (Essex)* have leave to bring in a Bill to admit vessels registered in the *United States* to wrecking, towing and coasting privileges in Canadian waters.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

On motion of Mr. *Brown*, seconded by Mr. *McKay*,

*Resolved*, That a Select Committee composed of Messieurs *Amyot, Barron, Carpenter, Cochrane, Desjardins, Fisher, Ferguson (Welland), Hale, McMullen, Marshall, Mills (Annapolis), Moncrieff, Rowand, Smith (Ontario), Welsh, Wood (Brockville)*, and the mover, be appointed to enquire into the fraudulent practices which have prevailed, and still prevail, in various parts of the Dominion, by which farmers and others have been and are induced to give their promissory notes and securities to a very large amount in the aggregate, for seed, agricultural implements, grape vines and other goods and merchandize, by various false pretexts; the goods in some cases never being delivered, and in other cases being comparatively worthless, the makers of such promissory notes being obliged to make payment, while the perpetrators of these wrongs evade justice; with power to send for persons, papers, and records, and examine on oath or affirmation, where affirmation is allowed by law, such witnesses as may appear before the said Committee, and to report what remedies exist in such cases, or what further remedies should be provided; and that the said Committee be empowered to employ a short-hand writer to take down such evidence as the Committee may deem necessary; and that Rule 78 be suspended in so far as it relates to the number of Members to serve on the said Committee.

*Resolved*, That a Special Committee of seven Members be appointed to prepare and report with all convenient speed, lists of Members to compose the Select Standing Committees ordered by this House on Thursday the 31st ultimo; and that Sir *John A. Macdonald*, Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, Sir *Richard J. Cartwright*, Sir *John Thompson*, Messieurs *Bowell, Laurier* and *Mills (Bothwell)* do compose the said Committee.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

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Tuesday, 5th February, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Shanly*,—The Petition of the *Prescott County Railway Company*.

By Mr. *Rykert*,—The Petition of the Seamen's District Assembly No. 136; four Petitions of *Barry* Assembly, No. 827, Plumbers; and four Petitions of the *Welland Canal Seamen's Assembly* No. 7025.

By Mr. *Masson*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Grey*.

By Mr. *Denison*,—Two Petitions of the *Toronto Trades and Labour Council*; two Petitions of the *Toronto Typographical Union*; the Petition of the Society for the relief of Superannuated Baptist Ministers and the widows and orphans of Regular Baptist Ministers; and the Petition of the *Standard Publishing Company (Limited)*.

By Mr. *Cochburn*,—Four Petitions of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; three Petitions of the *Toronto* Typographical Union; three Petitions of the *Toronto* Trades and Labour Council; and the Petition of the *London* and *Canadian* Loan and Agency Company (Limited).

By Mr. *Brown*,—The Petition of the *Hamilton* Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

By Mr. *Jamieson*,—The Petition of Dr. *Oronhyatekha* and others, officers and members of the Independent Order of Forresters.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, from the Special Committee appointed to prepare and report Lists of Members to compose the Select Standing Committees ordered by this House reported, That they had prepared Lists of Members accordingly and the same were read as follow:—

1. ON PRIVILEGES AND ELECTIONS.—Messieurs *Amyot*, *Barron*, *Beausoleil*, *Blake*, *Caron*, *Casgrain*, *Chapleau*, *Colby*, *Costigan*, *Curran*, *Davies*, *Desaulniers*, *Desjardins*, *Dickey*, *Elgar*, *Girouard*, *Hall*, *Hudspeth*, *Ives*, *Kirkpatrick*, *Landry*, *Langelier* (*Montmorency*), *Langelier* (*Quebec*), *Langevin* (*Sir Hector*), *Laurier*, *Lister*, *Macdonald* (*Sir John*), *Mackenzie*, *McCarthy*, *McDonald* (*Victoria*), *McIntyre*, *Mills* (*Bothwell*), *Moncrieff*, *Mulock*, *Patterson* (*Essex*), *Préfontaine*, *Prior*, *Riopel*, *Temple*, *Thompson* (*Sir John*), *Tupper*, *Weldon* (*Albert*), and *Weldon* (*St. John*).—43.

2. ON EXPIRING LAWS.—Messieurs. *Armstrong*, *Audet*, *Bell*, *Cameron*, *Coughlin*, *Couture*, *Daly*, *Daoust*, *De St. Georges*, *Doyon*, *Ferguson* (*Renfrew*), *Freeman*, *Guillet*, *Hale*, *Hesson*, *Labrosse*, *Lang*, *La Rivière*, *Livingston*, *McIntyre*, *Putnam*, *Ste. Marie*, *Tyrwhitt*, *Ward*, and *Yeo*.—25. And that the Quorum of the said Committee do consist of Seven Members.

3. ON RAILWAYS, CANALS AND TELEGRAPH LINES.—Messieurs *Archibald* (*Sir Adams*), *Amyot*, *Armstrong*, *Bain* (*Soulanges*), *Bain* (*Wentworth*), *Baird*, *Barron*, *Beausoleil*, *Béchar*, *Bergeron*, *Bergin*, *Bernier*, *Blake*, *Boisvert*, *Borden*, *Bourassa*, *Bowell*, *Bowman*, *Boyle*, *Brien*, *Brown*, *Bryson*, *Burdett*, *Burns*, *Cameron*, *Campbell*, *Cargill*, *Carling*, *Caron* (*Sir Adolphe*), *Cartwright* (*Sir Richard*), *Casey*, *Casgrain*, *Chapleau*, *Charlton*, *Choquette*, *Chouinard*, *Cimon*, *Cockburn*, *Colby*, *Cook*, *Corby*, *Costigan*, *Coulombe*, *Couture*, *Curran*, *Daly*, *Davies*, *Davis*, *Dawson*, *De St. Georges*, *Desjardins*, *Dessaint*, *Dewdney*, *Dickinson*, *Edgar*, *Ferguson* (*Leeds and Grenville*), *Ferguson* (*Welland*), *Fisher*, *Foster*, *Geoffron*, *Gillmor*, *Girouard*, *Godbout*, *Gordon*, *Grandbois*, *Guay*, *Guillet*, *Haggart*, *Hale*, *Hall*, *Hesson*, *Hickey*, *Holton*, *Hudspeth*, *Innes*, *Ives*, *Joncas*, *Jones* (*Halifax*), *Kenny*, *Kirkpatrick*, *Labelle*, *Landerkin*, *Landry*, *Langelier* (*Quebec*), *Langevin* (*Sir Hector*), *La Rivière*, *Laurie* (*Lieut. Gen.*), *Laurier*, *Lavergne*, *Lépine*, *Lister*, *Livingston*, *Macdonald* (*Sir John*), *Mackenzie*, *McCarthy*, *McCulla*, *McDougald* (*Pictou*), *McDougall* (*Cape Breton*), *McGreevy*, *McIntyre*, *McKay*, *McKeen*, *McMillan* (*Vaudreuil*), *McMullen*, *Madill*, *Mara*, *Masson*, *Meigs*, *Mills* (*Annapolis*), *Mills* (*Bothwell*), *Mitchell*, *Mulock*, *Patterson* (*Essex*), *Perley*, *Perry*, *Platt*, *Pope*, *Porter*, *Préfontaine*, *Prior*, *Purcell*, *Rinfret*, *Riopel*, *Robillard*, *Roome*, *Ross*, *Rykert*, *Scarth*, *Scriver*, *Shanly*, *Skinner*, *Small*, *Smith* (*Sir Donald*), *Smith* (*Ontario*), *Sproule*, *Stevenson*, *Sutherland*, *Taylor*, *Temple*, *Thérien*, *Thompson* (*Sir John*), *Tisdale*, *Trow*, *Turcot*, *Waldie*, *Tyrwhitt*, *Vanasse*, *Wallace*, *Ward*, *Watson*, *Weldon* (*Albert*), *Weldon* (*St. John*), *White* (*Cardwell*), *White* (*Renfrew*), *Wilmot*, *Wilson* (*Argenteuil*), *Wilson* (*Elgin*), *Wilson* (*Lennox*), *Wood* (*Brockville*), *Wood* (*Westmoreland*), *Wright*, and *Yeo*.—162.

4. ON MISCELLANEOUS PRIVATE BILLS.—Messieurs *Amyot*, *Armstrong*, *Audet*, *Barnard*, *Barron*, *Bell*, *Borden*, *Bourassa*, *Brien*, *Burdett*, *Campbell*, *Carpenter*, *Caron* (*Sir Adolphe*), *Casey*, *Chisholm*, *Choquette*, *Chouinard*, *Cochrane*, *Costigan*, *Daly*, *Daoust*, *Davin*, *Denism*, *Dickey*, *Dickinson*, *Edwards*, *Eisenhauer*, *Ellis*, *Geoffron*, *Gillmor*, *Girouard*, *Hale*, *Hickey*, *Holton*, *Hudspeth*, *Ives*, *Jamieson*, *Joncas*, *Jones* (*Digby*), *Kenny*, *Labelle*, *Labrosse*, *Landry*, *Langelier* (*Montmorency*), *Langelier* (*Quebec*), *Laurie* (*Lieut. Gen.*), *Lavergne*, *Lépine*, *Lovitt*, *McCulla*, *McDougall* (*Cape Breton*), *McGreevy*, *McIntyre*, *McKay*, *McMillan* (*Huron*), *McMillan* (*Vaudreuil*), *Madill*, *Mar-*

shall, Moffat, Moncrieff, Montplaisir, Mulock, Robillard, Rowand, Sriver, Small, Sproule, Vanasse, Ward, Watson, Weldon (Albert), Weldon (St. John), Wilson (Argenteuil), and Wright.—74. And that the Quorum of the said Committee do consist of Seven Members.

5. ON STANDING ORDERS.—Messieurs Bain (Wentworth), Bergeron, Brien, Burdett, Casgrain, Coughlin, Coulombe, Denison, De St. Georges, Dessaint, Dupont, Ferguson (Leeds and Grenville), Ferguson (Renfrew), Ferguson (Welland), Gigault, Gillmor, Gordon, Jones (Digby), Landerkin, Langelier (Montmorency), Lavergne, Macdowell, McKeen, Marshall, Meigs, Mills (Annapolis), Moffat, Montplaisir, O'Brien, Paterson (Brant), Patterson (Essex), Perry, Porter, Rinjret, Robertson, Smith (Sir Donald), Stevenson, Sutherland, Thérien, Turcot, Wilmot, Wilson (Lennox), and Wood (Brockville).—43. And that the Quorum of the said Committee do consist of Seven Members.

6. ON PRINTING.—Messieurs Amyot, Bergin, Bourassa, Howell, Charlton, Davin, Desjardins, Foster, Grandbois, Innes, McMullen, Putnam, Somerville, Taylor, Tisdale, Trow, and Vanasse.—17.

7. ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.—Messieurs Bain (Soulanges), Baker, Baird, Béchard, Bergeron, Bergin, Blake, Howell, Cameron, Carling, Caron (Sir Adolphe), Cartwright (Sir Richard), Chapleau, Charlton, Colby, Costigan, Davies, Ellis, Foster, Gillmor, Grandbois, Haggart, Hesson, Hickey, Holton, Jones (Halifax), Landerkin, Langelier (Quebec) Lister, Macdonald (Sir John), Macdonald (Huron), Mackenzie, McCarthy, McDougald (Pictou), McMullen, Madill, Mills (Annapolis), Mitchell, Moncrieff, Mulock, Perley, Rinjret, Riopel, Rykert, Scarth, Sriver, Smith (Ontario), Somerville, Taylor, Tupper, Wallace, Welsh, White (Cardwell), White (Renfrew), Wilmot, Wood (Brockville), and Wood (Westmoreland).—57. And that the Quorum of the said Committee do consist of Nine Members.

8. ON BANKING AND COMMERCE.—Messieurs Archibald (Sir Adams), Baird, Barnard, Baker, Beausoleil, Béchard, Bernier, Blake, Borden, Howell, Bowman, Boyle, Brown, Bryson, Burns, Cameron, Cargill, Cartwright (Sir Richard), Casgrain, Cimon, Cochrane, Cockburn, Colby, Cook, Curran, Davies, Dawson, Desjardins, Dickey, Dickinson, Dupont, Edgar, Eisenhauer, Ellis, Fiset, Flynn, Foster, Freeman, Gigault, Girouard, Guillet, Haggart, Hall, Hesson, Holton, Ives, Jamieson, Joncas, Jones (Halifax), Kenny, Kirk, Kirkpatrick, Labelle, Landerkin, Landry, Lang, Langelier (Quebec), Langevin (Sir Hector), Lister, Lovitt, Macdonald (Sir John), Macdonald (Huron), Macdowell, Mackenzie, McCarthy, McDonald (Victoria), McDougald (Pictou), McGreevy, McNeill, Mara, Masson, Meigs, Mills (Bothwell), Mitchell, Moncrieff, O'Brien, Paterson (Brant), Perley, Préfontaine, Purcell, Putnam, Riopel, Robillard, Rykert, Scarth, Sriver, Semple, Shanty, Skinner, Smith (Sir Donald), Sutherland, Temple, Thérien, Thompson (Sir John), Tisdale, Turcot, Vanasse, Waldie, Wallace, Weldon (Albert), Weldon (St. John), Welsh, White (Cardwell), White (Renfrew), Wilson (Argenteuil), Wood (Westmoreland), Wright, and Yeo.—108. And that the Quorum of the said Committee do consist of Nine Members.

9. ON AGRICULTURE AND COLONIZATION.—Messieurs Armstrong, Audet, Bain (Soulanges), Bain (Wentworth), Baker, Béchard, Bell, Bernier, Boisvert, Bourassa, Bowman, Brien, Bryson, Burdett, Burns, Cameron, Carling, Carpenter, Chapleau, Chisholm, Choquette, Cimon, Cochrane, Colby, Coughlin, Coulombe, Couture, Daly, Daoust, Davin, Davis, Dawson, Desaulniers, Dessaint, Dewdney, Dickinson, Doyon, Eisenhauer, Ferguson (Leeds and Grenville), Ferguson (Renfrew), Ferguson (Welland), Fiset, Fisher, Flynn, Gauthier, Gigault, Godbout, Gordon, Grandbois, Guay, Guillet, Hesson, Innes, Joncas, Jones (Digby), Kirk, Labrosse, Landry, Lang, Laurie (Lieut. Gen.), Lépine, Livingston, Macdonald (Huron), McMillan (Huron), McMillan (Vaudreuil), McNeill, Mara, Marshall, Masson, Mitchell, Montplaisir, Neveu, Paterson (Brant), Perley, Perry, Platt, Pope, Robertson, Roome, Ross, Rowand, Ste. Marie, Semple, Smith (Ontario), Sproule, Stevenson, Sutherland, Taylor, Trow, Tyrwhitt, Watson, White (Renfrew), Wilson (Elgin), Wilson (Lennox), Wright, and Yeo.—96. And that the Quorum of the said Committee do consist of Nine Members.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,  
*Resolved*, That this House doth concur in the said Report so far as it relates to the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,  
*Resolved*, That a Select Committee composed of Sir *Adolphe P. Caron* and Messieurs *Amyot, Blake, Chouinard, Cockburn, Colby, Davies, Davin, Desjardins, Kirkpatrick, O'Brien, Scriver, Thérien, Weldon (Albert), Weldon (St. John), and Wright*, be appointed to assist Mr. Speaker in the direction of the Library of Parliament, so far as the interests of this House are concerned, and to act as Members of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the Library.

*Resolved*, That a Message be sent to the Senate, communicating to their Honours the foregoing Resolution.

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

Mr. *Haggart*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General—Report of the Postmaster General, for the year ended 30th June, 1838. (*Sessional Papers, No. 14.*)

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Report of *Simeon Jones*, Esquire, Commissioner to *South America*, with respect to the *Argentine Republic, Uruguay and Brazil*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 20.*)

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Cook* have leave to bring in a Bill to provide for the examination and licensing of persons having charge of stationary steam engines and other devices worked under pressure.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Cook* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Railway Act. He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

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Wednesday, 6th February, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *McGreevy*,—The Petition of the *Quebec Board of Trade*.

By Mr. *Ferguson (Welland)*,—The Petition of the *Niagara, Grand Island Bridge Company*, and of the *Canada Southern Railway Company*.

By Mr. *Small*,—Two Petitions of the *Toronto Trades and Labour Council*; and two Petitions of the *Toronto Typographical Union*.

By Mr. *Cockburn*,—The Petition of the *Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company of Canada*.

By Mr. Brown,—The Petition of *George McDonald Bagwell*, of the City of *Hamilton*, County of *Wentworth*, Ontario, printer, the lawful husband of *Ella Alexine Louisa Bagwell*, formerly of the said City of *Hamilton*, but now residing at *Talladega*, in the State of *Alabama*, one of the *United States of America*.

By Mr. Carling,—The Petition of the *Ontario Loan and Debenture Company*.

By Mr. Bryson,—The Petition of *Hiram Robinson* and others, of the City of *Ottawa*.

By Mr. Jamieson,—The Petition of *Claude McLacklin* and others, lumber merchant of *Arnprior* and other places; the Petition of *William Gordon Lowry*, of the Township of *Huntley*, County of *Carleton*, Ontario, yeoman; the Petition of *Bennett Rosamond*, of the Town of *Almonte*, County of *Lanark*, Ontario, manufacturer; and the Petition of *Arthur Wand*, of the City of *Montreal*, in the District of *Montreal*, in the Province of *Quebec*, contractor.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received:—

Of *Edward Carney* and others, of *Toronto*; and of *W. Roth* and others; severally praying for the passing of an Act for the proper inspection of stationary engines and boilers.

Of *George Creighton* and others, of *Toronto*; of the Hand-in-Hand Assembly, No. 5743, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; and of *D. Chamberland* and others; severally praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation of contract labour.

Of *George Creighton* and others, of *Toronto*; of the Hand-in-Hand Assembly, No. 5743, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; and of *Octave Vézina* and others; severally praying for the abolition of the present system of Immigration.

Of *George Creighton* and others, of *Toronto*; of the Hand-in-Hand Assembly, No. 5743, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; and of *Chrysanthe Juneau* and others; severally praying for the passing of an Act setting apart a day to be known as "Labour Day," as a national holiday, for the benefit of the wage-earners of the Dominion.

Of the Hand-in-Hand Assembly, No. 5743, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; of *George A. Harrap* and others, of *Toronto*; and of *T. Bédard* and others; severally praying for the passing of an Act to compel all vessels, whether steam or sail, navigating the inland waters of *Canada*, to carry competent crews, and for other purposes.

Of *George A. Harrap* and others, of *Toronto*; and of *S. Berubé* and others; severally praying for an amendment of the Seamen's Agreement Act.

Of the Regular Baptist Foreign Missionary Society of *Ontario* and *Quebec*; and of the Regular Baptist Missionary Society of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to provide that the work of the various denominational societies of the Baptist Churches of the said Provinces, may be placed under the control of the representatives of the said churches, and for other purposes.

Of the *Hamilton Central Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act to extend the time for the commencement and completion of their Railway.

Of the Corporation of the City of *Ottawa*; praying for the passing of an Act to compel all Telegraph and Telephone Companies, in cities, to place their wires underground.

Of the *St. Gabriel Levee and Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act to revive and amend the Acts relating to the said Company.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Middlesex*; praying for a certain amendment to the *Canada Temperance Act*.

Of *P. P. Lemieux* and others; praying that the clause in the Dominion Elections Act, requiring a deposit from candidates for election, be repealed.

Of the *New Brunswick and Prince Edward Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act to change their corporate name to that of the *New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island Railway Company*; to reduce their capital stock; to empower them to extend their line of Railway, and for other purposes.

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*,  
*Resolved*, That this House doth concur in the Report of the Special Committee appointed to prepare and report Lists of Members to compose the Select Standing Committees of this House, in so far as relates to the following Committees, viz.:— On Privileges and Elections; on Expiring Laws; on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines; on Miscellaneous Private Bills; on Printing; on Public Accounts; on Banking and Commerce, and on Agriculture and Colonization.

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*,  
*Ordered*, That Messieurs *Putnam* and *Edwards* be added to the Select Standing Committee on Agriculture and Colonization.

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*,  
*Resolved*, That a Message be sent to the Senate requesting that their Honours will unite with this House in the formation of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the subject of the Printing of Parliament, and informing their Honours that the Members of the Select Standing Committee on Printing, viz.:—Messieurs *Amyot*, *Bergin*, *Bourassa*, *Bowell*, *Charlton*, *Davin*, *Desjardins*, *Foster*, *Grandbois*, *Innes*, *McMullen*, *Putnam*, *Somerville*, *Taylor*, *Tisdale*, *Trow* and *Vanasse* will act as Members on the part of this House of the said Joint Committee on the Printing of Parliament.  
*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the said Message to the Senate.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Landry* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend chapter one hundred and twenty-seven of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, intituled: "An Act respecting Interest."

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Wallace* have leave to bring in a Bill for the prevention and suppression of Combinations formed in restraint of Trade.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

On motion of Mr. *Landerkin*, seconded by Mr. *Bergeron*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return giving the total cost of issuing the Budget Speech each year since 1867, together with a statement showing the number of copies issued yearly during said period.

On motion of Mr. *Binfret*, seconded by Mr. *Boisvert*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all petitions, reports and other documents in relation to the granting of subsidies by the Dominion Government, to the proposed line of railway from *Montreal* to *Lévis*, known as the Great Eastern.

On motion of Sir *Richard J. Cartwright*, seconded by Mr. *Charlton*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of the Receipts and Expenditures, in detail, chargeable to the Consolidated Fund, from the 1st day of July, 1888, to 1st February, 1889, with comparative statement of the same from 1st July, 1887, to 1st February, 1888.

On motion of Sir *Richard J. Cartwright*, seconded by Mr. *Charlton*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return, in the form used in the statements usually published in the *Gazette*, of the Exports and Imports from the 1st day of July, 1888, to the 1st day of January, 1889, distinguishing the products

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of Canada and those of other countries, with comparative statement of the same from 1st July, 1887, to 1st January, 1888.

On motion of Mr. *Innes*, seconded by Mr. *Platt*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of the names of all Chaplains of Public Institutions under appointment of the Government, together with the dates of their appointment, the amount of their salaries, and the religious denominations to which they belong.

On motion of Mr. *Curran*, seconded by Mr. *Hesson*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all papers and documents furnished the Government by the Board of Examiners in connection with the recent examinations of candidates for the office of Hide and Leather Inspector in the City of *Montreal*.

On motion of Mr. *Dessaint*, seconded by Mr. *Ste. Marie*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing:—

- 1st. A list of all the present shareholders of the *Témiscouata* Railway Company;
- 2nd. The number of shares held by each shareholder;
- 3rd. The amount paid by each of them on their respective shares;

On motion of Mr. *Laurier*, seconded by Sir *Richard J. Cartwright*,

*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 Orders in Council, reports, correspondence and papers relating to the dismissal of the Honourable *William Ross* from the Collectorship of Customs at the Port of *Halifax*.

*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. *Brown*, seconded by Mr. *McKay*,

*Resolved*, That a Select Committee composed of Messieurs *Edgar*, *Girouard*, *Hudspeth*, *Kenny*, *Lépine*, *Madill*, *Skinner* and *Ward*, be appointed to examine and report on a ballot or voting box invented by *John Waddell*, of *Harriston*, and constructed by order of the House, under the superintendence of Mr. *John R. Arnoldi*, Chief Mechanical Engineer of the Department of Public Works.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

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Thursday, 7th February, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Perley*,—The Petition of *William Henry Middleton*, of the City of *Ottawa*, in the County of *Carlton*, in the Province of *Ontario*, gentleman; and the Petition of *Jacob Erratt*, Mayor of *Ottawa*, and others.

By Mr. *Edgar*,—The Petition of *John Hoskin* and others, of the City of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Trow*,—The Petition of *Samuel Merner*, of the Village of *New Hamburg*, and others of other places.

By Mr. *Dawson*,—The Petition of the Honourable *Herbert E. Wilson*, M.D., Speaker of the *North-West Council*, of *Edmonton*, and others of the City of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *LaRivière*,—The Petition of *Thomas Horsefield Carman* and others, of the City of *Winnipeg* and other places.

By Mr. *Curran*,—The Petition of *J. E. Mullen*, merchant, and others, of the City of *Montreal*.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received :—

Of the *Prescott County Railway Company*; praying for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation.

Of the *Seamen's District Assembly*, No. 136; of *Barry Assembly*, No. 827, plumbers; and of the *Toronto Trades and Labour Council*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to compel all vessels, whether steam or sail, navigating the inland waters of *Canada*, to carry competent crews, and for other purposes.

Of *Barry Assembly*, No. 827, plumbers; of *Welland Canal Seamen's Assembly*, No. 7025; of the *Toronto Trades and Labour Council*; of the *Toronto Typographical Union*; and of *District Assembly*, No. 125, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; severally praying for an amendment of the *Seamen's Agreement Act*.

Of *Barry Assembly*, No. 827, plumbers; of *Welland Canal Seamen's Assembly*, No. 7025; of the *Toronto Typographical Union*; and of the *Toronto Trades and Labour Council*; severally praying for the passing of an Act setting apart a day to be known as "*Labour Day*," as a national holiday, for the benefit of the wage-earners of the Dominion.

Of *Barry Assembly*, No. 827, plumbers; of *Welland Canal Seamen's Assembly*, No. 7025; and of *District Assembly*, No. 125, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; severally praying that the clause in the *Dominion Elections Act*, requiring a deposit from candidates for election, be repealed.

Of *Welland Canal Seamen's Assembly*, No. 7025; of *District Assembly*, No. 125, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; and of the *Toronto Typographical Union*; severally praying for the abolition of the present system of Immigration.

Of the *Toronto Typographical Union*; and of the *Toronto Trades and Labour Council*; severally praying for the passing of an Act for the proper inspection of stationary engines and boilers.

Of the Society for the relief of Superannuated Baptist Ministers and the widows and orphans of Regular Baptist Ministers; and of the *Standard Publishing Company (Limited)*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to provide that the work of the various denominational societies of the Baptist Churches in *Ontario* and *Quebec*, may be placed under the control of the representatives of the said churches, and for other purposes.

Of *District Assembly*, No. 125, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; of the *Toronto Typographical Union*; and of the *Toronto Trades and Labour Council*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation of contract labour.

Of the *London and Canadian Loan and Agency Company (Limited)*; praying for a further amendment of their Act of Incorporation.

Of the *Hamilton Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, may become law.

Of Dr. *Oronhyatekha* and others, officers and members of the *Independent Order of Foresters*; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the *Supreme Court of the Independent Order of Foresters*.

Lieut. Gen. *J. Wimburn Laurie*, Member for the Electoral District of *Shelburne*, having previously taken the Oath according to law, and subscribed before the Commissioners the Roll containing the same, took his seat in the House.

Sir *John A. Macdonald*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, delivered to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Excellency the Governor General, signed by His Excellency.

And the said Message was read by Mr. Speaker (all the Members of the House standing and being uncovered) and is as followeth:—

STANLEY OF PRESTON.

The Governor General transmits to the House of Commons, an approved Minute of Council, appointing the Right Honourable Sir *John A. Macdonald*, G.C.B., President of the Queen's Privy Council for *Canada*, the Honourable Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, K.C.M.G., Minister of Public Works, the Honourable *John Costigan*, Minister of Indian Revenue, and the Honourable *George Eulas Foster*, Minister of Finance, to act with the Speaker of the House of Commons, as Commissioners for the purposes and under the provisions of the 13th Chapter of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, intituled: "An Act respecting the House of Commons."

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,  
Ottawa, 6th February, 1889.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Choquette* have leave to bring in a Bill to ensure regular crossing facilities between the City of *Quebec* and the Town of *Lévis*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Madill* have leave to bring in a Bill to require the owners of elevators and hoists to guard against accidents.

He accordingly presented the said bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

On motion of Mr. *Davin*, seconded by Mr. *Dawson*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the receipts by the Trustees of the various town sites in the *North-West Territories*, from sales of lands and otherwise; and also, of all expenditures in connection therewith, since the year 1882.

On motion of Mr. *Edgar*, seconded by Mr. *Trow*,

*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 the Resolutions passed at the Conference held in 1887, at the City of *Quebec*, of Delegates from the several Provinces of *Ontario*, *Quebec*, *Nova Scotia*, *New Brunswick* and *Manitoba*; and of all papers and correspondence relating thereto.

*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. *Dewdney*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Annual Report of the Department of Indian Affairs for the year ended 31st December, 1888. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 16)

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Friday 8th February, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. Davis,—The Petition of *Joseph Ick Evans* and others, of the City of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Waldie*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Halton*.

By Mr. *McCarthy*,—The Petition of *John W. Cheeseworth*, merchant, and others, of the City of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Davin*,—The Petition of *D. L. McPherson* and others.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received:—

Of the *Quebec Board of Trade*; praying for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation.

Of the *Niagara Grand Island Bridge Company* and of the *Canada Southern Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act to extend the time for the commencement and completion of their works.

Of the *Toronto Trades and Labour Council*; and of the *Toronto Typographical Union*; severally praying that the clause in the Dominion Elections Act requiring a deposit from candidates for election be repealed.

Of the *Toronto Trades and Labour Council*; praying for the abolition of the present system of Immigration.

Of the *Toronto Typographical Union*; praying for the passing of an Act to compel all vessels, whether steam or sail, navigating the inland waters of *Canada*, to carry competent crews, and for other purposes.

Of the *Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company of Canada*; praying for the passing of an Act granting them additional corporate powers.

Of the *Ontario Loan and Debenture Company*; praying for the passing of an Act empowering them to create a debenture stock, and consolidating the various powers conferred upon them by existing Acts, with respect to borrowing money and receiving money deposits.

Of *Hiram Robinson* and others, of the City of *Ottawa*; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the *Hawkesbury Lumber Company*.

Of *Claude McLachlin* and others, lumber merchants, of *Arnprior* and other places; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the *Ottawa and Montreal Boom Company*.

Of *George McDonald Bagwell*, of the City of *Hamilton*, County of *Wentworth*, *Ontario*, printer, the lawful husband of *Ella Alexine Louisa Bagwell*, formerly of the said City of *Hamilton*, but now residing at *Talladega*, in the State of *Alabama*, one of the *United States of America*; praying for the passing of an Act to declare his marriage with the said *Ella Alexine Louisa Bagwell* to be dissolved, and that he be divorced from her.

Of *William Gordon Lowry*, of the Township of *Huntley*, County of *Carleton*, *Ontario*, yeoman, praying for the passing of an Act to declare his marriage with *Florence Lowry* (formerly *Florence Moorehead*), to be dissolved, and that he be divorced from her.

Of *Bennett Rosamond*, of the Town of *Almonte*, County of *Lanark*, *Ontario*, manufacturer; praying for the passing of an Act to declare his marriage with *Adair M. Rosamond* (formerly *Adair M. Roy*) to be dissolved, and that he be divorced from her.

Of *Arthur Wand*, of the City of *Montreal*, in the District of *Montreal*, in the Province of *Quebec*, contractor; praying for the passing of an Act to declare his marriage with *Jennie Darrach*, to be dissolved, and that he be divorced from her.

*Mr. Wood (Brockville)*, from the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented to the House the First Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have examined the notices given on the Petition of the *Alberta Railway and Coal Company*, for an Act of Incorporation, and find them sufficient.

Your Committee have also examined the notices given on the Petition of the *Kootenay and Athabasca Railway Company* for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation, and find that they are a little short in point of time, but as they will have fully matured before the Bill can be considered by the Railway Committee, your Committee recommend that they be deemed sufficient.

The time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills will expire to-morrow, and the time for presenting Private Bills on the 14th instant. Your Committee therefore recommend that the former be extended to Friday, the 22nd instant, and the latter to Thursday, the 28th instant.

On motion of *Mr. Wood (Brockville)*, seconded by *Mr. Denison*,

Ordered, That the time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills be extended to Friday, the twenty-second instant, and that the time for presenting Private Bills be extended to Thursday, the twenty-eighth instant, in accordance with the recommendation of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

Ordered, That *Mr. Shanly* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Alberta Railway and Coal Company*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

Ordered, That *Mr. Mara* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Kootenay and Athabasca Railway Company*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

Ordered, That *Mr. Burdett* have leave to bring in a Bill to provide against frauds in the supplying of Milk to Cheese and Butter Manufactories.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

*Mr. Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, delivered to *Mr. Speaker* a Message from His Excellency the Governor General, signed by His Excellency.

And the said Message was read by *Mr. Speaker* (all the Members of the House standing and being uncovered), and is as followeth:—

**STANLEY OF PRESTON.**

The Governor General transmits to the House of Commons, Estimates of sums required for the service of the Dominion for the year ending 30th June, 1890, and in accordance with the provisions of "The *British North America Act, 1867*," the Governor General recommends these Estimates to the House of Commons.—(*Sessional Papers No. 2.*)

**GOVERNMENT HOUSE,**

Ottawa, 7th February, 1889.

On motion of Mr. *Foster*, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*,  
*Ordered*, That the said Message, together with the Estimates accompanying the same, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

On motion of Mr. *Langelier (Montmorency)* seconded by Mr. *Lister*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence between the Minister of the Interior and any officials of his Department, and *Thomas Siani*, and others, Indians of the *Huron Tribe of Lorette*.

On motion of Sir *Richard J. Cartwright*, seconded by Mr. *Mackenzie*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing amounts received on account of loan recently negotiated, together with a statement of the sums (forming portion of the same) placed on deposit with Canadian or other banks since the 20th day of June, 1888, and the rate of interest agreed to be paid on the same.

On motion of Mr. *Smith (Ontario)* seconded by Mr. *Hesson*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the quantity of wheat and flour imported into the Dominion of *Canada* from the *United States*, and entered for consumption, during the six months ending 31st December, 1888; also, the quantity of flour remaining in bond in *Canada* on the 31st December, 1888.

On motion of Mr. *McMullen*, seconded by Mr. *Trow*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing:—  
 1st. The full amount of legal and other expenses paid in connection with the suit, "*The St. Catharines Milling and Lumbering Company vs. the Queen*," from the commencement of the suit up to the 1st January, 1889.  
 2d. The party or parties to whom paid, the amounts paid, and date of payment.

On motion of Mr. *Perry*, seconded by Mr. *Yeo*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing what repairs have been done to the dredge "*Prince Edward*," during the year 1888, the date of commencement of work, and when finished, with cost of said work; also the amount of work done by said dredge during the year 1888.

On motion of Mr. *Perry*, seconded by Mr. *Yeo*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of the number of Lobster Factories round the coast of *Prince Edward Island*, the number of fines imposed during the season of 1888, the amount of each fine, the names of parties who have paid the fines and the names of parties who have not paid the same; also, the nature of offence in each case.

On motion of Mr. *McIntyre*, seconded by Mr. *Yeo*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a copy of Engineer's last report on the feasibility of constructing a Harbour at *Naufrage, King's County, Prince Edward Island*.

On motion of Mr. *Charlton*, seconded by Sir *Richard J. Cartwright*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the amount of importation of pine and spruce sawlogs, board measure, from the State of *Maine*, into the Province of *New Brunswick*, for the purpose of conversion into lumber in *Canadian Mills*, and subsequent shipment to the *United States* under the provisions of the *American tariff* admitting such lumber free of duty, for each year from 1867 to June 30th, 1888, said Return to designate the respective amounts of pine and spruce, if possible; otherwise to give the total importation of pine and spruce from *Maine* without such respective designations.

On motion of Mr. *Charlton*, seconded by Sir *Richard J. Cartwright*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the amount, respectively, of pine and spruce sawlogs, board measure, exported in each year from 1867 to June 30th, 1888; the amount of export duty collected in each year from each class of logs; the rate of duty in each year upon each kind of logs, and the amount of export of each kind of logs, and amount of duty collected upon the same, by Provinces.

And then The House adjourned till Monday next.

Monday, 11th February, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Wilson (Elgin)*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Elgin*.

By Mr. *Ferguson (Welland)*,—Six Petitions of Local Assembly, No. 7908, Knights of Labour, of *Thorold, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Rykert*,—Six Petitions of the Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, No. 38, *St. Catharines*; seven Petitions of Local Assembly, No. 2056, Knights of Labour, *St. Catharines*; and the Petition of *Robert Wood*, and others, fruit growers and gardeners, of the Township of *Niagara*, County of *Lincoln*, all of *Ontario*.

By Mr. *Daly*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the City of *Winnipeg*; the Petition of *James H. Ashdown* and others, of the City of *Winnipeg*; the Petition of the Great North-West Central Railway Company; and the Petition of the *Bentinck* and Canadian Pacific Junction Railway Company.

By Mr. *Kirkpatrick*,—The Petition of the Corporation of "Queen's College at *Kingston*;" the Petition of *George W. Stephens* and others, of the City of *Montreal* and other places; the Petition of the *Kingston and Pembroke* Railway Company; and the Petition of the *Kingston, Smith's Falls and Ottawa* Railway Company.

By Mr. *Dickinson*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Carleton, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Coughlan*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the Town of *Parkhill*, County of *Middlesex, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Davis*,—The Petition of the *Alberta and Athabasca* Railway Company.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received:—

Of *William Henry Middleton*, of the City of *Ottawa*, in the County of *Carleton*, in the Province of *Ontario*, gentleman; praying for the passing of an Act to declare his marriage with *Mary Froude Middleton*, to be dissolved, and that he be divorced from her.

Of *Jacob Erratt*, Mayor of *Ottawa*, and others; pointing out the necessity which exists for enlarging and improving the *Rideau Canal*, so as to permit the passage of large vessels; and praying the House to consider the advisability of causing a careful examination and report to be made thereon.

Of *John Hoskin* and others, of the City of *Toronto*; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the Assets and Debenture Company of *Canada*.

Of *Samuel Merner*, of the Village of *New Hamburg*, and others, of other places; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the Dominion Life Assurance Company.

Of the Honourable *Herbert E. Wilson*, M. D., Speaker of the *North-West* Council, of *Edmonton*, and others of the City of *Toronto*; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the *Assiniboia, Edmonton and Unjiga* Railway Company.

Of *Thomas Horsefield Carman*, contractor, and others, of the City of *Winnipeg* and other places; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the *Manitoba and South-Eastern* Railway Company.

Of *J. E. Mullin*, Merchant, and others, of the City of *Montreal*; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the *St. Helen's Island* Bridge Company.

Of *Joseph Ick Evans* and others, of the City of *Toronto*; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the *Red Deer Valley* Railway and Coal Company.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Halton*; praying the House to consider the propriety of making some provision for the payment of fees to Justices of the Peace, in certain criminal cases, and for supplying them with the Revised Dominion Statutes complete.

Of *John W. Chesseworth*, merchant, and others, of the City of *Toronto*; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the *Saskatchewan* Railway and Mining Company.

Of *D. L. McPherson*, and others; praying the House to consider the advisability of adopting such legislation as will secure to them the rights and privileges they believed they possessed when settling in the *North-West Territories*, as respects the acquiring of second homesteads.

*Frank Stillman Barnard*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of *Cariboo*, having previously taken the Oath according to law, and subscribed before the Commissioners the Roll containing the same, took his seat in the House.

*Sir Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Report of the Secretary of State of *Canada*, for the year ended 31st December, 1888. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 6.)

Also, List of Public officers to whom commissions have issued under the provisions of Chapter 19 of the Revised Statutes of *Canada* during the year 1888. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 31.)

Ordered, That *Sir John Thompson* have leave to bring in a Bill to make further provision respecting the Speedy Trial of certain Indictable Offences.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Ordered, That *Mr. Ellis* have leave to bring in a Bill to authorize the assessment of the salaries or incomes of persons in the service of *Canada*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the *Alberta* Railway and Coal Company;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the *Kootenay and Athabasca* Railway Company.

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The Bill was accordingly read a second time ; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

On motion of Mr. *Bain (Wentworth)*, seconded by Mr. *Wilson (Elgin)*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House; a Return of copies of all correspondence, reports, petitions or other papers respecting the sale, ownership or condition of the *Dundas* and *Waterloo* Macadamized Road, since the Return brought down under an Order of the House dated 17th February, 1885.

Mr. *Mulock* moved, seconded by Mr. *Armstrong*, and the Question being proposed, That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee to consider the following proposed Resolution :

“That it is expedient to remove the duty on Artificial Fertilizers and to place them on the Free List.”

And a Debate arising thereupon ;

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*,  
*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

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Tuesday, 12th February, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Perley*,—The Petition of the Metropolitan Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

By Mr. *Watson*,—The Petition of *John Graham* and others.

By Mr. *Hickey*,—The Petition of *J. P. Whitney* and others.

By Mr. *Smith (Ontario)*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of Ontario.

By Mr. *Denison*,—The Petition of *W. R. Brock*, President, and others, officers and members of the *Toronto Humane Society*.

By Mr. *Prior*,—The Petition of the Honourable *Amor DeCosmos* and others, of the City of *Victoria, British Columbia*.

By Mr. *Curran*,—The Petition of the Canadian Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

By Mr. *Bergin*,—The Petition of *William A. Roys* and others, fruit growers and gardeners, of the Township of *Cornwall*.

By Mr. *Lister*,—Two Petitions of the Municipal Council of the County of *Lambton*.

By Mr. *Taylor*,—The Petition of *Christopher Tennant* and others, of the Township of *Front of Young* ; and the Petition of *Alonzo Bousted*, and others, of the Township of *Rear of Young* and *Escott*, all fruit growers and gardeners.

By Mr. *Colby*,—The Petition of *Homer G. Ayer*, and others, Provisional Directors of the *Massawippi Junction Railway Company*.

By Mr. *Rykert*,—Six Petitions of Printers' Union, No. 21; six Petitions of Wheelmakers' Local Assembly, No. 618; six Petitions of Tailors' Local Assembly, No. 10291, Knights of Labour; all of *St. Catharines*; and seven Petitions of Local Assembly, No. 2513, Knights of Labour, *Port Dalhousie*, all of *Ontario*.

By Mr. *Ferguson (Welland)*,—Six Petitions of Local Assembly, No. 6798, Knights of Labour, *Thorold*; and the Petition of *P. Harrison Pew* and others, fruit growers and gardeners, of the Township of *Stanford*, County of *Welland*, all of *Ontario*.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)*, from the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented to the House the Second Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have examined the Notices given on the following Petitions and find them sufficient, viz.:—Of *George McDonald Bagwell*, of the City of *Hamilton*, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with *Ella Alexine L. Bagwell*; of *William Gordon Lowry*, of the Township of *Huntley*, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with *Florence Lowry*; of *Bennett Rosamond*, of the Town of *Almonte*, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with *Adair M. Rosamond*; of *Arthur Wand*, of the City of *Montreal*, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with *Jennie Wand*; of *William Henry Middleton*, of the City of *Ottawa* for an Act to dissolve his marriage with *Mary Froude Middleton*; of the *Hawkesbury Lumber Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company of *Canada*, for an Act granting them additional corporate powers; of the Assets and Debenture Company of *Canada*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *Assiniboia, Edmonton and Unjiga Railway Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *Ottawa and Montreal Boom Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *Dominion Life Assurance Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; and of the *New Brunswick and Prince Edward Railway Company*, for an Act to change their corporate name, to reduce their capital stock, and to extend their line of railway.

Ordered, That Mr. *Davison* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Assiniboia, Edmonton and Unjiga Railway Company*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Ordered, That Mr. *Labrosse* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Hawkesbury Lumber Company*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Ordered, That Mr. *Wood (Westmoreland)* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *New Brunswick and Prince Edward Railway Company*, and to change the name of the Company to "The *New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island Railway Company*."

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Ordered, That Mr. *Edgar* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Assets and Debenture Company of Canada*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Ordered, That Mr. *Gisvard* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Ottawa and Montreal Boom Company*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Trow* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the Dominion Life Assurance Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Brown* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act incorporating "The Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company of Canada."

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

On motion of Mr. *Rykert*, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*,

*Ordered*, That the Public Accounts of the Dominion of *Canada* for the fiscal year ended 30th June, 1888; the Report of the Auditor General on Appropriation Accounts for the same year; the statement of Governor General's Warrants issued since last Session of Parliament and expenditure incurred on account of same; and the statement of expenditure on account of Miscellaneous Unforeseen Expenses, from 1st July, 1888, to 31st January, 1889, be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Public Accounts.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented—Return to an Order of this House, dated 6th February, 1889, for Return of the Receipts and Expenditures, in detail, chargeable to the Consolidated Fund, from the 1st day of July, 1888, to 1st February, 1889, with comparative statement of the same from 1st July, 1887, to 1st February, 1888. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 32.)

Also, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Copy of an Order in Council making certain regulations under the provisions of Chapter 121 of the Revised Statutes of *Canada* respecting Government Savings Banks. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 34.)

Mr. *Costigan*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 6th February, 1889, for copies of all papers and documents furnished the Government by the Board of Examiners in connection with the recent examinations of candidates for the office of Hide and Leather Inspector in the City of *Montreal*. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 33.)

The House according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand nine hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Governor General's Secretary's office, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-six thousand four hundred and ninety-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Office of the Queen's Privy Council for *Canada*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand seven hundred and seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Justice, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Justice, Penitentiaries Branch, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-two thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Militia Department, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

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6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-four thousand nine hundred and seventy-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of the Secretary of State, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand three hundred and ten dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Public Printing and Stationery, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-eight thousand five hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of the Interior, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-two thousand four hundred and fifteen dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Indian Affairs, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand eight hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the office of the Auditor General, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-three thousand five hundred and ninety-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Finance and Treasury Board, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand nine hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Inland Revenue, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty-four thousand nine hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Postmaster General's Department, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-six thousand two hundred and seventy dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Agriculture, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

Resolutions to be reported.

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Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received at the next sitting of the House.

Mr. Colby also acquainted the House that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, at its next sitting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

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Wednesday, 13th February, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Wilson (Lennox)*,—Two Petitions of By Courage Assembly, No. 9216, Knights of Labour, *Napanee, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Cockburn*,—Three Petitions of Hand-in-Hand Assembly, No. 5743, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Denison*,—The Petition of the Regular Baptist Church Edifice Society, of *Ontario and Quebec*.

By Mr. *Holton*,—The Petition of *B.W. Robertson* and others, of the City of *Kings-ton*, and others of other places.

By Mr. *Marshall*,—The Petition of the *London Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Canada*

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received:—

Of the Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, No. 38; of Local Assembly, No. 2056, Knights of Labour, all of *St. Catharines*; and of Local Assembly, No. 7908, Knights of Labour, *Thorold*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying that the clause in the Dominion Elections Act, requiring a deposit from candidates for election, be repealed.

Of the Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, No. 38; of Local Assembly, No. 2056, Knights of Labour, all of *St. Catharines*; and of Local Assembly, No. 7908, Knights of Labour, *Thorold*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the abolition of the present system of Immigration.

Of the Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, No. 38; of Local Assembly, No. 2056, Knights of Labour, all of *St. Catharines*; and of Local Assembly, No. 7908, Knights of Labour, *Thorold*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for an amendment of the Seaman's Agreement Act.

Of the Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, No. 38; of Local Assembly, No. 2056, Knights of Labour, all of *St. Catharines*; and of Local Assembly, No. 7908, Knights of Labour, *Thorold*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation of contract labour.

Of the Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, No. 38; of Local Assembly, No. 2056 Knights of Labour, all of *St. Catharines*; and of Local Assembly, No. 7908, Knights of Labour, *Thorold*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act setting apart a day to be known as "Labour Day," as a national holiday, for the benefit of the wage-earners of the Dominion.

Of Local Assembly, No. 7908, Knights of Labour, *Thorold*; of the Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, No. 38; and of Local Assembly, No. 2056, Knights of Labour, *St. Catharines*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to compel all vessels, whether steam or sail, navigating the inland waters of *Canada*, to carry competent crews, and for other purposes.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Elgin*; praying for such legislation as will prohibit the importation, manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors, as a beverage.

Of Local Assembly, No. 2056, Knights of Labour, *St. Catharines, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act for the proper inspection of stationary engines and boilers.

Of *Robert Wood* and others, fruit growers and gardeners, of the Township of *Niagara*, County of *Lincoln, Ontario*; praying the House to consider the advisability:

of imposing a duty on certain fruits, vegetables and nursery stock, when imported from the *United States*.

Of the Municipal Council of the City of *Winnipeg, Manitoba*; praying for the passing of an Act empowering them to utilize the water power and improve the navigation of the *Assiniboine River*.

Of *James H. Ashdown* and others, of the City of *Winnipeg, Manitoba*; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the *Assiniboine Water Power Company*.

Of the *Great North-West Central Railway Company*; praying for a certain amendment of their Act of Incorporation.

Of the *Berlin and Canadian Pacific Junction Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act to extend the time for the commencement and completion of their railway, and for other purposes.

Of the Corporation of "*Queen's College at Kingston*"; praying for the passing of an Act granting them additional corporate powers, and for the amendment of the Act forty-five *Victoria*, chapter 123, relating to said College.

Of *George W. Stephens* and others, of the City of *Montreal* and other places; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the *Canadian General Trusts Company*.

Of the *Kingston and Pembroke Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act to extend the time for the completion of their railway and branches, and for other purposes.

Of the *Kingston, Smith's Falls and Ottawa Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act to extend the time for the commencement and completion of their railway, and for other purposes.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Carleton* and others; pointing out the necessity which exists for enlarging and improving the *Rideau Canal*, so as to permit the passage of large vessels; and praying the House to consider the advisability of causing a careful examination and report to be made thereon.

Of the Municipal Council of the Town of *Parkhill, County of Middlesex, Ontario*; praying for a certain amendment to the *Canada Temperance Act*.

Of the *Alberta and Athabasca Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act granting them additional corporate powers.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Tupper* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act respecting certificates to Masters and Mates of Ships, chapter seventy-three of the Revised Statutes.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Costigan* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend "*The Weights and Measures Act*," chapter one hundred and four of the Revised Statutes.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Joncas* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend "*The Dominion Election Act*," chapter eight of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Mr. Denison* moved, seconded by *Mr. Tyrwhitt*, and the Question being proposed, That a Select Committee be appointed to inquire into the desirability of the Government acquiring all the Electric Telegraph lines in *Canada*, and that the Committee have power to send for persons, papers and records, and to hear such telegraph, railway companies and proprietors as may wish to be heard, by themselves, their counsel or agents, and to report to this House.

And a Debate arising thereupon:—The said motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

On motion of Mr. *Dawson*, seconded by Mr. *Davin*,

*Resolved*, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying His Excellency to cause to be laid before this House, a Return of all correspondence between the Government of the Dominion and the Government of *Ontario*, in respect to the expediency of permitting net fishing by white men in the inland waters of *Ontario*, north and north-west of Lakes *Huron* and *Superior*.

Also, of all correspondence between the Indian Department and any other Department of the Government in regard to the distress and destitution which would be brought upon the resident Indian population by unrestricted net fishing in the waters from which they derive their chief means of subsistence.

*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. *Burdett*, seconded by Mr. *Innes*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of all correspondence between the Grand Trunk Railway authorities and the Government respecting the subsidy granted for the completion of the line of the *Belleville* and *North Hastings* Railway Company from the Village of *Madoc* to *Eldorado*, in the North Riding of *Hastings*, and in reference to the work done towards the completion of such work and respecting the acceptance and opening up the same for traffic.

Mr. *Jamieson* moved, seconded by Mr. *Fisher*, and the Question being proposed, That in the opinion of this House, it is expedient to prohibit the manufacture, importation and sale of intoxicating liquors, except for sacramental, medicinal, scientific and mechanical purposes. That the enforcement of such prohibition, and such manufacture, importation and sale as may be allowed, shall be by the Dominion Government through specially appointed officers.

Mr. *Wood* (*Brockville*) moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Hickey*, That all the words after "purposes" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "when the public sentiment of the country is ripe for the reception and enforcement of such a measure of prohibition," inserted instead thereof.

Mr. *Taylor* moved in amendment to the said proposed amendment, seconded by Mr. *Boome*, That all the words in the amendment be left out, and all the words after "purposes" in the main motion be left out, and the words "If it be found on a vote of the qualified electors of the Dominion having first been taken that a majority thereof are in favour of a prohibition law, which shall also make full provision for compensating those engaged in the manufacture of such liquors," inserted instead thereof.

And a Debate arising thereupon:—

On motion of Mr. *Mitchell*, seconded by Mr. *Bergeron*,

*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned.

Mr. *Landerkin* moved, seconded by Mr. *McMillan* (*Huron*), and the Question being proposed, That whereas distillers are allowed a rebate of duty upon corn imported for use in the manufacture of spirits for export, it is, in the opinion of this House, but just and right that farmers and stock raisers who import corn to feed cattle or other stock for export, should also receive a similar rebate.

And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Six o'clock, P. M., Mr. Speaker left the Chair, to resume the same at half-past Seven o'clock, P. M.

Half-past Seven o'Clock P. M.

Private Bills under Rule 19.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was on Monday last proposed That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee to consider the following proposed Resolution: "That it is expedient to remove the duty on Artificial Fertilizers and to place them on the Free List."

And the Question being proposed, the House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

And the Question being put, the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

YEAS :

Messieurs

<i>Amyot,</i>	<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>
<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>De St. Georges,</i>	<i>Langelier (Montmerency)</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec),</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Bichard,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Lavergne,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Bouman,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Heyna,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Turoot,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd) Gilmor,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Cassey,</i>	<i>Hate,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Welsh,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elyin),</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Yea.—71.</i>
<i>Cook,</i>		<i>Neveu,</i>	

NAYS :

Messieurs

<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Langwin (Sir Hector) Porter,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Dawn,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut. Gen.'l), Riopel,</i>
<i>Baird,</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Lepine,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John), Ross,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Deudney,</i>	<i>McOulla,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria), Sproule,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou), Stevenson,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Duport,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton), Taylor,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>McKay,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Poster,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudre'l), Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Girouard,</i>	<i>Matill,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Gillet,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>
<i>Chisholm,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>
		<i>White (Cardwell),</i>

*Simon,  
Cochrane,  
Cockburn,  
Colby,  
Corby,  
Costigan,  
Coughlin,  
Coulombe,*

*Hall,  
Hesson,  
Hickey,  
Hudspeth,  
Jamieson,  
Jones (Digby),  
Landry,  
La Rivière,*

*Moffat,  
Moncrieff,  
Montplaisir,  
O'Brien,  
Patterson (Essex),  
Perley,  
Putnam,*

*White (Benfrew),  
Wilmot,  
Wilson (Argenteuil),  
Wilson (Lennox),  
Wood (Brockville) and  
Wood (Westm'dy)—101.*

So it passed in the Negative.

On motion of Mr. *Laurier*, seconded by Sir *Richard J. Cartwright*,

*Resolved*, That the consideration of the following proposed Resolution, of which notice was given on Wednesday, 6th instant, be made the First Order of the Day for Monday next, after Private Bills:

(1.) That it has become a matter of extreme importance to the well-being of the people of this Dominion, that the Government and Parliament of *Canada* should acquire the power of negotiating commercial treaties with foreign States.

(2.) That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying that she will empower Her Representative, the Governor General of *Canada*, acting by and with the advice of the Queen's Privy Council for *Canada*, to enter by an agent or representative of *Canada*, into direct communication with any foreign State for the purpose of negotiating commercial arrangements tending to the advantage of *Canada*, subject to the prior consent or subsequent approval of the Parliament of *Canada*, signified by Act.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Thursday, 14th February, 1889.

#### PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Davis*,—The Petition of *W. F. Alloway* and others.

By Mr. *Bryson*,—The Petition of the *Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway Company*.

By Mr. *Brown*,—The Petition of the *Lake Nipissing and James' Bay Railway Company*.

By Mr. *Roome*,—The Petition of *M. F. Tupper* and others, of the Village of *Mount Brydges*, County of *Middlesex*.

By Mr. *Landry*,—The Petition of *George T. Baird*, merchant, of *Perth Centre*, and others, of *New Brunswick* and other places.

By Mr. *Boyle*,—The Petition of *Edward Morris* and others, fruit growers and gardeners, of the Township of *Pelham*.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received:—

Of the Metropolitan Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals; praying for the passing of an Act to amend chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the Revised Statutes of Canada, respecting Cruelty to Animals.

Of *John Graham* and others; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the *Lake Manitoba Railway and Canal Company*.

Of *J. P. Whitney* and others; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the *Ottawa, Morrisburg and New York Railway and Bridge Company*.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Ontario*; and of the Municipal Council of the County of *Lambton*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for such legislation as will prohibit the importation, manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors, as a beverage.

Of *W. R. Brock*, President, and others, officers and members of the *Toronto Humane Society*; and of the *Canadian Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament respecting the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, may become Law.

Of the Honourable *Amor DeCosmos* and others, of the City of *Victoria, British Columbia*; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the *Victoria Saanich and New Westminster Railway Company*.

Of *William A. Roys* and others, fruit growers and gardeners of the Township of *Cornwall*, County of *Cornwall*; of *Christopher Tennant* and others, fruit growers and gardeners of the Township of *Front of Young*, County of *Leeds*; of *Alonzo Bonsteal* and others, fruit growers and gardeners, of the Township of *Rear of Young* and *Escott*, County of *Leeds*; and of *P. Harrison Pew* and others, fruit growers and gardeners, of the Township of *Stamford*, County of *Welland*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying the House to consider the advisability of imposing a duty on certain fruits, vegetables and nursery stock, when imported from the *United States*.

Of *Homer G. Ayer* and others, Provisional Directors of the *Massawippi Junction Railway Company*; praying for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation.

Of *Painters' Union*, No. 21; of *Wheel-makers' Local Assembly*, No. 618; of *Tailors' Local Assembly*, No. 10291, *Knights of Labour*, all of *St. Catharines*; of *Local Assembly*, No. 2513, *Knights of Labour*, *Port Dalhousie*; and of *Local Assembly*, No. 6798, *Knights of Labour*, *Thorold*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for an amendment of the *Seamen's Agreement Act*.

Of *Painters' Union*, No. 21; of *Wheel-makers' Local Assembly*, No. 618; of *Tailors' Local Assembly*, No. 10291, *Knights of Labour*, all of *St. Catharines*; of *Local Assembly*, No. 2513, *Knights of Labour*, *Port Dalhousie*; and of *Local Assembly*, No. 6798, *Knights of Labour*, *Thorold*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying that the clause in the *Dominion Elections Act*, requiring a deposit from candidates for election, be repealed.

Of *Painters' Union*, No. 21; of *Wheel-makers' Local Assembly*, No. 618; of *Tailors' Local Assembly*, No. 10291, *Knights of Labour*, all of *St. Catharines*; of *Local Assembly*, No. 2513, *Knights of Labour*, *Port Dalhousie*; and of *Local Assembly*, No. 6798, *Knights of Labour*, *Thorold*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act setting apart a day to be known as "*Labour Day*," as a national holiday, for the benefit of the wage-earners of the Dominion.

Of *Painters' Union*, No. 21; of *Wheel-makers' Local Assembly*, No. 618; of *Tailors' Local Assembly*, No. 10291, *Knights of Labour*, all of *St. Catharines*; of *Local Assembly*, No. 2513, *Knights of Labour*, *Port Dalhousie*; and of *Local Assembly*, No. 6798, *Knights of Labour*, *Thorold*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to compel all vessels, whether steam or sail, navigating the inland waters of *Canada*, to carry competent crews, and for other purposes.

Of *Painters' Union*, No. 21; of *Wheel-makers' Local Assembly*, No. 618; of *Tailors' Local Assembly*, No. 10291, *Knights of Labour*, all of *St. Catharines*; of *Local Assembly*, No. 2513, *Knights of Labour*, *Port Dalhousie*; and of *Local Assembly*, No. 6798, *Knights of Labour*, *Thorold*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation of contract labour.

Of Painters' Union, No. 421; of Wheel-makers' Local Assembly, No. 618; of Tailors' Local Assembly, No. 10291, Knights of Labour, all of *St. Catharines*; of Local Assembly, No. 2513, Knights of Labour, *Port Dalhousie*, and of Local Assembly, No. 6798, Knights of Labour, *Thorold*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the abolition of the present system of Immigration.

Of Local Assembly, No. 2513, Knights of Labour, *Port Dalhousie*; praying for the passing of an Act for the proper inspection of stationary engines and boilers.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Lambton, Ontario*; praying the House to consider the advisability of not imposing an export duty on elm logs.

Mr. Speaker informed the House, That the Clerk of the House had received from the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, the following certificate:—

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, *Canada*,  
Ottawa, 14th January, 1889.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the eleventh day of January last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *Joseph Seymour, Esquire, of Hagersville, Ontario*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of the County of *Haldimand*, in the Province of *Ontario*, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District in the House of Commons of *Canada*, in the present Parliament, in the room of *Walter Humphries Montague, Esquire*, whose election has been declared void; *Charles Wesley Colter, Esquire, of the Village of Cayuga, Ontario*, Solicitor, has been duly returned as such representative, as appears by the Return to the said Writ, deposited of Record in my office.

SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU (L.S.)  
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, *Canada*.

To *J. G. Bourinot, Esquire, LL.D.*,  
Clerk of the House of Commons of *Canada*.

*Charles Wesley Colter, Esquire*, Member for the Electoral District of the County of *Haldimand*, having previously taken the Oath according to law, and subscribed before the Commissioners the Roll containing the same, took his seat in the House.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—A Detailed Statement of all Bonds or Securities registered in the Department of the Secretary of State of *Canada*, under Section 23, Chapter 19, of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 35.*)

On motion of Mr. *Hesson*, seconded by Mr. *McKay*.

Ordered, That Messieurs *Brown* and *Landerkin* be added to the Select Committee appointed to examine and report on a ballot or voting box, invented by *John Waddell, of Harriston*, and constructed by order of the House, under the superintendence of Mr. *John R. Arnoldi*, Chief Mechanical Engineer of the Department of Public Works.

Ordered, That Sir *Adolphe P. Caron* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend chapter forty-one of the Revised Statutes respecting the Militia and Defence of *Canada*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the consideration of the Motion which was, on Wednesday, the 13th February, instant, proposed, That whereas distillers are allowed a rebate of duty upon corn imported for use in the manufacture of spirits for export, it is, in the opinion of this House, but just and right that farmers

and stock raisers who import corn to feed cattle or other stock for export, should also receive a similar rebate.

And the Question being again proposed ;

Mr. Fisher moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. Bain (*Wentworth*), That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "corn" "be put on the Free List" inserted instead thereof.

Mr. Flynn moved in amendment to the said proposed amendment, seconded by Mr. Bain (*Wentworth*), That the words "and that cornmeal be admitted into *Canada* "free of duty" be added at the end of the amendment.

And the Question being put on the amendment to the said proposed amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS:

## Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>De St. Georges,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Langelier (Montmorency)</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec),</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Bécharé,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Lavergne,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Laster,</i>	<i>Server,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rick'd)</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Sutherland.</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Gilmor,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Chouinard,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Cook,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin), and</i>
<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Yeo.—70.</i>
<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>		

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

<i>Amyot,</i>	<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>
<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Baird,</i>	<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut. Genl.),</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Shanty,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bisvert,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Syroule,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McDougall (O. Breton)</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Banfrew),</i>	<i>McGreery,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudr'il),</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Grenard,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Truper,</i>

<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Carson (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Chisholm,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Simon,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Jameson,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox),</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville), and</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wood (West'Fd)—112.</i>

So it passed in the Negative.

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Friday morning;

Friday, 15th February, 1889.

And the Question being put on the amendment to the original Question; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

YEAS :

Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>De St. Georges,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Langelier (Montmorency)</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec),</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Gen.'l),</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Lavergne,</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Bozman,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd)</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Gilmor,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Chouinard,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Weidon (St. John),</i>
<i>Cook,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin), and</i>
<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Yeo.—71.</i>
<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	

NAYS :

Messieurs

<i>Amyot,</i>	<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Baird,</i>	<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Shanty,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Maddowall,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>

<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton)</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McGreevy,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil)</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Girouard,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Chisholm,</i>	<i>Hall</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Monplaisir,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox),</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville), and</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'd)—111</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put, the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

#### YEAS:

##### Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>De St. Georges,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Langelier (Montmorency)</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec),</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>St. Marie,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Lavergne,</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Boxman,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd)</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Gilmor,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Chouinard,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin), and</i>
<i>Cook,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Yeo.—71.</i>
<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	

#### NAYS:

##### Messieurs

<i>Amoyt,</i>	<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Baird,</i>	<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Gen.'l),</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Maddowall,</i>	<i>Small,</i>

<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton),</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>McGreevy,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Girouard,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Tyrovhitt,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
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<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox),</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville) and</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'ld)—111</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	

So it passed in the Negative.

And then The House, having continued to sit till twenty-five minutes before One of the clock on Friday morning, adjourned till this day.

Friday, 15th February, 1889.

#### PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Lépine*,—Seven Petitions of Cigar Makers' Union, No. 58; and seven Petitions of River Front, Local Assembly, No. 7628, Knights of Labour, all of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Casey*,—The Petition of *Jabez Spencer* and others, of the Township of *Aldborough*, County of *Elgin, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Davis*,—The Petition of *Arthur Edward Shelton* and others, of the Town of *Calgary*, and others of *Fort McLeod*, all in the District of *Alberta*.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received:—

Of By Courage Assembly, No. 9216, Knights of Labour, *Napanee, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation of contract labour.

Of By Courage Assembly, No. 9216, Knights of Labour, *Napanee*; and of Hand-in-Hand Assembly, No. 5743, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying that the clause in the Dominion Elections Act, requiring a deposit from candidates for election, be repealed.

Of Hand-in-Hand Assembly, No. 5743, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; praying for the passing of an Act for the proper inspection of stationary engines and boilers.

Of Hand-in-Hand Assembly, No. 5743, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; praying for an amendment of the Seamen's Agreement Act.

Of the Regular Baptist Church Edifice Society, of *Ontario* and *Quebec*; praying for the passing of an Act to provide, that the work of the various denominational societies of the Baptist Churches in *Ontario* and *Quebec*, may be placed under the control of the representatives of the said churches, and for other purposes.

Of *B. W. Robertson* and others, of the City of *Kingston*, and others of other places; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the *Canada Congregational Foreign Missionary Society*.

Of the *London Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Canada*; praying for the passing of an Act to amend the Act 41 *Victoria*, chapter 40, by adding thereto section 20, chapter 48 of 31 *Victoria*, and making said section a portion of the Act governing their Company, and for other purposes.

*Mr. Wood (Brookville)* from the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented to the House, the Third Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have examined the Notices given on the following Petitions and find them sufficient, viz.:—

Of the *Red Deer Valley Railway Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *Canadian General Trusts Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *Assiniboine Water Power Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *Victoria, Saanich and New Westminster Railway Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; and of the *Alberta and Athabasca Railway Company*, for an Act granting them additional corporate powers.

Your Committee have also examined the Notices given on the following Petitions, viz.:—

Of the *Niagara Grand Island Bridge Company*, for an Act to extend the time for the construction of their Bridge; of the *St. Helen's Island Bridge Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; and of the *Massawippi Junction Railway Company*, for an Act to extend the time for the construction of their Railway; and they find that in each instance, the Notices are somewhat short in point of time, but, as they will have fully matured before any action can be taken on the Bills by the Committees to which they may be referred, your Committee recommend that the Notices be deemed sufficient.

Your Committee have also examined the Petition of the Baptist Convention of *Ontario* and *Quebec*, for an Act to provide that the work of the various denominational societies of the Baptist Churches in the said Provinces may be placed under the control of the representatives of the said Churches, and find that until the present week, notice was published in *Toronto* only, but, as each of the societies affected by the proposed measure, have presented Petitions or submitted affidavits showing their assent to, and approval of, the legislation asked for by the Petitioners, your Committee recommend that the Notice given be deemed sufficient.

Your Committee have likewise examined the Petition of the *Prescott County Railway Company*, for an Act authorizing them to extend their line of railway through the Counties of *Russell* and *Ottawa* and to construct a bridge over the *Ottawa River*, at or near *Rockland, &c.*, and find that Notice was published in the *City of Ottawa* only, but, as it would appear from the representations of the Petitioners, that there is no newspaper published in the County of *Russell*, and that the *Ottawa City* papers circulate freely in the County of *Ottawa*, your Committee recommend that the Notice be deemed sufficient.

*Mr. Carling*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Report of the Minister of Agri-

culture for the Dominion of Canada, for the calendar year 1888. (*Sessional Papers, No. 5.*)

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Denison* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the Baptist Convention of Ontario and Quebec.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Davies* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Red Deer Valley* Railway and Coal Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Prior* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Victoria, Saanich and New Westminster* Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Edwards* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the *Prescott County* Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to "The Central Counties Railway Company."

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Kirkpatrick* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the "Canadian General Trusts Company."

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Ferguson (Welland)* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Niagara Grand Island* Bridge Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Curran* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *St. Helms's Island* Bridge Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Colby* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act incorporating the *Mississippi Junction* Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-seven thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Marine, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixteen thousand one hundred and eighty-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with Fisheries Department, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-five thousand one hundred and ninety dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with Public Works Department, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-seven thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with Department of Railways and Canals, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-five thousand six hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Customs, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand eight hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with *North-West Mounted Police*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding One hundred and ninety-two thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for "Departmental Contingencies," for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Landry* reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received at the next sitting of the House.

Mr. *Landry* also acquainted the House that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, at its next sitting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. *Dewdney*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council laid before the House, pursuant to a Resolution of this House, dated 20th February, 1882,—a Return (in part) on all subjects affecting the Canadian Pacific Railway, respecting details as to:—

1. The selection of the route.
2. The progress of the work.
3. The selection or reservation of land.
4. The payment of moneys.
5. The laying out of branches.
6. The progress thereon.
7. The rates of tolls for passengers and freight.
8. The particulars required by the Consolidated Railway Act and amendments thereto, up to the end of the previous fiscal year.
9. Like particulars up to the latest practicable date before the presentation of the Return.
10. Copies of all Orders in Council and all correspondence between the Government and the Railway Company, or any member or officer of either, relating to the affairs of the Company. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 36.)

And then The House adjourned till Monday next.

Monday, 18th February, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Hall*,—The Petition of the Atlantic and *North-West* Railway Company; and the Petition of the *St. Lawrence* and Atlantic Junction Railway Company.

By Mr. *Wilson* (*Elgin*),—Seven Petitions of Local Assembly No. 3,449, *St. Thomas, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Perley*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the City of Ottawa.

By Mr. *Denison*,—The Petition of M. *Mac Vicar*, and others, holders as trustees of shares in the *Standard* Publishing Company (Limited).

By Mr. *Robillard*,—The Petition of *George A. Harris*, forwarder, and others, merchants and others, of *Ottawa*.

By Mr. *Small*,—The Petition of the *Ontario* and *Quebec* Railway Company.

By Mr. *Hesson*,—The Petition of *John McCurdy* and others; and the Petition of A. A. *Doupe*, and others, all of the Village of *Kirkton*, County of *Perth*.

By Mr. *Bergin*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the United Counties of *Stormont, Dundas* and *Glengarry*; and the Petition of *John Croil*, and others, fruit growers and gardeners, of the Township of *Osnabruck*, County of *Cornwall* and *Stormont, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Kirkpatrick*,—The Petition of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

By Mr. *Ives*,—The Petition of *John J. Williams* and others, of *New Rockland, County of Richmond, Quebec*.

By Mr. *Sutherland*,—The Petition of the South *Ontario* Pacific Railway Company.

By Mr. *Patterson* (*Essex*),—The Petition of *H. Wilkins*, and others, members of the *Leamington* and *Mersea* Gun Club.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received :—

Of *W. F. Alloway* and others; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the *Lake Seul* Railway Company.

Of the *Pontiac* Pacific Junction Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act to extend the time for the completion of their Railway.

Of the *Lake Nipissing* and *James' Bay* Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act empowering them to change their name to that of the *Nipissing* and *James' Bay* Railway Company, and for other purposes.

Of *George T. Baird*, merchant, of *Perth Centre*, and others, of *New Brunswick*, and other places; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The *Edmundston* and *Florenceville* Railway Company."

Of *Arthur Edward Shelton* and others, of the Town of *Calgary*, and others of *Fort McLeod*, all in the District of *Alberta, North-West Territories*; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The *Calgary, Alberta* and *Montana* Railway Company."

Of *M. F. Tupper* and others, of the Village of *Mount Brydges*, County of *Middlesex*, and of *Jabez Spencer* and others, of the Township of *Aldborough*, County of *Elgin*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying that a Bill now in contemplation, intituled: "An Act respecting Benevolent Societies" may, if introduced, become law.

Of *Edward Morris* and others, fruit growers and gardeners of the Township of *Pelham*, County of *Monck, Ontario*; praying the House to consider the advisability of imposing a duty on certain fruits, vegetables and nursery stock, when imported from the *United States*.

Of Cigar Makers' Union, No. 58; and of River Front Local Assembly, No. 7628, Knights of Labour, all of *Montreal*; severally praying for the passing of an Act setting apart a day to be known as "Labour Day," as a national holiday, for the benefit of the wage-earners of the Dominion.

Of Cigar Makers' Union, No. 58; and of River Front Local Assembly, No. 7628, Knights of Labour, all of *Montreal*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation of contract labour.

Of Cigar Makers' Union, No. 58; and of River Front Local Assembly, No. 7628, Knights of Labour, all of *Montreal*; severally praying for the passing of an Act for the proper inspection of stationary engines and boilers.

Of Cigar Makers' Union, No. 58; and of River Front Local Assembly, No. 7628, Knights of Labour, all of *Montreal*; severally praying for an amendment of the Seamen's Agreement Act.

Of Cigar Makers' Union, No. 58; and of River Front Local Assembly, No. 7628, Knights of Labour, all of *Montreal*; severally praying that the clause in the Dominion Elections Act, requiring a deposit from candidates for election, be repealed.

Of Cigar Makers' Union, No. 58; and of River Front Local Assembly, No. 7628, Knights of Labour, all of *Montreal*; severally praying for the abolition of the present system of Immigration.

Of Cigar Makers' Union, No. 58; and of River Front Local Assembly, No. 7628, Knights of Labour, all of *Montreal*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to compel all vessels, whether steam or sail, navigating the inland waters of *Canada*, to carry competent crews, and for other purposes.

On motion of Mr. *White (Renfrew)*, seconded by Mr. *Kirkpatrick*,

Ordered, That the Select Standing Committee on Agriculture and Colonization be authorized to employ a short hand writer to take down such evidence as the Committee may deem necessary.

On motion of Mr. *Lawler*, seconded by Sir *Richard J. Cartwright*,

Ordered, That Mr. *Colter* be added to the Select Standing Committees on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines; and on Banking and Commerce—and Mr. *Davies* on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

Sir *John Thompson*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House by command of His Excellency the Governor General, — Report of the Minister of Justice as to Penitentiaries in *Canada*, for the year ended 30th June, 1888. (*Sessional Papers, No. 12.*)

Sir *John A. Macdonald*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General, — Report of the Commissioner of the *North-West Mounted Police Force*, for the year 1888. (*Sessional Papers, No. 17.*)

Ordered, That Mr. *Charlton* have leave to bring in a Bill to extend the jurisdiction of the Maritime Court of *Ontario*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the *Assiniboia, Edmonton and Unjiga Railway Company*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate "The *Hawkesbury Lumber Company*;"

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the *New Brunswick and Prince Edward Railway Company*, and to change the name of the Company to "*The New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island Railway Company*";

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the *Assets and Debenture Company of Canada*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate "*The Dominion Life Assurance Company*";

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend the Act incorporating "*The Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company of Canada*";

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the *Red Deer Valley Railway and Coal Company*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the *Niagara Grand Island Bridge Company*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

Sir *Richard J. Cartwright* moved, seconded by Mr. *Laurier*, and the Question being put,—That it has become a matter of extreme importance to the well-being of the people of this Dominion that the Government and Parliament of *Canada* should acquire the power of negotiating commercial treaties with foreign States.

That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying that she will empower Her Representative, the Governor General of *Canada*, acting by and with the advice of the Queen's Privy Council for *Canada*, to enter, by an agent or representative of *Canada*, into direct communication with any foreign State for the purpose of negotiating commercial arrangements tending to the advantage of *Canada*, subject to the prior consent or subsequent approval of the Parliament of *Canada*, signified by Act.

The House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS:

## Messieurs

<i>Amyot,</i>	<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>
<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>De St. Georges,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>
<i>Baron,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Bécharé,</i>	<i>Dojon,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec),</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>

<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rick'd),</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Gilmor,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin), and</i>
<i>Chouinard,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Yeo.—66.</i>
<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>		

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>
<i>Baird,</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>	<i>Prior,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Gen.'l),</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John)</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Devdney,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McCarthy,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Ferguson (L'ds &amp; Gren.),</i>	<i>McDougald, (Pictou),</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton)</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McGreevy,</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Chisholm,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hicpy,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox),</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Ives,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>Wood (Brookville) and</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'l'd)—94</i>
<i>Orran,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>		

So it passed in the Negative.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Tuesday, 19th February, 1889.

## PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. Corby,—The Petition of the Bay of Quinté Bridge Company.

By Mr. Ferguson (Welland),—The Petition of James Macklem and others, of *Chippawa*; the Petition of George A. Bull and others, of the Village of *Niagara Falls*, formerly *Drummondville*; and the Petition of Henry Paford and others, of the Town of *Niagara*;

By Mr. *Guillet*,—The Petition of *Samuel Clarke*, Mayor of *Cobourg*, and others.

By Mr. *Campbell*,—The Petition of *F. W. Wilson* and others, fruit growers, nursery men and market gardeners of the County of *Kent*, Ontario.

By Mr. *McMullen*,—The Petition of *Allan Lamont* and others, of the Town of *Mount Forest*, County of *Wellington*, Ontario.

By Mr. *Denison*,—Three Petitions of Local Assembly, No. 2305, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Small*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the City of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Bergin*,—The Petition of *Henry Turner* and others, of the Town of *Cornwall*, County of *Stormont*, Ontario.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, from the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, presented to the House the First Report of the said Committee, which was read as followeth:—

Your Committee have had under consideration the following Bills and have agreed to report the same with Amendments, viz.:—

Bill to incorporate the *Alberta Railway and Coal Company*; and Bill respecting the *Kootenay and Athabasca Railway Company*.

Mr. *Desjardins* from the Select Committee appointed to supervise the Official Report of the Debates of this House during the present Session, presented to the House, the First Report of the said Committee, which was read as followeth:—

Your Committee would recommend—

1st. That the Order of the House of the 14th July, 1885, be again suspended in so far as regards the printing and publishing of the Official Report of the Debates of this Session, in octavo form with brevier type, as arrangements could not be made to provide for the carrying out of that order.

2nd. That the contract for the binding of the Debates of the present Session be again awarded to Mr. *A. S. Woodburn*, at the same rate and under the same terms and conditions as were mentioned in his contract with the Committee, which expired on the 31st December last.

3rd. That Mr. *Alphonse Raby* be appointed as an additional translator of the Official Report of the Debates, at a salary of \$1,000, so as to enable each member of the translating staff to revise his own proof, subject to the general revision of the Chief, the services of Mr. *Quéry*, as proof reader, being no longer available.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)*, from the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented to the House, the Fourth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have examined the Notices given on the following Petitions and find them sufficient, viz.:—

Of the Corporation of *Queen's College* at *Kingston*, for an Act granting them additional corporate powers; of the *Ottawa, Morrisburg and New York Railway and Bridge Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *Lac Seul Railway Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *Calgary, Alberta and Montana Railway Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway Company*, for an Act to extend the time for the completion of their Railway; of the *Canada Congregational Foreign Missionary Society*, for an Act of Incorporation; and of the *London Mutual Fire Insurance Company*, for an Act to enlarge their corporate powers.

Your Committee have also examined the Notices given on the following Petitions, and find them short in point of time; but as they will, in each case, have fully matured before the Bills can be respectively considered in Committee, your Committee recommend that the Notices be deemed sufficient, viz.:—

Of the *Ontario Mutual Life Assurance Company*, for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation; of the *Hamilton Central Railway Company*, for an Act to extend the time for the construction of their Railway; of the *Ontario Loan and Debenture*

Company, for an Act empowering them to create debenture stock, &c.; and of the *Kingston, Smith's Falls and Ottawa Railway Company*, for an Act to extend the time for the construction of their Railway.

Your Committee have also examined the Petition of the *Saint Gabriel Levee and Railway Company*, for an Act to revive and amend the Acts relating to the Company by extending the time for the construction of their works, and find that notice has been published for a period of four weeks only, but, as the Charter was allowed to lapse through inadvertence, and evidence was adduced to satisfy your Committee that all parties whose interests might be affected are in favour of the proposed measure, your Committee recommend that the 51st Rule be suspended in reference to this Petition.

On the Petition of the *Lake Nipissing and James' Bay Railway Company*, for an Act to change their corporate name and for other purposes, your Committee find that notice was published for three weeks only, but, as the powers asked for are not of a nature to affect the interests of any persons other than the Petitioners themselves, your Committee recommend that the 51st Rule be suspended in regard to this Petition also.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *McKay* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Hamilton Central Railway Company*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

On motion of Mr. *Denison*, seconded by Mr. *Ferguson (Welland)*,

*Ordered*, That the 51st Rule of this House be suspended in so far as it affects the Petition of the *Lake Nipissing and James' Bay Railway Company*, in accordance with the recommendation of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Denison* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Lake Nipissing and James' Bay Railway Company*, and to change the name of the Company to "*The Nipissing and James' Bay Railway Company*."

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Davis* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate "*The Calgary, Alberta and Montana Railway Company*."

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Bowman* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act incorporating the *Ontario Mutual Life Assurance Company*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Hickey* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Ottawa, Morrisburg and New York Railway and Bridge Company*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Holton* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Canada Congregational Foreign Missionary Society*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

On motion of Mr. Curran, seconded by Mr. McGreevy,  
*Ordered*, That the 51st Rule of this House be suspended in so far as it affects the Petition of the *Saint Gabriel Levee* and Railway Company, in accordance with the recommendation of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

*Ordered*, That Mr. Curran have leave to bring in a Bill to revive and amend the Acts relating to the *Saint Gabriel Levee* and Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. Kirkpatrick have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act respecting the Queen's College at *Kingston*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. Kirkpatrick have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act incorporating the *Kingston, Smith's Falls* and *Ottawa* Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. Moncrieff have leave to bring in a Bill to consolidate the borrowing powers of the *Ontario Loan and Debenture Company* and to authorize them to issue Debenture Stock.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Mr. Dewdney, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 8th February, 1889, for a Return showing:—

1st. The full amount of legal and other expenses paid in connection with the suit, "The *St. Catharines Milling and Lumbering Company vs. the Queen*," from the commencement of the suit up to the 1st January, 1889.

2nd. The party or parties to whom paid, the amounts paid, and date of payment. (*Sessional Papers, No. 37.*)

Mr. Bowell, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 6th February, 1889, for a Return in the form used in the statements usually published in the *Gazette*, of the Exports and Imports from the 1st day of July, 1888 to the 1st day of January, 1889, distinguishing the products of *Canada* and those of other countries, with comparative statement of the same from 1st July, 1887, to 1st January, 1888. (*Sessional Papers, No. 38.*)

And also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 8th February, 1889, for a Return showing the quantity of wheat and flour imported into the Dominion of *Canada* from the United States, and entered for consumption, during the six months ending 31st December, 1888; also the quantity of flour remaining in bond in *Canada* on the 31st December, 1888. (*Sessional Papers, No. 39.*)

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill relating to Bills of Exchange, Cheques and Promissory Notes;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House for Friday next.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to make further provision respecting the speedy trial of certain Indictable Offences;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House for Friday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill to amend the Act respecting Certificates to Masters and Mates of Ships, chapter seventy-three of the Revised Statutes;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House for Friday next.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend "The Weights and Measures Act," chapter one hundred and four of the Revised Statutes;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee.)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fourteen thousand two hundred and fifty-three dollars and thirty-seven cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the following expenses, viz:—Estimated expenditure required in connection with the High Commissioner's Office—Salaries, \$7,753.37; Contingencies, including taxes and insurance on official residence, income taxes, rent, fuel, light, stationery, &c., \$8,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required to provide for the contingent expenses of the High Commissioner for Canada in London, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required for salaries of Board of Examiners and other expenses in connection with the Civil Service Act, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty four thousand two hundred and eighty-three dollars and eighteen cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the following expenses in connection with Charges of Management:—Financial Inspector, \$2,600; Assistant Financial Inspector, \$1,700; Office of Assistant Receiver General, Toronto, \$7,300; Office of Assistant Receiver General, Montreal, \$5,600; Office of Assistant Receiver General, Halifax, \$9,700; Office of Assistant Receiver General, St. John, \$7,700; Auditor and Assistant Receiver General, Winnipeg, \$6,600; Auditor and Assistant Receiver General, Victoria, \$7,600; Auditor and Assistant Receiver General, Charlottetown, \$4,600; Country Savings Banks, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island and British Columbia:—Salaries, \$13,500; Contingencies, \$2,500;  $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. commission on \$7,258,976.17, for payment of interest on Public Debt, \$36,294.88; Brokerage on purchases for Sinking Funds—Intercolonial Railway Loan, \$790.95; Rupert's Land Loan, \$81.09; British Columbia Loan, \$42.65.; Brokerage and commission on purchases for Sinking Fund, viz:—Dominion Loans of 1874, 1875, 1876, 1878 and 1879, \$5,453.24; Dominion Loan of 1884, \$1,074.76; Dominion Loan of Canada reduced, \$4,145.61; English bill stamps, postage, telegrams, &c., \$2,000; Expenses in connection with the issue and redemption of Dominion notes, \$5,000; Printing Dominion notes, \$13,000; Printing, advertising, inspection, expressage, miscellaneous charges, &c., including commutation of stamp duty, \$17,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-two thousand seven hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the following items in connection with Administration of Justice:—Miscellaneous expenditure, including *North-West Territories*, \$20,000; Travelling expenses of Judges in the *North-West Territories*, \$4,000; Circuit allowances, *British Columbia*, \$6,000; Travelling allowances, Court of Queen's Bench and County Court Judges, *Manitoba*, \$2,500; Reporter of the Supreme Court of *Canada*, \$2,350; Assistant Reporter of the Supreme Court of *Canada*, 2nd class clerk, \$1,250; Clerk in the office of the Registrar of the Supreme Court of *Canada*, \$400; Second clerk in the office of the Registrar of the Supreme Court of *Canada*, \$900; Senior Messenger of the Supreme Court of *Canada*, \$500; Second Messenger of the Supreme Court of *Canada*, \$590; Third Messenger of the Supreme Court of *Canada*, \$460; Clerk, Exchequer Court of *Canada*, \$1,100; 3rd class clerk, Exchequer Court of *Canada*, \$600; Messenger, Exchequer Court, \$300; Contingencies and disbursements, judges' travelling expenses; also salaries of officers (sheriff, registrar as editor of reports, usher, &c.) in the Supreme Court of *Canada*, and \$150 for books for judges, \$4,000; Printing, binding and distributing the Supreme Court reports, \$2,000; for the purchase of law reports and text books for the Supreme Court Library, \$2,500; Sundry disbursements connected with the Maritime Court of *Ontario*, judges' travelling expenses, &c., \$100; salary of Registrar of the Vice-Admiralty Court, *Quebec*, \$666.66; salary of Marshal of Vice-Admiralty Court, *Quebec*, \$333.34; to provide Vice-Admiralty Court Rooms, *St. John, N.B.*, \$150; to provide Vice-Admiralty Court Rooms, *Halifax*, \$150; Contingencies, Exchequer Court of *Canada*, judge's and registrar's travelling expenses, salary of sheriffs, &c., and \$50 for judges' books, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty thousand six hundred and thirty-eight dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for salaries and contingent expenses of the Senate, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nineteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dominion Police, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-one thousand one hundred and twenty-eight dollars and fifty-eight cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *Kingston Penitentiary*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-five thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *Dorchester Penitentiary*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand five hundred and twenty-six dollars and forty-eight cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *Manitoba Penitentiary*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-four thousand three hundred and ninety-one dollars and seven cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *British Columbia Penitentiary*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand four hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Regina Jail*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received To-morrow.

Mr. Colby also acquainted the House that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Wednesday, 20th February, 1889.

**PRAYERS.**

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

By Mr. *Ferguson (Welland)*,—The Petition of *Samuel Berriman* and others, of the Township of *Stamford*; the Petition of *M. J. Dalton* and others; and the Petition of *A. B. Greenwood* and others, all fruit growers and market gardeners, of the County of *Welland*.

By Mr. *Corby*,—The Petition of *Charles Morrow* and others.

By Mr. *Landerkin*,—The Petition of *William Johnston* and others, of the Town of *Durham*, County of *Grey*.

By Mr. *LaRivière*,—The Petition of the Honourable *Frank Clemow*, Senator, and others.

By Mr. *Brown*,—The Petition of *Thomas Barnes* and others, of the City of *Hamilton*; and the Petition of *A. D. Lee* and others, all fruit growers and market gardeners, of the County of *Wentworth*.

By Mr. *McKay*,—The Petition of *C. J. Carpenter* and others, fruit growers and market gardeners, of the County of *Wentworth*.

By Mr. *Smith (Ontario)*,—Three Petitions of District Assembly, No. 236, Knights of Labour, *Uxbridge*.

By Mr. *Bergin*,—The Petition of the *Winnipeg* and *North Pacific Railway Company*.

By Mr. *Waldie*,—The Petition of *Alexander McCleary* and others; and the Petition of *M. Felan* and others, all fruit growers and gardeners, of the County of *Halton*.

By Mr. *Sproule*,—The Petition of *F. G. Dunbar* and others of the Village of *Shelburne*, County of *Dufferin*.

By Mr. *Moncrieff*,—The Petition of *W. A. Hunsberry* and others, fruit growers and gardeners, of the County of *Lincoln*; and the Petition of *John Atkin* and others, fruit growers and gardeners, of the County of *Lambton*.

By Mr. *Hesson*,—The Petition of *F. B. Henry* and others, fruit growers and gardeners, of the County of *Wentworth*; and the Petition of *Robert D. Cole* and others, fruit growers and gardeners, of the County of *Lincoln*.

By Mr. *Cockburn*,—Four Petitions of Local Assembly, No. 2305, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Carpenter*,—The Petition of *John J. Bowman* and others, of the Township of *Ancaster*; the Petition of *G. W. Cline* and others, of the Township of *Grimsby*; and the Petition of *C. W. F. Carpenter* and others, all fruit growers and gardeners, of the County of *Wentworth*.

By Mr. *Trow*,—The Petition of *W. G. Murphy* and others, of the Town of *Mitchell*, County of *Perth*.

By Mr. *Boyle*,—The Petition of *William Chalmers* and others, of the Township of *Sherbrooke*; the Petition of *William Edie* and others, of the Township of *South Cayuga*, all fruit growers and gardeners, of the County of *Monck*; and the Petition of *Archibald Wilson* and others, fruit growers and gardeners, of the County of *Lincoln*.

By Mr. *Rykert*,—The Petition of *F. G. Stewart* and others, of the Township of *Grantham*; of *T. Pier* and others, of the County of *Lincoln* and Township of *Grantham*; the Petition of *James Hiscott* and others, of the Township of *Niagara*; the Petition of *Andrew Wood* and others; the Petition of *W. D. Kitchen* and others; and the Petition of *D. D. E. Potter* and others; all fruit growers and gardeners, of the County of *Lincoln*; the Petition of the Presbytery of *Hamilton* of the Presbyterian

Church in *Canada*, representing the communicants of the Counties of *Halton, Wentworth, Lincoln, Welland, Haldimand, Norfolk and Brant*; six Petitions of Local Assembly No. 5933, Knights of Labour, *Merritton*; six Petitions of Local Assembly No. 156, Knights of Labour; six Petitions of the Builders' Labourers' Union; six Petitions of Axe-makers' Local Assembly, No. 9437; six Petitions of Brickmakers' and Masons' Union, No. 4; six petitions of Barbers' Union; seven Petitions of Cigar Makers' Union, No. 140; six Petitions of Ship Carpenters' Union; and five Petitions of Trades and Labour Council, all of *St. Catharines*.

By Mr. *Colby*,—The Petition of *Allen Wilkinson* and others, of *Rock Island*, and others of the Township of *Stanstead*.

By Mr. *McCulla*,—The Petition *W. H. Brooking* and others, fruit growers and gardeners, of the County of *Wentworth*.

By Mr. *Edgar*,—Four Petitions of District Assembly, No. 236, Knights of Labour, *Uxbridge*.

By Mr. *Robillard*,—The Petition of *Russell Dourett* and others, of *Portland* and others places.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received:—

Of the *Atlantic and North-West Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act to extend the time for the completion of their Railway, and for other purposes.

Of the *St. Lawrence and Atlantic Junction Railway Company* and others; praying for the passing of an Act to extend the time for the commencement and completion of their Railway.

Of the *Ontario and Quebec Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act to ratify the conveyance by them of a certain lot of land to the Land Security Company, and for other purposes.

Of the *Canadian Pacific Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act authorizing them to issue bonds or debentures for the purchase of vessels to be run in connection with their Railway.

Of the *South Ontario Pacific Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act to continue the powers granted them by their Act of Incorporation, and to extend the time for the completion of their Railway and Bridge.

Of Local Assembly, No. 3449, *St. Thomas, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act for the proper inspection of stationary engines and boilers.

Of Local Assembly, No. 3449, *St. Thomas, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation of contract labour.

Of Local Assembly, No. 3449, *St. Thomas, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act to compel all vessels, whether steam or sail, navigating the inland waters of *Canada*, to carry competent crews, and for other purposes.

Of Local Assembly, No. 3449, *St. Thomas, Ontario*; praying for the abolition of the present system of Immigration.

Of Local Assembly, No. 3449, *St. Thomas, Ontario*; praying for an amendment of the Seamen's Agreement Act.

Of Local Assembly, No. 3449, *St. Thomas, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act setting aside a day to be known as "Labour Day," as a national holiday, for the benefit of the wage-earners of the Dominion.

Of Local Assembly, No. 3449, *St. Thomas, Ontario*; praying that the clause in the Dominion Elections Act, requiring a deposit from candidates for election, be repealed.

Of the Municipal Council of the City of *Ottawa*; praying for such legislation as will provide that the Electoral District of *Ottawa* shall include the Territory now embraced within its limits for municipal purposes.

Of *M. Mc Vicar* and others, holders, as trustees, of shares in the Standard Publishing Company (Limited); praying that the Bill now before Parliament, respecting the Baptist Convention of *Ontario and Quebec*, may become law.

Of *George A. Harris*, forwarder, and others, merchants and others, of *Ottawa*; pointing out the necessity which exists for enlarging and improving the Rideau Canal, so as to permit the passage of large vessels; and praying the House to consider the advisability of causing a careful examination and report to be made thereon.

Of *John McCurdy* and others; and of *A. A. Doupe* and others, all of the Village of *Kirkton*, County of *Perth*, Ontario; and of *John J. Williams*, and others, of *New Rockland*, County of *Richmond*, *Quebec*; severally praying that a Bill now in contemplation, intituled: "An Act respecting Benevolent Societies," may, if introduced, become law.

Of the Municipal Council of the United Counties of *Stormont*, *Dundas* and *Glengarry*; praying for such legislation as will prohibit the importation, manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors, as a beverage.

Of *John Croil* and others, fruit growers and gardeners, of the Township of *Osnabruck*, County of *Cornwall* and *Stormont*, Ontario; praying the House to consider the advisability of imposing a duty on certain fruits, vegetables and nursery stock, when imported from the *United States*.

Of *H. Wilkins* and others, members of the *Leamington* and *Mersea* Gun Club; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, respecting cruelty to animals, may not become law.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Davis* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Alberta* and *Athabasca* Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Friday next.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Marshall* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act incorporating the *London Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Canada*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Friday next.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Bryson* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway Company*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Friday next.

On motion of *Mr. Brown*, seconded by *Mr. Ferguson (Welland)*,

*Ordered*, That the Quorum of the Select Committee appointed to enquire into certain fraudulent practices by which farmers and others are exposed to injury, be reduced to five members.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Daly* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate "The *Lac Seul* Railway Company."

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same were received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Friday next.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Purcell* have leave to bring in a Bill for the protection of persons employed by contractors engaged in the construction of Railways, under Acts passed by the Parliament of *Canada*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Friday next.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Tupper* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Revised Statutes, chapter seventy-seven, respecting the safety of Ships.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Friday next.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 8th February, 1889, for a Return showing amounts received on account of loan recently negotiated, together with a statement of the sums (forming portion of the same) placed on deposit with Canadian or other banks since the 20th day of June, 1888, and the rate of interest agreed to be paid on the same. (*Sessional Papers, No. 40.*)

On motion of Mr. *McMillan (Huron)*, seconded by Mr. *Somerville*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House,—a Return showing the cost, to date, of the barn at the Experimental Farm, or of any and all other outbuildings upon said farm, with a statement showing the number of outbuildings and their kind, if any; also, the number of residences built on the farm and the cost of each one, separately; likewise the sum total of the cost of all buildings upon said farm, to date.

On motion of Mr. *Burlett*, seconded by Mr. *Platt*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House,—a Return showing the name of each Post Office built or under construction in Canada since the 1st July, 1867; the revenue, expenditure for salaries, forward and other allowances for rent, fuel and light of each office, for the year prior to the commencement of the work on the respective offices; also, showing the population of the place at which an office has been or is being built at the time the work was ordered to be done, and the cost of each office built, as well as the probable cost of those under construction.

And it being Six o'Clock P.M., Mr. Speaker left the Chair, to resume the same at half-past Seven o'Clock P.M.

Half-past Seven O'Clock, P.M.

#### Private Bills under Rule 19.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Alberta* Railway and Coal Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read the third time on Friday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the *Kootenay* and *Athabasca* Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read the third time on Friday next.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the Baptist Convention of *Ontario* and *Quebec*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the *Victoria, Saanich* and *New Westminster* Railway Company;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the "Canadian General Trusts Company";

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend the Act incorporating the *Massawippi* Junction Railway Company;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to make further provision as to the prevention of Cruelty to Animals, and to amend chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, intituled: "An Act respecting Cruelty to Animals";

Mr. *Braun* moved, seconded by Mr. *McKay*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time;

Mr. *Tisdale* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Marshall*, That the word "now" be left out, and the words "this day six months" added at the end of the Question;

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS :

## Messieurs

<i>Amyot,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec),</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>McCarthy,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Carcn (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd),</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudre'l),</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Chouinard,</i>	<i>Ives,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Jonas,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cook,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Wilmot, and</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin).—71.</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>	

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dawdney,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Rowland,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut. Genl.),</i>	<i>Semple,</i>

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<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Ferguson (L'ds &amp; Gren.)</i>	<i>McDougald, (Pictou),</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton)</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Gilmor,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Watson, and</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox).—72.</i>

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So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put; it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House for To-morrow.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

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Thursday, 21st February, 1889.

**PRAYERS.**

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

By Mr. *Kirkpatrick*,—The Petition of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company; and the Petition of *James Worthington* and others.

By Mr. *Paterson (Brant)*,—The Petition of *David Plews* and others, of *Brantford* and other places.

By Mr. *Shanly*,—The Petition of Messrs. *Pennett* and *Lockerbie* and others, of *Spencerville* and other places.

By Mr. *Coughlin*,—The Petition of *R. S. Hodgins* and others, of *Lucan* and other places.

By Mr. *Corby*,—The Petition of *S. A. Lazier* and others, of *Belleville*.

By Mr. *Waldie*,—The Petition of *Charles H. Lusk, M.D.*, and others; the Petition of *E. A. Robertson* and others, of *Oakville* and other places; and the Petition of *D. Choppell* and others, of *Trafalgar* and other places.

By Mr. *Dickinson*,—The Petition of *Robert Clarke* and others, of the County of *Carleton* and other places.

By Mr. *Bowman*,—The Petition of *Charles Krentziger* and others, of *Heidelberg* and other places.

By Mr. *Taylor*,—The Petition of *Robert H. Preston, M.D., M.P.P.*, and others, of *Newboro'*, and other places.

By Mr. *Curran*,—The Petition of the Council of the *Montreal* Board of Trade.

By Mr. *Mulock*,—The Petition of *D. Clark* and others, of *Ayr*; and the Petition of *T. S. Graham* and others, of *Bradford* and other places.

By Mr. *Trow*,—The Petition of *Joseph Pollard* and others, of the Town of *Mitchell, County of Perth*.

By Mr. *Livingston*,—The Petition of the *Todd Milling Company* and others, of *Galt* and other places.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received:—

Of the *Bay of Quinté Bridge Company*; praying for the passing of an Act to declare and define the meaning of certain words in the Act of Incorporation of the said Company, 50-51 *Victoria*, Chapter 97.

Of *Samuel Clarke*, Mayor of *Cobourg*, and others; praying for the passing of an Act authorizing the construction of a Railway from the Harbour of *Cobourg* to the *Ontario* and *Quebec* Branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and thence to the mining region in the Township of *Marmora*, County of *Hastings, Ontario*.

Of the Municipal Council of the City of *Toronto*; praying for the enactment of such legislation as will compel, or authorize the City of *Toronto* to compel, all Telegraph, Telephone and Electric Light Companies, doing business in said city, &c., to remove all poles, and to place their wires under ground.

Of *James Macklem* and others, of *Chippawa*; of *George A. Bull* and others, of the Village of *Niagara Falls*, formerly *Drummondville*; and of *Henry Pafford* and others, of the Town of *Niagara*; severally praying that such steps may be taken as will help to honour and perpetuate the memory of the men who lost their lives in defending their country at the battle of *Lundy's Lane*, and to preserve from desecration their last resting place in the military cemetery of that place.

Of *F. W. Wilson* and others, fruit growers, nurserymen and market gardeners, of the County of *Kent, Ontario*; praying the House to consider the advisability of re-imposing the duty on fruits and nursery stock, removed last Session, and of increasing the duty on all vegetables, including melons, to 30 per cent. *ad valorem*.

Of *Allen Lamont* and others, of the Town of *Mount Forest*, County of *Wellington*; and of *Henry Turner* and others, of the Town of *Cornwall*, County of *Stormont*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying that a Bill now in contemplation, intitled: "An Act respecting Benevolent Societies" may, if introduced, become law.

Of Local Assembly, No. 2305, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; praying for the passing of an Act for the proper inspection of stationary engines and boilers.

Of Local Assembly, No. 2305, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; praying for an amendment of the Seamen's Agreement Act.

Of Local Assembly, No. 2305, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; praying for the passing of an Act to compel all vessels, whether steam or sail, navigating the inland waters of *Canada*, to carry competent crews, and for other purposes.

*Ordered*, That the Petition of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, presented this day, be now read.

And the said petition was read and received; praying for the passing of an Act empowering them to issue consolidated debenture stock, and for other purposes.

On motion of Mr. *Desjardins*, seconded by Mr. *Trow*,

*Resolved*, That this House doth concur in the First Report of the Select Committee appointed to supervise the Official Report of the Debates of this House during the present Session.

*Ordered*, That Sir *John Thompson* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting Rules of Court in relation to Criminal Matters.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Edgar* have leave to bring in a Bill to place on the Free List articles of merchandise, the production of which are controlled by Trusts and Combinations.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Sir *John A. Macdonald*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Annual Report of the Minister of Railways and Canals, for the past fiscal year from 1st July, 1887, to 30th June, 1888, on the works under his control. (*Sessional Papers, No. 10.*)

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill to permit Foreign Vessels to aid vessels wrecked or disabled in Canadian Waters;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time;

Mr. *Kirkpatrick* moved, seconded by Mr. *Hudspeth*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be referred to a Select Committee composed of Messieurs *Bergeron, Charlton, Cockburn, Dickey, Edgar, Holton, Labelle, Langelier (Quebec), Masson, Mulock, Shanly, Patterson (Essex), Weldon (Albert), Weldon (St. John)*, and the mover;

Mr. *Patterson (Essex)* moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Wood (Brockville)*, That all the words after "Messieurs" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "*Bowell, Boyle, Charlton, Ferguson (Welland), Kirkpatrick, Lister, Préfontaine, Tupper* and the mover" inserted instead thereof; And a Debate arising thereupon: The said amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then the main Question being put:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their clerk as followeth:—

The Senate acquaint this House, That they have appointed the Honourable Messieurs *Almond, Baillargeon, Bellerose, Boisford, DeBoucherville, Drummond, Gowan, Haythorne, Lacoste, MacInnes (Burlington), Macpherson (Sir David Lewis), Miller, Odell, Poirier, Power, Ryan, Scott, Sullivan, Trudel and Wark*, a Committee to assist His Honour the Speaker in the direction of the Library of Parliament, so far as the interests of their House are concerned; and to act on behalf of their House as Members of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the Library.

And also, the Senate acquaint this House, That they have appointed the Honourable Messieurs *Casgrain, Dever, Girard, Gowan, Guévremont, Haythorne, Kaulbach, McClelan, McKindsey, McMillan, Macfarlane, Ogilvie, Perley, Pelletier, Power, Read, Turner, Vidal and Wark*, a Committee to superintend the Printing of their House during the present Session; and they are instructed to act on behalf of their House with a Committee of this House as a Joint Committee of both Houses on the subject of Printing.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to admit vessels registered in the *United States* to wrecking, towing and coasting privileges in Canadian waters;

Mr. *Patterson (Essex)* moved, seconded by Mr. *Wood (Brockville)*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time;

And a Debate arising thereupon;

On motion of Mr. *McCarthy*, seconded by Mr. *Kirkpatrick*, Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to provide against frauds in the supplying of milk to cheese and butter manufactories;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to a Select Committee composed of Sir *John Thompson* and Messieurs *Burdett, Daly, Girouard, Kirkpatrick, Landry, Langelier (Quebec), Madill, Mills (Bothwell), Moncrieff and Weldon (St. John)*.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to require the owners of elevators and hoists to guard against accidents;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Committee on the Bill to provide against frauds in the supplying of milk to cheese and butter manufactories.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was on Wednesday, 13th February, instant, proposed, That, in the opinion of this House, it is expedient to prohibit the manufacture, importation and sale of intoxicating liquors, except for sacramental, medicinal, scientific and mechanical purposes. That the enforcement of such prohibition, and such manufacture, importation and sale as may be allowed, shall be by the Dominion Government through specially appointed officers.

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after " purposes " to the end of the Question, be left out, and the words " when the public sentiment of the " country is ripe for the reception and enforcement of such a measure of prohibition," inserted instead thereof ;

And proposed amendment to the said amendment thereto, That all the words in the Amendment be left out, and all the words after " purposes " in the Main Motion be left out and the words " if it be found, on a vote of the qualified electors of the " Dominion having first been taken, that a majority thereof are in favour of a prohibition law which shall make full provision for compensating those engaged in the " manufacture of such liquors," inserted instead thereof ;

And the Question on the amendment to the amendment being again proposed : The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

And the Question being put on the amendment to the said proposed amendment ; the House divided : and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow :—

## YEAS :

## Messieurs

<i>Amyot,</i>	<i>Couture,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bocell,</i>	<i>Guouard,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Mon'plaisir,</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Juncas,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Ward, and</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox)—58.</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>		

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Écar,</i>	<i>Lanary,</i>	<i>Sie. Marie,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Ébnerds,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Luster,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Bordén,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton),</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>

<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>Mc Millan (Huron),</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>Mc Mullen,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd)</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin),</i>
<i>Cook,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville),</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm't'd), and</i>
<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Ives,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	<i>Yeo.—86.</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>		

So it passed in the Negative.

And the Question being again proposed on the amendment,

Mr. *Mills (Bothwell)*, moved in amendment to the said proposed amendment seconded by Sir *Richard J. Cartwright*, That the words "and that a vote of the qualified electors of Canada be taken at a convenient time to ascertain the opinion of the country upon the question," be added at the end thereof;

And the question being put on the amendment to the said proposed amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down as follow:—

#### YEAS :

##### Messieurs

<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>Mc Millan (Huron),</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Mc Mullen,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd)</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin), and</i>
<i>Colter,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox)—35.</i>
<i>Cook,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>	

#### NAYS :

##### Messieurs

<i>Amyot,</i>	<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>
<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Ives,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>
<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Baird,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Denism,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Riopet,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>	<i>Scrivner,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.),</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Smith (Sir Donald),</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Elhis,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>McCarthy,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Poster,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>

<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton)</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil)</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Girouard,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Chisholm,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Monplaisir,</i>	<i>Wilnot,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville),</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm't'd), and</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Yeo.—128.</i>

So it passed in the Negative.

And the Question being again proposed on the amendment,

Mr. *Moncrieff* moved in amendment to the said proposed amendment, seconded by Mr. *Denison*, That all the words in the amendment be left out, and all the words after "That" in the main motion be left out, and the words "inasmuch as the result of recent votes taken under the *Canada Temperance Act* have been in favour of the repeal of the Act, and inasmuch as the electors of some counties in *Canada* may be in favour of a license system for the sale of cider, light wines and beers only, and at the same time might not favour the adoption of the second part of said Act in its entirety;

"That in the opinion of this House the said Act should be amended, so that upon any vote of the Electorate being taken under the Act, either for its adoption or its repeal, it shall be competent for the electors to vote in any one of the three following alternatives:—

"First. Either for the Act, or

"Second. For the Act limiting the sale of intoxicating liquors, but excepting cider, light wines and beers from the operation thereof;

"Third. Against the Act," inserted instead thereof.

And objection having been taken to the proposed amendment to the amendment, on the ground that it was not relevant to the subject matter of the question immediately before the House;

Mr. Deputy Speaker decided: That the said amendment was irregular.

And the Question being put on the amendment to the original Question; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

#### YEAS:

#### Messieurs

<i>Amyot,</i>	<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Ives,</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Bécharé,</i>	<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>	<i>Smith (Sir Donald),</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut. Genl.),</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>McCarthy,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>

<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton),</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Girouard,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vau-tr'il),</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Chisholm,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville) and</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'l'd)—99.</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>	

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Baird,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Geofrion,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd)</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin),</i>
<i>Cook,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox), and</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Yeo.—59.</i>
<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then the main Question, so amended, "That, in the opinion of this House, it is expedient to prohibit the manufacture, importation and sale of intoxicating liquors, except for sacramental, medicinal, scientific and mechanical purposes, when the public sentiment of the country is ripe for the reception and enforcement of such a measure of prohibition," being put, the House divided; And it was resolved in the Affirmative.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Friday, 22nd February, 1889.

## PRAYERS :

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

By Mr. *Rykert*,—The Petition of *James Norris* and others, of *St. Catharines* and other places.

By Mr. *Hall*,—The Petition of *Thomas Adams*, D.C.L., and others, of the Village of *Lennoxville*, County of *Sherbrooke*.

By Mr. Cameron,—The Petition of Messieurs *Peter Paint* and Sons.

By Mr. Cargill,—The Petition of *John Douglass*, Warden, and others, of *Tara* and other places; and the Petition of *A. Ramage* and others, of *Chesley* and other places.

By Mr. Cockburn,—The Petition of *J. A. Brown* and others, of *Souris*; the Petition of *W. M. Alexander* and others, of *Brandon* and other places; the Petition of *W. Stuart* and others of *Mitchell*; and the Petition of *Wilmot D. Matthews* and others, of *Toronto* and other places.

By Mr. Curran,—The Petition of Messieurs *A. M. Ogilvie* and Company and others, of *Montreal*.

By Mr. Bowman,—The Petition of Messieurs *William Snider* and Company and others, of *Waterloo* and other places.

By Mr. Perley,—The Petition of the *Board of Trade* of the City of *Ottawa*.

By Mr. Robillard,—The Petition of the *Board of Trade* of the City of *Ottawa*.

By Mr. Guillet,—The Petition of *Lewis Schönfeldt* and others, of the Village of *Hespeler*, County of *Waterloo*, and the Petition of *James Hamer* and others, of *Guelph*.

By Mr. Lister,—The Petition of Messieurs *Neil McCahill* and Company and others, of *Forest* and other places; and the Petition of *George A. Proctor* and others, of the Town of *Sarnia*, County of *Lambton*.

By Mr. Daly,—The Petition of the Northern Pacific and *Manitoba Railway* Company.

By Mr. McCulla,—The Petition of Messieurs *Wheeler* Brothers and others, of *Cataract* and other places; and the Petition of *J. Kennedy* and others, fruit growers and gardeners, of the Township of *Toronto*.

By Mr. Dickinson,—The Petition of *A. Lindsay* and others, of *Manotick*, County of *Carleton*; and the Petition of *George E. Kidd* and others, of *Burritt's Rapids*.

By Mr. Colby,—The Petition of *William Abbott* and others.

By Mr. White (*Renfrew*),—The Petition of *William Murray*, merchant, and others, of the Town of *Pembroke*, County of *Renfrew*, Ontario.

By Mr. Boyle,—The Petition of *Amos Rittenhouse* and others, fruit growers and gardeners, of the Township of *Dunn*, County of *Monck*.

By Mr. Hesson,—The Petition of Messieurs *Hay* Brothers and others, of *Listowel*, and other places.

By Mr. Semple,—The Petition of *James Wells* and others, of *Orangeville*, and other places.

By Mr. McNeill,—The Petition of Messieurs *Archibald Fisher* and Son and others, of *Paisley* and other places.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received:—

Of *Samuel Berriman* and others, of the Township of *Stamford*; of *M. J. Dalton* and others, all of the County of *Welland*; of *M. Felan* and others, of the County of *Halton*; of *John J. Bowman* and others, of *Ancaster*; of *G. W. Cline* and others, of the Township of *Grimsby*, all of the County of *Wentworth*; of *William Chalmers* and others, of the Township of *Sherbrooke*; of *William Edie* and others, of the Township of *South Cayuga*, all of the County of *Monck*; of *F. G. Stewart* and others, of the Township of *Grantham*; of *James Hiscott* and others, of the Township of *Niagara*; of *D. D. E. Potter* and others, of the County of *Lincoln*, all fruit growers and gardeners of *Ontario*; and of *F. G. Dunbar* and others, of the Village of *Shelburne*, County of *Dufferin*, Ontario; severally praying the House to consider the advisability of imposing a duty on certain fruits, vegetables and nursery stock, when imported from the *United States*.

Of *A. B. Greenwood* and others, of the County of *Welland*; of *Alexander McCleary* and others, of the County of *Halton*; of *John Atkin* and others, of the County of *Lambton*; of *Thomas Barnes* and others, of the City of *Hamilton*; of *A. D. Lee* and others; of *C. J. Carpenter* and others; of *F. B. Henry* and others; of *U. W. F. Carpenter* and others; of *W. H. Brooking* and others, all of the County of *Wentworth*;

of *W. A. Hunsberry* and others; of *Archibald Wilson* and others; of *T. Pier* and others, of the Township of *Grantham*; of *Andrew Wood* and others, of the Township of *Niagara*; of *W. D. Kitchen* and others; and of *Robert D. Cole* and others, of the County of *Lincoln*, all fruit growers and gardeners of *Ontario*; severally praying the House to consider the advisability of re-imposing the duty on fruits and nursery stock, removed last Session, and of increasing the duty on all vegetables, including melons, to 30 per cent. *ad valorem*.

Of *Charles Morrow* and others; complaining of the placing, by lumbermen and others, of certain obstructions in the *River Trent*; and praying the House to adopt such measures as will cause the early removal thereof.

Of *William Johnston* and others, of the Town of *Durham*, County of *Grey*; of *W. G. Murphy* and others, of the Town of *Mitchell*, County of *Perth*, all of *Ontario*; and of *Allen Wilkinson* and others, of *Rock Island*, and others of the Township of *Stanstead, Quebec*; severally praying that a Bill now in contemplation, intitaled: "An Act respecting Benevolent Societies," may, if introduced, become law.

Of the Honourable *Francis Clemon*, Senator, and others; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The North-Western Junction and *Lake of the Woods* Railway Company."

Of District Assembly, No. 236, Knights of Labour, *Uxbridge*; and of Cigar Makers' Union, No. 140, *St. Catharines*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act for the proper inspection of stationary engines and boilers.

Of Local Assembly, No. 156, Knights of Labour; of Builders' Labourers' Union; of Axemakers' Local Assembly, No. 9437; of Brickmakers' and Masons' Union, No. 4; of Barbers' Union; of Cigar Makers' Union, No. 140; of Ship Carpenters' Union; and of Trades and Labour Council, all of *St. Catharines*; of District Assembly, No. 236, Knights of Labour, *Uxbridge*; and of Local Assembly, No. 5933, Knights of Labour, *Merritton*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for an amendment of the Seamen's Agreement Act.

Of Local Assembly, No. 156, Knights of Labour; of Builders' Labourers' Union; of Axemakers' Local Assembly, No. 9437; of Brickmakers' and Masons' Union, No. 4; of Barbers' Union; of Cigar Makers' Union, No. 140; of Ship Carpenters' Union; and of Trades and Labour Council, all of *St. Catharines*; of District Assembly, No. 236, Knights of Labour, *Uxbridge*; of Local Assembly, No. 2305, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; and of Local Assembly, No. 5933, Knights of Labour, *Merritton*; all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the abolition of the present system of Immigration.

Of the *Winnipeg* and North Pacific Railway Company; praying for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation.

Of Local Assembly, No. 156, Knights of Labour; of Builders' Labourers' Union; of Axemakers' Local Assembly, No. 9437; of Barbers' Union; of Cigar Makers' Union, No. 140; of Ship Carpenters' Union; and of Brickmakers' and Masons' Union, No. 4, all of *St. Catharines*; of Local Assembly No. 2305, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; of Local Assembly, No. 593, Knights of Labour, *Merritton*; and of District Assembly, No. 236, Knights of Labour, *Uxbridge*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying that the clause in the Dominion Elections Act, requiring a deposit from candidates for election, be repealed.

Of Local Assembly, No. 156, Knights of Labour; of Builders' Labourers' Union; of Axemakers' Local Assembly, No. 9437; of Brickmakers' and Masons' Union, No. 4; of Barbers' Union; of Cigar Makers' Union, No. 140; of Ship Carpenters' Union; and of Trades and Labour Council, all of *St. Catharines*, of Local Assembly, No. 2305, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; of District Assembly, No. 236, Knights of Labour, *Uxbridge*; and of Local Assembly, No. 5933, Knights of Labour, *Merritton*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation of contract labour.

Of the Presbytery of *Hamilton*, of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada* representing the communicants of the Counties of *Halton, Wentworth, Lincoln, Welland, Haldimand, Norfolk* and *Brant*; praying that the Order authorizing traffic on the *Welland Canal*, on the Lord's Day, be withdrawn.

Of Local Assembly, No. 156, Knights of Labour; of Builders' Labourers' Union; of Axemakers' Local Assembly, No. 9437; of Brickmakers' and Masons' Union, No. 4; of Barbers' Union; of Cigar Makers' Union, No. 140; of Ship Carpenters' Union; and of Trades and Labour Council, all of *St. Catharines*; of Local Assembly, No. 5933, Knights of Labour, *Merritton*; and of District Assembly, No. 236, Knights of Labour, *Uxbridge*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to compel all vessels, whether steam or sail, navigating the inland waters of *Canada*, to carry competent crews, and for other purposes.

Of Local Assembly, No. 156, Knights of Labour; of Builders' Labourers' Union; of Axemakers' Local Assembly, No. 9437; of Brickmakers' and Masons' Union, No. 4; of Barbers' Union; of Ship Carpenters' Union; of Cigar Makers' Union, No. 140; and of Trades and Labour Council, all of *St. Catharines*; of District Assembly, No. 236, Knights of Labour, *Uxbridge*; of Local Assembly, No. 2305, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; and of Local Assembly, No. 5933, Knights of Labour, *Merritton*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act setting apart a day to be known as "Labour Day," as a national holiday, for the benefit of the wage-earners of the Dominion.

Of *Russel Dourett* and others, of *Portland* and other places; pointing out the necessity which exists for enlarging and improving the *Rideau* Canal, so as to permit the passage of larger vessels; and praying the House to consider the advisability of causing a careful examination and report to be made thereon.

Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) from the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented to the House the Fifth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have examined the Notices given on the following Petitions and find them sufficient, viz.:—

Of the *Manitoba* and South-Eastern Railway Company, for an Act of Incorporation; of the Corporation of the City of *Winnipeg*, for an Act to empower them to utilize the water power and improve the navigation of the *Assiniboine* River; of the *Ontario* and *Quebec* Railway Company, for an Act to ratify the conveyance by them of a certain lot of land to the Land Security Company; of the *St. Lawrence* and Atlantic Junction Railway Company, for an Act to extend the time for the construction of their Railway; of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, for an Act to authorize them to issue bonds or debentures for the purchase of vessels to be run in connection with their Railway; of the South *Ontario* Pacific Railway Company, for an Act to continue the powers granted them in their Act of Incorporation; and of the Atlantic and *North-West* Railway Company, for an Act to extend the time for the completion of their Railway.

Your Committee have examined the Notices given on the following Petitions and find them somewhat short in point of time, but recommend that they be considered sufficient, inasmuch as they will have fully matured before the Bills are considered in Committee, viz.:—

Of the *Berlin* and Canadian Pacific Railway Company, for an Act to extend the time for the construction of their Railway; of the *Kingston* and *Pembroke* Railway Company, for an extension of the time for the completion of their Railway; of the *Lake Manitoba* Railway and Canal Company, for an Act of Incorporation; of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, for an Act to empower them to issue consolidated Debenture Stock; and of the *Cobourg*, *Northumberland* and Pacific Railway Company, for an Act of Incorporation.

On the Petition of the *London* and Canadian Loan and Agency Company, for an Act to enlarge the time from five to ten years, during which they may hold any real estate acquired in satisfaction of any debt, the notice merely states that application will be made by the Company, for an Act to amend section 6 of their Act of Incorporation, by substituting for the word "five" in the ninth line of the said section the word "ten." As your Committee are of the opinion that a notice so worded is not in

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accordance with the spirit and intention of the 51st Rule, which requires that the nature and object of the application shall be clearly and distinctly specified in the notice, they beg to recommend that this notice be deemed insufficient.

*Ordered*, That the Petition of *William Abbott* and others, presented this day, be now read.

And the said Petition was read and received; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the *Canada Superphosphate Company*.

*Ordered*, That the Petition of *William Murray*, merchant, and others, of the Town of *Pembroke*, County of *Renfrew*, Ontario, be now read.

And the said Petition was read and received; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the *Union Railway Company*.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Guillet* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Cobourg, Northumberland and Pacific Railway Company*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Bowman* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Berlin and Canadian Pacific Junction Railway Company*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Sutherland* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *South Ontario Pacific Railway Company*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Kirkpatrick* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting *Steam Vessels* to be used in connection with the *Canadian Pacific Railway*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. LaRivière* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate "The *Manitoba and South-Eastern Railway Company*."

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Watson* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Lake Manitoba Railway and Canal Company*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Watson* have leave to bring in a Bill to enable the *City of Winnipeg* to utilize the *Assiniboine River* water power.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Hall* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *St. Lawrence and Atlantic Junction Railway Company*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Hall* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the Atlantic and North-West Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Small* have leave to bring in a Bill to ratify an Exchange of Land between the Ontario and Quebec Railway Company and the Land Security Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Ross* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the Assiniboine Water Power Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Kirkpatrick* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Kirkpatrick* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the Kingston and Pembroke Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*,

*Ordered*, That the name of Mr. *Prior* be substituted for that of Mr. *Baker* on the Select Committee appointed to supervise the Official Report of the Debates of this House; Mr. *Ferguson* (*Welland*) for that of Mr. *Colby* on the Select Standing Committee on Public Accounts; Mr. *McCulla* for that of Mr. *Colby* on the Select Standing Committee on Agriculture and Colonization; Mr. *Bryson* for that of Mr. *Colby* on the Select Standing Committee on Privileges and Elections, and Mr. *Edwards* for that of Mr. *Colby* on the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee.)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salary of the Deputy Speaker, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy thousand and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Salaries, House of Commons, per Clerk's estimate, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirteen thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay expenses of Committees, Extra Sessional Clerks, &c., House of Commons, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, House of Commons, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Publishing Debates, House of Commons. (Authority is hereby given for paying out of this vote such sums as may be required to pay such employees of the Civil Service as is necessary to employ to do duty as amanuenses to the Debates Staff of the House of Commons for the present Session, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Civil Service Act), for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-three thousand eight hundred and eighty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Salaries and Contingencies, House of Commons, per Sergeant-at-Arms', estimate, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for printing Voters' Lists, Franchise Act, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-four thousand eight hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.: Salaries of officers of the Library, \$16,860; Grant to Parliamentary Library, \$10,000; Purchase of works on America, \$1,000; Contingencies of the Library, \$2,500; Binding newspapers, &c., \$2,000; Preparing and reprinting the Catalogue of the Library of American History (revote), \$2,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for printing, binding and distributing the laws, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for printing, printing paper and book-binding, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

And it being Six o'Clock, P.M., Mr. Speaker took the Chair, and left it, to resume the same at half-past Seven o'Clock, P. M.

*Half-past Seven o'Clock, P. M.*

Private Bills under Rule 19.

The Order of the Day being read, for the third reading of the Bill to incorporate the Alberta Railway and Coal Company;

Mr. Shanly moved, seconded by Mr. Rykert, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Mr. Watson moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. Trow, That all the words after "now" to the end of the Question, be left out, and the words "re-committed to a Committee of the Whole House, in order to insert a clause providing that the "maximum rate on coal over the Company's lines shall not exceed one cent per ton per mile," inserted instead thereof;

And objection having been taken to the proposed amendment, on the ground that one day's Notice thereof had not been given, in accordance with Rule 67;

Mr. Speaker decided: "That the objection was well taken, and that the motion could not be put."

The attention of Mr. Speaker having been directed to the fact that the hour set apart for Private Bills under Rule 19 had expired;

The Committee of Supply was then resumed.

*(In the Committee.)*

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for care of Archives, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for expenses in connection with Patent Record, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for expenses in connection with preparation of Criminal Statistics, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for expenses in connection with Health Statistics, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards the establishment and maintenance of Experimental Farms, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to aid Agricultural Societies in the *North-West Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay expenses connected with Census and Statistics, including preliminary preparation for census of 1891, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received on Monday next.

Mr. *Colby* also acquainted the House, that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, on Monday next, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

And then The House adjourned till Monday next.

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Monday, 25th February, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Rykert*,—The Petition of *Charles R. Hunt* and others, of the City of *Hamilton*.

By Mr. *Macdowall*,—The Petition of *F. Burk* and others, of the Townships of *Goodwood* and *Uxbridge*; the Petition of *D. H. Russell* and others, of the Township of *Reach* and other places; the Petition of *Richard Gutthrey* and others, of the City of *Toronto*, all fruit growers and gardeners of *Ontario*; and the Petition of *Louis Beau-bien* and others, fruit growers and gardeners, of the City and District of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Ellis*,—The Petition of the President, Officers and Executive Committee of the *New Brunswick Society* for the prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

By Mr. *Taylor*,—The Petition of *Joseph P. Redmond* and others, fruit growers and gardeners of the County of *Leeds*.

By Mr. *Brown*,—The Petition of *F. W. Fearman* and others, of the City of *Hamilton*.

By Mr. *McKay*,—The Petition of *William Hendrie* and others, of the City of *Hamilton*.

By Mr. *Labelle*,—The Petition of *W. R. Leach* and others, of the City of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Roome*,—The Petition of *Frederick Thomas W. Rouston* and others, of the City of *Hamilton*.

By Mr. *Tisdale*,—The Petition of *C. H. Luscombe* and others, of the County of *Norfolk*.

By Mr. *Small*,—The Petition of *Charles C. Small* and others; and the Petition of *J. Knox Leslie* and others, all of the City of *Toronto*.

By Mr. Curran,—The Petition of *R. W. Shepherd*, President, *Ottawa River Navigation Company*, and others, of the City of *Montreal*.

By Mr. Carpenter,—The Petition of Messieurs *J. and P. R. Howard* and others, of *Hagersville* and other places.

By Mr. Semple,—The Petition of *A. Groves* and others, of *Fergus* and other places.

By Mr. Riopel,—The Petition of *Alexander Ferguson*, Barrister, of the City of *Ottawa*.

By Mr. Carling,—The Petition of *B. W. Green* and others; and the Petition of Messieurs *Hunt Brothers* and others, all of the City of *London* and other places.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received:—

Of *David Plewes* and others, of *Brantford* and other places; of Messrs. *Bennett & Lockerbie* and others, of *Spencerville* and other places; of *R. S. Hodgins* and others, of *Lucan* and other places; of *S. A. Lazier* and others, of *Belleville*; of *Charles H. Lusk*, M. D., and others; of *E. A. Robertson* and others, of *Oakville* and other places; of *D. Chappell* and others, of *Trafalgar* and other places; of *Charles Krentziger* and others, of *Heidelberg* and other places; of *D. Clark* and others, of *Ayr*; of *T. S. Graham* and others, of *Bradford* and other places; of the *Todd Milling Company* and others, of *Galt* and other places; of *James Norris* and others, of *St. Catharines* and other places; of *John Douglas*, Warden, County of *Bruce*, and others, of *Tara* and other places; of *A. Ramage* and others, of *Chesley* and other places; of *J. A. Brown* and others, of *Souris*; of *W. M. Alexander* and others, of *Brandon* and other places; of *W. Stuart* and others, of *Mitchell*; of *Wilmot D. Matthews* and others, of *Toronto* and other places; of Messrs. *A. M. Ogilvie & Co.* and others, of *Montreal*; of Messrs. *William Snider & Co.* and others, of *Waterloo* and other places; of Messrs. *Neil McCahill & Co.* and others, of *Forest* and other places; of Messrs. *Wheeler Brothers* and others, of *Cataract* and other places; of Messrs. *Hay Brothers* and others, of *Listowell* and other places; of *James Wells* and others of *Orangeville* and other places; and of Messrs. *Archibald Fisher & Son*, and others, of *Paisley* and other places; severally praying the House to consider the advisability of making certain alterations in the present rates of Customs duties on wheat and flour.

Of *Robert Clarke* and others, of the County of *Carleton* and other places; of *Robert H. Preston*, M. D., M. P. P., and others, of *Newboro'* and other places; of the Board of Trade of the City of *Ottawa*; of *A. Lindsay* and others, of *Manotick*, County of *Carleton*; and of *George E. Kidd* and others, of *Burrill's Rapids*; severally pointing out the necessity which exists for enlarging and improving the *Rideau Canal*, so as to permit the passage of large vessels; and praying the House to consider the advisability of causing a careful examination and report to be made thereon.

Of the Council of the *Montreal Board of Trade*; and of the Board of Trade of the City of *Ottawa*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament to incorporate the *Ottawa and Montreal Boom Company*, may not become law.

Of *Joseph Pollard* and others, of the Town of *Mitchell*, County of *Perth*; of *Thomas Adams*, D. C. L., and others, of the village of *Lennoxville*, County of *Sherbrooke*; of *Lewis Schonfeldt* and others, of the village of *Hespeler*, County of *Waterloo*; of *James Hamer* and others, of the City of *Guelph*, County of *Wellington*; and of *George A. Proctor* and others, of the Town of *Sarnia*, County of *Lambton*; severally praying that a Bill now in contemplation, intituled: "An Act respecting Benevolent Societies," may, if introduced, become law.

Of *J. Kennedy* and others, of the Township of *Toronto*; and of *Amos Rittenhouse* and others, of the Township of *Dunn*, County of *Monck*; all fruit growers and gardeners of *Ontario*; severally praying the House to consider the advisability of imposing a duty on certain fruits, vegetables and nursery stock, when imported from the *United States*.

Of Messrs. *Peter Paint & Sons* and others, of *Port Hawkesbury*, *Nova Scotia*; praying for the passing of an Act to compel all coal owners of said Province to re-

ceive and supply, at their shipping places, all steamboats and sailing vessels (with the exception of bunker coal and mail boats) in the regular order of their arrival at port.

Of *James Worthington* and others; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the Dominion Mineral Company.

Of the Northern Pacific and *Manitoba* Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act, by the Parliament of *Canada*, incorporating them under the name aforesaid.

*Ordered*, That the Petition of *D. F. Burk* and others, presented this day, be now read.

And the said Petition was read and received; praying to be permitted to lay before the House their Petition for the passing of an Act incorporating them under the name of the *Ontario, Manitoba* and Western Railway Company, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting Petitions for Private Bills.

*Ordered*, That the said Petition be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

*Ordered*, That the Petition of *Alexander Ferguson*, Barrister, of the City of *Ottawa*, presented this day, be now read.

And the said Petition was read and received; praying to be permitted to lay before the House his Petition for the passing of an Act to incorporate a company to construct a railway from the City of *Three Rivers* westward to some point on the westerly boundary of the Province of *Quebec*, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting Petitions for Private Bills.

*Ordered*, That the said Petition be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

*Mr. Bergin*, from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, presented to the House the First Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

The Committee would respectfully recommend that their quorum be reduced to nine members.

The Committee beg leave also to submit the following Resolution:—

*Resolved* That the Senate having appointed nineteen Senators as its proportion of the Joint Committee on Printing, it is advisable to report the fact with a recommendation that the House of Commons appoint two additional Members to represent that body on the Committee.

On motion of *Mr. Cockburn*, seconded by *Mr. Hesson*,

*Ordered*, That that portion of the Fifth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders relating to a Petition of the *London* and Canadian Loan and Agency Company, be referred back to the Committee for further consideration.

*Ordered*. That *Mr. Amyot* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend "The Dominion Controverted Elections Act."

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read, for taking into further consideration the third reading of the Bill to incorporate the *Alberta* Railway and Coal Company,

And the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a third time;

*Mr. Watson* moved in amendment, seconded by *Mr. Trow*, That all the words after "now" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "re-committed to a Committee of the Whole House in order to insert a clause fixing the maximum rate on coal over the Company's lines," inserted instead thereof.

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS:

## Messieurs

<i>Amyot,</i>	<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin), and</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	<i>Yeo.—49.</i>
<i>Colter,</i>			

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

<i>Archibald (Sir Adams),</i>	<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Baird,</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Rosme,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut. Genl.),</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton)</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Chisholm,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox),</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'l'd), and</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>Wright.—97.</i>
<i>Curran,</i>			

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put;

*Ordered,* That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time

*Resolved,* That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered,* That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate and desire their concurrence.

A Bill respecting the *Kootenay and Athabasca Railway Company*, was, according to Order, read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the *Prescott County Railway Company*, and to change the name of the Company to "The Central Counties Railway Company;"

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the *St. Helen's Island Bridge Company*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the *Hamilton Central Railway Company*.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraphs Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the *Lake Nipissing and James' Bay Railway Company*, and to change the name of the Company to "The *Nipissing and James' Bay Railway Company*."

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate "The *Calgary, Alberta and Montana Railway Company*;"

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend the Act incorporating the *Ontario Mutual Life Assurance Company*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the *Ottawa, Morrisburg and New York Railway and Bridge Company*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the *Canada Congregational Foreign Missionary Society*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to revive and amend the Acts relating to the *Saint Gabriel Levee and Railway Company*.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend the Act incorporating the *Kingston, Smith's Falls and Ottawa Railway Company*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time ; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend the Act respecting Queen's College at *Kingston* ;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time ; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the *Pontiac* Pacific Junction Railway Company ;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time ; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate "The *Lac Seul* Railway Company ;"

The Bill was accordingly read a second time ; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate by their Clerk, as followeth :—

The Senate have passed a Bill intituled: "An Act respecting corrupt practices "in Municipal Affairs," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And, also, the Senate have passed a Bill intituled: "An Act to make further "provision respecting inquiries concerning Public Matters," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Mr. *Tupper*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate intituled: "An Act respecting corrupt practices in Municipal Affairs," be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time ; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Mr. *Tupper*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate intituled: "An Act to make further "provision respecting inquiries concerning Public Matters," be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time ; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Sir *John Thompson*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Copies of the several tenders sent in for supplies for the *Manitoba* Penitentiary during the fiscal year, 1887-88, with correspondence in relation thereto. (*Sessional Papers No. 12 A*).

On motion of Mr. *Lépine*, seconded by Mr. *Curran*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing:—

1st. In what ports of the Dominion the Government collect hospital dues on ships ?

2nd. What amount was collected in each of the said ports during last season ?

3rd. How many seamen were under treatment in each of the said ports during the season ? and

4th. How much the Government have paid to the hospitals of the several ports during last season ?

On motion of Mr. Colter, seconded by Mr. Trow,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing what sums of money have been paid by the Government to *W. A. Webster* during each of the financial years, 1887 and 1888, and since the 1st July, 1888, specifying the services for which he was paid.

On motion of Sir *Richard J. Cartwright*, seconded by Mr. *Gillmor*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing public buildings erected in various places throughout the Dominion from 1st July, 1867, to 1st January, 1889; giving date of first appropriation made for same, locality in which erected, and total cost to date of 1st January, 1889.

On motion of Mr. *Mills (Bothwell)*, seconded by Mr. *Wilson (Elgin)*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the date at which Mr. Speaker received the certificate of the Judge in each of the following cases,—in the Election trial of *Halton, Shelburne, Northumberland (East), Haldimand, Joliette, Cumberland and Kent*; the date of the Speaker's warrant, and the date of the writ for a new election.

On motion of Mr. *Bergin*, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence with the Department of Railways and Canals on the subject of the late break in the *Cornwall Canal*, and of all plans and suggestions by Civil Engineers and others for the prevention of the recurrence of such break, and the report of *John Page*, the Chief Engineer of Canals, thereon.

On motion of Mr. *Langelier (Montmorency)*, seconded by Mr. *Lovitt*,

*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 between the Governments of *Ontario* and *Quebec*, or any of the Members of the said Governments, respecting the northern boundaries of the said two Provinces.

*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. *Langelier (Montmorency)*, seconded by Mr. *Lovitt*,

*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 Orders in Council, correspondence and other documents respecting the disallowance of Acts passed by the Province of *Quebec* in 1887.

*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. *Langelier (Montmorency)*, seconded by Mr. *Lovitt*,

*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 Orders in Council, correspondence and other documents respecting the disallowance of the Act respecting the Bar of the Province of *Quebec*, passed in 1886; in which Act the *Batonnier Général* was granted precedence over all other lawyers.

*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. *Langelier (Montmorency)*, seconded by Mr. *Lovitt*.

*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

Orders in Council, correspondence and other documents respecting beach lots in the Province of *Quebec*.

*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. *Langelier (Montmorency)*, seconded by Mr. *Lovitt*,

*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 Orders in Council, correspondence and other documents in relation to the disallowance of the Act respecting magistrates.

*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. *Langelier (Montmorency)*, seconded by Mr. *Lovitt*,

*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 Orders in Council, correspondence and other documents in relation to the disallowance of the Act for the conversion of the debt.

*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. *Casey*, seconded by Mr. *Weldon (St. John)*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a return of Customs Buildings in cities and towns of less than 20,000 population, built, or now under construction, at the public expense; showing date of construction, cost to date, revenue derived during the last financial year, and population of city or town in each case.

On motion of Mr. *Davin*, seconded by Mr. *Amyot*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of the number of deserters from the *North-West Mounted Police* for the ten years ended the 31st December, 1888; the number of the whole force in each of the years from 31st December, 1878, to 31st December, 1888. The number of recruiting parties sent out in each of the years of the ten ended on the 31st December, 1888, and the cost of the same.

On motion of Mr. *McMullen*, seconded by Mr. *Trow*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the amount of money paid on account of work performed or material furnished for opening or improving public roads or streets in the City of *Ottawa*, from the 1st of July, 1888, to the 1st of January, 1889; the names of the party or parties to whom paid, for what paid, and the amount; the name or names of all parties in charge as inspectors or superintendents, and the amount per day or month paid to them.

On motion of Mr. *Charlton*, seconded by Mr. *Welsh*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the total amount of expense incurred and moneys paid up to 1st January, 1889, on account of the preparation, publication and completion:

1. Of the various lists under the Dominion Franchise Act upon which the last General Election was held; and stating—

- (a) The total amount paid for printing;
- (b) The total amount paid to Revising Barristers;
- (c) The total amount paid to Revising Barristers, Clerks and Bailiffs;
- (d) The total amount paid for all other expenses in connection with preparation, publication and completion of the said lists;
- (e) Whether any claims against the Government in connection with the preparation of the lists are yet unsettled.

2. Showing the expense incurred up to 1st February, 1889, in connection with the preparation of the second Voters' List under the Dominion Franchise Act, and stating—

- (a.) The total cost of type used, or to be used, in setting up the lists;
- (b.) The amount paid for composition in setting up the lists;
- (c.) The cost of paper and presswork in preparation of the lists;
- (d.) The cost or rental of plant used in connection with the preparation of said lists up to the above date;
- (e.) Amount of all other expenses incurred in connection with the preparation of the said lists up to 1st February, 1889.

On motion of Mr. *Turcot*, seconded by Mr. *Geoffrion*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence respecting the awarding of the contract for carrying the mail between Bécancour Station and Ste Julie de Somerset, and between Inverness and Ste. Julie de Somerset, awarded in or about the month of April, 1888; also, of all tenders connected therewith.

On motion of Mr. *Brien*, seconded by Mr. *Bowman*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing:—

1. The number of immigrants that have arrived at the several ports of entry in Canada each year, from 1st July, 1867, to 1st January, 1889, distinguishing their several occupations, with the number in each.
2. The number reported as having settled in Canada, and number that went to the United States, in each year.
3. The number received at the several immigration offices in each year during same period.
4. The amount of money expended annually for immigration purposes.

On motion of Mr. *Colter*, seconded by Mr. *Bourassa*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of all evidence, papers and correspondence relating to the liability of the Government to construct, or to aid in constructing, a bridge across the Grand River, at the Village of York, in the County of Haldimand.

On motion of Mr. *Weldon* (St. John), seconded by Mr. *Mills* (Bothwell),

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of amount of export duty collected or paid on sawlogs and other lumber in the year 1888, specifying at what Custom house such duty was paid, and the respective amounts paid at each Custom house.

On motion of Mr. *Weldon* (St. John), seconded by Mr. *Mills* (Bothwell),

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of the report of Henry F. Perley, Esq., upon the harbour of St. John, N. B., and the improvements recommended by him.

On motion of Mr. *Charlton*, seconded by Mr. *Welsh*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the amount of duty collected upon baskets and boxes containing fruits admitted free of duty since May 1st, 1888.

On motion of Mr. *Bergeron*, seconded by Mr. *Amyot*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of report of Engineer Crawford in 1877-78 and all subsequent reports made on the Beauharnois Canal; also, reports of Engineers made on the North Shore of the St. Lawrence between Lakes St. Francis and St. Louis. Also, resolutions, letters, &c., of Boards of Trade, Corporations, and even from individuals, regarding such works:

On motion of Mr. *Fiset*, seconded by Mr. *Bourassa*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence, reports, &c., between the officials of the Intercolonial Railway and Mr. *Louis Fortin*, of *St. Octave de Métis*, in relation to the killing of a horse by the cars in October, 1888.

On motion of Mr. *Rykert*, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence with the Department of Railways and Canals in connection with the opening of the Canals of the Dominion for Sunday traffic; also, a statement of the number of steam-boats and vessels passing through the several Canals between the date of the order permitting the same and the close of navigation in the year 1888; also, copies of all instructions to the Superintendents of the several Canals.

On motion of Mr. *Rykert*, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all reports of the Engineers and other officers employed by the Department of Railways and Canals on the subject of water power in the new *Welland Canal*.

On motion of Mr. *McMullen*, seconded by Mr. *Trow*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of the several tenders and all papers, letters and contracts for the construction of the *Sault Ste. Marie Canal*.

On motion of Mr. *Colter*, seconded by Mr. *McMullen*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of all sales made of Indian Lands on the west side of the *Grand River*, in the Village of *Cayuga*, in the County of *Haldimand*; copies of all instructions given to the valutors of said lands, the reports of said valutors, and all correspondence and papers relating thereto.

Mr. *Fiset* moved, seconded by Mr. *Ste. Marie*, and the Question being proposed, That there be laid before this House, a copy of the report of enquiry and correspondence between the Government and Mr. *Noël Fortin*, of the Parish of *St. Fabien*, respecting an accident which happened to him on the Intercolonial Railway in April, 1887;

And a Debate arising thereupon:—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Mr. *Amyot* moved, seconded by Mr. *Gigault*, and the Question being proposed, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying His Excellency to cause to be laid before this House:—

1st. Copies of all official correspondence between the Government and the Commanding Officers of the 9th Battalion, "*Voltigeurs de Quebec*," during the *North-West Campaign* of 1885, and respecting the same.

2nd. Copies of the various reports furnished to the Government and the Military Authorities by General *Strange*, respecting the part he took in the *North-West Campaign* of 1885; as well as those respecting the dividing up of the force under his command.

3rd. Copies of the report furnished to General *Strange* by the Commandant of the 9th Battalion, V. Q., respecting the operations carried out by the said 9th Battalion during the said campaign;

And a Debate arising thereupon:—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Tuesday, 26th February, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Rykert*,—The Petition of *Thomas J. Farmer* and others, of the Township of *Grantham*; the Petition of *J. C. Buckbee* and others, of the Township of *Louth*; the Petition of *D. Henderson* and others; the Petition of *William Sharpe* and others; the Petition of *W. E. Babcock* and others, all of the County of *Halton*; and the Petition of *John Lambell* and others, of the Village of *Port Dalhousie*, all fruit-growers and gardeners of *Ontario*.

By Mr. *Hall*,—The Petition of *W. R. Ward* and others; and the Petition of *Luc de Mitchell* and others, of *Sherbrooke* and other places.

By Mr. *Kirkpatrick*,—The Petition of *John W. Bell*; the Petition of *R. Carson* and others, merchants of the City of *Kingston*; and the Petition of *Thomas J. Jones* and others, of *Brewer's Mills* and other places.

By Mr. *Corby*,—The Petition of *Henry Tammy* and others.

By Mr. *Ward*,—The Petition of *George Needler*, of *Millbrook*; and the Petition of *R. A. Powers* and others, of the Township of *Hope* and other places.

By Mr. *Tyrwhitt*,—The Petition of *J. S. Boddy* and others.

By Mr. *Prior*,—The Petition of *John Irving* and others, of *British Columbia*.

By Mr. *Daly*,—The Petition of Messieurs *D. H. McMillan* and Company and others, of *Winnipeg* and other places.

By Mr. *Kobillard*,—The Petition of Messieurs *D. Murphy* and Company and others; and the Petition of Messieurs *H. N. Bate* and Sons, and others, of the City of *Ottawa*.

By Mr. *Small*,—The Petition of *J. Stewart Tupper*, barrister, of the City of *Winnipeg*; the Petition of Messieurs *James Dickson* and Company and others; the Petition of the Board of Trade, all of the City of *Toronto*; and the Petition of *Abner Fraser* and others, merchants of the City of *Hamilton*.

By Mr. *Davin*,—The Petition of *John Drinnan* and others, of *Medicine Hat*; and the Petition of *Charles Holden* and others, of *Regina, North-West Territories*.

By Mr. *Flynn*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Richmond*, and the Petition of Captain *D. Sampson* and others, of the County of *Richmond, Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. *Madill*,—The Petition of *Malcolm McArthur* and others, of the Village of *Beaverton*, County of *Ontario*.

By Mr. *Curran*,—The Petition of Messieurs *T. S. Vipond* and Son and others, of the City of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *McCarthy*,—The Petition of *George Vick* and others, of *Orillia* and other places; and the Petition of *C. Macdonell* and others, of *Coalingwood* and other places.

By Mr. *Sutherland*,—The Petition of *D. B. Ross* and others, of the Village of *Embros* and vicinity; and the Petition of *George Harwood* and others, of the Town of *Woodstock*, County of *Oxford*.

By Mr. *Wood (Brockville)*,—The Petition of Messieurs *J. Gilmour* and Company and others, merchants, of *Brockville*.

By Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,—The Petition of Messieurs *J. B. Renaud* and Company and others, of the City of *Quebec* and other places.

By Mr. *Foster*,—The Petition of *W. A. Erle* and others, of *Apohaqui*, County of *King's, N. B.*

By Sir *John A. Macdonald*,—The Petition of Messieurs *George M. Williamson* and Son and others, of the City of *Kingston*.

By Mr. *Macdowall*,—The Petition of *D. F. Burk* and others, of the Town of *Port Arthur, Ontario*.

*Ordered*, That the 51st Rule of this House be suspended in so far as it relates to the Petition of the *Winnipeg* and *North Pacific Railway Company*, in accordance with the recommendation of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, from the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, presented to the House the Second Report of the said Committee, which was read as followeth:—

Your Committee have had under consideration the following Bills and have agreed to report the same with Amendments, viz:—

Bill to incorporate the *Assiniboia, Edmonton and Unjiga Railway Company*.

Bill respecting the *New Brunswick and Prince Edward Railway Company*,—and to change the name of the Company to “The *New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island Railway Company*.”

Bill to incorporate the *Red Deer Valley Railway and Coal Company*;—and

Bill respecting the *Niagara Grand Island Bridge Company*.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)*, from the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders presented to the House the Sixth Report of the said Committee, which was read as followeth:—

Your Committee have examined the Notices given on the following Petitions and find them sufficient, viz:—

Of the *North-West Junction and Lake of the Woods Railway Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; and of the *Northern Pacific and Manitoba Railway Company*, for an Act of Incorporation.

On the Petitions of the *Supreme Court of the Independent Order of Foresters*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *Corporation of the City of Toronto*, for an Act to compel telegraph, telephone and electric light companies to put their wires underground; and of the *Union Railway Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; your Committee find that the notices, though published in the requisite number of papers, are more or less short in point of time, but, as they will have nearly matured before the Bills are considered in Committee, it is recommended that they be deemed sufficient.

In obedience to the Order of the House of yesterday, referring back for further consideration that portion of the Fifth Report of the Committee which has reference to the Petition of the *London and Canadian Loan and Agency Company (Limited)*, your Committee have again had the said Petition under consideration, and, while they still hold to the opinion that notices so worded are not in accordance with the requirements of the Rule, nevertheless, as the promoters have submitted further evidence to satisfy your Committee, that in this particular instance, no rights or interests are likely to be injuriously affected by the want of a specific notice, they recommend that the notice given be deemed sufficient.

Your Committee have also examined the Petitions of the *Three Rivers and Western Railway Company*, and of the *Ontario, Manitoba and Western Railway Company*; severally praying for leave to present a Petition for an Act of Incorporation; notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting Petitions for Private Bills; and the reasons assigned by each for not presenting the Petition within the time limited, are such as to justify your Committee in recommending that the necessary leave be granted in each case.

Your Committee have also examined the Petitions of the *Canada Superphosphate Company* and the *Dominion Mineral Company*; severally praying for an Act of Incorporation; and find that no notices were published in either case, but, as the proposed measures, should they become law, would not interfere with any existing rights, but would rather tend to open up and develop the section of country in which their proposed operations would take effect, your Committee recommend that the 51st Rule be suspended in each case.

On the Petition of the Bay of Quinté Bridge Company, for an Act to amend their Act of Incorporation, your Committee find that no notices have been published, but, as the amendments asked for have been rendered necessary on account of some ambiguity of expression in the Act of Incorporation, your Committee are of the opinion that this application is not of a nature to require the publication of the usual notices.

Your Committee have also examined the Petition of the *Winnipeg* and North Pacific Railway Company, for an Act to extend the time for the commencement and completion of their Railway, and find that no notice was published in the District of *Saskatchewan* or in the Province of *British Columbia*, through both of which their charter authorizes the company to construct their railway, nor was notice published in French in the Province of *Manitoba*, but, as notice was published in English in the City of *Winnipeg* for the full time required, and as no interests are likely to be affected by the measure, your Committee recommend that the 51st Rule be suspended in this case.

Mr. *Bergin*, from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, presented to the House the Second Report of the said Committee, which was read as followeth :—

The Committee carefully examined the following documents, and recommend that they be printed, viz :—

19. Report of the Joint Librarians on the state of the Library of Parliament, for the year 1888. (*Sessional Papers only*.)

27. Statement of all Superannuations and retiring allowances in the Civil Service, giving the name and rank of each person superannuated or retired, his salary, age and length of service, his allowance and cause of retirement, whether vacancy has been filled by promotion or new appointment, &c., for year ended 31st December, 1888. (*Sessional Papers only*.)

40. Return to an Order of the House of the 8th instant, for a Return showing amounts received on account of loan recently negotiated, together with a statement of the sums (forming portion of the same) placed on deposit with Canadian or other banks since the 20th day of June, 1888, and the rate of interest agreed to be paid on the same. (*For distribution only*.)

The Committee would also recommend that the following documents be not printed, viz :—

22a. Return to an Order of the House of the 9th April, 1888, for copies of all papers, documents, telegrams and correspondence in connection with the land grant to the *Souris* and *Rocky Mountain* Railway Company, or relating to the construction of said Railway.

22b. Return to an Order of the House of the 9th April, 1888, for copies of all papers, documents, telegrams and correspondence in connection with the land grant to the *North-West Central* Railway Company, or relating to the construction of the said Railway.

22c. Return to an Order of the House of the 9th April, 1888, for copies of all papers, documents, telegrams and correspondence as to the incorporation of the *Great North-West Central* Railway Company, or relating to any land grant thereto, or to the construction of the line of the said Railway or any part thereof.

23. Return to an Order of the House of the 16th April, 1888, for a Return of all correspondence, petitions, reports of engineers and others, regarding the construction of a harbour of refuge at *Wellington, Lake Ontario*.

24. Return to an Order of the House of the 16th April, 1888, for a Return of all tenders received by the Government for the supply of coal during the past calendar year, the names of successful tenderers, and the rate per ton in all contracts for coal entered into by the Government during the same period.

25. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 30th April, 1888, for copies of all correspondence, Orders in Council, reports, papers and documents touching the seizure made on *F. O. Vallerand*, at *Quebec*.

25a. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 30th April, 1888, for copies of all correspondence, Orders in Council, papers and documents respecting the seizure of diamonds and other precious stones effected at Quebec on one *David Levi*, and the cancelling of the said seizure.

26. Statement of Governor General's Warrants issued and expenditure made under same, since last Session of Parliament, in accordance with Consolidated Revenue and Audit Act, Section 32, Sub-Section 2.

28. Statement of Expenditure under authority of 51 *Vic.*, Cap. 1, on account of Miscellaneous Unforeseen Expenses from 1st July, 1888, to 31st January, 1889.

29. Report of the Commissioner, Dominion Police, under Revised Statutes of *Canada*, Chapter 184, Section 5.

31. List of Public Officers to whom Commissions have issued under the provisions of Chapter 19 of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, during the year 1888.

32. Return to an Order of the House of the 6th instant, for a Return of the Receipts and Expenditures, in detail, chargeable to the Consolidated Fund, from the 1st day of July, 1888, to 1st February, 1889, with comparative statement of the same from 1st July, 1887, to 1st February, 1888.

33. Return to an Order of the House of the 6th instant, for copies of all papers and documents furnished the Government by the Board of Examiners in connection with the recent examination of candidates for the office of Hide and Leather Inspector in the City of *Montreal*.

34. Copy of Order in Council making certain Regulations under the provisions of Chapter 121 of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, respecting Government Savings Banks.

35. Detailed Statement of all Bonds or Securities registered in the Department of the Secretary of State of *Canada*, submitted to the Parliament of *Canada* under Section 23, Chapter 19, of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*.

37. Return to an Order of the House of the 8th instant, for a Return showing:—  
1st. The full amount of legal and other expenses paid in connection with the suit, "*The St. Catharines Milling and Lumbering Company vs. the Queen*," from the commencement of the suit up to the 1st January, 1889.

2nd. The party or parties to whom paid, the amounts paid, and date of payment.

38. Return to an Order of the House of the 6th instant, for a Return, in the form used in the statements usually published in the *Gazette*, of the Exports and Imports from the 1st day of July, 1888, to the 1st day of January, 1889, distinguishing the products of *Canada* and those of other countries, with comparative statement of the same from 1st July, 1887, to 1st January, 1888.

39. Return to an Order of the House of the 8th instant, for a Return showing the quantity of wheat and flour imported into the Dominion of *Canada* from the *United States*, and entered for consumption, during the six months ending 31st December, 1888; also, the quantity of flour remaining in bond in *Canada* on the 31st December, 1888.

On motion of Mr. *Rykert*, seconded by Mr. *Wood (Brockville)*,

*Ordered*, That the Select Standing Committee on Public Accounts have leave to employ a shorthand writer to take down such evidence in connection with Militia expenditure as the Committee may deem necessary.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *La Rivière* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the North-Western Junction and Lake of the Woods Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That the Petition of *D. F. Burk* and others, of the Town of *Port Arthur, Ontario*, presented this day, be now read.

And the said Petition was read and received; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the *Ontario, Manitoba and Western Railway Company*.

On motion of Mr. *Bergin*, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*,  
*Resolved*, That this House doth concur in the First Report of the Joint Committee  
of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Jamieson* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the  
Supreme Court of the Independent Order of Foresters.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received  
and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Corby* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the Bay of  
*Quinté* Bridge Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received  
and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Daly* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the incorpora-  
tion of the Northern Pacific and *Manitoba* Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received  
and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Cockburn* have leave to bring in a Bill to further amend the  
Act incorporating the *London* and Canadian Loan and Agency Company (Limited).

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received  
and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Small* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the Wires of  
Telephone, Telegraph and Electric Light Companies in the City of *Toronto*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received  
and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *White (Benfrew)* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate  
the Union Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received  
and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That the 51st Rule of this House be suspended in so far as it affects the  
Petition of *Jam's Worthington* and others, respecting the Dominion Mineral Com-  
pany, in accordance with the recommendation of the Select Standing Committee on  
Standing Orders.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Kirkpatrick* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the  
the Dominion Mineral Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received  
and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That the 51st Rule of this House be suspended in so far as it affects  
the Petition of *William Abbott* and others, respecting the Canada Superphosphate  
Company, in accordance with the recommendation of the Select Standing Committee  
on Standing Orders.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Kirkpatrick* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the  
Canadian Superphosphate Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received  
and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That the Petition of *J. Stewart Tupper*, Barrister, of the City of *Winnipeg*, presented this day be now read.

And the said Petition was read and received; praying to be permitted to lay before the House, a Petition for the passing of an Act to incorporate a Company to construct a Railway from *Moose Jaw* to *Edmonton*, *via Battleford*, with a branch to *Prince Albert*, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting Petitions for Private Bills.

*Ordered*, That the said Petition be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

*Ordered*, That the Petition of *John W. Bell*, presented this day, be now read.

And the said Petition was read and received; praying to be permitted to lay before the House, a Petition for the passing of an Act to confirm a certain agreement made between the *Napanee, Tamworth and Quebec* Railway Company, the *Kingston and Pembroke* Railway Company, and the Corporation of the City of *Kingston*, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting Petitions for Private Bills.

*Ordered*, That the said Petition be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

*Sir John A. Macdonald*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, delivered to Mr. Speaker, a Message from His Excellency the Governor General, signed by His Excellency.

And the said Message was read by Mr. Speaker (all the Members of the House standing and being uncovered) and is as followeth:—

STANLEY OF PRESTON.

*Gentlemen of the House of Commons* :

I acknowledge with thanks the Address you have loyally adopted in answer to the Speech with which I opened the Session.

I receive with satisfaction your assurance that the important measures submitted to you will receive your careful and full consideration.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

Ottawa, 21st February, 1889.

*Sir John A. Macdonald*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, also presented—Return to an Order of this House, dated 6th February, 1889,—for copies of all petitions, reports and other documents in relation to the granting of subsidies by the Dominion Government, to the proposed line of railway from *Montreal* to *Levis*, known as the Great Eastern. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 22d.)

The Order of the Day being read, for the House again in the Committee of Supply;

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, and the question being proposed That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

Mr. *Laurier* moved in amendment, seconded by *Sir Richard J. Cartwright*, That all the words after "That" to the end of the question be left out, and the words "in view of the rejection by the Senate of the United States of the Washington Treaty of 1888, and the unfortunate and regrettable differences existing between Canada and the United States on the Fishery and Trade questions, this House is of opinion that steps should be taken, at an early day, by the Government of Canada, for the satisfactory adjustment of such differences, and the securing of unrestricted freedom in the trade relations of the two countries, and that, in any negotiations entered upon for such purposes, Canada should be directly represented by some one nominated by its Government.

“That, in the meantime, and to permit of such negotiations being favorably entered on, and to afford evidence of the anxious desire of *Canada* to promote good feeling and to remove all possible subjects of controversy, this House is of opinion that the *Modus Vivendi* proposed on behalf of the British Government to the Government of the *United States* with respect to the Fisheries should be continued in operation during the ensuing fishing season,” inserted instead thereof;

And a debate arising thereupon;

On motion of Mr. *Macdonald (Huron)*, seconded by Mr. *Trow*,  
Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Wednesday, 27th February, 1889.

#### PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Perley*,—The Petition of *Frederick Gundry*, Manager, Bank of *Montreal*, and others; the Petition of *R. W. Powell*, M. D. and others; and the Petition of *Grace Vernon Ritchie*, President and others, of the Managing Committee of the Women's Humane Society, all of the City of *Ottawa*.

By Mr. *Cockburn*,—The Petition of *J. K. Macdonald* and others, of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Wilson (Argenteuil)*,—The Petition of *Thomas W. Boyd* and others, of the City of *Montreal*; and the Petition of *John Wade* and others.

By Mr. *Robillard*,—The Petition of *F. H. Heath* and others, of the City of *Ottawa*.

By Mr. *Gillmor*,—The Petition of *W. Thomson* and others of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Madill*,—The Petition of *James H. Pearce* and others, of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Macdowall*,—The Petition of *J. H. McKinnon* and others, of *Toronto*; and the Petition of *J. T. Simpson* and others.

By Mr. *Jones (Digby)*,—The Petition of *John Daley* and others.

By Mr. *Small*,—The Petition of *Andrew Darling* and others, of *Toronto*; and the Petition of the Corporation of the City of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Kirk*,—The Petition of *John McMillan* and others, sea captains, master-mariners and others interested in coasting vessels; and the Petition of *C. E. Cuffe* and others of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Demson*,—The Petition of *William Logan* and others, of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Scmerville*,—The Petition of *D. S. Aldridge* and others, of the Village of *Plattsville*, County of *Brant*.

By Mr. *Brown*,—The Petition of *Emma Loewen* and others, of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Roome*,—The Petition of *C. C. Robb* and others, of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Stevenson*,—The Petition of *Thomas Wilson* and others, of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Marshall*,—The Petition of *T. G. Davey* and others, of *London, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Skinner*,—The Petition of *Florence Merritt* and others, of *Toronto*; and the Petition of *J. E. Fortune* and others, of the County of *Richmond, Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. *Hesson*,—The Petition of *Ernest E. Arge* and others, of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Boyle*,—The Petition of *W. Little* and others; the Petition of *James Hoosowner* and others, fruit growers and gardeners of the vicinity of *Burford*; and

the Petition of *H. W. Darling* and others, fruit growers and gardeners of the City and District of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Landry*.—The Petition of *Charles N. Skinner*, M.P., of the City of *St. John, New Brunswick*.

By Mr. *Carpenter*.—The Petition of *Hugh Crawford* and others, of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Bergeron*.—The Petition of *Stewart Lyon* and others, of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Flynn*.—The Petition of Captain *Amy A. Terrio* and others, of the County of *Richmond, Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. *Daly*.—The Petition of *R. J. Montgomery* and others of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Carling*.—Six Petitions of the Trades and Labour Council; the Petition of *Alexander Aikman* and others; the Petition of *C. S. Smallman* and others; and the Petition of *W. L. Dundas* and others, all of the City of *London, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Kirkpatrick*.—The Petition of the *Napanee, Tamworth and Quebec Railway Company*; and the Petition of the *Kingston and Pembroke Railway Company*.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received:—

Of *Charles R. Hunt* and others; of *William Hendrie* and others; and of *F. T. W. Rouston* and others, all of the City of *Hamilton*; of *Charles C. Small* and others; and of *J. K. & Leslie* and others, all of the City of *Toronto*; of *G. H. Luscombe* and others, of the County of *Norfolk*, all of *Ontario*; and of *W. P. Leach* and others, of the City of *Montreal*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, respecting the prevention of Cruelty to Animals, may not become law in its present shape.

Of *George Field* and others, of the Townships of *Goodwood* and *Uxbridge*; of *D. H. Russell* and others, of the Township of *Reach* and other places, all of the County of *Ontario*; of *Richard Guthrey* and others, of the City of *Toronto*; of *Joseph I. Redmond* and others, of the County of *Leeds*, all of *Ontario*; and of *Louis Beaulieu* and others, of the City and District of *Montreal*, all fruit growers and gardeners; severally praying the House to consider the advisability of imposing a duty on fruits, vegetables and nursery stock, when imported from the *United States*.

Of the President, Officers and Executive Committee of the *New Brunswick Society* for the prevention of Cruelty to Animals; and of *F. W. Fearman* and others, of the City of *Hamilton, Ontario*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, respecting the prevention of Cruelty to Animals, may become law.

Of *R. W. Shepherd*, President, *Ottawa River Navigation Company* and others, of the City of *Montreal*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, to incorporate the *Ottawa and Montreal Boom Company*, may not become law.

Of Messrs. *J. & P. R. Howard* and others, of *Hagersville* and other places; of *A. Groves* and others, of *Fergus* and other places; and of Messrs. *Hunt Bros.* and others, of *London* and other places, all of *Ontario*; severally praying the House to consider the advisability of making certain alterations in the present rates of Customs duties on wheat and flour.

Of *R. W. Greer* and others, of the City of *London*; praying that a Bill now in contemplation, intitled: "An Act respecting Benevolent Societies," may, if introduced, become law. ]

Mr. *Hall*, from the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, presented to the House the First Report of the said Committee, which was read as followeth:—

Your Committee have had under consideration the following Bills and have agreed to report the same with Amendments, viz:—

Bill to incorporate The Dominion Life Assurance Company;—and

Bill to amend the Act incorporating "The Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company of Canada."

Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) from the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented to the House the Seventh Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth :—

Your Committee have considered the Petitions of *J. Stewart Tupper*, barrister, on behalf of the *Moose Jaw, Edmonton and Battleford Railway Company*, and of *John W. Bell*, on behalf of the *Napanee, Tamworth and Quebec*, and the *Kingston and Pembroke Railway Companies*, severally asking for leave to present a Petition for a Private Bill, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting such Petitions, and the reasons assigned justify your Committee in recommending that the necessary leave be granted in each case.

Your Committee have examined the notices given on the Petition of the *Ontario, Manitoba and Western Railway Company* for an Act of Incorporation, and find them sufficient in point of time, but, as no notices were published west of *Winnipeg*, your Committee recommend that they be deemed sufficient only for a railway between *Port Arthur and Winnipeg*.

On motion of Mr. *Bergin*, seconded by Mr. *Moncrieff*,  
Resolved, That this House doth concur in the Second Report of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament.

Ordered, That the Petition of *J. T. Simpson* and others, presented this day, be now read.

And the said Petition was read and received; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the *Moose Jaw, Battleford and Edmonton Railway Company*.

Ordered, That the Petition of the *Napanee, Tamworth and Quebec Railway Company*, presented this day, be now read.

And the said Petition was read and received; praying for the passing of an Act to confirm and legalize a certain agreement entered into between said Company and the *Kingston and Pembroke Railway Company* and the Corporation of the City of *Kingston*.

Ordered, That the Petition of the *Kingston and Pembroke Railway Company*, presented this day, be now read.

And the said Petition was read and received, praying for the passing of an Act to confirm and legalize a certain agreement entered into between said Company and the *Napanee, Tamworth and Quebec Railway Company*.

Ordered, That the Petition of *Charles N. Skinner*, M.P., of the City of *St. John, New Brunswick*, presented this day, be now read.

And the said Petition was read and received; praying to be permitted to lay before the House a Petition for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The *Prince Edward Island and Continental Railway and Ferry Company*," notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting Petitions for Private Bills.

Ordered, That the said Petition be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

Mr. *Dewdney*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Annual Report of the Department of the Interior, for the year 1888. (*Sessional Papers, No. 15.*)

Ordered, That Mr. *Bergin* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the *Winnipeg and North Pacific Railway Company*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Friday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Macdowall* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the Ontario, Manitoba and Western Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Friday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Weldon* (*Albert*) have leave to bring in a Bill to extend the provisions of the Extradition Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

On motion of Mr. *Bowell*, seconded by Mr. *Foster*,

*Ordered*, That Messieurs *Hickey* and *Ellis* be added to the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, and to act as Members, on the part of this House, of the said Joint Committee.

*Resolved*, That a Message be sent to the Senate communicating to their Honours the foregoing order.

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

Mr. *Bowell*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Annual Report of the Department of Public Printing and Stationery for the Dominion of Canada, for the year ending 30th June, 1888. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 6c.)

Sir *John A. Macdonald*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—List of the Shareholders in the Chartered Banks of the Dominion of Canada as on the 31st December, 1888, in conformity with the Act of the Parliament of Canada, 46 Victoria, Chapter 20, Section 2. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 18.)

Mr. *Davin* moved, seconded by Mr. *Macdowall*, and the Question being proposed, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying His Excellency to cause to be laid before this House, all memorials addressed to the Government by the Legislative Assembly of the North-West Territories which recently sat at Regina;

And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Six o'Clock, P.M., Mr. Speaker left the Chair, to resume the same at half-past Seven o'Clock, P.M.

Half-past Seven o'Clock, P. M.

Private Bills under Rule 19.

The House according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the Assiniboua, Edmonton and Unjigu Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Scriver* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the New Brunswick and Prince Edward Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to "The New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island Railway Company," and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the

Chair, and Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Red Deer Valley Railway and Coal Company*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Brown* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the *Niagara Grand Island Bridge Company*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Tisdale* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to consolidate the borrowing powers of the *Ontario Loan and Debenture Company* and to authorize them to issue Debenture Stock;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the *Cobourg, Northumberland and Pacific Railway Company*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the *Berlin and Canadian Pacific Junction Railway Company*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the *South Ontario Pacific Railway Company*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

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The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting Steam Vessels to be used in connection with the Canadian Pacific Railway;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate "The *Manitoba* and South Eastern Railway Company;"

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the *Lake Manitoba* Railway and Canal Company;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to enable the City of *Winnipeg* to utilize the *Assiniboine River* water power;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the *St. Lawrence* and Atlantic Junction Railway Company;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the Atlantic and *North-West* Railway Company;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraphs Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the *Assiniboine* Water Power Company;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the Canadian Pacific Railway Company;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to make further provision as to the prevention of Cruelty to Animals, and to amend chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, intituled: "An Act respecting Cruelty to Animals," and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend the Railway Act;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Bill to provide against frauds in the supplying of milk to cheese and butter manufactories and Bill to require the owners of elevators and hoists to guard against accidents.

On motion of Mr. *Mills* (*Bothwell*), seconded by Mr. *Weldon* (*St. John*),  
Ordered, That Mr. *Cook* be added to the Select Committee on the foregoing Bills.

Mr. *Ellis* moved, seconded by Mr. *McMullen*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill to authorize the assessment of the salaries or incomes of persons in the service of *Canada*, be now read a second time;

And objection having been taken by the honourable member for *Lincoln* to the Bill on the ground that any measure imposing a burden on the people or any class thereof, should originate in Committee of the Whole, and could only constitutionally emanate from the Government;

Mr. Speaker decided:—That the objections were well taken, and the Bill could not proceed further.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Thursday, 28th February, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *McGreevy*.—The Petition of Messieurs *A. Joseph & Sons* and others, merchants, of the City of *Quebec*.

By Mr. *Ferguson* (*Leeds and Grenville*).—The Petition of *D. Ryndman* and others, of *Kemptville* and other places; the Petition of *D. A. Ferguson* and others, of *Smith's Falls* and other places; the Petition of *C. Richards* and others, of *Jasper* and other places; and the Petition of *Hiram Easton* and others, of *Merrickville* and other places.

By Mr. *McCarthy*.—The Petition of *G. W. Stott* and others.

By Mr. *Curran*.—The Petition of *E. O. Champagne* and others, of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Cockburn*.—The Petition of the Council of the Board of Trade of the City of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *La Rivière*.—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the Town of *St. Boniface, Manitoba*.

By Mr. *Hesson*.—The Petition of Messieurs *Lightbound, Ralston* and Company, and others, merchants, of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Wallace*.—The Petition of *J. P. Rupert* and others, of the Village of *Maple, County of York, Ontario*.

By Sir *John A. Macdonald*.—The Petition of *Thomas Hanley* and others, of the City of *Kingston, Ontario*.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received:—

Of *Thomas J. Farmer* and others, of the Township of *Grantham*; of *J. C. Bickbee* and others, of the Township of *Louth*; and of *John Lambell* and others, of the Village of *Port Dalhousie*, all of the County of *Lincoln*; of *William Sharpe* and others; of *W. E. Babcock* and others; and of *D. Henderson* and others, of the County of *Halton*, all fruit growers and gardeners of *Ontario*; severally praying the House to consider the advisability of imposing a duty on certain fruits, vegetables and nursery stock, when imported from the *United States*.

Of *W. B. Ward* and others; of *Luc de Mitchell* and others, all of *Sherbrooke*; and other places, *Quebec*; of *George Needler*, of *Millbrook*; of *R. A. Powers* and others.

of the Township of *Hope* and other places, County of *Durham*; of *George Vick* and others, of *Orillia* and other places; and of *C. Macdonell* and others, of *Collingwood* and other places, County of *Simcoe*, all of *Ontario*; and of Messrs. *D. H. McMillan & Co.* and others, of the City of *Winnipeg*, *Manitoba*, and other places; severally praying the House to consider the advisability of making certain alterations in the present rate of Customs duties on wheat and flour.

Of *R. Carson*, merchant, and others, of the City of *Kingston*; of Messrs. *H. N. Bate & Sons* and others, merchants, of the City of *Ottawa*; of Messrs. *James Dickson & Co.* and others, merchants, of the City of *Toronto*; of *Abner Fraser* and others, merchants, of the City of *Hamilton*; of Messrs. *J. Gilmour & Co.* and others, merchants, of *Brockville*; of Messrs. *T. S. Vipond & Son* and others, merchants, of the City of *Montreal*; and of Messrs. *J. B. Renaud & Co.* and others, merchants, of the City of *Quebec*; severally praying that no measures may be adopted to prohibit the importation of lard compound from the *United States*.

Of *Thomas J. Jones* and others, of *Brewersville* and other places; pointing out the necessity which exists for enlarging and improving the *Rideau Canal*, so as to permit the passage of large vessels; and praying the House to consider the advisability of causing a careful examination and report to be made thereon.

Of *Henry Tammy* and others; of *J. S. Boddy* and others; and of *George Harwood* and others, of the Town of *Woodstock*, County of *Oxford*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, respecting the prevention of Cruelty to Animals, may not become law in its present shape.

Of *John Irving* and others, of *British Columbia*; praying the House to take such steps as will secure proper postal communication by steamer between *Victoria* and *Queen Charlotte's Islands*.

Of Messrs. *D. Murphy & Co.* and others; praying that the Bill now before Parliament to incorporate the *Ottawa and Montreal Boom Company*, may not become law.

Of the Board of Trade of the City of *Toronto*; praying that steps may be taken to secure a subvention to a line of steamers for service between Canadian and certain foreign ports.

Of *John Dingman* and others, of *Medicine Hat*; and of *Charles Holden* and others of *Regina, North-West Territories*; several praying the House to consider the advisability of adopting such legislation as will secure to them the rights and privileges they believed they possessed when settling in the *North-West Territories*, as respects the acquiring of second homesteads.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Richmond, Nova Scotia*; praying that no bridge be constructed over the *Grand Narrows, Cape Breton Island*, if, on enquiry and examination, such bridge should be deemed injurious to navigation.

Of Captain *D. Sampson* and others, of the County of *Richmond, Nova Scotia*; complaining of the route chosen for the Railway through *Cape Breton Island*; and praying that a line be constructed through each half of said island, separated by *Bras d'Or Lakes*, in lieu of the one adopted.

Of *Malcolm McArthur* and others, of the Village of *Beaverton*, County of *Ontario*; of *D. R. Ross* and others, of the Village of *Embro* and vicinity, County of *Oxford*; and of *W. A. Erle* and others, of *Apoahqui*, County of *King's, New Brunswick*; severally praying that a Bill now in contemplation, intituled: "An Act respecting Benevolent Societies," may, if introduced, become law.

Of Messrs. *George M. Wilkinson & Son* and others, of the City of *Kingston, Ontario*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, respecting the prevention and suppression of combinations formed in restraint of trade, may become law.

*Mr. Wood (Brockville)* from the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders presented to the House the Eighth Report of the said Committee, which was read as followeth:—

Your Committee have examined the Petitions of the *Napanee, Tamworth* and *Quebec*, and of the *Kingston and Pembroke Railway Companies*, for an Act to confirm.

and legalize a certain agreement entered into by the said Companies, and find that the notices published thereon are sufficient.

Your Committee have also examined the Petitions of the *Québec* Board of Trade, for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation; and of the *Moose Jaw, Battleford* and *Edmonton* Railway Company, for an Act of Incorporation, and find that the notices have not yet been published for the full time required, but recommend that they be deemed sufficient, as they will have fully matured before the Bills are considered in Committee.

Your Committee have also examined the Petition of the *Great North-West Central* Railway Company, for an Act to repeal the 26th clause of its charter granting running powers over their road to the *Canadian Pacific* Railway Company, and find that the notice merely stated that application would be made to repeal the said clause, without specifying the nature or effect of the repeal, and also, that notice was only published for a period of three weeks, but as no interests other than those of the *Canadian Pacific* Railway Company can be affected by the proposed measure, and, as the latter Company have been duly notified and have signified their approval of the said application, your Committee are of opinion that the requirements of the 51st Rule have been sufficiently complied with.

Your Committee have examined the Petition of the *Saskatchewan* Railway and Mining Company, for an Act of Incorporation, and find that they ask for power to construct a railway from *Dunmore*, on the line of the *Canadian Pacific* Railway, in a north-easterly direction, *via* *Saskatoon* and *Fort à la Corne*, to a junction with the *Winnipeg* and *Hudson's Bay* Railway, and also, a branch from *Saskatoon* to *Green Lake* and thence to *Waterhen Lake* in the District of *Saskatchewan*, and that notice was only published in one newspaper in the District of *Assiniboia*, namely, at *Regina*; they therefore recommend that the notice be deemed sufficient for a Railway and Mining Company from *Dunmore* to the northerly boundary of *Assiniboia*, at or near *Saskatoon*, and no further.

Your Committee have also had under consideration the Petition of *George T. Baird*, and others, for an Act to empower them to construct a railway from *Edmundston*, in the County of *Madawaska*, *New Brunswick*, to *Florenceville*, in the County of *Carleton*, and also, a branch line from *Grand Falls*, through the Counties of *Victoria*, *Northumberland* and *Gloucester*, to connect with the *Intercolonial* Railway at *Bathurst*, and find that notice was published in the County of *Carleton* only; your Committee therefore recommend that the operations of the proposed Company be confined to that portion of the country which lies between *Edmundston* and *Florenceville* aforesaid.

Your Committee have also considered the Petition *C. N. Skinner, M.P.*, on behalf of the *Prince Edward Island* and *Continental* Railway and Ferry Company, asking for permission to present a Petition for a Private Bill, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting such Petitions, and the reasons assigned for the delay justify your Committee in recommending that the necessary leave be granted.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 7th May, 1888, for copies of all papers, plans, letters, reports, and other documents whatsoever in relation to the building of a pier or wharf at *Ste. Anne des Monts*, in the County of *Gaspé*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 42.*)

Mr. *Ives*, from the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills presented to the House the first Report of the said Committee, which was read as followeth:—

Your Committee have examined the following Bills, and beg to report the same with Amendments, viz.:—

Bill to incorporate "The *Hawkesbury* Lumber Company;"—and  
Bill respecting the Baptist Convention of *Ontario* and *Quebec*.

*Ordered*, That the Petition of *T. B. Normand* and others, of the City of *Three Rivers, Quebec*, presented this day, be now read.

And the said Petition was read and received; praying for the passing of an Act empowering them to construct a Railway from or near the City of *Three Rivers*, through the interior of the Province of *Quebec*, to the Western boundary of the said Province, thence to connect with all convenient *Ontario* Railways.

*Ordered*, That the Petition of *Louis G. de Bertram* and others, presented this day, be now read.

And the said Petition was read and received; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the *Prince Edward Island* and *Continental* Railway and Ferry Company.

*Mr. Brown* moved, seconded by *Mr. McDougall (Cape Breton)* and the Question being proposed, That this House will, on Monday next, resolve itself into a Committee to consider further of the Bill to make further provision as to the prevention of Cruelty to Animals, and to amend chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, intituled: "An Act respecting Cruelty to Animals."

*Mr. Tisdale* moved in amendment, seconded by *Mr. Taylor*, That the words "on Monday next" be left out, and the words "this day six months," inserted instead thereof;

And the question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS :

## Messieurs

<i>Amyot,</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec),</i>	<i>Purcell,</i>
<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Langevin (Mr Hector)</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges)</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Lavergne,</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>McCarthy,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>McGreavy,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudre'l),</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd),</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Ives,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Cook,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin),</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville), and</i>
<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Préfontaine,</i>	<i>Yeo.—91.</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Langelier (Montmorency)</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Archibald (Sir Adams),</i>	<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>
<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>

<i>Baird,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Béchar'd,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lient.-Genl.),</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Uds &amp; Gren.)</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton)</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Welsh,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox), and</i>
<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm't'd).—91.</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	

And the votes being equally divided, Mr. Speaker gave his casting vote in the Negative, for the reason that he considered it expedient to give the House a further opportunity for consideration. So the amendment accordingly passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question, "That this House will, on Monday next, resolve itself into a Committee to consider further of the Bill to make further provision as to the prevention of Cruelty to Animals, and to amend chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, intituled: "An Act respecting Cruelty to Animals," being put; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS:

## Messieurs

<i>Archibald (Sir Adams),</i>	<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>
<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Béchar'd,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lient.-Genl.),</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Uds &amp; Gren),</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton)</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>McGreevy,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Welsh,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox),</i>
<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm't'd), and</i>
<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Wright.—96.</i>

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

<i>Amyot,</i>	<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>
<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Langelier (Montmorency)</i>	<i>Purcell,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec),</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Lavergne,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>McCarthy,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Caron, (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil)</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd)</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Chouinard,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Ives,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Jocas,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Cook,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin),</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville), and</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Préfontaine,</i>	<i>Yeo.—92.</i>

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Bill was accordingly re-committed to a Committee of the Whole House, for Monday next.

*Ordered,* That Mr. *Davis* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Moose Jaw, Battleford and Edmonton Railway Company*;

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered,* That Mr. *McCarthy* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Saskatchewan Railway and Mining Company*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered,* That Mr. *McGreevy* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the *Quebec Board of Trade*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered,* That Mr. *Landry* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Edmundston and Florenceville Railway Company*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered,* That Mr. *Daly* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the charter of incorporation of the *Great North-West Central Railway Company*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Bell* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Kingston and Pembroke Railway Company*, and the *Napanee, Tamworth and Quebec Railway Company*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Weights and Measures Act,' chapter one hundred and four of the Revised Statutes," with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill intituled: "An Act to permit the Conditional Release of First offenders, in certain cases," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And also, the Senate have passed a Bill intituled: "An Act relating to Bills of Lading," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Mr. *Dewdney*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate intituled: "An Act to permit the Conditional Release of First offenders in certain cases," be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Mr. *Dewdney*.

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act relating to Bills of Lading," be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Haggart* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend "The Post Office Act," chapter thirty-five of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Dickinson* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting Benevolent Societies.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Weldon (St. John)* have leave to bring in a Bill relating to the Supreme Court.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 16th April, 1888, for a Return showing separately in regard to Companies doing business under Dominion License, the amount of Fire Insurance at risk on the 31st December, for each of the years from 1881 to 1887, both inclusive, the number of policies in force, the total amount of cash paid each year, and the total amount of expenses for each year, the percentage of losses and expenses to premium income, and the expense per \$1,000 at risk. (*Sessional Papers, No. 43.*)

Mr. *Dewdney*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 8th February, 1889, for copies of all correspondence be-

tween the Minister of the Interior and any officials of his Department, and *Thomas Sioni* and others, Indians of the *Huron* Tribe of *Lorette*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 44.*)

The Order of the Day being read for resuming the Debate on the Question which was yesterday proposed, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General; praying His Excellency to cause to be laid before this House, all memorials addressed to the Government by the Legislative Assembly of the *North-West Territories* which recently sat at *Regina*.

And the Question being put:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

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

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

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Friday, 1st March, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Madill*,—The Petition of *D. Gillespie, M.D.*, and others, of the Village of *Cannington*, County of *Ontario*.

By Mr. *Perley*,—The Petition of *George H. Jessop*, and others.

By Mr. *Hesson*,—The Petition of *James Mumby, Senr.*, and others, fruit growers and gardeners of the Township of *Moulton*, County of *Haldimand*.

By Mr. *Trow*,—The Petition of *T. M. Kay* and others.

By Mr. *McDougall*, (*Cape Breton*), The Petition of *James A. Young*, and others.

By Mr. *Dickey*,—The Petition of *Thomas R. Smith* and others, of *Amherst Head* and *Shinimicas*, County of *Cumberland, Nova Scotia*.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received:—

Of *Grace Vernon Ritchie*, President, and others of the Managing Committee of the Women's Humane Society of *Ottawa*; of *R. W. Powell, M.D.*, and others; of *F. H. Heath* and others; and of *Frederick Gundry*, Manager, Bank of *Montreal* and others, all of the City of *Ottawa*; of *J. K. Macdonald* and others; of *W. Thomson* and others; of *James H. Pearce* and others; of *J. H. McKinnon* and others; of *Andrew Darling* and others; of *C. E. Cuffe* and others; of *William Logan* and others; of *Emma Loewen* and others; of *C. C. Robb* and others; of *Thomas Wilson* and others; of *Florence Merritt* and others; of *Ernest E. Argles* and others; of *Hugh Crawford* and others; of *Stewart Lyon* and others; and of *R. J. Montgomery* and others, all of the City of *Toronto*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, respecting the prevention of Cruelty to Animals, may become law.

Of *Thomas W. Boyd* and others, of the City of *Montreal*; and of *T. G. Davey* and others, of the City of *London, Ontario*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, respecting the prevention of Cruelty to Animals, may not become law in its present shape.

Of *John Wade* and others; praying that the Bill now before Parliament to incorporate the *Ottawa and Montreal Boom Company*, may not become law.

Of *Alexander Aikman* and others; of *C. S. Smallman* and others; of *W. L. Dundas* and others, all of the City of *London*; of *John Daley* and others; of *D. S. Aldridge*, and others, of the Village of *Plattsville*, County of *Brant*; and of *W. Little* and others; severally praying that a Bill now in contemplation, intituled: "An Act respecting Benevolent Societies," may, if introduced, become law.

Of the Corporation of the City of *Toronto*; praying the House to adopt such measures as will provide for the deepening and protecting of the Eastern Gap or entrance to the Harbour of said City.

Of *John McMillan* and others, sea captains, master mariners and others interested in coasting vessels, of the County of *Guysboro'*; and of Captain *Amy A. Terrio* and others, of the County of *Richmond*, all of *Nova Scotia*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to compel all coal owners of said Province to receive and supply, at their shipping places, all steamboats and sailing vessels (with the exception of bunker coal and mail boats) in the regular order of their arrival at port.

Of *J. E. Fortune* and others, of the County of *Richmond, Nova Scotia*; complaining of the route chosen for the railway through *Cape Breton Island*; and praying that a line be constructed through each half of said Island, separated by *Bras d'Or Lakes*, in lieu of the one adopted.

Of *James Hooseawner* and others, of the vicinity of *Burford*; and of *H. W. Darling* and others, of the City and District of *Montreal*, all fruit growers and gardeners; severally praying the House to consider the advisability of imposing a duty on certain fruits, vegetables and nursery stock, when imported from the *United States*.

Of the Trades and Labour Council of the City of *London*; praying for the passing of an Act for the proper inspection of stationary engines and boilers.

Of the Trades and Labour Council of the City of *London*; praying that the clause in the Dominion Elections Act, requiring a deposit from candidates for election, be repealed.

Of the Trades and Labour Council of the City of *London*; praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation of contract labour.

Of the Trades and Labour Council of the City of *London*; praying for the passing of an Act setting apart a day to be known as "Labour Day," as a national holiday, for the benefit of the wage-earners of the Dominion.

Of the Trades and Labour Council of the City of *London*; praying for the passing of an Act to compel all vessels, whether steam or sail, navigating the inland waters of *Canada*, to carry competent crews, and for other purposes.

Of the Trades and Labour Council of the City of *London*; praying for an amendment of the Seamen's Agreement Act.

*Sir Hector L. Langevin*, from the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, presented to the House the Third Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have had under consideration Bill to incorporate the *Victoria, Saanich and New Westminster Railway Company*, and have agreed to report the same with Amendments.

*Mr. Wood (Brockville)* from the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented to the House the Ninth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have examined the Petition of *Louis G. de Bertram* and others, for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the *Prince Edward Island and Continental Railway and Ferry Company*, and find that no notices have been published except in the *Canada Gazette*, but, as the operations of the proposed Company will, with the exception of about seven miles of road in *Prince Edward Island*, be confined to the County of *Kent, New Brunswick*, in which there is no newspaper published, and as

the proposed measure would not appear to conflict with any existing rights, your Committee recommend that the 51st Rule be suspended in reference thereto; and as the time for presenting Private Bills expired yesterday, your Committee also recommend that the 49th Rule be suspended in relation to this Petition.

Mr. Kirkpatrick, from the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill to permit Foreign vessels to aid vessels wrecked or disabled in *Canadian* waters, presented to the House the Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have carefully considered the Bill, to permit Foreign Vessels to aid Vessels wrecked or disabled in *Canadian* waters, and have agreed to report the same with Amendments.

On motion of Mr. Landry, seconded by Mr. Sproule,

Ordered, That the 49th and 51st Rules of this House be suspended, in so far as they relate to the Petition of the *Prince Edward Island* and Continental Railway and Ferry Company, in accordance with the recommendation of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

Ordered, That Mr. Landry have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Prince Edward Island* and Continental Railway and Ferry Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

Mr. Bowell, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 8th February, 1889, for a Return showing the amount, respectively, of pine and spruce sawlogs, board measure, exported in each year, from 1867 to June 30th, 1888; the amount of export duty collected in each year from each class of logs; the rate of duty in each year upon each kind of logs, and the amount of export of each kind of logs, and amount of duty collected upon the same, by Provinces. (*Sessional Papers, No. 45.*)

Also, Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 6th February, 1889, for copies of all Orders in Council, reports, correspondence and papers relating to the dismissal of the Honourable *William Ross* from the Collectorship of Customs at the Port of *Halifax*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 46*)

Ordered, That Mr. Davies have leave to bring in a Bill to amend chapter one hundred and seventy-nine of the Revised Statutes respecting Recognizances.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was on Tuesday last proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (for the House again in the Committee of Supply);

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after "That" to the end of the question be left out, and the words "in view of the rejection by the Senate of the *United States of the Washington Treaty of 1868*, and the unfortunate and regrettable differences existing between *Canada* and the *United States* on the Fishery and Trade questions, this House is of opinion that steps should be taken, at an early day, by the Government of *Canada*, for the satisfactory adjustment of such differences, and the securing of unrestricted freedom in the trade relations of the two countries, and that, in any negotiations entered upon for such purposes, *Canada* should be directly represented by some one nominated by its Government. That, in the meantime, and to permit of such negotiations being favourably entered on, and to afford evidence of the anxious desire of *Canada* to promote good feeling and to remove all possible subjects of controversy, this House is of opinion that the *Modus Vivendi* pro-

“posed on behalf of the British Government to the Government of the *United States* with respect to the Fisheries should be continued in operation during the ensuing “fishing season,” inserted instead thereof;

And the question on the amendment being again proposed:—The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

And it being six o’Clock, P. M., Mr. Speaker left the Chair, to resume the same at half-past Seven o’Clock, P. M.

*Half-past Seven o’Clock, P. M.*

Private Bills under Rule 19.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the Dominion Life Assurance Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered,* That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved,* That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered,* That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to amend the Act incorporating the Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company of *Canada*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered,* That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved,* That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered,* That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the “*Hawkesbury Lumber Company*,” and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered,* That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved,* That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered,* That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the Baptist Convention of *Ontario* and *Quebec*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered,* That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved,* That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered,* That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

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The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill respecting the *Alberta and Athabasca Railway Company*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend the Act incorporating the *London Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Canada*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to ratify an Exchange of Land between the *Ontario and Quebec Railway Company*, and the *Land Security Company*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the *Kingston and Pembroke Railway Company*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the Supreme Court of the Independent Order of Foresters;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the Bay of *Quinté Bridge Company*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to further amend the Act incorporating the *London and Canadian Loan and Agency Company (Limited)*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the Wires of Telephone, Telegraph and Electric Light Companies in the City of *Toronto*.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the *Winnipeg and North Pacific Railway Company*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

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The House then resumed the Debate on the amendment proposed to be made to the Question, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (for the House again in Committee of Supply.)

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Saturday morning;

Saturday, 2nd March, 1889.

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

YEAS :

Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>De St. Georges,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Préfontaine,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Roward,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Langelier (Montmorency)</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec),</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd)</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Gilmor,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Welsh,</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin), and</i>
<i>Chouinard,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Yeo.—65.</i>
<i>Colter,</i>			

NAYS :

Messieurs

<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Baird,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut. Genl.),</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Lds. &amp; Gren),</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Rensfrew),</i>	<i>McCarthy,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Smith (Sir Donald),</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McDougald, (Pictou),</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton)</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Girouard,</i>	<i>McGreevy,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Chisholm,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McMullan (Vaudreuil)</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Ives,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Montpcaisir,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Davust,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox),</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville),</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'd) and</i>
<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wright.—108.</i>

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put :—It was resolved in the Affirmative.  
The House accordingly again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee.)

*Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay pension to Lady *Cartier*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.  
Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received on Monday next.

Mr. *Colby* also acquainted the House that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, on Monday next, again resolve itself into the said Committee:

And then The House, having continued to sit till ten minutes after one of the Clock on Saturday morning, adjourned till Monday next.

Monday, 4th March, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Ferguson* (*Welland*),—The Petition of Lieutenant Colonel *Otter* and others; and the Petition of *James McGlashan*, Manager of Imperial Bank, and others, of the County of *Welland*.

By Mr. *Wilson* (*Elgin*),—The Petition of *F. S. Edwards* and others, of the City of *St. Thomas*, County of *Elgin*, Ontario.

By Mr. *Weldon* (*Albert*), The Petition of *Robert Murphy* and others, of the Town of *Strathroy*, County of *Middlesex*; the Petition of *William T. Lewis*, M.D., and others, of *Hillsborough*; and the Petition of *Rufus A. Akerly* and others, of the Parish of *Alma*, County of *Albert*, *New Brunswick*.

By Mr. *Wright*,—The Petition of *H. J. McKenzie* and others, of the Village of *Buckingham*; and the Petition of *E. B. Eddy* and others, of the City of *Huil*, County of *Ottawa*.

By Mr. *Coughlin*,—The Petition of *J. H. Gibbs*, Mayor and others, of the Town of *Park Hill*; the Petition of *William Fraser* and others, of the Township of *McGillivray*, and the Petition of *T. Hossack*, M.D., and others, of the Village of *Lucan*, all of the County of *Middlesex*, Ontario.

By Lieut. Genl. *Laurie*,—The Petition of *George Thorbourn* and others, sea captains, master mariners, and others, of *Shelburne*, *Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. *Mitchell*,—The Petition of *R. L. Maltby* and others, of the Parish of *Newcastle*, County of *Northumberland*, *New Brunswick*; and the Petition of *F. H. Anderson* and others, of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Bowell*,—The Petition of *F. S. Rathbun* and others, of *Deseronto*, Ontario.

By Mr. Borden,—The Petition of *John C. Ells* and others, of the County of *King's, Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. McNeill,—The Petition of *William J. Holden* and others, of the Village of *Southampton*, County of *Bruce, Ontario*.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received:—

Of Messrs. *A. Joseph & Sons* and others, merchants, of the City of *Quebec*; and of Messrs. *Lightbound, Ralston & Co.*, and others, merchants, of the City of *Montreal*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, for the suppression of combinations formed in restraint of Trade, may become law.

Of *D. Ryndman* and others, of *Kemptville* and other places; of *D. A. Fergusson* and others, of *Smith's Falls* and other places; of *C. Richards* and others, of *Jasper* and other places; of *Hiram Eastman* and others, of *Merrickville* and other places; and of *Thomas Hanley* and others, of the City of *Kingston*; severally pointing out the necessity which exists for enlarging and improving the *Rideau Canal*, so as to permit the passage of large vessels; and praying the House to consider the advisability of causing a careful examination and report to be made thereon.

Of *G. W. Scott* and others, of the Township of *Tiny*, County of *Simcoe*; praying that such measures be adopted as will provide, that the conditions under which the said Township issued certain debentures, in aid of the construction of the *North Simcoe* branch of the Northern Railway, shall not be strictly enforced.

Of *E. O. Champagne* and others, of the City of *Montreal*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, respecting the prevention of Cruelty to Animals, may not become law, in its present shape.

Of the Council of the Board of Trade of the City of *Toronto*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, for the suppression of combinations formed in restraint of Trade, may not become law.

Of the Municipal Council of the Town of *St. Boniface, Manitoba*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, to incorporate the *Manitoba* and South-Eastern Railway Company, may become law.

Of *J. P. Rupert*, and others, of the Village of *Maple*, County of *York*; of *D. Gillespie, M. D.*, and others, of the Village of *Cannington*, County of *Ontario*; and of *T. M. Kay* and others, of the Township of *Usborne*, County of *Huron*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, intituled: "An Act respecting Benevolent Societies," may become law.

Of *George N. Jessop* and others, of the City of *Ottawa*; and of *James A. Young*, and others, of the City of *Toronto*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, respecting the prevention of Cruelty to Animals, may become law.

Of *James Mumby, Senr.*, and others, fruit growers and gardeners of the Township of *Moulton*, County of *Haldimand*; praying the House to consider the advisability of imposing a duty on certain fruits, vegetables and nursery stock, when imported from the *United States*.

Of *Thomas R. Smith* and others, of *Amherst Head* and *Shinimicas*, County of *Cumberland, Nova Scotia*; praying for an amendment of "The Fisheries Act," as regards the throwing of sawdust into streams frequented by fish.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, from the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, presented to the House the Fourth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have had under consideration the following Bills and have agreed to report the same with Amendments, viz.:—

Bill respecting the *Hamilton Central Railway Company*.

Bill to incorporate the *Ottawa, Morrisburg and New York Railway and Bridge Company*.

Bill to revive and amend the Acts relating to the *Saint Gabriel Levee* and *Railway Company*.

Bill to amend the Act incorporating the *Kingston, Smith's Falls and Ottawa Railway Company*.

Bill respecting the *Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway Company*;—and

Bill to incorporate the *Lac Seul Railway Company*.

Mr. *Hall*, from the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, presented to the House, the Second Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have had under consideration the following Bills and have agreed to report the same with Amendments, viz:—

Bill to incorporate the Assets and Debenture Company of *Canada*;—and

Bill to incorporate the Canadian General Trusts Company.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*, Resolved, That Government business shall have precedence every Thursday, on and after Thursday, 7th March next, during the present Session, after Questions put by Members.

Mr. *Tupper*, a member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Report on the Fisheries Protection Service of *Canada*, 1888. (*Sessional Papers, No &c.*)

Ordered, That Sir *John Thompson* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend "The Winding-up Act," chapter one hundred and twenty-nine of the Revised Statutes.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Victoria, Saanich and New Westminster Railway Company*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same, without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the *Ottawa and Montreal Boom Company*;

Ordered, That the said Order be discharged.

Ordered, That the Bill be withdrawn.

Mr. *Davin* moved, seconded by Mr. *Davis*, and the Question being proposed, That there be laid before this House, a Return of all papers in the case of Constable *A. D. Lootz*, of the *North West Mounted Police*, the nature of his offence, and before whom tried, his length of service, his previous record for good conduct or otherwise, and the punishment given; and further, whether the proceedings were summary or deliberate, and whether the accused was, or was not, allowed to make his defence;

And a Debate arising thereupon:—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

On motion of Mr. Taylor, seconded by Mr. Rykert,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House, copies of all petitions presented to the Government by the residents of the Townships of the front of *Young* and the front of *Escott*, in the County of *Leeds*, Ontario; praying that an Act passed by the Local Legislature of the Province of *Ontario*, assented to the 23rd March, 1888, intituled: "An Act to provide for the union of the Townships of the front of *Young* and front of *Escott*," might be disallowed.

On motion of Mr. McMillan (*Huron*), seconded by Mr. Brien,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House, a Statement showing the amount of expenditure on account of the Central Experimental Farm, from the first day of July, 1888, to the first day of January, 1889.

Also, the total cost of the Central Experimental Farm, to the first day of January, 1889.

On motion of Mr. Ste. Marie, seconded by Mr. Chouinard,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the amount received by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company from the sale of the \$15,000,000 of Mortgage Bonds which the Company were by the Act 51 *Victoria*, Chapter 32, authorized to issue, and the payment made, and to whom made, and for what, by the said Company out of such proceeds.

On motion of Mr. Guay, seconded by Mr. Rinfret,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House, copies of all petitions and resolutions forwarded to the Government by the citizens or Corporation of the Town of *Lévis*, in relation to the building of a Post Office in the said town.

On motion of Mr. McIntyre, seconded by Mr. Yeo,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House, a copy of the names of fishermen in *Prince Edward Island* who for 1886 and 1887 have made claims for the fishery bounty, and whose claims have been rejected; also, for copies of the reports of the officers or parties against such claims, and the names and residences of such officers or parties.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

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Tuesday, 5th March, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. Davin,—The Petition of *William Cousins* and others, of *Medicine Hat* and vicinity, *North-West Territories*.

By Mr. McDougall (*Cape Breton*),—The Petition of *W. H. Townsend*, master mariner and others, of the County of *Cape Breton*, *Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. Joncas,—The Petition of *George Angel* and others.

By Sir *John A. Macdonald*,—The Petition of the *Kingston Humane Society* for the prevention of Cruelty.

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On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,  
*Resolved*, That when this House adjourns this day, it do stand adjourned until  
 Thursday next, at Three o'Clock, P. M.

The Order of the Day being read, for the House again in the Committee of  
 Supply ;

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*, and the Question being proposed,  
 That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair ;

Sir *Richard J. Cartwright* moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Laurier*, That  
 all the words after " That " to the end of the Question, be left out, and the words  
 " it be Resolved, That in the present condition of affairs, and in view of the recent  
 " action of the House of Representatives of the *United States*, it is expedient that  
 " steps should be taken to ascertain on what terms and conditions arrangements can  
 " be effected with the *United States* for the purpose of securing full and unrestricted  
 " reciprocity of trade therewith," inserted instead thereof ;

And a Debate arising thereupon ;

On motion of Mr. *Tipper*, seconded by Mr. *Dewdney*,

*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned.

And then The House adjourned till Thursday next.

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Thursday, 7th March, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Lovitt*,—The Petition of *L. E. Baker* and others, sea captains, master  
 mariners, and owners of ships and vessels, of the County of *Yarmouth, Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. *Lépine*,—The Petition of *Frederick J. Walker* and others ; the Petition of  
*T. G. Leders* and others ; the Petition of *Guillaume Roy* and others ; the Petition of  
*Pierre Dion* and others ; the Petition of *Joseph Giguère* and others ; the Petition of  
*Napoléon Nadeaud* and others ; the Petition of *Joseph Lizotte* and others ; and the  
 Petition of *Odilon Parizeau* and others, all of the City of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Blake*,—The Petition of *J. C. Vanstone* and others, of *Bowmanville* and  
 other places.

By Mr. *La Rivière*,—The Petition of *Robert Bullock* and others.

By Mr. *Perley*,—The Petition of *J. Wiltshire* and others, of the City of *Ottawa*.

By Mr. *Tisdale*,—The Petition of *Charles A. Dunkin* and others, of the Village of  
*Victoria*, County of *Norfolk*.

By Mr. *Kirkpatrick*,—The Petition of *C. Langworth* and others, of the Townships  
 of *Kingston, Storrington* and *Pittsburg*.

By Mr. *Mulock*,—The Petition of *Andrew Butler* and others ; and the Petition of  
*John W. Walls* and others, of the Township of *York*, County of *Yerk, Ontario*.

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

Of Lieutenant Colonel *Otter* and others ; and of *James McGlashan*, Manager,  
 Imperial Bank, and others, of the County of *Welland, Ontario* ; severally praying

that such steps may be taken as will help to honour and perpetuate the memory of the men who lost their lives in defending their country at the Battle of *Lundy's Lane*, and to preserve from desecration their last resting place in the military cemetery of that place.

Of *William J. Lewis*, M.D., and others, of *Hillsborough*; of *Rufus A. Akerly* and others, of the Parish of *Alma*, all of the County *Albert*; and of *R. L. Maltby* and others, of the Parish of *Newcastle*, County of *Northumberland*, all of *New Brunswick*; of *H. J. McKenzie* and others, of the Village of *Buckingham*, County of *Ottawa*; of *William J. Holden* and others, of the Village of *Southampton*, County of *Bruce*; of *F. S. Edwards* and others, of the City of *St. Thomas*, County of *Elgin*; of *Robert Murphy* and others, of the Town of *Strathroy*; of *William Fraser* and others, of the Township of *McGillivray*; of *T. Hossack*, M.D., and others, of the Village of *Lucan*; and of *J. M. Gibbs*, Mayor, and others, of the Town of *Park Hill*, all of the County of *Middlesex*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, intituled: "An Act respecting Benevolent Societies," may become law.

Of *E. B. Eddy* and others, of the City of *Hull*, *Quebec*; and of *F. S. Rathbun* and others, of *Deseronto*, County of *Hastings*, *Ontario*; severally pointing out the necessity which exists for enlarging and improving the *Rideau Canal*, so as to permit the passage of large vessels; and praying the House to consider the advisability of causing a careful examination and report to be made thereon.

Of *George J. Thorbourn* and others, sea captains, master mariners and others, of the County of *Shelburne*; and of *W. H. Townsend*, master mariner and others, of the County of *Cape Breton*, all of *Nova Scotia*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to compel all coal owners of said Province to receive and supply, at their shipping places, all steamboats and sailing vessels (with the exception of bunker coal and mail boats) in the regular order of their arrival at port.

Of *F. H. Anderson* and others, of the City of *Toronto*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, respecting the prevention of Cruelty to Animals, may become law.

Of *William Cousins* and others, of *Medicine Hat* and vicinity, *North-West Territories*; praying that the Immigration agency for that district may be continued.

Of *George Angel* and others; praying that the Bill to incorporate the *Ottawa and Montreal Boom Company*, may not become law.

Of the *Kingston Humane Society* for the prevention of Cruelty; praying for the passing of an Act for the prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

The Petition of *John C. Ells* and others, of the County of *King's*, *Nova Scotia*, presented on Monday last, praying the House to grant them a sum of money for the construction of a wharf and breakwater at *Newcomb Point*, near the mouth of *Pereaux River*, Basin of *Minas*, being read;

Mr. Speaker said, that as the granting of the prayer of this Petition would involve the expenditure of Public money, it cannot be received.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, from the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph lines, presented to the House, the Fifth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have had under consideration the following Bills, and have agreed to report the same as follow, viz:—

Bill respecting the *South Ontario Pacific Railway Company*;—and

Bill respecting the *St. Lawrence and Atlantic Junction Railway Company*, without amendment; and

Bill respecting the *Lake Nipissing and James' Bay Railway Company*, and to change the name of the Company to "The *Nipissing and James' Bay Railway Company*."

Bill to incorporate the *Cobourg, Northumberland and Pacific Railway Company*.

Bill respecting Steam Vessels to be used in connection with the *Canadian Pacific Railway*.

Bill to incorporate the *Manitoba and South-Eastern Railway Company*.  
 Bill respecting the *Atlantic and North-West Railway Company*.  
 Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the *Prescott County Railway Company*, and to change the name of the Company to "*The Central Counties Railway Company*;"—and  
 Bill to incorporate the *Calgary, Alberta and Montana Railway Company*, with Amendments.

Mr. *Hall*, from the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, presented to the House the Third Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have had under consideration the following Bills and have agreed to report the same with Amendments, viz.:—

Bill to amend the Act incorporating the *Ontario Mutual Life Assurance Company*;—and

Bill to consolidate the borrowing powers of the *Ontario Loan and Debenture Company*, and to authorize them to issue Debenture Stock.

Mr. *Ives*, from the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, presented to the House the Second Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have examined the Bill to incorporate the *Canada Congregational Foreign Missionary Society*, and beg to report the same without any amendment.

Your Committee have also examined the Bill to amend the Act respecting *Queen's College at Kingston*, and have agreed to report the same with an Amendment.

With regard to the first mentioned Bill, your Committee recommend that the Fee of \$200, chargeable under Rule 53, be refunded, as, in the opinion of your Committee, the said Bill is not liable to such fee.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)*, from the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented to the House the Tenth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have examined the notices given on the Petition of the *Three Rivers and Western Railway Company* for an Act of Incorporation, and find that they are somewhat short in point of time, but, as they will have fully matured before the Bill can be considered by the Railway Committee, your Committee recommend that they be deemed sufficient; and, as the time for presenting Private Bills has expired, your Committee recommend that the 49th Rule be suspended in regard to this Petition.

On motion of Mr. *Riopel*, seconded by Mr. *Denison*,

Ordered, That the 49th Rule of this House be suspended in regard to the Bill to incorporate the *Three Rivers and Western Railway Company*, in accordance with the recommendation of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

Ordered, That Mr. *Riopel* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Three Rivers and Western Railway Company*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—  
 Return to an Order of this House, dated 6th February, 1869, for a Return showing:—  
 1st. A list of all the present shareholders of the *Témiscouata Railway Company*;  
 2d. The number of shares held by each shareholder;

3rd. The amount paid by each of them on their respective shares. (*Sessional Papers, No. 22e.*)

Sir John Thompson, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 25th February, 1889, for copies of all Orders in Council, correspondence and other documents respecting the disallowance of Acts passed by the Province of Quebec in 1887. (*Sessional Papers, No. 47.*)

On motion of Mr. *Bowell*, seconded by Mr. *Dewdney*,

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting "The Customs Act" and the Act amending the same.

Mr. *Costigan* moved, seconded by Mr. *Carling*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting the inspection, culling and measuring of timber and lumber.

Mr. *Costigan*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, then acquainted the House, That His Excellency the Governor General, having been informed of the subject matter of this Motion, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin* moved, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting the North-West Mounted Police Force.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, then acquainted the House, That His Excellency the Governor General, having been informed of the subject matter of this Motion, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

On motion of Mr. *Haggart*, seconded by Mr. *Dewdney*,

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting Postage rates.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the 'Weights and Measures Act,' chapter one hundred and four of the Revised Statutes," and the same were twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendments.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to make further provision respecting the speedy trial of certain Indictable Offences, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be taken into consideration To-morrow, and be re-printed.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was on Tuesday last proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (for the House again in the Committee of Supply);

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "it be resolved, that in the present condition of affairs, and in view of the recent action of the House of Representatives of the United States, it is expedient that steps should be taken to ascertain on what

“terms and conditions arrangements can be effected with the *United States* for the purpose of securing full and unrestricted reciprocity of trade therewith,” inserted instead thereof;

And the Question on the amendment being again proposed:—The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Friday morning;

Friday, 8th March, 1889.

On motion of Mr. *Armstrong*, seconded by Mr. *Brien*,  
Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the following Bills without any amendment:—

Bill intituled: “An Act to incorporate the *Alberta Railway and Coal Company*.”

Bill intituled: “An Act respecting the *Kootenay and Athabasca Railway Company*.”

And also, acquainting this House, That they have appointed the Honourable Messieurs *Abbott, Miller, Scott, Vidal* and *Ross*, a Select Committee to enquire into the expenditure of the Country in respect of Legislation, and the practicability of reducing it, and requesting the concurrence and joint action of this House in such enquiry.

And then The House, having continued to sit till twenty minutes after Twelve of the Clock on Friday morning, adjourned till this day.

Friday, 8th March, 1889:

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Moncrieff*,—The Petition of *John Dunfield*, M.D., and others, of the Town of *Petrola*, County of *Lambton*.

By Mr. *Fiset*,—The Petition of *Moïse Verreault*, farmer, and others, of the County of *Bimouski*, *Quebec*.

By Mr. *Robertson*,—The Petition of *John McLean* and others, of *Souris*, County of *King's*, *Prince Edward Island*.

By Mr. *Ferguson* (*Welland*),—The Petition of *William Eden* and others; and the Petition of *Robert Maywood* and others.

By Mr. *Perley*,—The Petition of *A. Crawley* and others, of the City of *Ottawa*, County of *Carleton*.

By Mr. *Semple*,—The Petition of *Neil McGill* and others, of the Village of *Elora*, County of *Wellington*.

By Mr. *Davies*,—The Petition of *Paul Paoli* and others, sea captains, master mariners and owners of sailing vessels, of the County of *Queen's*, *Prince Edward Island*.

By Mr. *McGreavy*,—The Petition of *John J. Curran*, M.P., of the City of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Davin*,—The Petition of *George Seibold* and others, Germans, in the *Regina* district.

By Mr. *Flynn*,—The Petition of *Martin H. Sampson* and others, of the County of *Richmond, Nova Scotia*.

By Sir *John A. Macdonald*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the City of *Kingston*.

Mr. *Hall*, from the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, presented to the House the Fourth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have had under consideration Bill to amend the Act respecting the *London Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Canada*, and have agreed to report the preamble thereof “not proven,” because the principle of the Bill contravenes “The Insurance Act.” Your Committee recommend that the fee and charges paid thereon, less the cost of printing and translation, be refunded.

They have also considered Bill to further amend the Act incorporating the *London and Canadian Loan and Agency Company, Limited*, and have agreed to report the same amended.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen’s Privy Council presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 13th February, 1889, for a Return of all correspondence between the Grand Trunk Railway authorities and the Government, respecting the subsidy granted for the completion of the line of the *Belleville and North Hastings* Railway Company, from the Village of *Madoc* to *Eldorado*, in the North Riding of *Hastings*, and in reference to the work done towards the completion of such work, and respecting the acceptance and opening up the same for traffic. (*Sessional Papers, No. 22f.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 25th February, 1889, for copies of all correspondence with the Department of Railways and Canals, on the subject of the late break in the *Corrwall* Canal, and of all plans and suggestions by Civil Engineers and others for the prevention of the recurrence of such break, and the report of *John Page*, the Chief Engineer of Canals thereon. (*Sessional Papers, No. 49.*)

And also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 25th February, 1889, for a Return showing the date at which Mr. Speaker received the certificate of the Judge in each of the following cases:—in the Election trial of *Halton, Shelburne, Northumberland (East), Haldimand, Joliette, Cumberland and Kent*; the date of the Speaker’s warrant, and the date of the writ for a new election. (*Sessional Papers, No. 48.*)

On motion of Mr. *Marshall*, seconded by Mr. *Smith (Ontario)*,

Ordered, That the fee and charges paid on the Bill to amend the Act respecting the *London Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Canada*, be refunded, less the charges for printing and translation, in accordance with the recommendation of the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting Rules of Court in relation to Criminal Matters;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

Resolved, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made an Amendment thereunto.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act respecting corrupt practices in Municipal affairs";

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and made an Amendment thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill, with the Amendment, do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath passed the same with an Amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to make further provision respecting enquiries concerning Public Matters."

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill, with the Amendments, do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath passed the same with several Amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to permit the Conditional Release of First offenders in certain cases";

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill, with the Amendments, do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath passed the same, with several Amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was on Tuesday last proposed, that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (for the House again in the Committee of Supply);

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "it be resolved, That in the present condition of affairs, and in view of the recent action of the House of Representatives of the *United States*, it is expedient that steps should be taken to ascertain on what terms and conditions arrangements can be effected with the *United States* for the purpose of securing full and unrestricted reciprocity of trade therewith," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question on the amendment being again proposed:—The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

And it being Six o'clock, P.M., Mr. Speaker left the Chair, to resume the same at half-past Seven o'clock, P.M.

Half-past Seven o'Clock, P.M.

#### Private Bills under Rule 19.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the *Hamilton Central Railway Company*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Ottawa, Morrisburg and New York Railway and Bridge Company*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass, and that the Title be: "An Act to incorporate "The *Ottawa, Morrisburg and New York Railway Company*."

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to revive and amend the Acts relating to the *Saint Gabriel Levee and Railway Company*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to amend the Act incorporating the *Kingston, Smith's Falls and Ottawa Railway Company*; and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the *Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway Company*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Lac Seul Railway Company*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Assets and Debenture Company of Canada*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Canadian General Trusts Company*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the South *Ontario* Pacific Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the *St. Lawrence* and *Atlantic* Junction Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the Lake *Nipissing* and *James' Bay* Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to, "The *Nipissing* and *James' Bay* Railway Company," and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Cobourg*, *Northumberland* and Pacific Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and made an Amendment thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself in a Committee on the Bill respecting Steam Vessels to be used in connection with the Canadian Pacific Railway, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Manitoba* and South-Eastern Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and made an Amendment thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the *Prescott County* Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to "The Central Counties Railway Company," and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Calgary Alberta* and *Montana* Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to amend the Act incorporating the *Ontario Mutual Life Assurance* Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made an Amendment thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to consolidate the borrowing powers of the *Ontario Loan and Debenture* Company, and to authorize them to issue Debenture Stock, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the incorporation of the Northern Pacific and *Manitoba* Railway Company;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the Union Railway Company;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the *Ontario, Manitoba* and Western Railway Company;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the *Moose Jaw, Battleford* and *Edmonton* Railway Company;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the *Saskatchewan* Railway and Mining Company;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the *Quebec* Board of Trade;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the *Edmundston* and *Florenceville* Railway Company;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend the Charter of Incorporation of the Great *North-West* Central Railway Company;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the *Kingston* and *Pembroke* Railway Company, and the *Napanee, Tamworth* and *Quebec* Railway Company;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The House then resumed the Debate on the amendment proposed to be made to the Question, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (for the House again in the Committee of Supply);

On motion of Mr. *Ferguson* (*Welland*), seconded by Mr. *Taylor*.

*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned.

And then The House adjourned till Monday next.

Monday, 11th March, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Macdowall*,—The Petition of *Thomas W. Jackson*, Manager and Secretary of the *Wood Mountain and Qu'Appelle* Railway Company.

By Mr. *Wilson (Elgin)*—The Petition of Court *Elgin*, No. 29, Independent Order of Foresters.

By Mr. *McGreevy*,—The Petition of the *Quebec Society* for the prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

By Mr. *Mulock*,—The Petition of *E. J. Davis*, M.P.P., and others, of the Township of *King*, County of *York*, Ontario.

By Mr. *Brown*,—The Petition of *H. L. Henderson* and others, of the City of *Belleville*, Ontario; and the Petition of *W. A. M. Swift* and others, of the City and District of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Haggart*,—The Petition of *William J. Pink* and others, of the Town of *Perth*, and other places.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received :—

Of *L. E. Baker* and others, of the County of *Yarmouth*, *Nova Scotia*; and of *Paul Paoli* and others, of the County of *Queen's*, *Prince Edward Island*, all sea captains, master mariners and owners of ships and sailing vessels; severally praying for the passing of an Act to compel all coal owners of said Provinces to receive and supply at their shipping places, all steamboats and sailing vessels (with the exception of bunker coal and mail boats) in the regular order of their arrival at port.

Of *Frederick J. Walker* and others; and of *T. G. Leders* and others, all of the City of *Montreal*; of *J. Wiltshire* and others; and of *A. Crawley* and others, all of the City of *Ottawa*; of *Andrew Butler* and others; of *John W. Walls* and others, of the Township of *York*, County of *York*; of *John Dunfield*, M.D., and others, of the Town of *Petrolea*, County of *Lambton*; of *Charles A. Dunkin* and others, of the village of *Vittoria*, County of *Norfolk*; of *Neil McGill* and others, of the village of *Elora*, County of *Wellington*, all of Ontario; and of *John McLean* and others, of *Souris*, County of *King's*, *Prince Edward Island*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, intitled: "An Act respecting Benevolent Societies," may become law.

Of *Guillaume Roy* and others; praying that the clause in the Dominion Elections Act, requiring a deposit from candidates for election, be repealed.

Of *Pierre Dion* and others; praying for the passing of an Act to compel all vessels, whether steam or sail, navigating the inland waters of *Canada*, to carry competent crews, and for other purposes.

Of *Joseph Giguère* and others; praying for an amendment of the Seamen's Agreement Act.

Of *Napoléon Nadeaud* and others; praying for the abolition of the present system of Immigration.

Of *Joseph Lizotte* and others; praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation of contract labour.

Of *Odilon Parizeau* and others; praying for the passing of an Act for the proper inspection of stationary engines and boilers.

Of *J. C. Vanstone* and others, of *Bowmanville* and other places; praying the House to consider the advisability of making certain alterations in the present rates of Customs duties on wheat and flour.

Of *Robert Bullock*, merchant, and others; praying the House to consider the advisability of making a grant of land to the *Manitoba and South-Eastern Railway Company*, along and in the vicinity of said Railway, to aid in the construction thereof.

Of *C. Langworth* and others, of the Townships of *Kingston, Storrington and Pittsburgh*; praying that steps be taken to relieve them from the damage done them by the overflowing of the *Rideau Canal*, and the consequent flooding of their lands lying adjacent thereto, between *Kingston Mills and Brewer's Mills*.

Of *William Eden* and others; and of *Robert Maywood* and others; severally praying that such steps may be taken as well help to honour and perpetuate the memory of the men who lost their lives in defending their country at the battle of *Lundy's Lane*, and to preserve from desecration their last resting place in the military cemetery of that place.

Of *George Seibold* and others, Germans, of the *Regina* district, *North-West Territories*; praying the House to consider the advisability of adopting such legislation as will secure to them the rights and privileges they believed they possessed when settling in the *North-West Territories*, as respects the acquiring of second homesteads.

Of *Martin H. Sampson* and others, of the County of *Richmond, Nova Scotia*; complaining of the route chosen for the railway through *Cape Breton Island*: and praying that a line be constructed through each half of said Island separated by *Bras d'Or Lakes*, in lieu of the one adopted.

Of the Municipal Council of the City of *Kingston, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act to confirm and legalize a certain agreement entered into by said Council with the *Napanee, Tamworth and Quebec Railway Company* and the *Kingston and Pembroke Railway Company*.

Of *John J. Curran, M. P.*, of the City of *Montreal*; praying to be permitted to lay before the House a petition for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "*The Title and Mortgage Insurance Company of Canada*," notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting Petitions for Private Bills.

Of *Moise Verreault*, farmer, and others, of the County of *Rimouski, Quebec*; praying that the line of demarcation for their fishing licenses may extend from *Gaspé to Cap à la Baleine*, in the Parish of *Ste. Félicité*, county aforesaid.

*Mr. Colby*, from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Library of Parliament, presented to the House the First Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

The Committee met on Friday, March 8th, at eleven a. m.

The Report of the Librarians was read and approved.

An Order in Council of 22nd Dec., 1888, was communicated to the Committee, devolving upon them the duty of providing Library Exchanges out of the funds provided for the Library.

It was ordered that the Government be asked to grant a further sum of one thousand dollars, to provide for the additional charge thus thrown upon the Library funds.

A Sub-Committee was appointed to consider and report upon a proposal from *Mr. J. A. Gemmill*, for the purchase of a certain number of copies of his book on *Divorce*.

A Sub-Committee was also appointed to consider and report upon the propriety of purchasing certain books for Library Exchanges.

It was ordered that the rule prohibiting bound volumes of newspapers from being taken from the Library, except for the purpose of being quoted in the Senate or House of Commons, be strictly enforced.

A Committee of audit was appointed.

The Committee then adjourned.

J. ALDRIC OULMET,  
Chairman.

On motion of Mr. *Macdowall*, seconded by Mr. *Brown*,  
*Ordered*, That the Petition of *Thomas W. Jackson*, Manager and Secretary of the  
*Wood Mountain and Qu'Appelle Railway Company*, presented this day, be now read.

And the said Petition was read and received; praying to be permitted to lay  
before the House a Petition for the passing of an Act to amend the Act of Incorpora-  
tion of the said Company, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting  
Petitions for Private Bills.

*Ordered*, That the said Petition be referred to the Select Standing Committee on  
Standing Orders.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Haggart* have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend "The  
Civil Service Act," chapter seventeen of the Revised Statutes.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received  
and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Sir John *Thompson* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend "The  
Copyright Act," chapter sixty-two of the Revised Statutes.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received  
and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Wilson (Elgin)* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend chapter  
one hundred and seventy-three of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, respecting Threats  
Intimidation and other offences.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received  
and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Tupper* have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend the  
Act thirty-six *Victoria*, chapter sixty-one, respecting the Trinity House and Harbour  
Commissioners of *Montreal*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received  
and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Dickey* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend chapter ninety-  
five of the Revised Statutes, "The Fisheries Act."

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received  
and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to  
further amend the Act incorporating the *London and Canadian Loan and Agency  
Company (Limited)*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the  
Chair; and Mr. *Cobby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and  
directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*. That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their con-  
currence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorpo-  
rate the *North-Western Junction and Lake of the Woods Railway Company*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Stand-  
ing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorpo-  
rate the *Dominion Mineral Company*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing  
Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the Canadian Superphosphate Company;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the *Prince Edward Island* and Continental Railway and Ferry Company;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

Mr. *Charlton* moved, seconded by Mr. *Mitchell*, and the Question being proposed: 1. That the practice in the House of Commons of *Canada* of remaining in session past the hour of midnight, is injurious to the health of the Members of the House and is utterly unnecessary in the public interest; that it is calculated to prevent, rather than to promote, the due and careful consideration of public questions, and is more liable to be used as the means of forcing through legislation without due consideration, than as the means of securing full discussion and deliberate action.

2. That in future, and from the date of the passage of these Resolutions, Mr. Speaker shall leave the Chair at the hour of twelve o'clock, midnight, with the same rigid adherence to the rule as is at present observed in leaving the Chair at six o'clock p.m., declaring, as he leaves the Chair, the day and hour to which the House stands adjourned;

And a Debate arising thereupon;—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

On motion of Mr. *Casgrain*, seconded by Mr. *Langelier* (*Quebec*),

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence, reports, &c., respecting the wharf at *St. Roch des Aulnets*, in the County of *L'Islet*, between the Department of Public Works and the late *Charles Frs. Roy*, Surveyor, and the residents of the said municipality interested therein.

On motion of Mr. *Borden*, seconded by Mr. *Jones* (*Halifax*),

*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 between the Government and the *Windsor* and *Annapolis* and *Western Counties Railway Companies* relating to the consolidation, under Government control, of the Railways of *Western Nova Scotia*, together with copies of Resolutions adopted by the Chamber of Commerce, of *Halifax*, and the *Fruit Growers' Association of Nova Scotia*, referring to the same 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.

On motion of Mr. *Taylor*, seconded by Mr. *Wood* (*Brockville*),

*Ordered*, That there be laid before before this House, copies of all petitions presented to the Government by the residents of the Township of the *Front of Young*, County of *Leeds, Ontario*, praying that *Jones' Creek* in said Township be declared a non-navigable stream, and to allow the Municipal Council to build a low solid bridge across said stream. Also, copies of the report of the Engineer on the same.

On motion of Mr. *Jamieson*, seconded by Mr. *Mills* (*Annapolis*),

*Resolved*, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying His Excellency to cause to be laid before this House, a Statement or Return of the Government, in answer to the request of the Home Government, for

information as to the working of "The Canada Temperance Act" in the several Provinces of the Dominion.

*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. *Kenny*, seconded by Mr. *Wood* (*Westmoreland*),

*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 the agreement of December 14th, 1885, between the Dominion Government and the International Railway Company, for the construction of a line of railway from the south bank of the *St. Lawrence* River, at or near *Caughnawaga*, to Harbours of *St. Andrews*, *St. John* and *Halifax*, via *Sherbrooke*, *Moosehead Lake*, *Mattawamkeag*, *Harvey*, *Fredericton*, and through Township of *Salisbury* to *Moncton*;

Also, for copies of any and all changes that may have been made in said agreement, and of the Orders in Council relating thereto;

Also, for copies of any and all transfers or assignments of said agreement or contract, and of all Orders in Council relating thereto.

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

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the clock on Tuesday morning.

*Tuesday, 12th March, 1889.*

On motion of Mr. *Jamieson*, seconded by Mr. *Freeman*,

*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 between the Government and the Lieut.-Governor of the *North-West Territories*, together with any papers, reports and documents in reference to the issue of permits or licenses for the sale of spirituous liquors, beer or other intoxicants in public houses or otherwise in the *North-West Territories*; also, copies of all regulations, documents or other proceedings issued or adopted by the Lieut.-Governor of the *North-West Territories*, under which licenses or permits for the sale of beer or other intoxicants in public houses have been granted in the said Territories.

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

And then The House, having continued to sit till a quarter of an hour after Twelve of the clock on Tuesday morning, adjourned till this day.

*Tuesday, 12th March, 1889.*

#### PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Rykert*,—The Petition of *Thomas Lailey*, Chairman, and *Alexander J. McKay*, Secretary, of the Provisional Directors of the *Chinook Belt and Peace River Railway Company*.

By Mr. *McKay*,—Two Petitions of *William H. Lud* and others, of the City of *Hamilton*.

By Mr. Cook,—Three Petitions of the Canadian Marine Engineers' Association.

By Mr. Innes,—The Petition of A. Chadwick and others; the Petition of George Atkinson and others, of Marden; and the Petition of Alexander Gillies and others, of the City of Guelph, County of Wellington.

By Mr. McMullen,—The Petition of L. H. Clarke and others, of the Town of Palmerston; and the Petition of Edward Allan, M.D., and others, of the Village of Arthur, County of Wellington.

By Mr. Audet,—The Petition of N. O. Rockwell and others, of Waterloo, County of Sheford, Quebec.

By Mr. Semple,—The Petition of W. Gay and others, of Elora.

By Mr. Thérien,—The Petition of Lewis Thackwell and others, of the City of Montreal.

By Mr. Small,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the City of Toronto.

By Mr. O'Brien,—The Petition of H. Scadding and others, of Orillia and other places.

By Mr. Macdowall,—The Petition of the Wood Mountain and Qu'Appelle Railway Company.

Sir Hector L. Langevin, from the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, presented to the House the Sixth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have had under consideration the following Bills, and have agreed to report the same as follow, viz.:—

Bill to ratify an Exchange of Land between the Ontario and Quebec Railway Company and the Land Security Company, without amendment; and

Bill respecting the Alberta and Athabasca Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to "The Great North-Western Railway Company."

Bill respecting the Kingston and Pembroke Railway Company.

Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the Winnipeg and North Pacific Railway Company;—and

Bill respecting the Berlin and Canadian Pacific Junction Railway Company, with Amendments.

Your Committee recommend that as the time for the reception of Reports from Committees on Private Bills will expire on Thursday, 14th instant, the same be extended until Thursday, the 28th instant.

Mr. Wood (Brockville), from the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented to the House, the Eleventh Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have examined the Petition of the Wood Mountain and Qu'Appelle Railway Company for permission to present a Petition for an Act to amend their Act of Incorporation, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting Petitions for Private Bills, and the reasons assigned for the delay in presenting their Petition, justify your Committee in recommending that the necessary permission be granted.

On motion of Sir Hector L. Langevin, seconded by Sir Adolphe P. Caron,

Ordered, That as the time for the reception of Reports of Committees on Private Bills will expire on Thursday next, the fourteenth instant, the same be extended to Thursday, the twenty-eighth instant, in accordance with the recommendation of the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

On motion of Mr. Macdowall, seconded by Mr. Innes.

Ordered, That the Petition of the Wood Mountain and Qu'Appelle Railway Company, presented this day, be now read,

And the said Petition was read and received; praying for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation and the Act amending the same.

On motion of Sir John Thompson, seconded by Mr. Haggart.

Ordered, That the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill to provide against frauds in the supplying of milk to cheese and butter manufactories; the Bill to require the owners of elevators and hoists to guard against accidents; and the Bill to amend "The Railway Act," have leave to report from time to time.

Ordered, That Sir John Thompson have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend the Supreme and Exchequer Courts Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Ordered, That Mr. Cook have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Civil Service Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Mr. *Bowell*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 25th February, 1839, for a Return of amount of export duty collected or paid on sawlogs and other lumber in the year 1888, specifying at what Custom House such duty was paid, and the respective amounts paid at each Custom House. (*Sessional Papers, No. 45a.*)

Sir John Thompson moved, seconded by Mr. Haggart, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting the salaries and allowances of the Judges of Provincial Courts.

Sir John A. Macdonald, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, then acquainted the House, That His Excellency the Governor General having been informed of the subject matter of this Motion, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

Resolved, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was on Tuesday, 5th instant, proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (for the House again in the Committee of Supply);

And proposed amendment thereto,—That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "it be resolved, That in the present condition of affairs and in view of the recent action of the House of Representatives of the United States, it is expedient that steps should be taken to ascertain on what terms and conditions arrangements can be effected with the United States for the purpose of securing full and unrestricted reciprocity of trade therewith," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question on the amendment being again proposed:—The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Wednesday morning.

Wednesday, 13th March, 1889.

On motion of Mr. Wood (*Westmoreland*), seconded by Mr. Wood (*Brockville*),

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the following Bills without any amendment:—

Bill intitaled: "An Act respecting the *Niagara Grand Island Bridge Company.*"

Bill intitaled: "An Act to incorporate the *Red Deer Valley Railway and Coal Company.*"

And also, the Senate have agreed to the Amendments made by this House to the following Bills:—

Bill intituled: "An Act to make farther provision respecting enquiries concerning Public Matters."

Bill intituled; "An Act respecting corrupt practices in Municipal Affairs."

And then The House, having continued to sit till two minutes after Twelve of the Clock on Wednesday morning, adjourned till this day.

Wednesday, 13th March, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Mills* (*Annapolis*),—The Petition of *John A. Brown* (of Messieurs. *J. A. Brown* and Company) of *Lawrencetown*, County of *Annapolis*, *Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. *Campbell*,—The Petition of *W. J. Watson*, and others, of the Town of *Chatham*, County of *Kent*, *Ontario*.

By Mr. *Eisenhauer*,—The Petition of *C. U. Mader*, and others; and the Petition of *Thomas T. Kestler*, and others, all of the County of *Lunenburg*, *Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. *Dawson*,—The Petition of *D. B. Dulmage*, and others, of the Township of *Rat Portage*, District of *Rainy River*.

By Mr. *Curran*,—The Petition of *William McDonald*, and others, of the City and District of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Boyle*,—The Petition of *William Hanley*, and others, fruit growers and gardeners, of the County of *Frontenac*, *Ontario*.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received:—

Of Court *Elgin*, No. 29, Independent Order of Foresters, *Aylmer*; and of *E. J. Davis*, M.P.P., and others, of the Township of *King*, County of *York*, *Ontario*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, intituled; "An Act respecting Benevolent Societies," may become law.

Of the *Quebec* Society for the prevention of Cruelty to Animals; of *W. A. M. Swift*, and others of the City and District of *Montreal*; and of *L. H. Henderson* and others, of the City of *Belleville*, County of *Hastings*, *Ontario*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, respecting the prevention of Cruelty to Animals, may become law.

Of *W. J. Pink*, and others, of the Town of *Perth* and other places, County of *Lanark*; pointing out the necessity which exists for enlarging and improving the *Rideau* Canal, so as to permit the passage of large vessels; and praying the House to consider the advisability of causing a careful examination and report to be made thereon.

Mr. Speaker informed the House, that the Clerk of the House had laid on the Table a Statement of the Receipts and Disbursements of the House of Commons, for the year ending 30th June, 1888.

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE ACCOUNTANT, HOUSE OF COMMONS, FOR YEAR ENDING 30th JUNE, 1888.

RECEIPTS.	\$	cts.	\$	cts.	DISBURSEMENTS.	\$	cts.
<i>Indemnity.</i>					By Indemnity, \$204,408.00; Mileage, \$20,868.80	205,276	80
To Letters of Credit			240,460	60	<i>Contingencies.</i>		
					By Speaker's salary	4,000	00
					Deputy Speaker's salary	2,000	00
					Special account, M. P. S.	6,076	40
					Salaries of Officers, \$64,668.00; Super. Pr., \$1,192.00	65,860	00
					do Messengers, \$9,924.47; Super. Pr., \$185.53	10,110	00
					Junior Clerks (Sess.), \$2,400; Sess. Clerks, at \$ per day, \$12,868.50	16,268	50
					Sess. French Translators, \$2,020.00; Recess account, \$2,368.35	4,378	35
					Expenses of Committees	3,123	22
					Stationery account	10,677	24
					Postage and telegraph	1,835	26
					Newspapers and advertising	1,887	49
					Miscellaneous	2,895	29
					Tradesmen and others	5,184	74
					Unforeseen account		
					Less—Refunded by Mr. Speaker for cab hire	\$3,429	96
						165	00
					Chief Messenger's disbursements	2,274	96
					Messengers (Sessional), \$11,250.00; Pages, \$2,193.00	3,780	00
					Servants do	13,443	00
					By Binding		
					By Translation	\$1,320	30
					Printing	3,600	00
						671	08
						\$5,591	88
					Debates, unclosed account, Session 1888—		
					By Reporting	\$15,999	96
					By Indexing and Proof-reading	1,000	00
					Manuscripts	1,248	00
					Translation	8,764	00
					Printing	10,621	62
					Paper account	1,554	04
					Miscellaneous	801	80
						\$39,989	42
					By Balances "Indemnity"	424,644	69
					Refund to Receiver General, \$1,412.05; Lapsed balance, \$13,771.75	15,183	80
						439,728	49

Mr. Wood (*Brockville*), from the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented to the House the Twelfth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth :—

Your Committee have examined the notice given on the Petition of the *Wood Mountain and Qu'Appelle* Railway Company, for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation, and find them sufficient. As the time for presenting Private Bills has expired, your Committee recommend that the 49th Rule be suspended in this case.

Your Committee have examined the Petition of the Title and Mortgage Insurance Company, for leave to present their Petition for an Act of Incorporation, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting such petitions, and the reasons assigned for the delay in this case are not such as to justify your Committee in recommending that the necessary leave be granted.

Mr. Ives, from the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills presented to the House the Third Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth :—

Your Committee have examined the Bill respecting the *Bay of Quinté* Bridge Company, and beg to report the same without any amendment.

On motion of Mr. *Macdowall*, seconded by Mr. *Innes*,

Ordered, That the 49th Rule of this House be suspended as regards a Bill respecting the *Wood Mountain and Qu'Appelle* Railway Company, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

Ordered, That Mr. *Macdowall* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Wood Mountain and Qu'Appelle* Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Friday next.

Ordered, That Sir *John Thompson* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend chapter thirteen of the Revised Statutes, intituled: "An Act respecting the House of Commons."

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Ordered, That Sir *John Thompson* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the law respecting the Exchequer Court of *Canada*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Ordered, That Mr. *Mills (Bothwell)* have leave to bring in a Bill to repeal certain Acts relating to the Public Departments.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Ordered, That Mr. *Skinner* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend chapter eleven of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, intituled: "An Act respecting the Senate and House of Commons."

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

On motion of Mr. *Lister*, seconded by Mr. *Guay*,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House, all correspondence between the Manufacturers' Insurance Company and the Superintendent of Insurance respecting

the list of Stockholders of said Company furnished by the said Company, in accordance with the statute in that behalf.

On motion of Mr. *Cassey*, seconded by Mr. *Mills (Bothwell)*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House a Return showing :—

1. Statement of cases in which all or any of the tenders called for and received within five years, for any work in connection with canals, were rejected on the report of the Chief Engineer of Canals, giving names of tenderers and gross amount of each tender ; with copies of all such reports of the Chief Engineer, giving reasons for such rejection, and noting the cases in which new tenders were called for.

2. In cases where new tenders were called for, a statement of names of tenderers and gross amount of each tender, noting which tender was accepted, and giving copies of any reports or other reasons for the rejection of lower tenders, if any.

3. Statement of cases in which claims for extras have arisen and have been referred to the sole arbitration of the Chief Engineer of Canals, showing amounts paid to claimants under his award, and a detailed statement of costs paid by the Government or the other parties to the suit in connection with the arbitration in each case, and to whom paid.

And it being Six o'Clock P. M., Mr. Speaker left the Chair ; to resume the same at half-past Seven o'Clock P. M.

*Half-past Seven o'Clock P. M.*

Private Bills under Rule 19.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Canada Congregational Foreign Missionary Society*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair ; and Mr. *Rykert* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to amend the Act respecting Queen's College at *Kingston*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair ; and Mr. *Rykert* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

And the Question being put, That the Bill be now read the third time ; the House divided : and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow :—

YEAS :

Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>McOvella,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Bisvert,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Scarth,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Gillet,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Scriber,</i>

<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Ives,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector) Perry,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Purcell,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin), and</i>
<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>		<i>Wilson (Lennox).-104.</i>

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Goabout,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Langelier (Montmorency) Weldon (St. John),</i>	
<i>Cook,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec),</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil) and</i>
<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville).-35.</i>
<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>Lavergne,</i>	

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then the main Question being put;

*Ordered,* That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved,* That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered,* That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the *New Brunswick and Prince Edward Railway Company,*" and to change the name of the Company to 'The *New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island Railway Company,*' with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Baptist Convention of *Ontario and Quebec,*" with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Victoria, Saanich and New Westminster Railway Company,*" with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the following Bills without any amendment:—

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Assiniboia, Edmonton and Unjiga Railway Company.*"

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Hawkesbury Lumber Company.*"

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And also, the Senate have agreed to the Amendments made by this House to the Bill intituled: "An Act to permit the Conditional Release of First offenders in certain cases."

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to make further provision as to the prevention of Cruelty to Animals, and to amend chapter one hundred and seventy-two of the Revised Statutes of *Canada* intituled: "An Act respecting Cruelty to Animals," and, after some time spent therein, Mr. *Speaker* resumed the Chair.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to permit Foreign Vessels to aid vessels wrecked or disabled in Canadian waters, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. *Speaker* resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Rykert* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read the third time To-morrow.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

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Thursday, 14th March, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Innes*,—The Petition of *James Hewer* and others, of the City of *Guelph*, County of *Wellington*, Ontario.

By Mr. *Dickinson*,—The Petition of *George A. Groves*, M. D., and others, of the Township of *Huntly*, County of *Carleton*, Ontario.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received:—

Of *Thomas Lailey*, Chairman, and *Alexander J. McKay*, Secretary, of Provisional Directors of the *Chinook Belt and Peace River Railway Company*; praying that the Bill to incorporate the *Red Deer Valley Railway and Coal Company*, and the Bill respecting the *Alberta and Athabasca Railway Company*, now before Parliament, may not become law.

Of *William H. Lud* and others, of the City of *Hamilton*; and of the *Canadian Marine Engineers' Association*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to compel all vessels, whether steam or sail, navigating the inland waters of *Canada*, to carry competent crews, and for other purposes.

Of *William H. Lud* and others, of the City of *Hamilton*; praying for the abolition of the present system of Immigration.

Of the *Canadian Marine Engineers' Association*; praying for the passing of an Act for the proper inspection of stationary engines and boilers.

Of the Canadian Marine Engineers' Association; praying for an amendment of the Seamen's Agreement Act.

Of *A. Chadwick* and others; of *Alexander Gillies* and others, of the City of *Guelph*; of *George Atkinson* and others, of *Marden*; of *L. H. Clarke* and others, of the Town of *Palmerston*; of *Edward Allan, M.D.*, and others, of the Village of *Arthur*; of *W. Gay* and others, of *Elora*, all of the County of *Wellington, Ontario*; and of *Lewis Thackwell* and others, of the City of *Montreal*; severally praying that the Bill, now before Parliament, for the prevention of Cruelty to Animals, may not become law.

Of *N. O. Rockwell* and others, of *Waterloo, County of Shefford, Quebec*; praying that the Bill, now before Parliament, intituled: "An Act respecting Benevolent Societies," may become law.

Of the Municipal Council of the City of *Toronto*; praying the House to consider the advisability of granting aid towards the construction of the *Kincardine and Teeswater Railway*.

Of *H. Scadding* and others, of *Orillia* and other places; praying that such steps may be taken as will help to honour and perpetuate the memory of the men who lost their lives in defending their country at the battle of *Lundy's Lane*, and to preserve from desecration their last resting place in the military cemetery of that place.

*Sir Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 26th February, 1889, for copies of all reports of the Engineers and other officers employed by the Department of Railways and Canals on the subject of water power in the new *Welland Canal*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 49a.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 8th February, 1889, for a copy of Engineer's last report on the feasibility of constructing a Harbour at *Naufrage, King's County, Prince Edward Island*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 23a.*)

*Sir John Thompson*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Copies of General Orders No. 84 and No. 85 of the Supreme Court of *Canada*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 50.*)

On motion of *Mr. Rykert*, seconded by *Mr. White (Renfrew)*,

*Resolved*, That a Message be sent to the Senate requesting their Honours will be pleased to grant leave to the Honourable *W. E. Sanford*, one of their Members, to attend the Select Standing Committee on Public Accounts of the House of Commons, and give evidence in the enquiry respecting the supply of Militia clothing.

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

On motion of *Sir Donald A. Smith*, seconded by *Mr. Taylor*,

*Ordered*, That that portion of the Twelfth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, which refers to the preliminary petition of *J. J. Curran, Esquire, M.P.*; praying to be permitted to lay before the House, a petition for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the Title and Mortgage Insurance Company of *Canada*, be referred back to the said Committee, for further consideration.

On motion of *Mr. Holton*, seconded by *Mr. McMullen*,

*Ordered*, That the fee of Two hundred dollars, paid on the Bill to incorporate the *Canada Congregational Foreign Missionary Society*, be refunded, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Second Report of the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Perley* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the Wires of Telephone, Telegraph and Electric Light Companies.

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He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Mr. *Haggart* moved, seconded by Mr. *Dewdney*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting the Civil Service Act.

Mr. *Haggart*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, then acquainted the House, That His Excellency the Governor General, having been informed of the subject matter of this Motion, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was, on Tuesday 5th instant, proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (for the House again in the Committee of Supply);

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out and the words "it be Resolved, That in the present condition of affairs, and in view of the recent action of the House of Representatives of the United States, it is expedient that steps should be taken to ascertain on what terms and conditions arrangements can be effected with the United States for the purpose of securing full and unrestricted reciprocity of trade therewith," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question on the amendment, being again proposed:—The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Friday morning;

*Friday, 15th March, 1889.*

On motion of Mr. *Cockburn* seconded by Mr. *Colby*.

*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned.

And then The House, having continued to sit till twenty-five minutes after Twelve of the Clock on Friday morning, adjourned till this day.

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Friday, 15th March, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Curran*.—The Petition of the Council of the *Montreal* Board of Trade.

By Lieut.-Genl. *Laurie*.—The Petition of *William B. Smith* and others, of the County of *Shelburne, Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. *McDougald (Pictou)*.—The Petition of *William S. Miller* and others, of the Village of *Stellarton, County of Pictou, Nova Scotia*.

By Sir *Donald A. Smith*.—The Petition of *George W. Stephens* and others.

By Sir *John A. Macdonald*.—The Petition of *Lewis W. Shannon* and others, of the City of *Kingston, Ontario*.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received:—

Of *John A. Brown*, (of Messrs. *J. A. Brown and Co.*), of *Lawrencetown*, County of *Annapolis, Nova Scotia*; praying the House to take into their favourable consideration his claim for compensation on account of damage done to his milling property, by the construction of a fishway in his dam, by order of the Fisheries Officer of that place.

Of *W. J. Watson* and others, of the Town of *Chatham*, County of *Kent, Ontario*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, respecting the prevention of Cruelty to Animals, may not become law, in its present shape.

Of *C. U. Mader* and others, of the County of *Lunenburg, Nova Scotia*; and of *D. B. Dulmage* and others, of the Township of *Rat Portage*, District of *Rainy River, Algoma*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, intituled: "An Act respecting Benevolent Societies," may become law.

Of *Thomas T. Keefer* and others, of the County of *Lunenburg, Nova Scotia*; praying the House to consider the advisability of exempting the River *La Have* from the operation of the Fisheries Act, in so far as relates to the throwing of saw-dust therein.

Of *William McDonald* and others, of the City and District of *Montreal*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, respecting the prevention of Cruelty to Animals, may become law.

Of *William Hanley* and others, fruit growers and gardeners of the County of *Frontenac, Ontario*; praying the House to consider the advisability of imposing a duty on certain fruits, vegetables and nursery stock, when imported from the *United States*.

*Sir Hector L. Langevin*, from the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, presented to the House the Seventh Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have had under consideration the following Bills and have agreed to report the same with Amendments, viz.:

Bill respecting the incorporation of the Northern Pacific and *Manitoba Railway Company*.

Bill to incorporate the *Ontario, Manitoba and Western Railway Company*.

Bill to incorporate the *Saskatchewan Railway and Mining Company*;—and

Bill to amend the Act incorporating the *Massawippi Junction Railway Company*.

*Sir Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented—Return to an Order of this House, dated 25th February, 1889, for copies of all correspondence, reports, &c., between the officials of the Intercolonial Railway and *Mr. Louis Fortin*, of *St. Octave de Metis*, in relation to the killing of a horse by the cars in October, 1888. (*Sessional Papers, No. 51.*)

*Sir John Thompson*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 6th February, 1889, for a Return of the names of all Chaplains of Public Institutions under appointment of the Government, together with the dates of their appointment, the amount of their salaries, and the religious denominations to which they belong. (*Sessional Papers, No. 52.*)

*Mr. Wood (Brockville)* from the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented to the House the Thirteenth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

In obedience to the Order of your Honourable House, your Committee have again had under consideration the Petition of the Title and Mortgage Insurance Company for leave to present a Petition for an Act of Incorporation, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting Petitions, and, in view of the additional reasons since assigned, by the promoters, for the delay in presenting their Petition, your Committee feel justified in recommending that the requisite leave be granted.

Mr. *Girouard*, from the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill to provide against frauds in the supplying of milk to cheese and butter manufactories; the Bill to require the owners of elevators and hoists to guard against accidents; and the Bill to amend "The Railway Act," presented to the House, the First Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth;—

Your Committee have carefully considered Bill to amend "The Railway Act," and, after hearing the views of the promoter of the measure, and of officials of certain railway companies in opposition to the same, would recommend that the said Bill be not passed.

Your Committee have also carefully considered Bill to provide against frauds in the supplying of milk to cheese and butter manufactories, and have agreed to report the same with Amendments.

On motion of Sir *Donald A. Smith*, seconded by Mr. *Hickey*,  
*Ordered*, That the Petition of *George W. Stephens* and others, presented this day, be now read,

And the said Petition was read and received; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the Title and Mortgage Guarantee Company of *Canada*.

*Ordered*, That the said Petition be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*,  
*Resolved*, That for the remainder of the Session, Government measures shall have precedence on Wednesdays, commencing with Wednesday, the 27th instant, after Questions put by Members, and that the Order of Business for Mondays, after Monday, the 18th instant, be the Order of Business for Wednesdays, under Rule 19.

The Order of the Day being read, for taking into consideration the Bill to make further provision respecting the speedy trial of certain Indictable Offences, as amended in the Committee of the Whole House.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to amend the Act respecting Certificates to Masters and Mates of Ships, chapter seventy-three of the Revised Statutes, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Curran* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend "The Winding-up Act," chapter one hundred and twenty-nine of the Revised Statutes;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee—  
The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Mills (Annapolis)* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting the inspection, culling and measuring of timber and lumber.

And it being Six o'Clock P.M., Mr. Speaker took the Chair, and left it to resume the same at half-past Seven o'Clock, P.M.

*Half-past Seven o'Clock, P.M.*

Private Bills under Rule 19.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the *New Brunswick and Prince Edward Railway Company*," and to change the name of the Company "to 'The *New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island Railway Company*,'" and the same were twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendments.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the *Baptist Convention of Ontario and Quebec*," and the same were twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendments.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Victoria, Saanich and New Westminster Railway Company*," and the same were twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendments.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to ratify an Exchange of Land between the *Ontario and Quebec Railway Company* and the *Land Security Company*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Sproule* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the *Kingston and Pembroke Railway Company*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *White (Renfrew)* reported, That

the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the *Winnipeg* and North Pacific Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Hesson* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the *Berlin* and Canadian Pacific Junction Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Landerkin* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the *Bay of Quinté* Bridge Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Perley* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the *Three Rivers* and Western Railway Company;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the *Wood Mountain* and *Qu'Appelle* Railway Company;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the following Bills without any amendment:—

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Dominion Life Assurance Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act incorporating The Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company of Canada."

The House then resumed the consideration in Committee of the Whole of the proposed Resolution respecting the inspection, culling and measuring of timber and lumber.

(In the Committee.)

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to assimilate and amend the laws in force in the several Provinces in relation to the inspection, culling and measuring of timber and lumber, and to provide that the Governor in Council may authorize the payment of a sum not exceeding ten dollars a day for each day's actual service, and not exceeding in the whole three hundred dollars in any one year, to each examiner of inspectors of timber, and of an annual salary not exceeding two thousand dollars to each chief inspector of timber; that every manufacturer of timber or lumber shall pay to the Crown an annual registration fee of two dollars, if his annual output is less than one million feet board measure, and of ten dollars when such output is greater, and, in addition, one-fifth of one cent for each thousand feet, board measure, of timber manufactured by him, except square timber, and one-tenth of one cent for each ton of forty cubic feet of square timber manufactured by him; and that as respects the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec, out of the sum so paid, and any moneys granted by Parliament, the Governor in Council may grant annuities, not exceeding two hundred dollars in each case, to such cullers as are now in receipt of like annuities, or who are not appointed inspectors and whose services are dispensed with.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. McNeill reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. McNeill reported the Resolution accordingly, and the same was read, as follows:—

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to assimilate and amend the laws in force in the several Provinces in relation to the inspection, culling and measuring of timber and lumber, and to provide that the Governor in Council may authorize the payment of a sum not exceeding ten dollars a day for each day's actual service, and not exceeding in the whole three hundred dollars in any one year, to each examiner of inspectors of timber, and of an annual salary not exceeding two thousand dollars to each chief inspector of timber; that every manufacturer of timber or lumber shall pay to the Crown an annual registration fee of two dollars, if his annual output is less than one million feet, board measure, and of ten dollars when such output is greater, and, in addition, one-fifth of one cent for each thousand feet, board measure, of timber manufactured by him, except square timber, and one-tenth of one cent for each ton of forty cubic feet of square timber manufactured by him; and that as respects the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec, out of the sum so paid, and any moneys granted by Parliament, the Governor in Council may grant annuities, not exceeding two hundred dollars in each case, to such cullers as are now in receipt of like annuities, or who are not appointed inspectors and whose services are dispensed with.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

*Ordered*, That Mr. Costigan have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the inspection of timber and lumber.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Tuesday next.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill further to amend "The Civil Service Act," chapter seventeen of the Revised Statutes;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House, this day.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting "The Civil Service Act."

*In the Committee.*

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to amend the Civil Service Act, to provide that the salary of the Clerk of the Board of Civil Service Examiners shall be a sum not exceeding \$700 per annum, and the annual remuneration of each Examiner a sum not exceeding \$400; that Post Office Inspectors may be appointed without examination; that in the Inland Revenue Service the annual salaries of Clerks (Accountants) shall be from \$600 to \$1,400, and of special class Excisemen who are chief officers in charge of distilleries, \$1,400 to \$1,600; that in the Postal Service the annual salaries of Railway Mail Clerks shall be the same for night as for day service, and that each Railway Mail Clerk may be paid a mileage rate of half a cent for day service and of one cent for night service; that in city post offices, where the annual revenue exceeds \$250,000, the Postmaster may be paid an annual salary not exceeding \$4,000; if revenue is from \$200,000 to \$250,000, a salary not exceeding \$3,750; if revenue is from \$150,000 to \$200,000, a salary not exceeding \$3,500; if revenue is from \$100,000 to \$150,000, a salary not exceeding \$3,250, and if the revenue is from \$80,000 to \$100,000, a salary not exceeding \$2,800.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Rykert* reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. *Rykert* reported the Resolution accordingly, and the same was read, as followeth:—

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to amend the Civil Service Act, to provide that the salary of the Clerk of the Board of Civil Service Examiners shall be a sum not exceeding \$700 per annum, and the annual remuneration of each Examiner a sum not exceeding \$400; that Post Office Inspectors may be appointed without examination; that in the Inland Revenue Service the annual salaries of Clerks (Accountants) shall be from \$600 to \$1,400, and of special class Excisemen who are chief officers in charge of distilleries, \$1,400 to \$1,600; that in the Postal Service the annual salaries of Railway Mail Clerks shall be the same for night as for day service, and that each Railway Mail Clerk may be paid a mileage rate of half a cent for day service and of one cent for night service; that in city post offices, where the annual revenue exceeds \$250,000, the Postmaster may be paid an annual salary not exceeding \$4,000; if revenue is from \$200,000 to \$250,000, a salary not exceeding \$3,750; if revenue is from \$150,000 to \$200,000, a salary not exceeding \$3,500; if revenue is from \$100,000 to \$150,000, a salary not exceeding \$3,250, and if the revenue is from \$80,000 to \$100,000, a salary not exceeding \$2,800.

The said Resolution, being read a second time was agreed to, and referred to the Committee of the Whole on the foregoing Bill to amend "The Civil Service Act," chapter seventeen of the Revised Statutes, with instructions to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

The House then resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill further to amend "The Civil Service Act," chapter seventeen of the Revised Statutes, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Rykert* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a third time on Monday next.

And then The House adjourned till Monday next.

Monday, 18th March, 1889.

**PRAYERS.**

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

By Mr. Guillet,—The Petition of *H. J. Matthews* and others, of the Village of *Lakeport*, County of *Northumberland*, Ontario.

By Mr. Cochrane,—The Petition of *Donald Campbell* and others, of the Village of *Colborne*, Township of *Cramahe*, County of *Northumberland*, Ontario.

By Mr. Roome,—The Petition of *Samuel Eccles* and others, of the City of *St. Thomas* and Town of *Bothwell*.

By Mr. Lister,—The Petition of *Milton Day* and others, of the Village of *Court-right*, County of *Lambton*.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received:—

Of *James Hwer* and others, of the City of *Guelph*, County of *Wellington*; of *George A. Groves*, M D., and others, of the Township of *Huntley*, County of *Carleton*, Ontario; and of *William S. Miller* and others, of the Village of *Stellarton*, County of *Pictou*, *Nova Scotia*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, intituled: "An Act respecting Benevolent Societies," may become law."

Of the Council of the *Montreal* Board of Trade; praying that the Bill now before Parliament to extend the provisions of the "Extradition Act," may become law.

Of *William B. Smith* and others, of the District of *Barrington*, County of *Shelburne*, *Nova Scotia*; praying that they may not be deprived of a winter harbour for their fishing and coasting vessels.

Of *Lewis W. Shannon* and others, of the City of *Kingston*, Ontario; praying that a Bill for the prevention of Cruelty to Animals, may become law.

*Mr. Mills (Annapolis)* from the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented to the House the Fourteenth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have examined the notices given on the Petition of the Title and Mortgage Guarantee Company of Canada for an Act of Incorporation, and find them sufficient.

As the time for presenting Private Bills has expired, your Committee recommend that that part of the 49th Rule regarding the presentation of Private Bills, be suspended in this case, and, in view of the late period of the Session, your Committee also recommend that the Petitioners' Bill should, if introduced to-day, be placed upon the Orders of the Day, for a second reading immediately.

*Mr. Hall*, from the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, presented to the House the Fifth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have had under consideration the following Bills and have agreed to report the same with Amendments, viz:—

Bill to incorporate the Supreme Court of the Independent Order of Foresters;—  
and

Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the *Quebec* Board of Trade.

On motion of *Mr. Maedowall*, seconded by *Mr. Innes*,

Ordered, That the 49th Rule of this House be suspended as regards a Bill to incorporate the Title and Mortgage Guarantee Company of Canada, in accordance

with the recommendation contained in the Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *McDowall* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the Title and Mortgage Guarantee Company of Canada.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a second time.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Mr. *Carling*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 25th February, 1889, for a Return showing what sums of money have been paid by the Government to *W. A. Webster*, during each of the financial years, 1887 and 1888, and since the 1st July, 1888, specifying the services for which he was paid. (*Sessional Papers, No. 53.*)

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the incorporation of the Northern Pacific and *Manitoba* Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Landry* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Ontario, Manitoba* and Western Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Sproule* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the following Bills without any amendment:—

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Lac Seul* Railway Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the *Pontiac* Pacific Junction Railway Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Calgary, Alberta* and *Montana* Railway Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the *Hamilton Central* Railway Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the *South Ontario* Pacific Railway Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act incorporating the *Kingston, Smith's Falls* and *Ottawa* Railway Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the *Lake Nipissing* and *James' Bay* Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to "The *Nipissing* and *James' Bay* Railway Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting Steam Vessels to be used in connection with the *Canadian Pacific* Railway."

And also, another Message acquainting this House, That the Senate doth give leave to the Honourable *W. E. Sanford*, one of its Members, to attend and give evidence before the Select Standing Committee of this House on Public Accounts, if he thinks fit.

On motion of *Mr. Bergin*, seconded by *Mr. Dickinson*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of reports, plans and surveys of the then proposed *Cornwall Canal*, by *J. B. Mills* and *Benjamin Wright*, Esquires, Civil Engineers, and by Capt. *P. Cole*, Royal Engineers, in the years 1832, 1833 and 1834; also, for survey and report of *Colin Carman*, Esquire, C.E., of a proposed change of location of *Cornwall Canal*, from *Sand Bridge* through *Hoopes Creek* to *Archibald's Point*, with plans, profile and estimates; also, reports, plans and surveys made by *Mr. Clowes*, C.E., in 1826.

On motion of *Mr. Flynn*, seconded by *Mr. Jones (Halifax)*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence and surveys in connection with the *L'Ardoise Breakwater*, in the County of *Richmond*, since the 13th March, 1888.

On motion of *Mr. Burdett*, seconded by *Mr. Lunderkin*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of all correspondence between the Government and the officers or men of the 15th Battalion, respecting aid to construct a drill shed at *Belleville*, and for any reports made to the Government respecting the desirability of granting such aid.

*Mr. Platt* moved, seconded by *Mr. McMillan (Huron)*, and the Question being proposed, "That this House do resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution, That it is expedient to remove the duty on, and place upon the Free List, all grains and seeds which do not ripen in *Canada*, but which are now largely imported and sown for the production of food for cattle, under the system of feeding called Soiling and Ensilage, now largely adopted by the Farmers of *Canada*;"

And a Debate arising thereupon:—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

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Tuesday, 19th March, 1889.

**PRAYERS.**

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

By *Mr. Ferguson (Welland)*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the Town of *Thorold*, County of *Welland*, Ontario.

By *Mr. Wilson (Lennox)*,—The Petition of *E. M. Frauk* and others, of the Town of *Napanee*, County of *Lennox*.

By *Mr. Innes*,—The Petition of *Pelham Falconbridge* and others, of the Township of *Pushinch*, County of *Wellington*, Ontario.

By *Mr. Campbell*,—The Petition of *W. H. Switzer* and others, of the Town of *Dresden*, County of *Kent*, Ontario.

By Mr. *Audet*,—The Petition of the Reverend *J. J. Hindley, M. A.*, and others, of the Village of *Granby*, County of *Shefford, Quebec*.

By Mr. *Dickinson*,—The Petition of the Reverend *John Grenfell* and others.

By Mr. *Kirkpatrick*,—The Petition of the *Kingston Branch* of the *Evangelical Alliance*.

By Mr. *Edwards*,—The Petition of *Hugh Cleland* and others, of *Osgoode, County of Carleton, Ontario*.

*Sir Hector L. Langevin*, from the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, presented to the House the Eighth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have had under consideration the following Bills, and have agreed to report the same with Amendments, viz.:—

Bill respecting the *Kingston and Pembroke Railway Company*, and the *Napanes, Tamworth and Quebec Railway Company*;—and

Bill to incorporate the *North-Western Junction and Lake of the Woods Railway Company*.

And the following Bills without amendment, viz.:—

Bill to incorporate the *Union Railway Company*;—and

Bill to amend the Charter of Incorporation of the *Great North-West Central Railway Company*.

Your Committee have also had under consideration Bill to incorporate the *St. Helen's Island Bridge Company*, and have agreed to report the preamble thereof "not proven," because the measure is not in the public interest. Your Committee recommend that the fee and charges paid thereon, less the cost of printing and translation, be refunded.

*Sir Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 4th March, 1889, for copies of all petitions presented to the Government by the residents of the Townships of the front of *Young* and the front of *Escott*, in the County of *Leeds, Ontario*, praying that an Act passed by the Local Legislature of the Province of *Ontario*, assented to the 23rd March, 1888, intitled: "An Act to provide for the union of the Townships of the front of *Young* and front of *Escott*," might be disallowed. (*Sessional Papers, No. 55*)

Also, Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 11th March, 1889, for a statement or Return of the Government, in answer to the request of the Home Government, for information as to the working of "The Canada Temperance Act," in the several Provinces of the Dominion. (*Sessional Papers, No. 56*.)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 8th February, 1889, for a Return showing what repairs have been done to the dredge "*Prince Edward*," during the year 1888, the date of commencement of work, and when finished, with cost of said work; also, the amount of work done by said dredge, during the year 1888. (*Sessional Papers, No. 57*.)

And also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 25th February, 1889, for copies of the several tenders, and all papers, letters and contracts for the construction of the *Sault Ste. Marie Canal*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 49b*.)

*Mr. Tupper*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 4th March, 1889, for a copy of the names of fishermen in *Prince Edward Island*, who, for 1886 and 1887, have made claims for the fishery bounty, and whose claims have been rejected; also, for copies of the reports of the officers or parties against such claims, and the names and residences of such officers or parties.—(*Sessional Papers, No. 58*.)

*Sir John A. Macdonald*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—A copy of the Bill,

51-52 Victoria, Chapter 13, *Quebec*, intituled: "An Act respecting the settlement of the Jesuits' Estates;" copies of the report made on the 16th January last, or any other date, to His Excellency the Governor General upon the said Act; all Orders in Council, reports, opinions or other papers showing the consideration and conclusion arrived at by the Government in regard to the said Act; and all correspondence in relation to the said Act had between the Government and the Government of the Province of *Quebec*, or any other person or persons whomsoever; as well as all petitions or written representations made to the Government for or against the said Act becoming law, and showing at what date the said Bill was received by the Government and approved of by them. (*Sessional Papers, No. 54.*)

Mr. *Costigan*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Fourteenth Report on Inspection of Weights, Measures and Gas, being Supplement No. II to the Report of the Department of Inland Revenue, 1888. (*Sessional Papers, No. 4b.*)

On motion of Mr. *Curran*, seconded by Mr. *Stevenson*,

*Ordered*, That the fee and charges paid on the Bill to incorporate the *St. Helen's Island Bridge Company* be refunded, less the cost for printing and translation, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Report of the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

Sir *John Thompson* moved, seconded by Mr. *Dewdney*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting the Sessional allowances awarded by law to Senators and Members of the House of Commons.

Sir *John Thompson*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, then acquainted the House, That His Excellency the Governor General, having been informed of the subject matter of this Motion, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

On motion of Mr. *Rykert*, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*,

*Ordered*, That the Select Standing Committee on Public Accounts have leave to employ a shorthand writer, to take down evidence in cases when considered necessary and ordered by the Committee.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate, on the Question which was on Tuesday, 5th instant, proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (for the House again in the Committee of Supply);

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "it be Resolved, That in the present condition of affairs, and in view of the recent action of the House of Representatives of the *United States*, it is expedient that steps should be taken to ascertain on what terms and conditions arrangements can be effected with the *United States*, for the purpose of securing full and unrestricted reciprocity of trade therewith," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question on the amendment, being again proposed:—The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Wednesday morning;

*Wednesday, 20th March, 1889.*

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

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## Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>De St. Georges,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Préfontaine,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Langelier (Montmorency)</i>	<i>Purcell,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Longelier (Quebec),</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd)</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Welsh,</i>
<i>Chouinard,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin),</i>
<i>Cook,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	<i>Yeo.—77.</i>
<i>Couture,</i>			

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Baird,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Scarth,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Macdonald,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McCarthy,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Leeds &amp; Gren.)</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou)</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton)</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McGreevy,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Girouard,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudr'il),</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Chisholm,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Ives,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox),</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>Wood (Brookville),</i>
<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'd) and</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wright.—121.</i>
<i>Davin,</i>			

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

*Ordered*, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay pension to Mrs. *Delaney*, wife of Indian Agent killed at *Frog Lake*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received at the next sitting of the House.

Mr. *Colby* also acquainted the House that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, at its next sitting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. Speaker communicated to the House the following letter:—

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S SECRETARY,  
Ottawa, 19th March, 1889.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that the Honourable Mr. Justice *Strong*, acting as Deputy to His Excellency the Governor General, will proceed to the Senate Chamber To-morrow afternoon, at Three o'clock, for the purpose of giving assent to the Bills which have passed the Senate and House of Commons during the present Session.

I have the honour to be, Sir,  
Your obedient servant,

CHARLES COLVILLE,  
Captain,  
Governor General's Secretary.

The Honourable  
The Speaker of the House of Commons.

And then The House, having continued to sit till half an hour after One of the Clock on Wednesday morning, adjourned till this day.

Wednesday, 20th March, 1889.

**PRAYERS.**

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received:—

Of *H. J. Matthews* and others, of the Village of *Lakeport*, Township of *Haldimand*; and of *Donald Campbell* and others, of the Village of *Colborne*, Township of *Oramahe*, all of the County of *Northumberland*, Ontario; severally praying the House to consider the advisability of constructing a Harbour of Refuge at the Village of *Lakeport*, county aforesaid.

Of *Milton Day* and others, of the Village of *Cowtright*, County of *Lambton*, Ontario; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, intituled; "An Act respecting Benevolent Societies," may become law.

The Petition of *Samuel Eccles* and others, of the City of *St. Thomas* and Town of *Bethwell*, presented on Monday last; praying that aid may be granted to one *Jared Edwood*, as compensation for injuries received by him, while serving as a volunteer during the Rebellion of 1837-38, being read;

Mr. Speaker said, that as the granting of the prayer of this Petition would involve the expenditure of public money, it cannot be received.

Sir *John Thompson*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 25th February, 1889, for copies of all Orders in Council, correspondence and other documents in relation to the disallowance of the Act for the conversion of the debt. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 47a.)

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented—Return to an Order of this House, dated 13th March, 1889, for copies of all correspondence between the Manufacturers' Insurance Company and the Superintendent of Insurance, respecting the list of Stockholders of said Company furnished by the said Company, in accordance with the statute in that behalf. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 43b.)

Also, laid before the House,—Continuation of the correspondence as published in the Auditor General's Report on the subject of carrying forward the gross amount of the loan and sinking fund of the Consolidated Canadian Loan, converted. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 60.)

Mr. *Dewdney*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 13th February, 1889, for a Return of all correspondence between the Government of the Dominion and the Government of Ontario, in respect to the expediency of permitting net fishing by white men in the inland waters of Ontario, north and north-west of Lakes *Huron* and *Superior*.

Also, of all correspondence between the Indian Department and any other Department of the Government in regard to the distress and destitution which would be brought upon the resident Indian population by unrestricted net fishing in the waters from which they derive their chief means of subsistence. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 58a.)

A Message was brought by *René E. Kimber*, Esquire, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod.

MR. SPEAKER,

The Honourable Mr. Justice *Strong*, Deputy Governor, desires the immediate attendance of this Honourable House in the Senate Chamber.

Accordingly, Mr. Speaker, with the House, went up to the Senate Chamber; and having returned;

Mr. Speaker reported, That agreeably to the command of the Deputy Governor, the House had attended in the Senate Chamber, where the Deputy Governor was pleased to give, in Her Majesty's name, the Royal Assent to the following Public and Private Bills:—

An Act to make further provision respecting enquiries concerning Public Matters.

An Act respecting Corrupt Practices in Municipal affairs.

An Act to permit the Conditional Release of First offenders in certain cases.

An Act to amend "The Weights and Measures Act," chapter one hundred and four of the Revised Statutes.

An Act to incorporate the *Alberta Railway and Coal Company*.

An Act respecting the *Kootenay* and *Athabasca* Railway Company.

An Act respecting the *Niagara Grand Island* Bridge Company.

An Act to incorporate the *Red Deer Valley* Railway and Coal Company.

An Act to incorporate the Dominion Life Assurance Company.

An Act to incorporate the *Hawkesbury* Lumber Company.

An Act to incorporate the *Assiniboia*, *Edmonton* and *Unjiga* Railway Company.

An Act to amend the Act incorporating "The Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company of Canada."

An Act respecting the *Pontiac* Pacific Junction Railway Company.

An Act to incorporate the *Calgary*, *Alberta* and *Montana* Railway Company.

An Act respecting the *Hamilton* Central Railway Company.

An Act respecting the South *Ontario* Pacific Railway Company.

An Act to incorporate the *Lac Seul* Railway Company.

An Act to amend the Act incorporating the *Kingston*, *Smith's Falls* and *Ottawa* Railway Company.

An Act respecting the Lake *Nipissing* and *James' Bay* Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to "The *Nipissing* and *James' Bay* Railway Company."

An Act respecting Steam Vessels to be used in connection with the Canadian Pacific Railway.

An Act respecting the Baptist Convention of *Ontario* and *Quebec*.

An Act respecting the *New Brunswick* and *Prince Edward* Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to "The *New Brunswick* and *Prince Edward* Island Railway Company."

An Act to incorporate the *Victoria*, *Saanich* and *New Westminster* Railway Company.

On motion of Mr. *Perry*, seconded by Mr. *Yeo*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House,—a Return of all correspondence between the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, *Ottawa*, and A. *Lord*, Esq., Agent, *Charlottetown*, *Prince Edward Island*, or any other person, having reference to the dismissal of Capt. *Ronald Campbell*, Harbour Master for *Summerside*. Also, copy of all complaints made against the said Capt. *Ronald Campbell*, showing by whom made, with copy of evidence touching said dismissal.

On motion of Mr. *Beausoleil*, seconded by Mr. *Bourassa*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House:—

1st. Copies of any order or regulation adopted by the Department of Marine and Fisheries with a view to regulate fishing, and to put in force a system of licensing and taxing of fishing utensils in the Counties of *Berthier*, *Maskinongé*, *St. Maurice*, *Richelieu*, *Yamaska* and *Nicolet*, during the two years ending 31st December, 1888.

2nd. Copies of all instructions forwarded during the period aforesaid, to the Fishery Overseers having jurisdiction in the said counties, respecting the enforcement, suspension, modification and re-enactment of the said regulation;

3rd. Copies of all reports and information furnished by the Fishery Overseers to the Department of Marine and Fisheries, in relation to the enforcement of the said regulation;

4th. A list of all the fishermen of each of the said counties as furnished by the Fishery Overseers, showing those who took out the license so required, the amount paid by each of them, the total amount received as the product of the said licenses, from the date of the enforcement of the said regulation up to 31st December, 1888, and also, those who did not take out the license so required, and whose fishing utensils were confiscated or not, as the case may be;

5th. Copies of all letters, petitions and correspondence addressed to the Government, or any of its Members, asking for the repeal of the said regulation and the abolition of the said license, of all answers made thereto, and of all other documents relating to the matter.

On motion of Mr. Turcot, seconded by Mr. Dessaint,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence respecting the establishment of a bi-weekly, in place of a weekly, postal service between *Lourdes* and *Somerset*, in the County of *Megantic*.

Mr. *Eisenhauer* moved, seconded by Mr. *Cameron*, and the Question being proposed, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence between the Department of Public Works and the Engineer sent to examine and survey the harbour of *Lunenburg, Nova Scotia*, during the summer of 1888; also, all reports, maps and plans received by the Department from said Engineer:

And a Debate arising thereupon;

On motion of Mr. *Laurier*, seconded by Mr. *Mills (Bothwell)*,

*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the St. Lawrence and Atlantic Junction Railway Company," without any amendment.

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Railway Act," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And it being Six o'Clock P.M., Mr. Speaker left the Chair, to resume the same at half-past Seven o'Clock P.M.

Half-past Seven o'Clock P. M.

Private Bills under Rule 19.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the *Atlantic* and *North-West* Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and made Amendments therunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the *Alberta* and *Athabasca* Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to "The Great North-Western Railway Company," and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the House in Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Saskatchewan* Railway and Mining Company;

*Ordered*, That the said Order be discharged.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be referred back to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, for further consideration.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the Supreme Court of the Independent Order of Foresters, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read the third time on Friday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the Quebec Board of Trade, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the Kingston and Pembroke Railway Company, and the Napanee, Tamworth and Quebec Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the North-Western Junction and Lake of the Woods Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to amend the Charter of Incorporation of the Great North-West Central Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill to permit foreign vessels to aid vessels wrecked or disabled in Canadian waters;

Mr. Kirkpatrick moved, seconded by Mr. Bell, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Mr. Charlton moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. Ferguson (Welland), That all the words after "now" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "re-committed to a Committee of the Whole House, for the purpose of amending Section two Sub-Section one, by adding thereto the following words: 'And when the privilege of towing vessels and rafts from one United States port to another in waters contiguous to Canada, is accorded to Canadian tugs,'" inserted instead thereof,

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS:

## Messieurs

Bain (Soulanges)	Cochrane,	Kenny,	Prior,
Boisvert,	Colby,	McDonald (Victoria),	Putnam,
Bowell,	Corby,	McDougald (Pictou),	Smith (Ontario),
Boyle,	Coulombe,	McKay,	Taylor,
Brown,	Desautniers,	McMillan (Vaudre'l),	Temple,
Bryson,	Dawdney,	McNeill,	Thompson (Sir John),
Burdett,	Dupont,	Madull,	Tupper,
Cameron,	Ferguson (Welland),	Mara,	Vanasse,
Carling,	Freeman,	Marshall,	Wallace,
Carpenter,	Gordon,	Mills (Annapolis),	White (Cardwell),
Caron (Sir Adolphe),	Hesson,	Moffat,	Wilmot,
Charlton,	Hickey,	Montplaisir,	Wilson (Argenteuil),
Chisholm,	Ives,	O'Brien,	Wilson (Lennox), and
Cimon,	Jones (Digby),	Porter,	Wood (Westm'l'd).—56.

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

Amyot,	De St. Georges,	Lang,	Purcell,
Armstrong,	Desjardins,	Langelier (Montmorency),	Rinfret,
Bain (Wentworth),	Dessaint,	Langeher (Quebec),	Riopel,
Baird,	Dickey,	Langevin, (Sir Hector),	Robertson,
Barron,	Doyon,	La Rivière,	Rowand,
Beauséjour,	Édgar,	Laurier,	Rykert,
Bécharé,	Eisenhauer,	Livingston,	Ste. Marie,
Bell,	Ellis,	Lovitt,	Scarth,
Bergeron,	Fisher,	Macdonald (Huron),	Scriven,
Bergin,	Flynn,	Macdowall,	Semple,
Bernier,	Gauthier,	McCarthy,	Shanly,
Borden,	Gigault,	McCulla,	Skinner,
Bourassa,	Goebout,	McDougall (C. Breton),	Small,
Bowman,	Grandbois,	McGreevy,	Smith (Sir Donald),
Brien,	Guay,	McIntyre,	Somerville,
Campbell,	Guillet,	McKeen,	Sproule,
Casey,	Hale,	McMillan (Huron),	Stevenson,
Casgrain,	Hall,	McMullen,	Sutherland,
Choquette,	Holton,	Masson,	Trow,
Clackburn,	Hudspeth,	Meigs,	Turcot,

<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin), and</i>
<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	<i>Yeo.—108.</i>

So it passed in the Negative.

And the Question being again proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time ;

Mr. *Charlton* moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Ferguson (Welland)*, That all the words after " now " to the end of the Question, be left out, and the words " re committed to a Committee of the Whole House, for the purpose of amending Section " one by adding thereto the following words: ' and *United States* tugs may tow vessels " " and rafts from one Canadian port to another in Canadian waters contiguous to the " " *United States,* " inserted instead thereof ;

And the Question being put on the amendment :—It passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put :—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

*Ordered,* That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved,* That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered,* That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to provide against frauds in the supplying of milk to cheese and butter manufactories, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair ; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered,* That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved,* That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered,* That the Clerk do carry the Bill, to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Thursday, 21st March, 1889.

#### PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Cook*,—The Petition of the Canadian Association of Stationary Engineers, No. 3.

By Mr. *Curran*,—The Petition of Messieurs *Henry Dobell* and Company, and others, of the City of *Montreal*.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received :—

Of the Municipal Council of the Town of *Thorold*, County of *Welland*; praying that the Order authorizing traffic on the *Welland Canal*, on the Lord's Day, be withdrawn.

Of the Reverend *John Grenfell* and others; of *E. M. Fraluk* and others, of the Town of *Napanee*, County of *Lennox*; of *Pelham Falconbridge* and others, of the Township of *Puslinch*, County of *Wellington*; of *W. H. Switzer* and others, of the Town of *Dresden*, County of *Kent*; of *Hugh Cleland* and others, of *Osgoode*, County of *Carleton*, all of *Ontario*; and of Reverend *J. J. Hindley*, M.A., and others, of the Village of *Granby*, County of *Shefford*, *Quebec*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, intituled: "An Act respecting Benevolent Societies," may become law.

Of the *Kingston* Branch of the Evangelical Alliance; praying that the Order for the opening of certain canals for traffic on the Lord's Day, be rescinded.

*Mr. Girouard*, from the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill to provide against frauds in the supplying of milk to cheese and butter manufactories; the Bill to require the owners of elevators and hoists to guard against accidents; and the Bill to amend "The Railway Act," presented to the House, the Second Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have carefully considered Bill to require the owners of elevators and hoists to guard against accidents, and recommend that the Bill do not pass.

*Sir Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Report of the Board of Examiners for the Civil Service of Canada, for the year ended 31st December, 1888. (*Sessional Papers, No. 6a.*)

Also, Supplementary Return to an Order of this House, dated 16th April, 1888, for a Statement showing total cost of construction of various works for the descent of timber and saw logs on the *Ottawa River* and its tributaries, up to the 30th June last; also, statement showing the yearly expenditure for the maintenance of the said works for five years preceding the 30th June last, under the different heads of reconstruction, repairs and cost of management, at each of the stations, with names of river or tributary where the same was expended; likewise copies of any or all applications, whether from individuals or chartered companies, to acquire by purchase or otherwise, all or any portion of said works and improvements on the said *Ottawa River* and tributaries thereof. (*Sessional Papers, No. 45b.*)

And also, Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 11th March, 1889, for copies of the agreement of the 14th December, 1885, between the Dominion Government and the International Railway Company, for the construction of a line of railway from the south bank of the *St. Lawrence River*, at or near *Caughnawaga*, to Harbours of *St. Andrews*, *St. John* and *Halifax*, *via Sherbrooke*, *Moosehead Lake*, *Mattawankeag*, *Harvey*, *Fredericton*, and through Township of *Salisbury* to *Moncton*;

Also, for copies of any and all changes that may have been made in said agreement, and of the Orders in Council relating thereto;

Also, for copies of any and all transfers or assignments of said agreement or contract, and of all Orders in Council relating thereto. (*Sessional Papers, No. 22g.*)

*Mr. Dewdney*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 25th February, 1889, for a Return of all sales made of Indian lands on the west side of the *Grand River*, in the Village of *Cayuga*, in the County of *Haldimand*; copies of all instructions given to the valuers of said lands, the reports of said valuers, and all correspondence and papers relating thereto. (*Sessional Papers, No. 44a.*)

Also, Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 11th March, 1889, for copies of all correspondence between the Government and the Lieut.-Governor of the *North-West Territories*, together with any papers, reports and documents in reference to the issue of permits or licenses for the sale of spirituous liquors, beer or other

intoxicants in public houses or otherwise in the *North-West Territories*; also, copies of all regulations, documents or other proceedings issued or adopted by Lieut.-Governor of the *North-West Territories*, under which licenses or permits for the sale of beer or other intoxicants in public houses have been granted in the said Territories. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 61.)

Mr. *Tupper*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 25th February, 1889, for a Return showing:—

1st. In what ports of the Dominion the Government collect hospital dues on ships.

2nd. What amount was collected in each of the said ports during last season.

3rd. How many seamen were under treatment in each of the said ports during the season;—and

4th. How much the Government have paid to the hospitals of the several ports during last season. (*Sessional Papers* No. 59.)

Sir *John Thompson*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 25th February, 1889, for copies of all Orders in Council, correspondence and other documents respecting the disallowance of the Act respecting the Bar of the Province of *Quebec*, passed in 1886, in which Act the *Batonnier Général* was granted precedence over all other lawyers. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 47b.)

Also, Return (in part) to an Address to His Excellency, dated 25th February, 1889, for copies of all Orders in Council, correspondence and other documents in relation to the disallowance of the Act respecting Magistrates. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 47c.)

Ordered, That Mr. *Tupper* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the Harbour of *Belleville*, in the Province of *Ontario*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

A Bill to amend "The Winding up Act," chapter one hundred and twenty-nine of the Revised Statutes, was, according to Order, read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the third reading of the Bill further to amend "The Civil Service Act," chapter seventeen of the Revised Statutes;

Mr. *Haggart* moved, seconded by Mr. *Dawdney*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Sir *Richard J. Cartwright* moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Charlton*, That all the words after "now" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "re-committed to a Committee of the Whole House, for the purpose of inserting the following words: That the salaries of Postmasters shall not in the future exceed the sum of \$3,200, being the salary now paid the Deputy Head of the Post Office Department," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

YEAS :

Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>De St. Georges,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Langelier (Montmorency)</i>	<i>Elmfret,</i>
<i>Bechard,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec);</i>	<i>Hobbertson,</i>

Bernier,	Edwards,	Laurier,	Roward,
Borden,	Eisenhauer,	Lister,	Ste. Marie,
Bourassa,	Ellis,	Livingston,	Scriver,
Bowman,	Fiset,	Lovitt,	Semple,
Brien,	Fisher,	Macdonald (Huron),	Somerville,
Campbell,	Flynn,	McIntyre,	Trow
Cartwright (Sir Rich'd),	Gauthier,	Mc Millan (Huron),	Turcot,
Casey,	Godbout,	Mc Mullen,	Waltie,
Casgrain,	Guay,	Meigs,	Watson.
Charlton,	Holtan,	Mills (Bothwell),	Weldon (St. John),
Choquette,	Innes,	Mitchel,	We sh,
Cook,	Jones (Halifax),	Mulock,	Wilson (Elgin), and
Couture,	Kirk,	Neveu,	Yeo.—68.

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

Archibald (Sir Adams),	Dawson,	Langevin (Sir Hector),	Riopel.
Audet,	Denison,	La Rivière,	Robillard,
Baun (Soulanges),	Desaulniers,	Lépine,	Ross
Barnard,	Desjardins,	Macdonald (Sir John),	Rykert,
Bergeron,	Deudney,	Macdowell,	Scarth,
Bergin,	Dupont,	McCulla,	Shanly,
Boisvert,	Ferguson (L'ds. & Gren),	McDonald (Victoria),	Skinner,
Bowell,	Ferguson (Renfrew),	McDougald (Pictou),	Small,
Brown,	Ferguson (Welland),	McDougall (C. Breton),	Smith (Ontario),
Bryson,	Foster,	McGreevy,	Sproule,
Burns,	Freeman,	McKay,	Stevenson,
Cameron,	Giguère,	McKeen,	Taylor,
Cargill,	Guévard,	McMillan (Vaudreuil),	Temple,
Carling,	Gordon,	McNeill,	Thérien,
Carpenter,	Grandbois,	Madill,	Thompson (Sir John),
Caron, (Sir Adolphe),	Gillet,	Mara,	Tisdale,
Chisholm,	Haggart,	Marshall,	Tupper,
Cimon,	Hall,	Masson,	Tyreshitt,
Cochrane,	Hesson,	Mills (Annapolis),	Vanasse,
Colby,	Hickey,	Moffat,	Wallace,
Corby,	Hudspeth,	Moncreiff,	Ward,
Costigan,	Joncas,	Montplaisir,	Weldon (Albert),
Coughlin,	Jones (Digby),	O'Brien,	White (Renfrew),
Gaulombe,	Kenny,	Paterson (Essex),	Wilmot,
Curran,	Kirkpatrick,	Perley,	Wilson (Argenteuil),
Daly,	Labelle,	Porter,	Wilson (Lennox),
Daoust,	Labrosse,	Prior,	Wood (Brockville), and
Davin,	Landry,	Putnam,	Wood (Westm'd)—113.
Davis,			

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put;

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting "The Customs Act" and the Act amending the same.

(In the Committee.)

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to amend "The Customs Act" and the Act amending the same, and to provide: (a) That the bringing of goods into *Canada* by land conveyance other than railway cars, shall be prohibited during the night and on statutory holidays, except under permit and supervision; (b) That the Board of Customs and Dominion appraisers shall be authorized to review the valuations of port appraisers; (c) That in every case the value for duty shall include the charges of transportation and shipment, and shall be that of the quantity imported; (d) That such value shall include any royalty, rent or charge in respect of exclusive rights or territorial limits; (e) That goods entered for warehouse shall be placed therein without delay; (f) That information shall be exigible as to goods in transit through *Canada*, for statistical and other purposes; (g) That the manner of ascertaining the time of exportation from any place out of *Canada* shall be defined; (h) That moneys deposited in lieu of articles smuggled, and subject to seizure, shall be treated in like manner as if such articles had been seized.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. *Colby* reported the Resolution accordingly, and the same was read, as followeth:—

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to amend "The Customs Act" and the Act amending the same, and to provide: (a) That the bringing of goods into *Canada* by land conveyance other than railway cars, shall be prohibited during the night and on statutory holidays, except under permit and supervision; (b) That the Board of Customs and Dominion appraisers shall be authorized to review the valuations of port appraisers; (c) That in every case the value for duty shall include the charges of transportation and shipment, and shall be that of the quantity imported; (d) That such value shall include any royalty, rent or charge in respect of exclusive rights or territorial limits; (e) That goods entered for warehouse shall be placed therein without delay; (f) That information shall be exigible as to goods in transit through *Canada*, for statistical and other purposes; (g) That the manner of ascertaining the time of exportation from any place out of *Canada* shall be defined; (h) That moneys deposited in lieu of articles smuggled, and subject to seizure, shall be treated in like manner as if such articles had been seized.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Bowell* have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend "The Customs Act," chapter thirty-two of the Revised Statutes.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution, respecting the *North-West Mounted Police Force*.

(In the Committee.)

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to provide that a pension may be paid to any member of the *North-West Mounted Police Force*, other than a commissioned officer, for life, if such member joined the force subsequent to the 23rd day of May, 1873, and completed twenty-five years' service, or if, having completed fifteen years' service, he retires in consequence of bodily or mental infirmity, subject to an obligation,

in the latter case, to return to duty if the incapacity ceases; and that the scale on which such pensions shall be calculated shall be as follows:—If the member has completed fifteen, but less than twenty-one years' service, one-fiftieth of the annual pay for each completed year of service; twenty-one and less than twenty-five years' service, twenty-fiftieths, and in addition two fiftieths for every completed year of service over twenty; twenty-five years, thirty-fiftieths, and in addition one-fiftieth for every completed year over twenty-five, not to exceed, however, two-thirds of his annual pay at retirement; and further, that the annual pay shall be deemed to be the average annual pay, exclusive of extra pay or allowances, during the three years preceding retirement; and also, that if the infirmity causing the retirement is caused by the default or evil habits of the member retiring, a less amount may be fixed by the Governor in Council as his pension.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. Colby reported the Resolution accordingly, and the same was read, as followeth:—

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to provide that a pension may be paid to any member of the North-West Mounted Police Force, other than a commissioned officer, for life, if such member joined the force subsequent to the 23rd day of May, 1873, and completed twenty-five years' service, or if, having completed fifteen years' service, he retires in consequence of bodily or mental infirmity, subject to an obligation, in the latter case, to return to duty if the incapacity ceases; and that the scale on which such pensions shall be calculated shall be as follows:—If the member has completed fifteen, but less than twenty-one years' service, one-fiftieth of the annual pay for each completed year of service; twenty-one and less than twenty-five years' service, twenty-fiftieths, and in addition two-fiftieths for every completed year of service over twenty; twenty-five years, thirty-fiftieths, and in addition one-fiftieth for every completed year over twenty-five, not to exceed, however, two-thirds of his annual pay at retirement; and further, that the annual pay shall be deemed to be the average annual pay, exclusive of extra pay or allowances during the three years preceding retirement; and also, that if the infirmity causing the retirement is caused by the default or evil habits of the member retiring, a less amount may be fixed by the Governor in Council as his pension.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

*Ordered*, That Sir John A. Macdonald have leave to bring in a Bill to authorize the granting of pensions to members of the North-West Mounted Police Force.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill further to amend the Act thirty-sixth Victoria, chapter sixty-one, respecting the Trinity House and Harbour Commissioners of Montreal;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read the third time To-morrow.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the Bill intituled : " An Act to further amend the Act " incorporating the *London and Canadian Loan and Agency Company*," without any amendment.

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill intituled : " An Act for the relief of *William Gordon Lowry*," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And also, the Senate communicate to this House the evidence taken before the Select Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the Bill intituled : " An Act for " the relief of *William Gordon Lowry*," and the papers referred to them, and request that the same be returned to the Senate.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill relating to Bills of Exchange, Cheques and Promissory Notes, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had made some progress, and directed him to move for leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. *Carling*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,— Report on Canadian Archives, by *Douglas Brymner*, Archivist, 1888, being an Appendix to Report of the Minister of Agriculture. (*Sessional Papers, No. 5a.*)

Also, Report of the High Commissioner for *Canada*, with Reports from Agents in the United Kingdom, for the year 1888. (*Sessional Papers, No. 5d.*)

And also, Reports of the Director and Officers of the Experimental Farms, for the year 1888. (*Sessional Papers, No. 5b.*)

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

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Friday, 22nd March, 1889.

PRAYERS.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, from the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, presented to the House the Ninth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth :—

Your Committee have had under consideration the following Bills, and have agreed to report the same with Amendments, viz :—

Bill to enable the City of *Winnipeg* to utilize the *Assiniboine* River water power.

Bill to incorporate the *Lake Manitoba* Railway and Canal Company.

Bill to incorporate the *Three Rivers* and Western Railway Company;—and

Bill respecting the *Canadian Pacific* Railway Company.

Mr. *Taylor*, from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, presented to the House the Third Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth :—

The Report of their Sub-Committee appointed to audit the Printing Accounts, together with the report of the Clerk of the Committee on the Printing Services of the past year, and the Parliamentary Printing Account, Annual Statement, for the

fiscal year, from the 1st July, 1887, to the 30th June, 1888, all thereto annexed; and which, having adopted, they respectfully recommend for the consideration of both Houses.

REPORT OF THE SUB-COMMITTEE.

COMMITTEE ROOM,  
5th March, 1889.

The Sub-Committee of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, to whom was referred the accounts for the Printing Services of Parliament for the past year, for the purpose of audit, beg leave to report:—

That they have carefully examined the Annual Statement of the Receipts and Expenditure on account of the Parliamentary Printing Services, for the fiscal year, from the first day of July, 1887, to the thirtieth day of June, 1888; and, having verified the several items of expenditure by the vouchers and receipted accounts connected therewith, and being thus satisfied of their correctness, they have so certified under their signatures.

On the reference to them of the letter of the Queen's Printer of Ontario, as contained in the Report of the Clerk, referred to them, they have passed the following Resolution, as a recommendation:—

*Resolved*, As a recommendation, that it be an instruction to the Queen's Printer of Canada, to send a copy of the Statutes, Annual and Consolidated, to each Member of such of the Local Legislatures as will reciprocate by sending a copy of their respective Statutes, Annual and Consolidated, to each Member of both Houses of the Dominion Parliament who therein represents the Province so desiring to reciprocate.

The Clerk is in receipt of the following letter from the Queen's Printer:—

Ottawa, 9th March, 1889.

DEAR SIR,—We have every reason to believe, that we shall be quite ready to do all the binding work for next Session. We expect to open the bindery in July, or latest, in August next. Blue-book printing for the next Session will not begin before that time.

Yours truly,

B. CHAMBERLIN.

H. Hartney, Esq.,  
House of Commons.

The Sub-Committee would, therefore, respectfully recommend that the contract of Mr. Mortimer, for the binding of the Sessional Papers, be further extended to cover the completion of the work of the present Session, and then to cease.

All which is respectfully submitted.

D. BERGIN,  
Chairman, Sub-Committee.

REPORT OF THE CLERK OF THE COMMITTEE.

COMMITTEE ROOM,  
25th February, 1889.

To the Chairman and Members of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament:—

GENTLEMEN,—I beg to submit the Annual Statement of the Receipts and Expenditure on account of the Printing Services of Parliament, for the fiscal year 1887-88, showing the cost of these services to have been \$73,109.86. This is certified to, as being correct, by the signature of the Auditor-General.

Accounts, in detail, covering the expenditure of the above sum, with files of the work performed, as vouchers, are prepared for the examination of the Audit Committee. During the Recess, I received several letters from the Queen's Printer and others, which read as follow:—

## No. 1.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PRINTING AND STATIONERY,  
OFFICE OF THE QUEEN'S PRINTER AND CONTROLLER OF STATIONERY,  
Ottawa, 26th June, 1888.

SIR,—I am directed to call your attention to the fact that the Government has entered into arrangements with the Contractors for Parliamentary Printing whereby they surrender their contract therefor, and cancel it from 1st July next. This Department, therefore, will be charged, on and after that date, with the execution of all Parliamentary Printing, under the provisions of the Act, R. S. C., c. 27, and the amending Act, 51 *Vict.*, c. 17. All requisitions issued on and after that date, for printing, must be addressed to this Department.

It will be also necessary that your final settlement with the Contractors, for the current financial year, should extend, not only to jobs ordered and finally completed, but also, to portions of them, however great or small, which have been put in type or printed, on or before the 30th instant.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your very obedient servant,

B. CHAMBERLIN,

Queen's Printer, &c.

H. Hartney, Esq.,

Clerk of the Joint Committee of the two Houses on Printing.

By this letter I presumed that the Department of Public Printing and Stationery, having assumed the contract of Messrs. *MacLean, Roger & Co.*, became, as it were, the Contractors for the Printing of Parliament, for the purpose of working out its provisions and fulfilling its obligations, till its expiry on the 31st December, 1888,—and that that contract was to be carried out in its entirety, the same as if it still remained in the hands of the late Contractors. I have so guided myself, and, by arrangement with the Queen's Printer, had the work performed and charged for at the prices as specified in the contract, the same as if no transfer had taken place.

## No. 2.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PRINTING AND STATIONERY,  
OFFICE OF THE QUEEN'S PRINTER,  
Ottawa, 28th June, 1888.

DEAR SIR,—In supplement of my letter of 26th instant, respecting the cancellation of the contract between Messrs. *MacLean, Roger & Co.* and the Queen for Parliamentary Printing, I should perhaps have requested, what, with the assent of The Honourable the Secretary of State, was intended in that communication, that is, that the contract with Messrs. *MacLean, Roger and Co.* being put an end to, a final settlement should be made with them, of all outstanding accounts of all kinds and whenever accrued; and, upon such settlement, satisfactorily concluded, all security for this or previous contracts, held by you, should be surrendered.

I remain, Dear Sir,

Yours truly,

B. CHAMBERLIN.

H. Hartney, Esq.,  
&c. &c.,

Printing Committee,  
Parliament House.

In accordance with the provisions as contained in the above letter, I finally closed the accounts with Messrs. *MacLean, Roger & Co.* This necessitated the payment for work in progress, as well as for that completed, and caused the expenditure for

1887-8 to be larger than usual, as under ordinary circumstances, this progress work, when finished, would have been charged in the accounts of the succeeding year.

I also surrendered to the late Contractors the deposit receipt from the Bank of *Montreal*, for \$5,000, being the security held by me, as Clerk of the Committee, for the faithful performance of their contract.

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No. 3.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PRINTING AND STATIONERY,  
OFFICE OF THE QUEEN'S PRINTER AND CONTROLLER OF STATIONERY.

SIR,—I have the honour to enclose herewith, for your information, copy of a contract entered into between the Government and Messrs. *MacLean, Roger & Co.*

Under it the then existing contracts for Printing become cancelled, and the work is to be carried forward under the provisions of the Public Printing and Stationery Act and amendment—R.S.C., Cap. 27, and 51 Vict., Cap. 17.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your very obedient servant,

B. CHAMBERLAIN,

*Queen's Printer and Controller of Stationery.*

*H. Hartney, Esq.,*

Clerk, Joint Committee of Parliamentary Printing.

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(Enclosure.)

This Indenture, made the sixteenth day of July, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, in pursuance of the Act respecting Short Forms of Leases;

Between *Alexander MacLean* and *John Charles Roger*, both of the City of *Ottawa*, in the Province of *Ontario*, in the Dominion of *Canada*, carrying on there the business of Printing, under the name, style and firm of *MacLean, Roger & Co.*, and hereinafter called the Lessors, of the first part, and Her Majesty *Queen Victoria*, herein represented by The Honourable the Secretary of State of *Canada*, of the second part;

Witnesseth, that in consideration of the rents, covenants and agreements hereinafter reserved and contained, and on the part of Her Majesty, her successors and assigns, to be paid, observed and performed, the said Lessors have demised and leased, and by these presents do demise and lease unto Her Majesty, her successors and assigns:

All and singular that building and premises fronting on *Wellington Street*, in the said City of *Ottawa*, now occupied by the said Lessors as a Printing Office, together with all the houses, outhouses, yards and other appurtenances thereto belonging, or usually known as part or parcel thereof, or as belonging thereto; together also with all the printing presses, type and stereotype plates and matrices therefor, and stereotyping and printing plant and material, and the use and enjoyment of the steam engine and boiler, and all motive power and shafting, and heating, and lighting apparatus in use therein.

To have and to hold the said demised premises unto Her Majesty, her successors and assigns, for the term of one year beginning upon the first day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

Yielding and paying therefor the rent of Six thousand dollars, to be payable quarterly, in equal portions, on the first days of the months of October, January, April and July during the said term.

And Her Majesty covenants, to pay taxes, and to repair, and that the said Lessors may enter and view state of repair; and that Her Majesty will repair

according to notice, and will not assign, or sublet without leave, and that she will leave the premises in good repair.

And Her Majesty, for herself, her successors, and assigns, doth hereby covenant, promise and agree to and with the said Lessors, their heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, that she or they will, during the continuance of her or their possession of the said premises under these presents, keep up policies of insurance for the amounts mentioned in the schedule annexed hereto upon the said buildings and premises and their contents.

Proviso for re-entry by the Lessors on non payment of rent or non-performance of covenants.

The said Lessors covenant with Her Majesty for quiet enjoyment.

And it is hereby agreed, by and between the Lessors and Her Majesty, that Her Majesty, her successors or assigns, upon giving notice to the Lessors, their heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, of her or their intention so to do, at least one month before the expiration of the said term, may continue to occupy and use the premises hereby demised for the term or period of one month, or of two or more months after the expiration of the said term.

Yielding and paying therefor a rent or sum at the rate of Five hundred dollars, to be payable on the last day of each month of such continued occupancy.

And the said Lessors, for themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, and Her Majesty, for herself and her successors, hereby covenant, promise and agree, each with the other, to observe, perform and keep, with respect to such additional term or period, the like covenants and agreements as are hereinbefore contained to be observed, performed and kept by them, respectively, with respect to the said term of one year.

And the said Lessors, for themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, and Her Majesty, for herself and her successors, hereby covenant that an Inventory, to be prepared as soon as may be after the execution of these presents, and to be identified on the face thereof as the Inventory referred to in these presents, of the said printing presses, type and other contents of the buildings and premises hereby demised, shall, when signed by the Lessors, their heirs, executors, administrators or assigns, and by The Honourable the Secretary of State of *Canada*, on behalf of Her Majesty or her successors, be taken for all purposes to include all the contents of the said buildings and premises which it is intended should be demised therewith by these presents, and that thereupon these presents shall be read and construed as if the said Inventory so prepared, identified and signed, were embodied therein and formed part thereof.

And whereas there is a contract now subsisting between the parties hereto for the execution by the Lessors of the printing work of the several Departments of the Government of *Canada*, and for printing the Statutes and the *Canada Gazette*, which contract will expire on the thirty-first day of October next, and another contract between the said parties (Her Majesty being stated therein to be represented by *Henry Hartney*, Esquire, Clerk of the Joint Committee on Printing of the two Houses of the Parliament of *Canada*) for the execution of all printing required for the two Houses of Parliament; and a third contract for printing the *Hansard* or Report of the Debates of the House of Commons, which two contracts last mentioned will expire on the thirty-first day of December next.

And whereas, by reason of the transfer to Her Majesty of the premises hereby demised, these contracts must be surrendered and determined this day, and a loss of profit which would otherwise have been made thereunder by the said Lessors, will be incurred, and the Lessors have agreed to surrender the said contracts, and to consent to their cancellation on and from this date, and to release Her Majesty from all claims for damage resulting from such cancellation, for, and in consideration of the payment to them by Her Majesty of the sum of Ten thousand dollars of lawful money of *Canada*, of which Five thousand dollars has been duly paid by Her Majesty to the said Lessors at or before the execution of these presents, and the balance of

which Her Majesty, for herself and her successors, hereby agrees to pay on or before the second day of January next.

Now, therefore, this Indenture further witnesseth, that in consideration of the premises the said Lessors hereby surrender the said contracts, and consent to their cancellation as of the thirtieth day of June last, and have remised, released and forever discharged, and do by these presents for themselves, their executors, administrators and assigns, remise, release, and forever discharge Her Majesty and her successors, of and from all manner of action and actions, cause and causes of action, suits, debts, dues, sums of money, claims and demands, whatsoever at law, or in equity, which they, the said Lessors, have, or which they, their executors, administrators or assigns, hereafter can, shall or may have, by reason of the cancellation of the said contracts, respectively, before the respective dates of their expiration, whether on account of the loss of anticipated profits or otherwise howsoever resulting from such cancellation.

And in consideration of the premises, the said Lessors, for and on behalf of themselves, their heirs, executors and administrators, covenant, promise and agree to and with Her Majesty, her successors and assigns, that they, the said Lessors, their executors, administrators and assigns shall and will, at the determination of the occupancy by Her Majesty, her successors or assigns, of the premises hereby demised, hand over to Her Majesty, her successors or assigns, represented as aforesaid, all the type and galleys belonging to Her Majesty now in the possession of the said Lessors, together with all additions to plant of any sort made by Her Majesty, her successors or assigns, during such occupancy, and shall and will transfer to Her Majesty, her successors or assigns, represented as aforesaid, all stereotype plates and matrices therefor prepared and in use for Government or Parliamentary work, and all standing matter set for such work, upon payment to them by Her Majesty, her successors or assigns, of the price of the material of which such stereotype plates, standing matter and matrices are composed.

In Testimony whereof, the said Lessors have hereunto set their hands and seals, and these presents have, on behalf of Her Majesty Queen Victoria; been signed by the said The Honourable the Secretary of State of Canada, and sealed with his seal of office, and countersigned by Grant Powell, Esquire, Under Secretary of State.

A. MACLEAN, (L.S.)  
 J. C. ROGER, (L.S.)  
 J. A. CHAPLEAU, (L.S.)  
 G. POWELL,  
 U.S.S.

Signed, sealed and delivered in presence of:  
 B. CHAMBERLIN.

**INSURANCE STATEMENT.—MACLEAN, ROGER & CO.**

Company.	Amount.	Agent.	Expires.
	\$		
Hartford.....	4,000	Pennock & Pennock.....	March 20, 1889.
Etna of Hartford.....	4,000	do do.....	do 20, 1889.
do do.....	2,000	do do.....	May 10, 1889.
London, Liverpool and Globe.....	2,000	Edward King.....	April 4, 1889.
do do do.....	3,000	do.....	May 10, 1889.
North British and Mercantile.....	2,000	O. R. Cunningham.....	May 27, 1889.
Royal Insurance Company.....	4,750	H. K. Egan.....	Nov. 3, 1888.
Commercial Union.....	4,000	Edward King.....	May 10, 1889.
London.....	4,000	H. K. Egan.....	July 12, 1888.
The Caledonia.....	3,000	Woodburn.....	Nov. 28, 1888.
The Northern of London.....	4,750	H. K. Egan.....	Nov. 3, 1888.
	37,500		

BUILDING.

Royal Insurance Co.....	2,000	H. K. Egan .....	Nov. 12, 1888.
Phoenix.....	4,000	J. Durie & Son .....	Nov. 13, 1888.
	6,000		

STATIONERY AND BOILER.

Canadian Steam Users.....	1,200	.....	March 19, 1888.
Citizens' Insurance Company.....	1,500	Edward King .....	Jan. 24, 1888.
City of London.....	1,600	Charles McGee.....	Nov. 29, 1888.
	4,200		

A. MACL,  
J. C. R.,  
J. A. C.

With regard to the Binding, I sent the following letter to the Queen's Printer:—

DEPARTMENT PRINTING OF PARLIAMENT,

Ottawa, 14th October, 1888.

MY DEAR SIR,—Can you inform me if the Department of Public Printing and Stationery will likely be in a position to perform the Binding required by Parliament, after the present Contractor, Mr. Mortimer, has finished the present year's work? May I also draw your attention to the custom heretofore prevailing with us, viz.: "That the Printers should send the printed sheets, intended for Binding in the Sessional Papers, direct to the Binder, so soon as they leave the Press, that they may be pressed and folded, and then deposited in the Vaults till required. I have thought it right to let you know this, especially if you intend to make arrangements for the Binding different from what has hitherto prevailed."

Yours truly,

HENRY HARTNEY,

Clerk, Printing of Parliament.

Col. Chamberlin,  
Queen's Printer, &c., &c.

In reply to the above, I received the following note:—

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PRINTING AND STATIONERY,

OFFICE OF THE QUEEN'S PRINTER,

Ottawa, 17th October, 1888.

DEAR SIR,—Yours of this morning received. I was about to write to you, or go to see you, upon the same subject. When does Mortimer's contract expire?

We shall be very glad to send the sheets to him out of our way, if he still holds the contract.

Yours truly,

B. CHAMBERLIN,

Queen's Printer, &c.

H. Hartney, Esq.,  
Clerk Parliamentary Printing.

The contract for the Binding with Mr. Mortimer had been extended by Parliament to the 31st December, 1888, and as the Queen's Printer had informed me, verbally, that the Department was not prepared to assume the performance of that

work at present, I thought it advisable to obtain from the Contractor, Mr. Mortimer, in writing, what he would be prepared to do, should his services be required. The following letter is his answer to my enquiry:—

Ottawa, October 19th, 1888.

H. Hartney, Esq.

DEAR SIR,—Agreeable to your request, I beg to state that I am willing to continue the contract for the Binding for both Houses of Parliament under the same conditions as heretofore.

I remain,

Yours respectfully,

W. McG. MORTIMER.

The above letter of Mr. Mortimer's is submitted for the information of the Committee; as well as for such action thereon, as may be considered necessary, as provision must be made for the binding of the Sessional Papers.

I also received the following letter from the Queen's Printer of Ontario:—

OFFICE OF THE QUEEN'S PRINTER, Ontario,  
PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS,

Toronto, 13th February, 1889.

To the Clerk of the Printing Committee:—

Under instructions from our Printing Committee, I have the honour to report to your Printing Committee, that on account of each of our Members having received a set of your Consolidated Statutes of Canada, we will proceed to send a set of our Revised Statutes of Ontario to each Member of your House who represents an Electoral District in Ontario.

I have further to inform your Committee, that in the distribution of our Annual or Sessional Statutes, we have been accustomed to send one copy to every Senator and Commoner representing Ontario, and for which our Committee hope that your Committee may take such action as will result in our Members being annually served with one copy each of your Sessional Statutes.

Please to lay this letter before your Printing Committee for their consideration, and if they make a Report to the House and have it adopted, I will be pleased to know of it and inform our Committee.

Yours respectfully,

JOHN NOTMAN,

Queen's Printer.

On receipt of the above, I wrote to Col. Chamberlin, Queen's Printer, as follows:—

(Memo.)

DEAR SIR,—I have been asked if it is the intention to supply the M.P.'s. of the Ontario Legislative Assembly with the Annual Dominion Statutes, as they supply the M.P.'s. from Ontario in the Dominion Parliament with their Annual Statutes. As I know the question will come up, will you please answer, and oblige,

Yours, &c.,

HENRY HARTNEY.

To the Queen's Printer.

In answer to the above, I received the following:—

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PRINTING AND STATIONERY,  
OFFICE OF THE QUEEN'S PRINTER AND CONTROLLER OF STATIONERY.

DEAR SIR,—I find that the Order of the two Houses, as embodied in the approved Report of the Committee on Printing, directs the distribution of the Statutes to the Members of those Legislatures which "reciprocate by sending a copy of their respec-

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"five Statutes (Annual and Consolidated) to EACH Member of BOTH Houses of the "Dominion Parliament." Are there any which have offered or made such a distribution? Your memo. seems to imply that in the case of *Ontario*, the Provincial Statutes have only been offered or sent to the Members of the House of Commons elected for *Ontario* Constituencies; not to the other Members of the House of Commons, or to any Senators.

If I have correctly understood you, does not the case call for further action by the Printing Committee of this year.

Yours truly,  
B. CHAMBERLIN,  
*Queen's Printer, &c.*

*Henry Hartney, Esq.,*  
Clerk of the Joint Committee on Printing.

P.S.—The Revised Statutes have been sent to the Members of the *Ontario* Legislature, pursuant to instructions from the Privy Council, conveyed through the Secretary of State.

I asked for the reduced sum of \$75,000 to be placed on the Estimates for the Printing of Parliament, for the fiscal year 1889-90, subject to the approval of the Committee.

All which is respectfully submitted.

HENRY HARTNEY,  
*Clerk, Joint Committee on Printing.*

Dr. PARLIAMENTARY PRINTING ACCOUNT—Annual Statement, from 1st July, 1887, to 30th June, 1888. Cr.

Receipts.	Amount.	Vouchers No.	Expenditure.	Amount.
1887-8	\$ cts.	1887-8		\$ cts.
Letters of Credit—Appropriation Account.....	80,000 00	1	Printing:—Balance due 30th June, 1887.....	133 35
REFUNDS:—			do The 20 p. c. retained from last account.....	6,639 18
Account, Departmental Reports.....	\$22,878 38	2	do Account to 31st December, 1887, in full.....	18,893 54
Account, Printing Private Bills.....	680 75	3	do Account to 30th June, 1888.....	39,454 41
		4	Binding Paper.....	5,099 40
		5	Printing Paper.....	18,795 21
	23,560 13		Lithographing.....	1,384 54
		6	Insurance.....	107 50
			Salaries.....	5,750 00
			{ Amount paid, \$6,684.76, less	216 98
			refund, \$1.88.....	177 00
			Rebate, Sup. Pre.....	19 20
			97 13	1,950 68
		7	Postage.....	\$96,669 89
		8	Miscellaneous.....	
		9	Advertising.....	
			Geological Survey, Extra Copies of Report.....	
			Total Expenditure.....	
			Undrawn and unused, including cost of Printing Private Bills.....	6,890 14
	\$103,560 13			\$103,560 13

PARLIAMENTARY PRINTING ACCOUNT—Annual Statement, &c.—Continued.

<p>Memo.—Balance of Paper on hand:—          489½ Rms. of Royal.          631 Rms. of Foolscap.</p>	<p>Expenditure, as above ..... \$96,689 99</p> <p>REVENUE:—          Account, Departmental Reports..... \$22,379 38          Account, Private Bills Printing... 680 75          _____          23,560 13</p> <p>Total cost, Parliamentary Printing..... \$73,109 86</p>
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J. L. McDOUGAL,  
*Auditor General.*

HENRY HAETNEY,  
*Clerk, Printing of Parliament.*

Audited and found correct,

D. BERGIN,  
ROBERT READ,  
A. VIDAL,  
JAMES TROW,  
ALPH. DESJARDINS

COMMITTEE ROOM,  
30th June, 1888.

Mr. *Desjardins*, from the Select Committee appointed to supervise the Official Report of the Debates of this House during the present Session, presented to the House the Second Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee beg leave to report the following Resolution, as a recommendation: "That Members desiring to procure copies of their speeches from the Queen's Printer, may have them furnished in the numbers desired, either in quarto or octavo form, covered or not covered, as may be required, at the actual cost for paper and labour, not including composition, and that this rule may apply to all accounts for the present Session."

On motion of Mr. *White (Renfrew)*, seconded by Mr. *Kirkpatrick*,  
*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate intituled: "An Act to amend the Railway Act," be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Tuesday next.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,  
*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns this day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday next, at Three o'clock, P.M.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin* moved, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*, and the Question being proposed, That a Select Committee be appointed to act with the Committee appointed by the Senate to enquire into the expenditure of the country in respect of Legislation and the practicability of reducing it; and that the said Committee do consist of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, Messieurs *Bowell*, *Charlton*, *Foster* and *White (Renfrew)*.

Sir *John A. Macdonald* moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Foster*, "That the name of Mr. *Mitchell* be substituted for that of Mr. *Bowell* on the proposed Committee."

And the Question being put on the amendment:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then the main Question, so amended, being put;

*Resolved*, That a Select Committee be appointed to act with the Committee appointed by the Senate to enquire into the expenditure of the country in respect of Legislation and the practicability of reducing it, and that the said Committee do consist of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, Messieurs *Mitchell*, *Charlton*, *Foster* and *White (Renfrew)*.

*Resolved*, That a Message be sent to the Senate, communicating to their Honours the foregoing Resolution.

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

A Bill further to amend the Act thirty-sixth *Victoria*, chapter sixty-one, respecting the Trinity House and Harbour Commissioners of *Montreal*, was, according to Order, read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend chapter thirteen of the Revised Statutes, intituled "An Act respecting the House of Commons;"

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made an Amendment thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend the law respecting the Exchequer Court of *Canada*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill further to amend the Supreme and Exchequer Courts Act;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting the Sessional allowances awarded by law to Senators and Members of the House of Commons.

*(In the Committee.)*

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to provide, that there shall be granted to Her Majesty, out of any unappropriated moneys forming part of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, an annual sum sufficient to enable Her Majesty to pay the estimated amount of sessional allowances awarded by law to Senators and Members of the House of Commons; and that all moneys expended for such purpose, shall be expended and

accounted for in like manner as moneys are expended and accounted for in respect of the contingent expenses of the House of Commons, under the Act respecting the House of Commons, as amended by any subsequent Act.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. *Colby* reported the Resolution accordingly, and the same was read, as followeth:—

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to provide, that there shall be granted to Her Majesty, out of any unappropriated moneys forming part of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, an annual sum sufficient to enable Her Majesty to pay the estimated amount of sessional allowances awarded by law to Senators and Members of the House of Commons; and that all moneys expended for such purpose, shall be expended and accounted for in like manner as moneys are expended and accounted for in respect of the contingent expenses of the House of Commons, under the Act respecting the House of Commons as amended by any subsequent Act.

The said Resolution being read a second time, was agreed to.

*Ordered*, That Sir *John Thompson* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend chapter eleven of the Revised Statutes, intituled: "An Act respecting the Senate and House of Commons."

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Tuesday next.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill relating to Bills of Exchange, Cheques and Promissory Notes, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had made some progress, and directed him to move for leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, on Tuesday next, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act incorporating the *Ontario* Mutual Life Assurance Company" with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting Rules of Court in relation to Criminal Matters," with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill intituled: "An Act to consolidate the borrowing powers of the *Ontario* Loan and Debenture Company, and to authorize them to issue Debenture Stock," with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Summary Trials Act,'" to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And, also, the Senate have passed a Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the collection of certain Tolls and Dues therein mentioned," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented Return to an Order of this House, dated 25th February, 1889, for a Return showing the amount of money paid on account of work performed or material furnished for opening or improving public roads or streets in the City of *Ottawa*, from the 1st of July, 1888, to the 1st of January, 1889; the names of the party or parties to whom paid,

for what paid, and the amount; the name or names of all parties in charge as inspectors or superintendents, and the amount per day or month paid to them. (*Sessional Papers, No. 62.*)

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand and eighty-six dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for pensions payable on account of Fenian Raid, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand one hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet probable amount required for Veterans of War of 1812, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for compensation to Pensioners in lieu of land, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay a pension of \$400 per annum to Mrs. *Gowanlock*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

And it being Six o'clock P.M., Mr. Speaker took the Chair, and left it, to resume the same at half-past Seven o'Clock P.M.

*Half past Seven o'Clock P.M.*

Private Bills under Rule 19.

A Bill to incorporate the Supreme Court of the Independent Order of Foresters, was, according to Order, read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the Union Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a third time on Wednesday next.

The Committee of Supply was then resumed.

(*In the Committee*)

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fourteen thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salaries, Militia Branch and District Staff, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Brigade Majors' Salaries, Transport Expenses, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Armouries and care of Arms, including pay of Storekeepers, Caretakers, Storemen and Armourers, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and ninety thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Drill instruction, \$40,000; Drill pay and other incidental expenses connected with the drill and training of the Militia, \$250,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for contingencies and general services, not otherwise provided for, including grants to Artillery and Rifle Associations and bands of efficient corps, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dominion Rifle Association—Government grant, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dominion Artillery Association—Government grant, towards Artillery competition to be held in *Canada*, or for sending a team of Dominion Artillerymen to compete at *Shoeburyness, England*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for improved rifled ordnance, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz :—Military Properties, Drill Sheds—Rifle ranges and care and maintenance of Military Properties, \$22,000; Construction and repairs, \$75,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and eighty-four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz :—Permanent Forces—Pay and maintenance of "A," "B" and "C" Batteries, Schools of Artillery at *Quebec, Kingston and Victoria, B.C.*, \$180,000; Cavalry and Infantry Schools at *Quebec, Fredericton, St. John's, P.Q., Toronto, London and Winnipeg*, \$304,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards expense of additional public building, *Wellington street*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and thirty-three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required for construction of *Port Arthur Harbour* and for *Kaministiquia River*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Kingston Graving Dock*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Cape Tormentine Harbour, N.B.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand six hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings in *Nova Scotia* :—*Annapolis Post Office, Custom House, &c.*, \$10,000; *Halifax Dominion Building, repairs, &c.*, \$1,500; *Sydney (South) Post Office, Custom House, &c.*, \$10,000; *Halifax Examining Warehouse*, \$175, for year ending 30th June, 1890.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *New Brunswick* :—*Dalhousie Post Office*, \$12,000; *Fredericton Post Office, Custom House, &c.*, \$650; *St. John Dominion Buildings—Improvements, &c.*, \$1,500; *Woodstock Post Office—To complete*, \$300, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-nine thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Quebec* :—*Aylmer Post Office—To complete*, \$6,900; *Coaticook Post Office, Custom House and Inland Revenue Office—To complete*, \$2,000; *Grosse Isle Quarantine Station*, \$500; *Hull Post Office and Inland Revenue Office—To complete*, \$700; *Joliette Post Office—To complete*, \$7,000; *La-prairie Post Office*, site to be furnished by local authorities free of cost, \$3,000; *Montreal Dominion Buildings, improvements and repairs*, \$1,500; *Lachine Post Office, &c.*, \$6,000; *Montreal Post office safe, &c.*, \$400; *Montreal Post Office—Electric lighting, extensions, alterations, &c.*, \$1,250; *Quebec Custom House*, \$500; *Quebec Dominion Buildings, improvements, &c.*, \$1,500; *Rivière du Loup (Fraserville) Post Office, Custom House, &c.*, \$2,000; *Sherbrooke Public Building, improvements*, \$250; *St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary*, \$20,000; *St. Hyacinthe Post Office, Custom House, &c.*

\$6,000; *St. Jérôme* Public Building—To complete, \$9 500; *Three Rivers* Dominion Buildings, improvements, &c., \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty-four thousand six hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Ontario*:—*Almonte* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$7,000; *Brampton* Public Building, \$7,000; *Cayuga* Post Office—To complete, \$4,500; *Cobourg* Post Office, Custom House, &c.—To complete, \$6,000; *Gananoque* Post Office, Custom House, &c., to complete, \$2,500; *Goderich* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$7,000; Government Printing Bureau, to complete, \$33,000; *Kingston* Penitentiary, \$20,000; *Lindsay* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$9,000; *London* Custom House (revote of lapsed amount) \$4,000; *Napanee* Post Office, Custom House, &c.—To complete, \$11,000; *Pembroke* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$8,000; *Port Arthur* Post Office, Custom House, &c., on proper site being given, \$7,000; *Prescott* Post Office and Custom House Buildings, \$10,000; *Strathroy* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$7,000; *Toronto* Dominion Buildings improvements, &c., \$1,500; *Trenton* Public Building, \$7,000; *Toronto* Drill Hall—For the construction of, on condition that the City of *Toronto* provide a plot of land, as agreed upon, \$30,000; Departmental Buildings, *Ottawa*—Reconstruction of elevator in Western Block, \$3,000; *Toronto* Examining Warehouse—Outbuilding, \$150, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Manitoba*:—*Brandon* Post Office, \$10,000; *Brandon* Immigrant Building, improvements, &c., \$350, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *North-West Territories* generally, \$5,000; Residence for Lieutenant-Governor of *North-West Territories*, *Regina*, \$9,000; *Calgary* Court House, Jail, &c., \$10,000; Crown Lands and Timber Agents' Offices at *Regina*, *Prince Albert* and *Edmonton*, \$10,000; Court House, Lock up and Police accommodation at *Moosomin*, *Wolseley*, *Maple Creek* and *Medicine Hat*, \$7,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for general repairs and improvements, Public Buildings, *British Columbia*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings generally, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-two thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Nova Scotia*:—*Arisaig*—Completion of pier, \$6,000; *Barrington* Passage Pier, \$1,000; *Cheticamp*—To complete, \$1,000; *Cow Bay*—Repairs, \$2,000; East River of *Pictou*—Removing rocks, to complete, \$500; *Eatonville* Pier—To complete, \$2,100; *Mabou*, \$1,000; *Noël*, \$2,000; *Partridge* Island River, \$2,000; *Port Hood*—Repairs, \$2,500; *Sheet* Harbour—To complete, \$1,000; *Wallace* Harbour, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

Resolutions to be reported.

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Saturday morning.

*Saturday 23rd March, 1889.*

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received on Tuesday next.

Mr. Colby also acquainted the House that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, on Tuesday next, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

And then The House, having continued to sit till twenty-five minutes before One of the Clock on Saturday morning, adjourned till Tuesday next at Three o'Clock, P. M.

Tuesday, 26th March, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Mills* (*Annapolis*)—The Petition of *R. J. Anthony*, master mariner and others, of *Bear River* and vicinity, Counties of *Digby* and *Annapolis, Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. *Cameron*,—The Petition of the Reverend *W. M. LeBlanc*, P.P., and others, of the Province of *Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. *Denison*,—Two Petitions of Local Assembly No. 2305, Knights of Labour, *Toronto, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Cockburn*,—Three Petitions of Local Assembly, No. 2305, Knights of Labour, *Toronto, Ontario*.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received:—

Of the Canadian Association of Stationary Engineers, No. 3; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, to provide for the examination and licensing of persons having charge of stationary steam engines, may become law.

Of Messrs. *Henry Dobell & Co.* and others, of the City of *Montreal*; praying that an export duty be imposed on raw wood ashes.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Mr. *Tupper*,

Ordered, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act respecting the collection of certain Tolls and Dues therein mentioned," be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Mr. *Tupper*,

Ordered, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Summary Trials Act,'" be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Mr. *Bergin*, from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, presented to the House the Fourth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

The Committee carefully examined the following documents, and recommend that they be printed, viz:—

22g. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 11th instant, for copies of an agreement of December 14th, 1885, between the Dominion Government and the International Railway Company, for the construction of a line of railway from the south bank of the *St. Lawrence River*, at or near *Caughnawaga*, to Harbours of *St. Andrews, St. John* and *Halifax, via Sherbrooke, Moosehead Lake, Mattawamkeag, Harvey, Fredericton*, and through Township of *Salisbury to Moncton*;

Also, for copies of any and all changes that may have been made in said agreement, and of the Orders in Council relating thereto;

Also, for copies of any and all transfers or assignments of said agreement or contract, and of all Orders in Council relating thereto. (*Distribution only.*)

50. Copies of General Orders, No. 84 and No. 85, of the Supreme Court of *Canada*. (*Distribution only.*)

54. A copy of the Bill, 51-52 *Victoria*, Chapter 13, *Quebec*, intitled: "An Act respecting the settlement of the Jesuits' Estates"; copies of the report made on the 16th January last, or any other date, to His Excellency the Governor General upon the said Act; all Orders in Council, reports, opinions or other papers showing the consideration and conclusion arrived at by the Government, in regard to the said Act; all correspondence in relation to the said Act had between the Government and the Government of the Province of *Quebec*, or any other person or persons whomsoever; as well as all petitions or written representations made to the Government for or against the said Act becoming law, and showing at what date the said Bill was received by the Government and approved of by them. (*Distribution and Sessional Papers.*)

The Committee would also recommend that the following documents be not printed, viz. :—

12a. Copies of the several tenders sent in for supplies for the *Manitoba Penitentiary*, during the fiscal year 1887-88, with correspondence in relation thereto.

21. Return to an Order of the House of the 9th April, 1888, for a copy of Report of Engineers and Surveyors appointed to survey the *Straits of Northumberland*, from *Carleton Point, Prince Edward Island*, to *Cape Jourmain New Brunswick*, during the summer of 1887, with the view of ascertaining the practicability of building a subway across the Straits.

22. Return to an Order of the House of the 7th May, 1888, for copies of all correspondence and telegrams between the Department of Railways and Messrs. *Sims and Slater*, Contractors for the Eastern Section of the *Cape Breton Railway*, between the *Grand Narrows* and *Sydney*.

22d. Return to an Order of the House of the 6th instant, for copies of all petitions, reports and other documents in relation to the granting of subsidies by the Dominion Government, to the proposed line of railway from *Montreal* to *Lévis* known as the Great Eastern.

22e. Return to an Order of the House of the 6th ultimo, for a Return showing :—

1st. A list of all the present Shareholders of the *Témiscouata Railway Company* ;

2nd. The number of shares held by each Shareholder ;

3rd. The amount paid by each of them on their respective shares.

22f. Return to an Order of the House of the 13th ultimo, for a Return of all correspondence between the Grand Trunk Railway authorities and the Government respecting the subsidy granted for the completion of the line of the *Belleville and North Hastings Railway Company*, from the Village of *Madoc* to *Eldorado*, in the North Riding of *Hastings*, and in reference to the work done towards the completion of such work, and respecting the acceptance and opening up the same for traffic.

23a. Return to an Order of the House of the 8th ultimo, for a copy of Engineer's last report on the feasibility of constructing a Harbour at *Naufrage, King's County, Prince Edward Island*.

42. Return to an Order of the House of the 7th May, 1888, for copies of all papers, plans, letters, reports, and other documents whatsoever in relation to the building of a pier or wharf at *Ste. Anne des Monts*, in the County of *Gaspé*.

43b. Return to an Order of the House of the 13th instant, for copies of all correspondence between the Manufacturers' Insurance Company and the Superintendent of Insurance respecting the list of Stockholders of said Company, furnished by the said Company, in accordance with the statute in that behalf.

44. Return to an Order of the House of the 8th instant, for copies of all correspondence between the Minister of the Interior and any officials of his Department, and *Thomas Sioni* and others, Indians of the *Huron Tribe of Lorette*.

44a. Return to an Order of the House of the 25th ultimo, for a Return of all sales made of Indian lands on the west side of the *Grand River*, in the Village of *Cayuga*, in the County of *Haldimand*; copies of all instructions given to the valuers of said lands, the reports of said valuers, and all correspondence and papers relating thereto.

45. Return to an Order of the House of the 8th ultimo, for a Return showing the amount, respectively, of pine and spruce sawlogs, board measure, exported in each year from 1867 to June 30th, 1888; the amount of export duty collected in each year from each class of logs; the rate of duty in each year upon each kind of logs; and the amount of export of each kind of logs, and amount of duty collected upon the same, by Provinces.

45a. Return to an Order of the House of the 25th ultimo, for a Return of amount of export duty collected or paid on sawlogs and other lumber in the year 1888, specifying at what Custom House such duty was paid, and the respective amounts paid at each Custom House.

45b. Supplementary Return to an Order of the House of the 16th April, 1888, for a statement showing total cost of construction of various works for the descent of timber and sawlogs on the *Ottawa River* and its tributaries, up to the 30th June last; also, statement showing the yearly expenditure for the maintenance of the said works for five years preceding the 30th June last, under the different heads of reconstruction, repairs and cost of management, at each of the stations, with the names of river or tributary where the same was expended; likewise copies of any or all applications, whether from individuals or chartered companies, to acquire by purchase or otherwise all or any portion of said works and improvements on the said *Ottawa River* and tributaries thereof.

46. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 6th ultimo, for copies of all Orders in Council, reports, correspondence and papers relating to the dismissal of the Honourable *William Ross* from the Collectorship of Customs at the Port of *Halifax*.

47. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 25th ultimo, for copies of all Orders in Council, correspondence and other documents, respecting the disallowance of Acts passed by the Province of *Quebec* in 1887.

47a. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 25th ultimo, for copies of all Orders in Council, correspondence and other documents in relation to the disallowance of the Act for the conversion of the debt.

47b. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 25th ultimo, for copies of all Orders in Council, correspondence and other documents respecting the disallowance of the Act respecting the Bar of the Province of *Quebec*, passed in 1886, in which Act the *Batonnier Général* was granted precedence over all other lawyers.

47c. Return (*in part*) to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 25th ultimo, for copies of all Orders in Council, correspondence and other documents in relation to the disallowance of the Act respecting magistrates.

48. Return to an Order of the House of the 25th ultimo, for a Return showing the date at which Mr. Speaker received the certificate of the Judge in each of the following cases:—in the Election trial of *Halton, Shelburne, Northumberland (East), Haldimand, Joliette, Cumberland and Kent (Ontario)*; the date of the Speaker's warrant, and the date of the writ for a new election.

49a. Return to an Order of the House of the 25th ultimo, for copies of all reports of the Engineers, and other officers employed by the Department of Railways and Canals on the subject of water power in the new *Welland Canal*.

49b. Return to an Order of the House of the 25th ultimo, for copies of the several tenders, and all papers, letters and contract for the construction of the *Sault Ste. Marie Canal*.

51. Return to an Order of the House of the 25th ultimo, for copies of all correspondence, reports, &c., between the officials of the Intercolonial Railway and Mr. *Louis Fortin*, of *St. Octave de Métis*, in relation to the killing of a horse by the cars in October, 1888.

52. Return to an Order of the House of the 6th ultimo, for a Return of the names of all Chaplains of Public Institutions, under appointment of the Government,

together with the dates of their appointment, the amount of their salaries, and the religious denominations to which they belong.

53. Return to an Order of the House of the 25th ultimo, for a Return showing what sums of money have been paid by the Government to *W. A. Webster*, during each of the financial years 1887 and 1888, and since the 1st July, 1888, specifying the services for which he was paid.

55. Return to an Order of the House of the 4th instant, for Return of copies of all petitions presented to the Government by the residents of the Townships of the front of *Young* and the front of *Escott*, in the County of *Leeds, Ontario*, praying that an Act passed by the Local Legislature of the Province of *Ontario*, assented to the 23rd March, 1888, intituled "An Act to provide for the union of the Townships of the front of *Young* and front of *Escott*," might be disallowed.

56. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 11th instant, for a Statement or Return of the Government in answer to the request of the Home Government for information as to the working of "The *Canada* Temperance Act" in the several Provinces of the Dominion.

57. Return to an Order of the House of the 8th ultimo, for a Return showing what repairs have been done to the dredge "*Prince Edward*," during the year 1888, the date of commencement of work, and when finished, with cost of said work; also, the amount of work done by said dredge during the year 1888.

58. Return to an Order of the House of the 4th instant, for a copy of the names of fishermen in *Prince Edward Island*, who, for the year 1886 and 1887, have made claims for the fishery bounty, and whose claims have been rejected; also, for copies of the reports of the officers or parties against such claims, and the names and residences of such officers or parties.

58a. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 13th ultimo, for a Return of all correspondence between the Government of the Dominion and the Government of *Ontario* in respect to the expediency of permitting net fishing by white men in the inland waters of *Ontario*, north and north-west of *Lakes Huron and Superior*;

Also, of all correspondence between the Indian Department and any other Department of the Government, in regard to the distress and destitution which would be brought upon the resident Indian population by unrestricted net fishing in the waters from which they derive their chief means of subsistence.

59. Return to an Order of the House of the 25th ultimo, for a Return showing:—

1st. In what ports of the Dominion the Government collect hospital dues on ships.

2nd. What amount was collected in each of the said ports during last season.

3rd. How many seamen were under treatment in each of the said ports during the season;—and

4th. How much the Government have paid to the hospitals of the several ports during last season.

60. Continuation of the correspondence published in the Auditor-General's Report on the subject of carrying forward the gross amount of the Loan and Sinking Fund of the Consolidated Canadian Loan, converted.

61. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 11th instant, for copies of all correspondence between the Government and the Lieut-Governor of the *North-West Territories*, together with any papers, reports and documents in reference to the issue of permits or licenses for the sale of spirituous liquors, beer or other intoxicants in public houses or otherwise in the *North-West Territories*; also, copies of all regulations, documents or other proceedings issued or adopted by the Lieut-Governor of the *North-West Territories*, under which licenses or permits for the sale of beer or other intoxicants in public houses have been granted in the said Territories.

The Order of the Day being read, for the House again in the Committee of Supply;

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*, and the Question being proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair;

Mr. *O'Brien* moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Tyrwhitt*, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words: "it be *Resolved*, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General setting forth:—

"1. That this House regards the power of disallowing the Acts of the Legislative Assemblies of the Provinces, vested in His Excellency in Council, as a prerogative essential to the national existence of the Dominion.

"2. That this great power, while it should never be wantonly exercised, should be fearlessly used for the protection of the rights of a minority, for the preservation of the fundamental principles of the Constitution, and for safeguarding the general interests of the people.

"3. That, in the opinion of this House, the passage by the Legislature of the Province of *Quebec* of the Act intituled: 'An Act respecting the settlement of the 'Jesuits' Estates,' is beyond the power of that Legislature. Firstly, because it endows from public funds a religious organization, thereby violating the undoubted constitutional principle of the complete separation of Church and State, and of the absolute equality of all denominations before the Law. Secondly, because it recognizes the usurpation of a right by a foreign authority, namely, His Holiness the Pope of *Rome*, to claim that his consent was necessary to empower the Provincial Legislature to dispose of a portion of the public domain, and also, because the Act is made to depend upon the will, and the appropriation of the grant thereby made is subject to the control of the same authority. And thirdly, because the endowment of the Society of *Jesus*, an alien, secret, and politico-religious body, the expulsion of which from every Christian community wherein it has had a footing, has been rendered necessary by its intolerant and mischievous intermeddling with the functions of civil government, is fraught with danger to the civil and religious liberties of the people of *Canada*.

"And this House therefore prays, that His Excellency will be graciously pleased to disallow the said Act," inserted instead thereof;

And a Debate arising thereupon;

On motion of Mr. *McCarthy*, seconded by Mr. *Kirkpatrick*,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Cobourg, Northumberland* and Pacific Railway Company," without any amendment.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the *Prescott* County Railway Company," and to change the name of the Company to "The Central Counties Railway Company," with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *General Trust* Company," with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Canada* Congregational Foreign Missionary Society," with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend the Act respecting *Queen's College* at *Kingston*," with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *George McDonald Bagwell*," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And also, the Senate communicate to this House the evidence taken before the Select Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of *George McDonald Bagwell*," and the papers referred to them, and request that the same be returned to the Senate.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Wednesday, 27th March, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *McCarthy*,—The Petition of the Reverend *A. Marshall* and others.

By Mr. *Langelier* (*Quebec*),—The Petition of *Elson J. Rexford* and others, of the City of *Quebec*.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, from the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, presented to the House the Tenth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee, in obedience to the Order of the House of the 20th March, instant, have further considered Bill to incorporate the *Saskatchewan Railway and Mining Company*, and have agreed to report the same without further amendment.

They have also had under consideration:

Bill to incorporate the *Assiniboine Water Power Company*.

Bill respecting the *Wood Mountain and Qu'Appelle Railway Company*;—and

Bill to incorporate the *Moose Jaw, Battleford and Edmonton Railway Company*; and have agreed to report the same with Amendments.

Your Committee recommend, that as the time for the reception of Reports from Committees on Private Bills will expire To-morrow (Thursday), the same be extended until the 4th of April next.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Sir *John Thompson*,

Ordered, That as the time for the reception of Reports from Committees on Private Bills will expire To-morrow (Thursday), the same be extended until the 4th of April next, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Tenth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

On motion of Mr. *Bergin*, seconded by Mr. *Rykert*,

Resolved, That this House doth concur in the Third and Fourth Reports of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was, yesterday proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (for the House again in the Committee of Supply),

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words, "it be Resolved, That an humble Address" be presented to His Excellency the Governor General setting forth:—

"1. That this House regards the power of disallowing the Acts of the Legislative Assemblies of the Provinces, vested in His Excellency in Council, as a prerogative essential to the national existence of the Dominion.

" 2. That this great power, while it should never be wantonly exercised, should be fearlessly used for the protection of the rights of a minority, for the preservation of the fundamental principles of the Constitution, and for safeguarding the general interests of the people.

" 3. That, in the opinion of this House, the passage by the Legislature of the Province of *Quebec* of the Act intituled: 'An Act respecting the settlement of the Jesuits' Estates,' is beyond the power of that Legislature. Firstly, because it endows from public funds a religious organization, thereby violating the undoubted constitutional principle of the complete separation of Church and State, and of the absolute equality of all denominations before the Law. Secondly, because it recognizes the usurpation of a right by a Foreign authority, namely, His Holiness the Pope of *Rome*, to claim that his consent was necessary to empower the Provincial Legislature to dispose of a portion of the public domain, and also, because the Act is made to depend upon the will, and the appropriation of the grant thereby made is subject to the control of the same authority. And thirdly, because the endowment of the Society of *Jesus*, an alien, secret, and politico-religious body, the expulsion of which from every Christian community wherein it has had a footing has been rendered necessary by its intolerant and mischievous intermeddling with the functions of civil government, is fraught with danger to the civil and religious liberties of the people of Canada.

" And this House therefore prays, that His Excellency will be graciously pleased to disallow the said Act," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question on the amendment, being again proposed;—The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

And it being Six o'Clock P.M., Mr. Speaker left the Chair, to resume the same at half-past Seven o'Clock P.M.

*Half-past Seven o'Clock, P.M.*

Private Bills under Rule 19.

The Order of the Day being read, for the third reading of the Bill to incorporate the Union Railway Company;

Mr. *White (Renfrew)* moved, seconded by Mr. *Kirkpatrick*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time.

Mr. *Bryson* moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Cameron*, That all the words after "now" to the end of the Question, be left out, and the words "re-committed to a Committee of the Whole House, for the purpose of amending the same by inserting a clause providing that the said Act shall not come into operation until the 1st day of January, 1891," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put;

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled "An Act to amend the Act incorporating the *Ontario Mutual Life Assurance Company*," and the same were twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendments.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to consolidate the borrowing

powers of the *Ontario Loan and Debenture Company*, and to authorize them to issue *Debenture Stock*," and the same were twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendments.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendment made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the *Prescott County Railway Company*," and to change the name of the Company to "The *Central Counties Railway Company*," and the same was twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendment.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Canadian General Trusts Company*," and the same were twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendments.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Canada Congregational Foreign Missionary Society*," and the same were twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendments.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendment made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend the Act respecting *Queen's College at Kingston*," and the same was twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendment.

The House, according to order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to amend the Act incorporating the *Massawippi Junction Railway Company*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Landry* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to enable the City of *Winnipeg* to utilise the *Assiniboine River* water power, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Lake Manitoba Railway and Canal Company*, and, after some time

spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Three Rivers* and Western Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House then resumed the Debate on the amendment proposed to be made to the Question, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, (for the House again in the Committee of Supply);

On motion of Mr. *Mills* (*Bothwell*), seconded by Mr. *Weldon* (*St. John*),

*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

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Thursday, 28th March, 1889.

PRAYERS.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received:—

Of *R. J. Anthony*, master mariner, and others, of *Bear River* and vicinity, Counties of *Digby* and *Annapolis*, *Nova Scotia*; praying for the appointment of a suitable Harbour Master at the Port of *Bear River* aforesaid.

Of the Reverend *W. M. LeBlanc*, P. P., and others, of the Province of *Nova Scotia*; praying for a change in the law respecting the fishing of lobsters.

Of Local Assembly, No. 2305, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, respecting the prevention and suppression of Combinations formed in restraint of Trade, may become law.

Of Local Assembly, No. 2305, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament for the placing on the free list of articles of Merchandise, &c., controlled by trusts and combinations, may become law.

Of Local Assembly, No. 2305, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament for the protection of persons employed by contractors engaged in the construction of Railways, under Acts passed by the Parliament of Canada, may become law.

Of Local Assembly, No. 2305, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament to amend the Act respecting Threats, Intimidation and other Offences, may become law.

Of Local Assembly, No. 2305, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, intituled: "An Act respecting Benevolent Societies," may not become law.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *Arthur Wand*," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *William Henry Middleton*," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate communicate to this House the evidence taken before the Select Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the Bill, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *Arthur Wand*," and also, the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of *William Henry Middleton*," and the papers referred to them, and request that the same be returned to the Senate.

And also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Summary Convictions Act,' chapter one hundred and seventy-eight of the Revised Statutes, and the Act amending the same," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Mr. *Ives*, from the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills presented to the House the Fourth report of the said Committee, which was read as followeth:—

Your Committee have examined the following Bills, and beg to report the same with Amendments, viz:—

Bill to incorporate the Dominion Mineral Company;—and

Bill to incorporate the Canadian Superphosphate Company.

Your Committee have considered it necessary to amend the preamble in each case, so as to more clearly define the object of the promoters.

Your Committee respectfully recommend that the fee of Two hundred dollars, levied under Rule 58, on the following Bills, viz:—

Bill respecting the Baptist Convention of *Ontario* and *Quebec* reported by your Committee on the 28th ultimo;—and

Bill to amend the Act respecting Queen's College at *Kingston*, reported on the 7th instant, be refunded in each case, as in the opinion of your Committee the said Bills are not liable to such fee.

On motion of Mr. *Denison*, seconded by Mr. *Mills (Annapolis)*,

Ordered, That the fee of Two hundred dollars paid on the Bill respecting the Baptist Convention of *Ontario* and *Quebec* be refunded in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Fourth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

On motion of Mr. *Kirkpatrick*, seconded by Mr. *Landry*,

Ordered, That the fee of Two hundred dollars paid on the Bill to amend the Act respecting the Queen's College at *Kingston* be refunded, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Fourth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

On motion of Mr. *Small*, seconded by Mr. *Ferguson (Welland)*,

Ordered, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *William Gordon Lowry*," be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time.

And the Question being put, That the Bill be read a second time To-morrow; the House divided; and it was resolved in the Affirmative,

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time To-morrow.

On motion of Mr. *Brown*, seconded by Mr. *Small*,  
*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of  
 "George McDonald Bagwell," be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time.

And the Question being put, That the Bill be read a second time To-morrow ;  
 the House divided : and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time To-morrow.

On motion of Mr. *Small*, seconded by Mr. *Brown*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of  
 "Arthur Wand," be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time.

And the Question being put, That the Bill be read a second time To-morrow ; the  
 House divided : and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time To-morrow.

On motion of Mr. *Small*, seconded by Mr. *Brown*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of  
 "William Henry Middleton," be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time.

And the Question being put, That the Bill be read a second time To-morrow ;  
 the House divided : and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Sir *John Thompson* have leave to bring in a Bill in reference to  
 the Western Counties Railway.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received  
 and read the first time ; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the  
 Question which was, on Tuesday last proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the  
 Chair (for the House again in the Committee of Supply) ;

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after "That" to the end  
 of the Question be left out, and the words "it be Resolved, That an humble Address  
 "be presented to His Excellency the Governor General setting forth:—

"1. That this House regards the power of disallowing the Acts of the Legisla-  
 tive Assemblies of the Provinces, vested in His Excellency in Council, as a prero-  
 gative essential to the national existence of the Dominion.

"2. That this great power, while it should never be wantonly exercised, should  
 "be fearlessly used for the protection of the rights of a minority, for the preservation  
 "of the fundamental principles of the Constitution, and for safeguarding the general  
 "interests of the people.

"3. That, in the opinion of this House, the passage by the Legislature of the  
 "Province of *Quebec* of the Act intituled: 'An Act respecting the settlement of the  
 "'Jesuits' Estates,' is beyond the power of that Legislature. Firstly, because it  
 "endows from public funds a religious organization, thereby violating the undoubted  
 "constitutional principle of the complete separation of Church and State, and of the  
 "absolute equality of all denominations before the Law. Secondly, because it  
 "recognizes the usurpation of a right by a Foreign authority, namely, His Holiness  
 "the Pope of *Rome*, to claim that his consent was necessary to empower the Pro-  
 "vincial Legislature to dispose of a portion of the public domain, and also, because  
 "the Act is made to depend upon the will, and the appropriation of the grant thereby  
 "made is subject to the control of the same authority. And thirdly, because the  
 "endowment of the Society of *Jesus*, an alien, secret, and politico-religious body, the  
 "expulsion of which from every Christian community wherein it has had a foot-  
 "ing has been rendered necessary by its intolerant and mischievous intermeddling

“with the functions of civil government, is fraught with danger to the civil and religious liberties of the people of *Canada*.”

“And this House therefore prays, that His Excellency will be graciously pleased to disallow the said Act,” inserted instead thereof;

And the Question on the amendment being again proposed: The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Friday morning;

*Friday, 29th March, 1889.*

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

YEAS :

Messieurs

<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt, and</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>McCarthy,</i>	<i>Scrifer,</i>	<i>Wallace.—13.</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>			

NAYS :

Messieurs

<i>Amyot,</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>
<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>	<i>Purcell,</i>
<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Putnam</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Riopet,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec),</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>	<i>Romeo,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Blake,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Scarth,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Ferguson (D's. &amp; Gren),</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Smith (Sir Donald),</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>McDougald (C. Breton),</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>McGreevy,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Carqill,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Girouard,</i>	<i>Madull,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd),</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Chisholm,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Ward,</i>

<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Chouinard,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Welsh,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Cook,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Wilnot,</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Ives,</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin),</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox),</i>
<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville),</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	<i>Wood (Westmoreland)</i>
<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wright, and</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Préfontaine,</i>	<i>Yeo.—188.</i>

So it passed in the Negative ;

Then, the main Question being put ; It was resolved in the Affirmative.

*Ordered,* That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for general repairs and improvements, Harbours and Rivers, Maritime Provinces, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair ; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered,* That the Report be received at the next sitting of the House, this day.

Mr. *Colby* also acquainted the House, that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

*Resolved,* That this House will, at its next sitting, this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth :—

The Senate have passed the following Bills, without any amendment :—

Bill intituled : “ An Act respecting the *Bay of Quinté* Bridge Company.”

Bill intituled : “ An Act respecting the *Berlin* and Canadian Pacific Junction “ Railway Company.”

Bill intituled : “ An Act to ratify an Exchange of Land between the *Ontario* and “ *Quebec* Railway Company and the Land Security Company.”

Bill intituled : “ An Act respecting the incorporation of the Northern Pacific “ and *Manitoba* Railway Company.”

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled : “ An Act to revive and amend “ the Acts relating to the *Saint Gabriel* Levee and Railway Company,” with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled : “ An Act respecting the *Kingston* “ and *Pembroke* Railway Company,” with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled : “ An Act to amend the Act to “ incorporate the *Winnipeg* and North Pacific Railway Company,” with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

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And also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the "Ontario, Manitoba and Western Railway Company," with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And then The House, having continued to sit till three minutes before Two of the Clock on Friday morning, adjourned till this day.

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Friday, 29th March, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. Cameron,—The Petition of the Reverend *Colin Chisholm*, P.P., and others, of the County of *Inverness, Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. Wright,—The Petition of *Richard Moore*, Mayor, and others, of the Township of *Wright*, County of *Ottawa, Quebec*.

By Mr. Dickinson,—The Petition of *W. B. Dickinson* and others, of the Village of *Manotick*, County of *Carleton, Ontario*.

By Mr. Cockburn,—The Petition of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*.

By Mr. Denison—Two Petitions of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*.

By Sir *Richard J. Cartwright*,—The Petition of Messieurs *George J. McDonald* and Company.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received:—

Of the Reverend *A. Marshall* and others; praying for the disallowance of the *Jesuits' Estates Act*, passed by the Legislature of the Province of *Quebec*.

Of *Elson J. Rexford* and others, of the City of *Quebec*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, intituled: "An Act respecting Benevolent Societies," may become law.

*Mr. Hall*, from the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, presented to the House the Sixth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have had under consideration Bill to incorporate the Title and Mortgage Guarantee Company of *Canada*, and have agreed to report the same with Amendments.

*Sir Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 25th February, 1889, for copies of all correspondence with the Department of Railways and Canals in connection with the opening of the Canals of the Dominion for Sunday traffic. Also, a statement of the number of steamboats and vessels passing through the several canals between the date of the order permitting the same and the close of navigation, in the year 1888. Also, copies of all instructions to the Superintendents of the several canals. (*Sessional Papers, No. 49c.*)

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Dewdney*, have leave to bring in a Bill to provide for the conveyance of certain lands to *British Columbia*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Tupper* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend "The Fisheries Act," chapter ninety-five of the Revised Statutes.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Tupper* have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend "The Steamboat Inspection Act," chapter seventy-eight of the Revised Statutes.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read, a second time on Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend chapter eleven of the Revised Statutes, intituled: "An Act respecting the Senate and House of Commons;"

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Rykert* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act respecting the collection of certain Tolls and Dues therein mentioned;"

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend the Summary Trials Act;"

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had made some progress, and directed him to move for leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, on Monday next, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee.)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and seventy thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Repairs, Furniture, Heating &c.: Repairs, furniture, &c., \$70,000; Grounds, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$7,000; Removal of snow, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$2,400; Heating Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$60,000; Gas and electric light, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$26,000; Water, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$20,000; Allowance for fuel and light, Rideau Hall, \$8,000; Telephonic service, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$3,000; Major's Hill Park, *Ottawa*, \$7,000; Salaries of Engineers, Firemen, Caretakers &c., of Dominion Public Buildings, \$55,000; Heating Dominion Public Buildings—Fuel, &c., \$50,000; Lighting Dominion Public Buildings, \$30,000; Water for Dominion Public Buildings, \$15,000; Materials for repairs, &c., in connection with ventilation and lighting Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$5,000; Sundry supplies for Caretakers, Engineers, Firemen, &c., Dominion Buildings, \$5,000; To meet disbursements for petty repairs, &c., in connection with Dominion Public Buildings, hitherto made directly by the various Departments occupying the offices, \$5,000; Dominion Immigration Buildings—Repairs, furniture, &c., \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

And it being Six o'Clock, P.M. Mr. Speaker took the Chair, and left it, to resume the same at half-past Seven o'Clock, P.M.

*Half past Seven o'Clock, P.M.*

Private Bills under Rule 19.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendment made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to revive and amend the "Acts relating to the *Saint Gabriel Levee and Railway Company*," and the same was twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendment.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendment made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the *Kingston* " and *Pembroke Railway Company*; and the same was twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendment.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendment made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the *Winnipeg and North Pacific Railway Company*," and the same was twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendment.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Ontario*, "*Manitoba and Western Railway Company*," and the same were twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendments.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Assiniboine Water Power Company*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the *Wood Mountain* and *Qu'Appelle* Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Moose Jaw*, *Battleford* and *Edmonton* Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass, and that the Title be, "An Act to incorporate the "*Moose Jaw* and *Edmonton* Railway Company."

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Saskatchewan* Railway and Mining Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the Dominion Mineral Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the Canadian Superphosphate Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *White (Renfrew)*, reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Committee of Supply was then resumed.

(In the Committee.)

2. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Eleven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Prince Edward Island*: *Cascumpec*—Removal of rock, \$2,000; *Scuris East*—Breakwater at *Knight's Point*, repairs, &c., \$3,000; Repairs to piers and breakwaters, \$6,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-three thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *New Brunswick*: *River St. John*—*River des Chutes* to *Woodstock* and above *Grand Falls*, including removal of obstructions between *Fredericton* and *Woodstock*; also *River Tobique*—To complete, \$4,000; *Edgett's Landing*—Ballast wharf, \$3,500; *Maisonnette*—To complete, \$1,500; *St. John Harbour*—*Negro Point* Breakwater, \$5,000; *Richibucto*—Protection works, \$1,000; *Campbellton* Ballast Wharf, \$6,000; *Grande Anse*—To complete, \$2,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-six thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Quebec*: *Chenal du Moine*—Ice piers at *St. Anne de Sorel*—To complete, \$2,500; *Chicoutimi*, *St. Alphonse*, *Anse St. Jean* and *St. Anne du Saguenay*, \$3,750; *Rivière du Lièvre*, \$30,000; *River Nicolet*, \$8,000; *Trois Pistoles*—Pier, \$2,500; *Ste Adelaïde de Pabos (Little Pabos)*—To complete, \$7,000; *River St. Francis*, \$5,000; *Rivière St. Anne de la Pérade*, \$2,000; *Grand Pabos*—Removal of shoal—To complete, \$1,500; *Anse à l'Eau* or *Tadousac Pier*—To complete repairs, \$1,200; *Murray Bay*, *Ile aux Coudres*, *Les Eboulements*—Repairs to piers, \$1,500; *River Yamaska*—Stone protection to dam, &c., \$2,500; *Barachois de Malbaie* and mouth of *Newport River*—To complete, \$2,000; *New Carlisle*—To complete, \$3,000; *Isle Verte* Pier, \$4,000; *Sorel* Ice Piers, \$2,500; *Ile Perrot*, \$2,000; *River Cap de Chatte*, \$300; *Three Rivers* Pier—To complete, \$5,000; General Repairs and Improvements, Harbours and Rivers, *Quebec*, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-eight thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Ontario*: *Cobourg Harbour*—*Lake Ontario*, \$6,000; *Kincardine*—Repairs, \$5,000; *Kingston Harbour*—*Lake Ontario*, \$6,000; *Little Nation River*—Removal of obstructions, \$4,000; *McGregor's Creek*—To complete, \$2,250; *Owen Sound*, \$15,000; *Port Elgin*, \$3,000; *Port Hope*—Repairs, \$2,500; *Portsmouth*—Repairs to pier—To complete, \$1,000; *River Ottawa*—Improvement of steamboat channel through *Narrows of Petawawa* above *Pembroke*, \$3,000; *Meaford*—The town having furnished \$3,000—To complete, \$3,000; *Belleville*—To complete harbour works, the local authorities protecting the island with cribwork to the extent of \$6,000, \$4,000; *Rideau River*—Dredging branch, \$3,500; *Collingwood Harbour*—Works of improvement, \$5,000; *Toronto Harbour*—Works at eastern entrance, the City of *Toronto* having to contribute \$100,000, \$20,000; *Penetanguishene Harbour* Works, locality having furnished \$10,000, \$5,000; General Repairs and Improvements, Harbour and Rivers, *Ontario*, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for General Repairs and Improvements, Harbours and Rivers, *Manitoba*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for General Repairs and Improvements, Harbours and Rivers, *North-West Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers generally, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-eight thousand six hundred and sixty-four dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following expenses in connection with Quarantine: Medical Inspection—*Quebec*, \$1,600; Quarantine—*Grosse Ile*, \$13,364; Quarantine—*St. John, N.B.*, \$2,600; Quarantine—*Pictou, N.S.*, \$800; Quarantine—*Halifax N. S.*, \$3,400; Quarantine—*Charlottetown, P. E. I.*, \$1,000; Quarantine—*Victoria, B. C.*, \$1,900; Quarantine—*Sydney, N. S.*, \$1,900; Quarantine—*Chatham, N. B.*, \$600; Quarantine—*Port Hawkesbury*, \$300; *Tracadie Lazaretto*, \$3,200; To meet expenses of precautionary measures for public health, \$10,000; To meet expenses for Cattle Quarantines: Province of *Ontario*, \$5,000; Province of *Quebec*, \$3,000; Maritime Provinces, \$3,000; Province of *Manitoba*, \$2,000; To meet possible expenses for Sheep Scab and Cattle Diseases, \$5,000; For payment for immigrant patients in *Winnipeg* and *St. Boniface* Hospitals, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received on Monday next.

Mr. Colby also acquainted the House, that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, on Monday next, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

And then The House adjourned till Monday next.

Monday, 1st April, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. Jones (*Digby*),—The Petition of *Charles Burrell* and others, of *Weymouth*, County of *Digby, Nova Scotia*.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received:—

Of *W. B. Dickinson* and others, of the Village of *Maotock*, County of *Carleton, Ontario*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, intituled: "An Act respecting Benevolent Societies," may become law.

Of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, intituled: "An Act respecting Benevolent Societies," may not become law.

Of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament for placing on free list articles of Merchandise, &c., controlled by Trusts and Combinations, may become law.

Of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament for the protection of persons employed by contractors engaged in the construction of Railways, under Acts passed by the Parliament of *Canada*, may become law.

Of Messrs. *George J. McDonald & Co.*; praying the House to investigate their claim for expenditures incurred on account of certain exhibits furnished by them for the Centennial Exhibition, at *Philadelphia*, in the year 1876.

Of the Reverend *Colin Chisholm*, P.P., and others, of the County of *Inverness, Nova Scotia*; praying that the season for lobster fishing, on the western shore of the county aforesaid be, for the present year, extended to the last of July; and that, meantime, the question of the proper close season be submitted to a commission of practical men for final decision.

The Petition of *Richard Moore*, Mayor, and others, of the Township of *Wright*, County of *Ottawa, Quebec*, presented on Friday last; praying the House to grant them a sum of money to aid in the construction of certain bridges in the aforesaid township, being read;

The Speaker said, that as the granting of the prayer of this Petition would involve the expenditure of Public money, it cannot be received.

Mr. *Desjardins* moved, seconded by Mr. *Davin*, and the Question being proposed, That the Second Report of the Select Committee appointed to supervise the Official Report of the Debates of this House during the present Session, be concurred in;

Mr. *Choquette* moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. *McMullen*, That the words "concurréd in" be left out, and the words "referred back to the Committee with instructions to enquire as to the justice and expediency of granting an indemnity to Messieurs *A. E. Porier, Remi Tremblay* and *Ernest Tremblay*, who were discharged from their positions," inserted instead thereof

And objection having been taken to the regularity of the amendment

Mr. Speaker said, that a similar motion was on the Order Paper, and as it was not in accordance with the Rules or Parliamentary usage to take a motion out of its proper place and move it as an amendment to another question, he must, therefore, rule that it could not now be put to the House.

Then the main Question, That the Second Report of the Select Committee appointed to supervise the Official Report of the Debates of this House during the present Session, be concurred in, being put:— It was resolved in the Affirmative.

On motion of Mr. *Robertson*, seconded by Mr. *Bécharé*,

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 between the Federal Government, or any Department thereof, and the Government of *Prince Edward Island*, or any of its officials, regarding the piers of *Prince Edward Island* or harbour improvements in the said Island.

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. *Edgar*, seconded by Mr. *Trow*,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House, copies of all tenders for the supply of beef for the *Blackfeet, Blood* and *Piegán* Indian Agencies, and all papers and correspondence connected with the calling for such tenders, and the awarding of contracts for such supplies during the summer of 1888.

Mr. *Guay* moved, seconded by Mr. *Rinfret*, and the Question being proposed,

That there be laid before this House, copies of correspondence between *Joseph E. Vincent* of the city of *Quebec* and the Customs Department, respecting the French version of the present tariff and the amendments thereto;

And a Debate arising thereupon:—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

On motion of Mr. *Guay*, seconded by Mr. *Rinfret*,

*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 between the Dominion Government and the Corporation of Pilots for and below the harbour of *Quebec*, respecting the change in the present tariff of pilotage dues on vessels for and below the harbour of *Quebec*.

*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. *Welsh*, seconded by Mr. *Guay*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of all reports upon the state and condition of each of the piers in *Prince Edward Island* taken over by the Dominion Government from the *Prince Edward Island* Government; together with a Return of all expenditure on each of the said piers since the 30th of June, 1888; and all correspondence relating to the state of repairs of said piers, and the repairs thereof, during the year 1888.

On motion of Mr. *Edwards*, seconded by Mr. *Landerkin*,

*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 Orders in Council, or reports or correspondence relating to admission of mining machinery free of duty by the Government of *British Columbia* for the development of the mineral resources of that Province, or to the remission by the Dominion Government of duties paid thereon.

Also, for all correspondence between the Government and Mr. *E. P. Wright*, of *Ottawa*, relating to a claim of the latter for a refund of duties paid by said *E. P. Wright* upon mining machinery.

*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. *Guay*, seconded by Mr. *Rinfret*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all petitions, correspondence and documents respecting the extension of *McMahon* Street through the Ordnance land, in the City of *Quebec*, to *D'Aiguillon* Street.

On motion of Mr. *Rinfret*, seconded by Mr. *Guay*,

*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 Orders in Council, correspondence, agreements and settlements respecting the conveyance of the North Shore Railway to the Government by the Grand Trunk Railway Company, and by the Government to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

*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. *Ellis*, seconded by Mr. *Skinner*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of all claims presented from 1st February, 1885, to 31st December, 1888, for drawback on goods manufactured for export, showing the names of all applicants, their places of business, the article on which drawback was claimed, and the amount of each claim, distinguishing between the claims which have been allowed, and those which have been disallowed, and those not yet decided, and giving the reason for each disallowance; also, copies of all regulations made by the Customs or other Department with reference to such claims, together with a copy of one allowed claim and of the sworn declaration of each exporter.

On motion of Mr. *Trow*, seconded by Mr. *Béchar*,  
*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 tenders received for the construction of the *Sault Ste. Marie* Canal, with accompanying documents, including the approximate quantities on which such tenders were computed, and the gross amounts; and all correspondence, reports and Orders in Council, in relation to the same.

*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. *Trow*, seconded by Mr. *Béchar*,

*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 tenders received by the Department of Railways and Canals, in September and October, 1888, for the enlargement of the *Cornwall* and *Galops* Canal, including the approximate quantities on which such tenders were computed, and the gross amounts; and all correspondence, reports, and Orders in Council, relating to the same, since the receipt of such tenders.

*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. *Guay*, seconded by Mr. *Rinfret*,

*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 petitions, reports, Orders in Council and papers generally, in connection with the dismissal of *J. M. Grover* from the position of Postmaster of *Morden, Manitoba*.

*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. *McMullen*, seconded by Mr. *Trow*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the entire cost of the *St. Charles* Branch Railway, including right of way, land damages, survey and engineering expenses, and all other items of expenditure of any kind, in the following order:—

1. Cost of survey, and to whom paid.
2. Cost of engineers' services, and to whom paid.
3. Cost of land damages, and to whom paid.
4. Cost of legal expenses, including conveyancing, and all legal services, and to whom paid.
5. Cost of all services rendered by any other party, of any other kind, paid by the Government.
6. The entire cost of the line, including every item of expenditure of any kind connected therewith;—and
7. The amount of claims put in and not yet settled.

On motion of Mr. *McMullen*, seconded by Mr. *Trow*,

*Resolved*, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying His Excellency to cause to be laid before this House, all the original cheques given in payment of all fees or expenses connected with the suit, the *St. Catharines* Milling and Lumbering Company vs. The Queen.

*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. *Bourassa*, seconded by Mr. *Rinfret*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence, reports, petitions and other documents, up to this date, between the Post Office

Department and the Post Office Inspector for the District of *Montreal*, Mr. *King*, and any other persons, respecting a change in the location of the Post Office of *Belle Vallée*, in the County of *St. John's*.

On motion of Mr. *Jones (Halifax)* seconded by Mr. *Casey*,

*Resolved*, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying His Excellency to cause to be laid before this House, a Return of Orders in Council relating to the division of the subsidy of \$250,000 to the International Railway Company, between the different portions of the road, say, from the *St. Lawrence* to *Lennoxville*, from *Lennoxville* to *Moose River* and *Mattawamkeag*, from *Mattawamkeag* to *Harvey's Station*, and from *Harvey* to *Salisbury*, giving the number of miles in each division, and the amount apportioned thereto.

*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. *Dessaint*, seconded by Mr. *Amyot*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House:—

1st. Copies of the petition asking for the incorporation of the *Témiscouata* Railway Company.

2nd. Copies of all correspondence between the Government and this Company respecting the granting of a subsidy or having reference to such subsidy.

On motion of Mr. *Wilson (Elgin)*, seconded by Mr. *McMullen*,

*Resolved*, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying His Excellency to cause to be laid before this House a Return:—

1. Giving the names and places of residence of the Commissioners appointed in 1883 for the purpose of examining and reporting upon the fitness and eligibility of persons appearing before them for examination and qualification as Inspectors of the hulls of freight and passenger steamers plying in Canadian waters;

2. Copies of the circular sent out inviting competitors to meet at *Ottawa*, and the date or dates so mentioned from time to time;

3. The names and places of residence of all persons who were so examined at each and every meeting of the said Commissioners up to date;

4. Copies of the recommendation or recommendations of any of the said Commissioners, or any one of them, respecting the said examination or the qualifications, or otherwise, of any or all who underwent such examination at the first or any subsequent meeting of the said Commissioners, or either of them;

5. The name and place of residence of each and every Inspector of freight and passenger steamer hulls appointed by the Government from 1882 to date, indicating who were appointed after undergoing and passing the necessary examination, as well as giving the name and place of residence of each and every Inspector of such hulls who was appointed without having successfully passed the said examination, together with the name and place of residence of any Inspector so appointed since 1882 to date, who had been dismissed or had resigned within the time specified, and the cause assigned for such dismissal or resignation;

6. The name and place of residence of any person appointed to fill any vacancy or addition as Inspector of said hulls;—and

7. Copies of all correspondence between the Minister of Marine and any person respecting any of the questions enumerated herein.

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

On motion of Mr. *Jones (Halifax)* seconded by Mr. *Casey*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of the survey made of the *Annapolis* and *Liverpool* Railway, with the report of the Engineer, and all papers and correspondence connected therewith.

On motion of Mr. *Kirkpatrick*, seconded by Mr. *White (Renfrew)*.

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all reports and recommendations, by engineers and others, respecting the erection of a dam now under construction at the opening of *Rock Lake*, in the Township of *Storrington*, in the County of *Frontenac*; the height to which it is proposed to dam back the water; the number of acres of land which will be flooded, and the other damage which will be caused by said dam; also, copies of reports by the Department of Justice as to the legal right to erect the dam and cause said damage; also, copies of all petitions and protests against the erection of the said dam.

On motion of Mr. *O'Brien*, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*.

*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 since the 1st of January, 1888, between the Government of the Dominion and that of the Province of *Ontario*, relating to the arrears of annuities due to the Indians who surrendered their lands under the *Robinson Treaty*, and to the grant of a reserve to the *Chippewa Band of Lake Temiscamingue*.

*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. *Casgrain*, seconded by Mr. *Fiset*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of correspondence between the Government and the holders of fishing rights under permit in River *Matane*, and of correspondence on the same subject with the riparian proprietors, and reports on their opposition to permits, &c.

Mr. *Eisenhauer* moved, seconded by Mr. *Perry*, and the Question being proposed, That there be laid before this House, a Return of all correspondence between the Department of Marine and Fisheries and Mr. *C. C. Goddard*, Overseer of River Fisheries in the County of *Lunenburg*, during 1888; also, his report to the Department for the same year; also, the report of Mr. *Rogers*, the Inspector of Fisheries for *Nova Scotia*, for the year 1888.

And a Debate arising thereupon;

On motion of Mr. *Kenny*, seconded by Mr. *Wood (Westmoreland)*,

*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned.

Mr. *Speaker* acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the following Bills, without any amendment:—

Bill intituled: "An Act to make further provision respecting the speedy trial of certain Indictable Offences."

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Charter of Incorporation of the Great North-West Central Railway Company."

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the *Alberta* and *Athabasca* Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to "The Great North-Western Railway Company," with several Amendments; and have amended the Title, as followeth: Leave out "Great" and insert "*Alberta* and," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting Expropriation of Lands," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Mr. *Laurier*,

*Resolved*, That in consequence of the lamented death of the Honourable *John Henry Pope*, late Member of the Privy Council of *Canada*, and Minister of the Department of Railways and Canals, and out of respect to his memory, this House do now adjourn.

And The House adjourned accordingly.

Tuesday, 3rd April, 1889.

PRAYERS.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Mr. *Dewdney*,  
Ordered, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act respecting Ex-  
"propriation of Lands," be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time; and ordered to be read a second  
time To-morrow.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into the Committee of  
Supply.

(In the Committee.)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-four thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *British Columbia*:—*Cowichan River*, \$1,000; *Fraser River*, \$10,000; *Nanaimo*—Removal of *Nicol Rock*, \$5,000; *River Somass*, \$300; *Columbia River*—Improvements above *Golden*, \$5,000; *River Coquitlam*, \$1,000; General Repairs and Improvements, Harbours and Rivers, *British Columbia*, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and sixty-eight thousand four hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dredging, as follow, viz.:—New dredging plant, \$16,950; Dredge vessels—Repairs, \$31,500; Dredging—*Nova Scotia*, *Prince Edward Island* and *New Brunswick*, \$40,000; Dredging—*Quebec* and *Ontario*, \$40,000; Dredging—*Manitoba*, \$15,000; Dredging—*British Columbia*, \$15,000; Dredging—General service, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Slides and Booms, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-five thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Roads and Bridges, as follow:—Bridges, *Ottawa City*, over the *River Ottawa*, the Slides, the *Rideau Canal* and approaches thereto, \$8,300; Aid towards the construction of a free bridge over the *Old Man's River*, at *Fort Macleod*, \$6,000; Bridge across the *Battle River*, at *Battleford*—To complete, \$17,000; Bridge over the *Belly River*, at *Lethbridge, N. W. T.*, \$12,000; Bridges on trail between *Edmonton* and *Athabasca Landing*, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for telegraph lines, land and cable telegraph lines for the sea coasts and islands of the Lower Rivers and Gulf of *St. Lawrence* and Maritime Provinces:—Land line on north shore of *St. Lawrence*, extension towards *Pointe aux Esquimaux*, \$5,000; Submarine cable for connecting *Brier* and *Long Islands* with *Digby*, the Telephone Company of *Nova Scotia* agreeing to construct and maintain all the land lines required to establish an uninterrupted telegraphic communication between these islands and the Town of *Digby*, \$2,000; Telegraph Lines, *North-West Territories*:—Line between *Humboldt* and *Prince Albert*, repoling, to complete, \$1,000; Telephone line to connect the Police Headquarters, &c., with the *Banff Telephone Exchange*, \$300, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Experimental Farms, buildings, fencing, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the following purposes, viz.:—Miscellaneous works not otherwise provided for, \$10,000; Surveys and Inspections, \$15,000; Arbitrations and awards,

\$5,000; National Art Gallery, \$1,000; Surveys and plans of Government properties in connection with Public Works, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and thirty-seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for maintenance and repairs of Government Steamers, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the examination of Masters and Mates, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay rewards for saving life, and life-boat service, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for investigation into wrecks, and collection of information relating to disasters to shipping, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Canadian registration of shipping, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Montreal* and *Quebec* River and Water Police, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for removal of obstructions in navigable rivers, including removal of wreck of Steamer "*Ottawa*" in River *St. Lawrence*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for "*Winter Service*," *Prince Edward Island*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty-five thousand four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salaries and allowances, &c., of Lighthouse Keepers, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighteen thousand four hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay agencies, rents and contingencies (Lighthouse and Coast Service), for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and eighty-seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for maintenance and repairs to Lights, Fog-Whistles, Buoys and Beacons and Humane Establishments, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Signal Service, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Scientific Institutions: Observatory, *Toronto*, \$5,250; Observatory, *Kingston*, \$500; Observatory, *Montreal*, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Meteorological Service, including instruments and cost of telegraphing weather warnings, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the following purposes, viz.:—Marine and Immigration Hospital, *Quebec*, \$15,000; *St. Catharines* Hospital, \$500; *Kingston* Hospital, \$500; Marine Hospitals in the Provinces of *Quebec*, *Nova Scotia*, *New Brunswick*, *Prince Edward Island* and *British Columbia*, \$30,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Shipwrecked and Distressed Seamen, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for expenses of Steamboat Inspection, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

Resolutions to be reported.

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Wednesday morning.

Wednesday, 3rd April, 1889.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Rykert* reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received at the next sitting of the House.

Mr. *Rykert* also acquainted the House that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, at its next sitting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the following Bills, without any amendment.

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the *Quebec* Board of "Trade."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the *Atlantic* and *North-West* Railway "Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the law respecting the *Exchequer* Court of "Canada."

Bill intituled: "An Act further to amend the Act thirty-sixth *Victoria*, chapter "sixty-one, respecting the *Trinity* House and Harbour Commissioners of *Montreal*."

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend chapter thirteen of the Revised Statutes, "intituled: 'An Act respecting the House of Commons.'"

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend the Act "respecting Certificates to Masters and Mates of Ships, chapter seventy-three of the "Revised Statutes," with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend the "Revised Statute respecting Interest," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Mr. *Carling*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 20th February, 1889, for a Return showing the cost, to date, of the barn at the Experimental Farm, or of any and all other outbuildings upon said farm, with a statement showing the number of outbuildings and their kind, if any; also, the number of residences built on the farm and the cost of each one separately; likewise the sum total of the cost of all buildings upon said farm, to date. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 63.)

And then The House, having continued to sit till ten minutes before One of the Clock on Wednesday morning, adjourned till this day.

Wednesday, 3rd April, 1889.

PRAYERS.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petition was read and received:—

Of *Charles Burrell* and others, of *Weymouth*, County of *Digby*, *Nova Scotia*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, intituled: "An Act respecting Benevolent "Societies," may become law.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, from the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, presented to the House the Eleventh Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have had under consideration Bill respecting the Wires of Telephone, Telegraph and Electric Light Companies in the City of *Toronto*, and report the preamble thereof "not proven," because the measure is not within the jurisdiction of this Parliament.

Also, Bill to incorporate the *Prince Edward Island* and Continental Railway and Ferry Company, and report the preamble thereof "not proven" because the proposed measure interferes with an existing Charter.

Also, Bill to incorporate the *Edmundston* and *Florenceville* Railway Company, and recommend that as the promoters thereof have signified their intention of not proceeding further with the proposed measure, the Bill be withdrawn.

Your Committee recommend that the fees and charges paid on the foregoing Bills be refunded, less the cost of printing and translation in each case.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—The Civil Service List of *Canada*, on 1st July, 1888, pursuant to the 59th section of the Civil Service Act. (*Sessional Papers, No. 6b.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 25th February, 1889, for a Return showing public buildings erected in various places throughout the Dominion from 1st July, 1867, to 1st January, 1889; giving date of first appropriation made for same locality in which erected, and total cost to date of 1st January, 1889. (*Sessional Papers, No. 64.*)

And also,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 7th February, 1889, for copies of the Resolutions passed at the Conference held in 1887, at the City of *Quebec*, of Delegates from the several Provinces of *Ontario*, *Quebec*, *Nova Scotia*, *New Brunswick* and *Manitoba*; and of all papers and correspondence relating thereto. (*Sessional Papers, No. 65.*)

Mr. *Bowell*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 25th February, 1889, for a Return showing the total amount of expenses incurred and moneys paid up to 1st January, 1889, on account of the preparation, publication and completion:—

1. Of the various lists under the Dominion Franchise Act upon which the last General Election was held; and stating—

(a) The total amount paid for printing;

(b) The total amount paid to Revising Barristers;

(c) The total amount paid to Revising Barristers, Clerks and Bailiffs;

(d) The total amount paid for all other expenses in connection with preparation, publication and completion of the said lists;

(e) Whether any claims against the Government in connection with the preparation of the lists are yet unsettled.

2. Showing the expense incurred up to 1st February, 1889, in connection with the preparation of the second Voters' List under the Dominion Franchise Act, and stating—

- (a) The total cost of type used, or to be used, in setting up the lists;
- (b) The amount paid for composition in setting up the lists;
- (c) The cost of paper and press-work in preparation of the lists;
- (d) The cost or rental of plant used in connection with the preparation of said lists up to the above date;
- (e) Amount of all other expenses incurred in connection with the preparation of the said lists up to 1st February, 1889. (*Sessional Papers, No. 66.*)

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Mr. *Tupper*,  
*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend the Revised "Statute respecting Interest," be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Mr. *Carling*,  
*Ordered*, That the fees and charges paid on the Bill to incorporate the *Edmundston and Florenceville Railway Company*;

Bill respecting the Wires of Telephone, Telegraph and Electric Light Companies in the City of *Toronto*;—and

Bill to incorporate the *Prince Edward Island and Continental Railway and Ferry Company*, be refunded, less the cost for printing and translation, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Eleventh Report of the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill further to amend the Revised Statutes, chapter five, respecting the Electoral Franchise;

Sir *John Thompson* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the second time;

Mr. *Laurier* moved, in amendment, seconded by Sir *Richard J. Cartwright*, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "in the opinion of this House, the Electoral Franchise Act ought to be repealed, and it is preferable to revert to the plan of utilizing for the Elections of this House, the "Provincial Franchises and Voters' Lists," inserted instead thereof;

And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Six o'Clock P.M. Mr. Speaker left the Chair, to resume the same at half-past Seven o'Clock P.M.

*Half-past Seven o'Clock, P.M.*

Private Bills under Rule 19.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the Title and Mortgage Guarantee Company of *Canada*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Landry* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *William Gordon Lowry*;"

Mr. *Small* moved, seconded by Mr. *Denison*, and the Question being put, That the Bill be now read a second time; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS :

## Messieurs.

<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Smith (Sir Donald),</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Ferguson (U's &amp; Gren.)</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Putman,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Daly,</i>	<i>McCarthy,</i>	<i>Ross,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Scarth,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox), and</i>
<i>Denison,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville)—79.</i>
<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>	

## NAYS :

## Messieurs.

<i>Amyot,</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Neveux,</i>
<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Peterson (Brant),</i>
<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Perry,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>De St. Georges,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Préfontaine,</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec),</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>La Rivière</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Lavergne,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton)</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Chouinard,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McGreevy,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin), and</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Yeo.—80.</i>

So it passed in the Negative.

The House then resumed the Debate on the amendment proposed to be made to the Question, That the Bill further to amend the Revised Statutes, chapter five, respecting the Electoral Franchise, be now read the second time.

And the question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS:

## Messieurs

<i>Amyot,</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Perry,</i>
<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>De St. Georges,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Boin (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Préfontaine,</i>
<i>Bécharé,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec),</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Laverigne,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Scriven,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd),</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Gilmor,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Walbe,</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Chouinard,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John), and</i>
<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin)—75.</i>
<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Baird,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Scarth,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Leeds &amp; Gren.)</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton)</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>McGreevy,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil)</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Chisholm,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Cannon,</i>	<i>Jacobs,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox),</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville),</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'd) and</i>
<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>	<i>Wright.—105.</i>
<i>Remison,</i>			

So it passed in the Negative.

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Thursday morning ;

Thursday, 4th April, 1889.

Then the main Question being put :

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a second time.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time ; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair ; and Mr. *Landry* reported, That the Committee had made some progress, and directed him to move for leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, at its next sitting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

And then The House, having continued to sit till twenty minutes before Two of the Clock on Thursday morning, adjourned till this day.

Thursday, 4th April, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Cockburn*,—The Petition of the *Toronto Trades and Labour Council*.

Mr. *Small* moved, seconded by Mr. *Jamieson*, and the Question being put, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled : “ An Act for the relief of *William Gordon Lowry*,” be placed on the Orders of the Day, for a second reading To-morrow ; the House divided :—and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen’s Privy Council, delivered to Mr. Speaker, a Message from His Excellency the Governor General, signed by His Excellency.

And the said Message was read by Mr. Speaker (all the Members of the House standing and being uncovered) and is as followeth :—

STANLEY OF PRESTON.

The Governor General transmits to the House of Commons, Supplementary Estimates of sums required for the Service of the Dominion, for the year ending 30th June, 1889 ; and, in accordance with the provisions of “ The *British North America Act, 1867*,” he recommends these Estimates to the House of Commons. (*Sessional Papers, No. 2.*)

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

Ottawa, 3rd April, 1889.

*Ordered*, That the said Message, together with the Estimates accompanying the same, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill further to amend the Revised Statutes, chapter five, respecting the Electoral Franchise, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair ; and

Mr. *White (Renfrew)* reported, That the Committee had made some progress, and directed him to move for leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend the Act respecting Certificates to Masters and Mates of Ships, chapter seventy-three of the Revised Statutes," and the same were twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendments.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend the Revised Statutes, chapter seventy-seven, respecting the safety of Ships;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee. The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein;

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Friday morning;

*Friday, 5th April, 1889.*

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the Harbour of *Belleville*, in the Province of *Ontario*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Sproule* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill in reference to the Western Counties Railway;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

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The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *McCulla* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to provide for the conveyance of certain lands to *British Columbia*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Denison* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill further to amend "The Steamboat Inspection Act," chapter seventy-eight of the Revised Statutes;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Hesson* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

And then The House, having continued to sit till twenty-five minutes before One of the Clock on Friday morning, adjourned till this day.

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Friday, 5th April, 1889.

PRAYERS.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend "The Fisheries Act," chapter ninety-five of the Revised Statutes;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting Rules of Court in relation to Criminal Matters," and the same were twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendments.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee.)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Canadian Pacific Railway construction (including the remuneration to be paid to *L. K. Jones*, a permanent officer of the Department of Railways and Canals, as Secretary of the Commission of Arbitrators, appointed by Order in Council dated 27th February, 1888, and in addition to his regular salary), for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *L. K. Jones* for services as Private Secretary to the Chief Engineer of the Canadian Pacific Railway, from 1st July, 1889, to 30th June, 1890, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

And it being Six o'Clock, P.M., Mr. Speaker took the Chair, and left it, to resume the same at half-past Seven o'Clock, P.M.

Half-past Seven o'Clock, P.M.

Private Bills under Rule 19.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the *Alberta* and *Athabasca* Railway Company," and to change the name of the Company to "The Great North-Western Railway Company."

Page 1, Line 10—Leave out "Great" and insert "*Alberta* and."

*In the Title.*

Line 3—Leave out "Great" and insert "*Alberta* and."

The Amendments being read a second time,

Mr. Colby moved, seconded by Mr. Davis, and the Question being put, That the said Amendments be amended, by leaving out "*Alberta* and" and inserting the words

"of Canada" after Company, on page 1, line 10, of the Bill, and in the Title, line 3, of the same.

And the Question being put, That the said Amendments, so amended, be agreed to :—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendments, with several Amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

The attention of Mr. Speaker having been directed to the fact that the hour set apart for Private Bills, under Rule 19, had expired ;

The Committee of Supply was then resumed.

(*In the Committee.*)

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and ninety-one thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Intercolonial Railway : Increased accommodation at *Halifax*, \$150,000 ; Increased accommodation at *Moncton*, \$67,500 ; Rolling stock, \$17,000 ; Extension of the shed to repair cars, *Richmond*, \$2,500 ; Iron overhead bridge at the Foundry Crossing, *Truro*, provided that the Government is indemnified by the Town of *Truro* against any claims for damages by reason of the construction of said crossing, \$5,000 ; To provide for a **Y** at *Truro* station, \$7,500 ; Extension along City front at *St. John*, subject to such terms and conditions as the Governor in Council may authorize and impose, \$17,000 ; Increased accommodation at *St. John*, \$25,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One million one hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Cape Breton* Railway, viz :—Construction, \$700,000 ; Construction of a bridge over "The Narrows," \$400,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards construction of *Oxford and New Glasgow* Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three million two hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses of Intercolonial Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses, Eastern Extension Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses, *Prince Edward Island* Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses, *Windsor Branch* Railway, for the year ending 30th June 1890.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and thirty-one thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fisheries, Salaries and Disbursements of Fishery Overseers and Wardens : *Ontario*, \$20,000 ; *Quebec*, \$14,000 ; *Nova Scotia*, \$18,000 ; *New Brunswick*, \$16,000 ; *Prince Edward Island*, \$3,500 ; *Manitoba*, *Keewatin* and *North-West Territories*, \$3,000 ; *British Columbia*, \$6,000 ; Fish-breeding, building fishways and clearing rivers, \$40,000 ; To provide for legal and incidental expenses, \$2,000 ; To provide for the cost, maintenance and repairs of fishery protection steamers and vessels, \$100,000 ; Canadian fisheries exhibit, \$1,500 ; To pay for services performed by Customs and Fisheries Departments and other expenses in connection with the distribution of the Fishing Bounty and collection of Statistics,

\$6,000 ; To meet cost of fitting up lower storey of *Victoria Hall*, as a Fish Hatchery (revote), \$1,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required for Geological Survey, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

Resolutions to be reported.

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Saturday morning ;

*Saturday, 6th April, 1889.*

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair ; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received at the next sitting of the House, on Monday next.

Mr. *Colby* also acquainted the House that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, at its next sitting on Monday next, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

And then The House, having continued to sit till twenty-five minutes after One of the Clock on Saturday morning, adjourned till Monday next.

Monday, 8th April, 1889.

PRAYERS.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petition was read and received :—

Of the *Toronto Trades and Labour Council* ; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, intituled : “ An Act respecting Benevolent Societies, may not become law.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Mr. *Deudney*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled : “ An Act to amend ‘ The ‘ Summary Convictions Act,’ chapter 178 of the Revised Statutes, and the Act ‘ amending the same,’ be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time ; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Mr. *Tupper*, a Member of the Queen’s Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 20th March, 1889, for a Return of all correspondence between the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, *Ottawa*, and A. Lord, Esq., Agent, *Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island*, or any other person, having reference to the dismissal of Capt. *Ronald Campbell*, Harbour Master for *Summerside*. Also, copy of all complaints made against the said Capt. *Ronald Campbell*, showing by whom made, with copy of evidence touching said dismissal. (*Sessional Papers, No. 46a.*)

On motion of Mr. *Mitchell*, seconded by Mr. *Charlton*.

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence between Mr. *Allan Knight*, or his Solicitor, with the Government of *Canada*, or any of its officers, in reference to a claim for damages in connection with the *Indian Town Branch* of the *Intercolonial Railway*, and also, any report from any of the Government officers in reference to the same subject.

Lieut.-Genl. *Laurie* moved, seconded by Mr. *Bowman*, and the Question being proposed, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence with the Customs Department, instructions issued to, and reports received from, Inspectors and Collectors of Customs, in reference to the importation of fish in bond for the purpose of subsequent exportation, together with copies of any regulations bearing on this subject framed and issued under the authority of the Customs Act.

And a Debate arising thereupon; and it being Six o'Clock, P.M., Mr. Speaker left the Chair, to resume the same at half-past Seven o'Clock, P.M.

*Half-past Seven o'Clock, P.M.*

Private Bills under Rule 19.

The House, according to Order, resumed the further consideration, in Committee of the Whole on the Bill respecting the *Canadian Pacific Railway Company*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Mills (Annapolis)* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *George McDonald Bagwell*;"

And the Question being put, That the Bill be now read a second time; the House divided; and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time, and, together with the evidence and documents whereon is founded the said Bill, referred to the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *Arthur Ward*;"

And the Question being put, That the Bill be now read a second time; the House divided; and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time, and, together with the evidence and documents whereon is founded the said Bill, referred to the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *William Henry Middleton*;"

And the Question being put, That the Bill be now read a second time; the House divided; and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time, and, together with the evidence and documents whereon is founded the said Bill, referred to the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the following Bills without any amendment:—

Bill intituled: "An Act to enable the City of *Winnipeg* to utilize the *Assiniboine* "River water power."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the *Kingston* and *Pembroke* Railway Com-  
pany and the *Napanee*, *Tamworth* and *Quebec* Railway Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Three Rivers* and Western Railway  
Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the *Wood Mountain* and *Qu'Appelle* Railway  
Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Dominion Mineral Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Canadian Superphosphate Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend chapter eleven of the Revised Statutes,  
intituled: 'An Act respecting the Senate and House of Commons.'"

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the  
Assets and Debenture Company of *Canada*," with several Amendments, to which  
they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend the Act  
incorporating the *Massawippi* Junction Railway Company," with an Amendment,  
to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the  
*Manitoba* and South-Eastern Railway Company," with several Amendments, to  
which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the  
*Lake Manitoba* Railway and Canal Company," with several Amendments, to which  
they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the  
North-Western Junction and *Lake of the Woods* Railway Company," with several  
Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the  
*Moöse Jaw* and *Edmonton* Railway Company," with several Amendments, to which  
they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the  
*Saskatchewan* Railway and Mining Company," with several Amendments, to which  
they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled "An Act to amend 'The Wind-  
ing up Act,' chapter one hundred and twenty-nine of the Revised Statutes," with  
several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act further to amend  
'The Civil Service Act'; chapter seventeen of the Revised Statutes," with an  
Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act further to amend  
'the Supreme and Exchequer Courts Act,' with several Amendments, to which they  
desire the concurrence of this House.

The Order of the Day being read, for the House, in Committee on the Bill to  
amend "The Railway Act;"

Mr. *Cook* moved, seconded by Mr. *Mills* (*Bothwell*), and the Question being pro-  
posed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair;

Sir *John Thompson* moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*. That all  
the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "the  
House do resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole on the said Bill, this day six  
months," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and it  
was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill to prevent the practice of fraud by tree pedlars and commission men in the sale of nursery stock ;

Mr. *Boyle* moved, seconded by Mr. *Perley*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time.

Mr. *Barron* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Charlton*, That the word "now" be left out, and the words "this day six months," added at the end thereof ;

And the Question being put on the amendment ; the House divided : and it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put ;

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a second time.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Mr. *Tupper*,

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Select Committee on Bill to require the owners of elevators and hoists to guard against accidents ; Bill to provide against frauds in the supplying of milk to cheese and butter manufactories ; and Bill to amend the Railway Act."

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Mr. *Tupper*,

Ordered, That Mr. *Boyle* be added to the Select Committee on the foregoing Bills.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was on Thursday, 21st February last, proposed, That the Bill to admit vessels registered in the *United States* to wrecking, towing and coasting privileges in Canadian waters, be now read a second time.

On motion of Mr. *Patterson* (*Essex*), seconded by Mr. *Hesson*,

Ordered, That the said Order be discharged.

Ordered, That the Bill be withdrawn.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to provide for the examination and licensing of persons having charge of stationary steam engines or other devices worked under pressure.

Mr. *Cook* moved, seconded by Mr. *Mills* (*Bothwell*), and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time.

Mr. *Tupper* moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, That the word "now" be left out, and the words "this day six months" added at the end thereof ;

And the Question being put on the amendment, the House divided : and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Tuesday morning.

*Tuesday, 9th April, 1889.*

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill for the prevention and suppression of Combinations formed in restraint of Trade ;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time.

On motion of Mr. *Brown*, seconded by Mr. *Cockburn*,

Ordered, That the Bill be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

And then The House, having continued to sit till a quarter of an hour before One of the Clock on Tuesday morning, adjourned till this day.

Tuesday, 9th April, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Weldon* (*St. John*).—The Petition of Messieurs *Hilyard* Brothers and others, of the Province of *New Brunswick*.

A Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act respecting the collection of certain Tolls and Dues therein mentioned," was, according to Order, read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath passed the same without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being read, for the third reading of the Bill to amend "The Fisheries Act," chapter ninety-five of the Revised Statutes;

Mr. *Tupper* moved, seconded by Sir *John Thompson*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Mr. *Ellis* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Hale*, That the word "now" be left out, and the words "this day six months," added at the end of the Question;

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

YEAS:

Messieurs

<i>Armstrong</i> ,	<i>Cook</i> ,	<i>Kirk</i> ,	<i>Paterson</i> ( <i>Brant</i> ),
<i>Bain</i> ( <i>Wentworth</i> ),	<i>Couture</i> ,	<i>Landerkin</i> ,	<i>Perry</i> ,
<i>Barron</i> ,	<i>Davies</i> ,	<i>Lang</i> ,	<i>Platt</i> ,
<i>Beausoleil</i> ,	<i>De St. Georges</i> ,	<i>Langelier</i> ( <i>Quebec</i> ),	<i>Rinfret</i> ,
<i>Béchar</i> ,	<i>Dessaint</i> ,	<i>Laurier</i> ,	<i>Robertson</i> ,
<i>Bernier</i> ,	<i>Edgar</i> ,	<i>Lavergne</i> ,	<i>Rowand</i> ,
<i>Blake</i> ,	<i>Edwards</i> ,	<i>Lister</i> ,	<i>Ste. Marie</i> ,
<i>Bourassa</i> ,	<i>Eisenhauer</i> ,	<i>Lovitt</i> ,	<i>Scriver</i> ,
<i>Bowman</i> ,	<i>Ellis</i> ,	<i>Macdonald</i> ( <i>Huron</i> ),	<i>Semple</i> ,
<i>Brien</i> ,	<i>Fiset</i> ,	<i>Mackenzie</i> ,	<i>Somerville</i> ,
<i>Burdett</i> ,	<i>Flynn</i> ,	<i>McIntyre</i> ,	<i>Sutherland</i> ,
<i>Campbell</i> ,	<i>Gauthier</i> ,	<i>McMillan</i> ( <i>Huron</i> ),	<i>Trow</i> ,
<i>Cartwright</i> (Sir <i>Rich'd</i> )	<i>Gillmor</i> ,	<i>McMullen</i> ,	<i>Turcot</i> ,
<i>Casey</i> ,	<i>Guay</i> ,	<i>Meigs</i> ,	<i>Watson</i> ,
<i>Casgrain</i> ,	<i>Hale</i> ,	<i>Mills</i> ( <i>Bothwell</i> ),	<i>Weldon</i> ( <i>St. John</i> ),
<i>Charlton</i> ,	<i>Holton</i> ,	<i>Mitchell</i> ,	<i>Welsh</i> ,
<i>Choquette</i> ,	<i>Innes</i> ,	<i>Mulock</i> ,	<i>Wilson</i> ( <i>Elgin</i> ), and
<i>Colter</i> ,	<i>Jones</i> ( <i>Halifax</i> ),	<i>Neveu</i> ,	<i>Yeo</i> .—72.

NAYS:

Messieurs

<i>Amyot</i> ,	<i>Daoust</i> ,	<i>Kirkpatrick</i> ,	<i>Prior</i> ,
<i>Archibald</i> (Sir <i>Adams</i> ),	<i>Davin</i> ,	<i>Labelle</i> ,	<i>Putnam</i> ,
<i>Audet</i> ,	<i>Davis</i> ,	<i>Landry</i> ,	<i>Riopel</i> ,
<i>Bain</i> ( <i>Soulanges</i> ),	<i>Dawson</i> ,	<i>Languevin</i> (Sir <i>Hector</i> )	<i>Roomé</i> ,
<i>Baird</i> ,	<i>Denison</i> ,	<i>La Rivière</i> ,	<i>Ross</i> ,

<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Scarth,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou)</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton)</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Giguault,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudr'il),</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Carting,</i>	<i>Girouard,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Mudill,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Chouinard,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Chockburn,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell)</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Ives,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Jones,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteau),</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Jones (Ditby),</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox),</i>
<i>Curran</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'd) and</i>
<i>Daly,</i>		<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wright.—108.</i>

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put;

*Ordered,* That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved,* That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered,* That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments, made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend 'The 'Winding-up Act,' chapter one hundred and twenty-nine of the Revised Statutes," and the same were twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered,* That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendments.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendment made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend 'The 'Civil Service Act' chapter seventeen of the Revised Statutes," and the same was twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered,* That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendment.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act further to amend the Supreme and Exchequer Courts Act," and the same were twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered,* That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendments.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill further to amend the Revised Statutes, chapter five, respecting the Electoral Franchise, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair;

and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a third time To-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Revised Statute respecting Interest,'"

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House, for To-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Summary Convictions Act, chapter one "hundred and seventy-eight of the Revised Statutes,' and the Act amending the same;"

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House, for To-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting the rates of registration and postage of letters.

(*In the Committee.*)

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to provide that the sum payable for registration of a letter, unquestionably containing valuable matter, by an official of the Post Office, in default of its being presented for registration, shall be fixed in like manner as other registration charges; that the postage on local or drop letters shall be two cents per ounce in cities and towns where there is a delivery by letter carrier; on periodicals issued less frequently than at intervals of one month, from office of publication, and on specimen newspapers, one cent per pound; that no periodical may be carried free of postage under the 26th section of "The Post Office Act," if it is published at intervals of more than one month; that the postage on other printed matter, and on packages of seeds and matters of a cognate description, shall be one cent for each four ounces, and on printers' manuscript and proof, maps, lithographs, photographs, documents partly printed and partly written (not being letters), such as deeds and policies of insurance, and on miscellaneous mailable matter, one cent for each two ounces.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. Colby reported the Resolution accordingly, and the same was read as followeth:—

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to provide that the sum payable for registration of a letter, unquestionably containing valuable matter, by an official of the Post Office, in default of its being presented for registration, shall be fixed in like manner as other registration charges; that the postage on local or drop letters shall be two cents per ounce in cities and towns where there is a delivery by letter carrier; on periodicals issued less frequently than at intervals of one month, from office of publication, and on specimen newspapers, one cent per pound; that no periodical may be carried free of postage under the 26th section of "The Post Office Act," if it is published at intervals of more than one month; that the postage on other printed matter, and on packages of seeds and matters of a cognate description, shall be one cent for each four ounces, and on printers' manuscript and proof, maps, lithographs,

photographs, documents partly printed and partly written (not being letters), such as deeds and policies of insurance, and on miscellaneous mailable matter, one cent for each two ounces.

The said Resolution being read a second time, was agreed to.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend "The Post Office Act," chapter thirty-five of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Ordered*, That the Resolution respecting the rates of registration and postage of letters agreed to by the House this day, be referred to the said Committee.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read the third time To-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill further to amend "The Customs Act," chapter thirty-two of the Revised Statutes;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time, and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein;

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Wednesday morning;

*Wednesday, 10th April, 1889.*

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *White (Renfrew)* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read the third time at the next sitting of the House, this day.

And then The House, having continued to sit till five minutes after One of the Clock on Wednesday morning, adjourned till this day.

Wednesday, 10th April, 1889.

PRAYERS.

On motion of Mr. *Ives*, seconded by Mr. *Small*,

*Ordered*, That the 49th Rule of this House be suspended, in so far as it relates to a Report to be presented this day from the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

Mr. *Ives*, from the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, then presented to the House the Fifth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have examined the following Bills and have agreed to report the same without amendment, viz. :—

Bill for the relief of *George McDonald Bagwell*.

Bill for the relief of *Arthur Wand*;—and

Bill for the relief of *William Henry Middleton*.

As the time for receiving Reports from Committees on Private Bills has expired, your Committee recommend that the 49th Rule be suspended, in so far as it may affect the present Report of your Committee.

Mr. *Brown*, from the Select Committee appointed to enquire into the fraudulent practices which have prevailed, and still prevail, in various parts of the Dominion, by which farmers and others have been and are induced to give their promissory notes and securities to a very large amount in the aggregate, for seeds, agricultural implements, grape vines and other goods and merchandize, by various false pretexts; the goods in some cases never being delivered, and in other cases being comparatively worthless, the makers of such promissory notes being obliged to make payment, while the perpetrators of these wrongs evade justice, presented to the House the Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth :—

A number of witnesses appeared before the Committee, and, being examined under oath, gave evidence in respect to the divers ways in which they had been defrauded into the purchase of goods which were altogether unfit for the purposes for which they were obtained.

It does not seem necessary to enter into the particulars of these practices, as they are fully detailed in the evidence and supplement annexed herewith, submitted as a part of this report. It is clear, however, that in connection with grape vines, agricultural implements, pumps, seeds, fertilizers and other goods, purchasers have been induced to accept of them solely upon representations which have eventually turned out to be untrue. Many of the acts testified to by the various witnesses, by which parties were fraudulently induced to part with money or to sign promissory notes, valuable securities, come within the provisions of the present Statute in regard to the obtaining of money or goods by false pretences, and the penalties by that Statute are sufficiently severe for the offences therein specified.

It seems to your Committee, however, that the legislation on the subject should make a special provision in regard to representations as to future events.

Your Committee are profoundly impressed with the many ways by which farmers and others allow themselves to be cheated by the false suggestions and representations of cunning agents, and, by holding out prospects of enormous profit, endeavour to palm off their goods upon the unwary, and they wish to state that the public cannot be too much upon its guard against being duped by these dishonest speculators.

Now that agriculture has advanced to such a degree, that almost every farm is carried on by machinery altogether unknown not many years ago, the farmer seems to be made a special object of attack, and, in innumerable instances, he has fallen a victim.

There is evidence of imposition upon the farmer in many ways. He thoughtlessly bargains with an individual, of whom he knows nothing, assuming all his representations to be true. He purchases goods in good faith, without examining them, trusting to verbal representations in respect to their character or their fruits. He executes a contract in respect of them, without such representation being inserted in the contract. He signs promissory notes, without knowing the effect of what he signs, these notes being transferred to third parties before maturity, and in multitudinous other ways, he allows himself to be made a victim of designing craft and cunning mendacity.

Your Committee desire to call the attention of the farming community to the dangers by which they are surrounded, and to the attacks which, from time to time, are being continuously made upon them in the manner indicated.

The public should always bear in mind that when a promissory note is signed, whatever may be the consideration, or when there is no consideration, or even when

it is fraudulent, such note becomes binding upon the signer, in the hand of a third party to whom it has been transferred before maturity, and he has to pay it, although he might have a perfectly good defence against the person to whom he gave it.

Your Committee would also suggest, that many of the evils complained of may, when promissory notes are given for goods, either delivered, or to be delivered, be obviated by the making such notes, taking care to make them payable to the seller ONLY, and not to bearer, or to the seller's order. He would then always know with whom he had in the future to deal, and very often, in the case of fraud, would be protected from actual loss.

Purchasers should also take care, when asked to sign any agreement, that the *whole bargain* is in it. Any representations or promises made at the time are worthless, unless made a part of the written contract, and, if a person refuse to insert a representation, which is the foundation of the bargain, in the written evidence of it, or any obligation, which he himself has undertaken, it may with reason be concluded he intends to take an improper advantage of the absence of the provisions which the document ought to contain.

It is impossible in the nature of things to put a final stop to the perpetration of frauds upon the community. To be forewarned, however, is to be forearmed, and many a dishonest attempt may be defeated, and many a temptation successfully resisted by persons if they are told how similar suggestions have resulted in other cases.

Your Committee recommend:—

(1.) That this report, including the evidence taken during the present Session and the supplement thereto annexed, consisting of the report made and evidence taken in the Session of 1888, before the Select Committee on "Fraudulent Practices," be referred to the Department of Justice, with a view to the preparation of such legislation as will meet the case of false representations in respect of future events; and—

(2.) That 5,000 copies of this report, including the evidence and the supplement referred to, be printed, and that one copy be sent to each Senator and twenty to each Member of the House of Commons, and one copy to each person entitled, under the provisions already made, to a copy of the Revised Statutes; and also, to as many officers of agricultural societies as may desire to have a copy. (*Appendix No. 1.*)

On motion of Mr. Hickey, seconded by Mr. Taylor,

*Resolved*, That as it appears from the Minutes of Proceedings of the Senate of 28th March, 1889, that the Select Committee of the Senate on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours, reported, That they had decided by a majority not to pass Bill to incorporate the *Ottawa, Morrisburg and New York Railway Company*, which report the said Minutes show, was concurred in by the Senate, on 2nd April instant, the Accountant of this House be authorized to refund the fee and charges paid on the said Bill, less the cost of printing and translation.

Mr. Carling moved, seconded by Mr. Costigan, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting Mennonite Immigrants.

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Assini-boine Water Power Company*," without any amendment.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Supreme Court of the Independent Order of Foresters*," with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled : " An Act to incorporate the " Union Railway Company," with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have agreed to the Amendments made by this House to their Amendments to the Bill, intituled : " An Act respecting the *Alberta* and *Athabasca* " Railway Company " and to change the name of the Company to " The Great North- " Western Railway Company," without any amendment.

And also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled : " An Act for better securing " the safety of certain Fishermen," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The Order of the Day being read, for the House again in the Committee of Supply ; Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*, and the Question being proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair ;

Sir *Richard J. Cartwright* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Laurier*, That all the words after " That " to the end of the Question be left out, and the words " it " be Resolved, That it appears, from the Public Accounts and from statements made " in the House by the Minister of Finance and from the prospectus of the loan, that " the Government of *Canada* placed a loan of £4,000,000 sterling on the *London* " market, in the month of June, 1888.

" 2. That the said loan bears interest at the rate of three per cent. per annum, and " is made re-payable at the end of fifty years.

" 3. That the said loan was sold at an average price of £95 ts.

" 4. That while the said loan had no new special Sinking Fund attached thereto, " it is provided in the prospectus issued in connection therewith by Messrs. *Barings* " and *Glyn*, the financial agents of the Government of *Canada*, that,

" " With a view of rendering the Sinking Funds of the various loans more effec- " tive than heretofore, the Canadian Government intends to apply the sums annually " required for the reduction of the national debt in purchase of the stock now " offered.

" " The amount at present annually applied to the reduction of the national debt " is £350,000 sterling, and as the Sinking Fund is accumulative, the amount yearly " increases."

" 5. That the effect of the said clause is that the Canadian Government will be " obliged, in order to comply with the obligation therein entered into on their behalf, " to re-purchase the entire loan of £4,000,000 sterling above mentioned in ten or more " annual instalments, averaging £400,000 each.

" 6. That the said loan will be thereby (as far as the Dominion of *Canada* is con- " cerned) converted from a loan having (nominally) 50 years to run, into a loan " having a little over five years to run.

" 7. That all former unguaranteed loans, having Sinking Funds attached, contain " a provision, inserted in the bond or prospectus (and usually in both), setting forth " that the Government of *Canada* shall not be obliged to purchase said stocks on " account of investment for Sinking Fund, if said stocks should rise above par.

" 8. That neither the prospectus, nor the bond issued in connection with the " said three per cent. loan of £4,000,000, contain any such provision.

" 9. That the natural tendency of the existence of the obligation to apply a Sink- " ing Fund of this magnitude to the purchase of a loan of £4,000,000 will be to raise " the price of the said stock abnormally, and may result in the loss of a large sum to " this country.

" 10. That in any case the cost of the commission, brokerage and other charges " incurred in negotiating the said loan, spread over a period of about five years, will " add greatly to the rate of interest payable on the said loan.

" 11. That, even if the said loan can be re-purchased at an average of par, it will " involve the payment of a rate in excess of the price obtained for the said loan " which will make the annual charge for the said loan (till the same be re-purchased)

“equal to a rate of interest of about five per cent. per annum, and will, at best, make the transaction unduly onerous to this country.”

“12. That the said transaction is improvident and evidences negligence on the part of those charged with the interests of Canada in this matter;” inserted instead thereof;

And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Six o’Clock, P.M., Mr. Speaker left the Chair, to resume the same at half-past Seven o’Clock, P.M.

*Half-past Seven o’Clock, P.M.*

Private Bills under Rule 19.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: “An Act to incorporate the Assets and Debenture Company of *Canada*,” and the same were twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendments.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendment made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: “An Act to amend the Act incorporating the *Massawippi* Junction Railway Company,” and the same was twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendment.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: “An Act to incorporate the *Manitoba* and South-Eastern Railway Company,” and the same were read.

*Ordered*, That the said Amendments be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraphs Lines.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: “An Act to incorporate the *Lake* *Manitoba* Railway and Canal Company,” and the same were twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendments.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: “An Act to incorporate the North-Western Junction and *Lake of the Woods* Railway Company,” and the same were read.

*Ordered*, That the said Amendments be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: “An Act to incorporate the *Moose Jaw*, *Battleford* and *Edmonton* Railway Company,” and the same were twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendments.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: “An Act to incorporate the *Saskatchewan* Railway and Mining Company,” and the same were twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendments.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *William Gordon Lowry*;"

And the Question being put, That the Bill be now read a second time; the House divided: and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time, and, together with the evidence and documents whereon is founded the said Bill, referred to the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The House then resumed the Debate on the amendment proposed to be made to the Question, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (for the House again in the Committee of Supply);

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called, for they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS:

## Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Cook,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Jang,</i>	<i>Préfontaine,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Langelier (Québec),</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>De St. Georges,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Lavergne,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Blake,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd),</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Welsh,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin), and</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	<i>Yeo.—74.</i>
<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>		

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Baird,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.),</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Scarth,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Deudney,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Ferguson (L'Is &amp; Gren),</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton),</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>McGreevy,</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Carting,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>

<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Caron, (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Ives,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>White (Rensfrew),</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Paterson (Essex),</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox),</i>
<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'd) and</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>	<i>Wright.—117.</i>
<i>Davin,</i>			

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee.)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-one thousand and five dollars and ninety-two cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, as follow:—*Ontario, Quebec* and the *Maritime Provinces*—To supplement the Indian Fund—Province of *Quebec*, relief of distress, \$4,200; Purchase of blankets for Indians of *Ontario* and *Quebec*, \$1,600; For Indian schools in *Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia* and *New Brunswick*, \$22,197.50; For payment of annuities under the *Robinson Treaty*, \$15,588; To provide a salary for Chief *Angus Cooke*, of the *Gibson Reserve*, and Chief *William McGregor*, of *Cape Croker Band*, \$50 each, \$100; Revote of amount voted last Session, but not expended, for the removal of the residue of the Lake of *Two Mountain* Indians from *Oka* to Township of *Gibson*, \$4,977.20; To provide for the survey of Indian Reserves, revote, \$1,723.22; To provide travelling allowance for *L. F. Boucher*, Indian Superintendent for the north shore of the River *St. Lawrence*, \$400; To enable the Department to pay *A. Dingman* for special services as one of the Commissioners in connection with the settlement of *Dundee* lands matter, \$220, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand two hundred and seven dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Nova Scotia*:—Salaries, \$1,075; Relief and seed grain, \$3,045; Medical attendance and medicine, \$1,012; Miscellaneous, \$75, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand three hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *New Brunswick*:—Salaries, \$2,105; Relief and seed grain, \$2,700; Medical attendance and medicine, \$470; Miscellaneous, \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Prince Edward Island*:—Salaries, \$500; Relief and seed grain, \$1,125; Medical attendance and medicine, \$300; Miscellaneous, \$75, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine hundred and forty-one thousand one hundred and forty-six dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Manitoba* and *North-West Territories*, as follow:—Annuities, \$138,955; Agricultural implements, \$15,054; Seed grain, \$3,040; Cattle and pigs, \$6,306; Supplies for destitute, including provisions given at annuity payments and ammunition given to enable Indians to hunt, \$354,319; Clothing—triennial, \$3,514; Schools—day, \$57,286; Schools—industrial, \$128,094; Surveys, \$5,000; Farming Instructors' wages, \$31,940; Maintenance, \$24,369; Sioux, \$4,165; General expenses, \$152,486; Agency buildings, \$11,218; Grist and saw mills, \$5,400, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-four thousand and seven dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *British Columbia*, viz. :—For Indians of *British Columbia*, generally, \$52,670 ; For surveys, \$11,837 ; For Reserve Commission, \$9,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Canada Gazette*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Miscellaneous Printing, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for unforeseen expenses, expenditure thereof to be under Order in Council, and a detailed statement to be laid before Parliament within the first fifteen days of the next Session, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, as commutation in lieu of remission of duties on articles imported for the use of the Army and Navy, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and forty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the expenses of Government in the *North-West Territories*, including printing, roads, bridges, ferries, aid to schools, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the expenses of Government in the District of *Keewatin*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet expenditure in connection with "The *Canada Temperance Act*," for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to compensate members of the *North-West Mounted Police* for injuries received in the discharge of duty, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, on account of expenditure in connection with surveys of Lakes *Superior* and *Huron*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet costs of litigated matters, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to cover expenses of taking evidence concerning the Public Accounts, and reporting the same to the Auditor-General of *Canada*, under authority of section fifty-seven of "The Consolidated Revenue and Audit Act"; and to pay for legal advice to the Auditor-General, and assistance to him in estimating the value of printing for Returning Officers and others, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet payments to Extra Clerks for services rendered in preparation of Returns ordered by Parliament, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Commercial Agencies, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Academy of Arts, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for collection of Orders in Council, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to assist in the publication of the proceedings of the Royal Society, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for collection and classification of old records of the late Province of *Canada*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand one hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for salaries of Inspector, Registrar and Clerks,

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Contingencies, &c., in the *North-West Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

Resolutions to be reported. \_\_\_\_\_

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Thursday morning;

*Thursday, 11th April, 1889.*

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received at the next sitting of the House, this day.

Mr. *Colby* also acquainted the House that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, at its next sitting this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

And then The House, having continued to sit till twenty minutes before Two of the Clock on Thursday morning, adjourned till this day.

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Thursday, 11th April, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Scarth*,—The Petition of the Reverend *Joseph Noël Lussier*, P.P., and others.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petition was read and received:—

Of Messrs. *Hilyard* Brothers and others, of the Province of *New Brunswick*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, respecting the inspection of timber and lumber, may not become law.

Mr. *Tupper*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Annual Report of the Department of Fisheries, for the year 1888. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 8.)

On motion of Mr. *Jones* (*Halifax*), seconded by Mr. *Edgar*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for better securing the safety of certain Fishermen," be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time, and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Sir *John A. Macdonald* moved, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, and the Question being proposed, "That Government measures shall have precedence on every Monday during the remainder of the Session, after Questions put by Members,"

Mr. *Cook* moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Rinfret*, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "Mr. *Cook's*

“ Resolution on the subject of granting a measure of Home Rule to *Ireland*, be made a special Order for consideration on Monday next,” inserted instead thereof; And the Question being put on the amendment:—It passed in the Negative. Then the main Question being put:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

On motion of Mr. *Mitchell*, seconded by Mr. *Charlton*,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House, all papers, reports, returns and correspondence in reference to the condition of the railway subsidized by the Parliament of *Canada*, extending from the western end of the *Derby Branch Railway* to a connection with the Northern and Western Railway, in the County of *Northumberland, New Brunswick*; also, all correspondence, &c., had between the Government, or any of its officers, and the proprietors of the said railway, with the object of opening it up and running trains thereon.

On motion of Mr. *Mitchell*, seconded by Mr. *Charlton*,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House, copies of all papers and correspondence in connection with a claim of Messrs. A. and J. *Adams* for loss incurred by the wreck of their vessel, “*Carrier Dove*,” caused by the change of lights at *Crapaud Harbour*, without due notice to the public.

On motion of Mr. *Mitchell*, seconded by Mr. *Charlton*,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House, copies of all letters, reports, and correspondence had between Mr. *George R. Parker* and the Government, or any of its officers; and also, between the Government and its officers, in relation to claims for land, and damages, in connection with the *Derby Branch Railway*.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: “An Act to incorporate the Title and Mortgage Guarantee Company of *Canada*,” without any amendment.

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: “An Act to amend chapter one hundred and forty-eight of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, intituled: ‘An Act respecting the improper use of Fire Arms and other weapons,’” to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The Order of the Day being read, for the House again in the Committee of Supply;

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*, and the Question being proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair;

Mr. *Flynn* moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Kirk*, That all the words after “That” to the end of the Question be left out, and the words “it be Resolved, “That the location selected by the Government for the *Cape Breton Railway* is inexpedient, inasmuch as the route selected is longer and more expensive than is required to effect a connection between the Atlantic Ports and the Railway system of this Dominion, and is every way less calculated to serve the national and local interests which such an enterprise is designed to promote,” inserted instead thereof; And the Question being put on the amendment:—It passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put: It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee.)

1. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding One million two hundred and ninety-one thousand four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Sault Ste Marie Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Lachine Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.
3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One million two hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Cornwall Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.
4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Canals, as follow, viz.:—*Williamsburg*—Towards enlarging the *Farran's Point* Division, \$100,000; For the construction of an entrance and lock at the head of *Rapide Plat Canal*, \$360,000; Towards the improvement of the works at the head of the *Galops Canal*, \$340,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.
5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred and twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with Canals, as follow, viz.:—*St. Lawrence River and Canals*—*Lake St. Louis* and Canal between *Lakes St. Louis and St. Francis*, \$600,000; *St. Lawrence River and Canals*, \$20,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.
6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and seventeen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards completing the present works, *Murray Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.
7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and twelve thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Welland Canal*, as follow: *Welland*, \$100,000; *Welland*, deepening to 14 feet throughout, \$100,000; *Welland*, land and damages, *Grand River*, \$12,700, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.
8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Trent River Navigation*—For construction of locks and the improvement of navigation between *Lakefield* and *Balsam Lake*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.
9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-four thousand six hundred and forty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Ste. Anne Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.
10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Grenville Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.
11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Tay Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.
12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Culbute Canal*, to remove a shoal above the locks, land damages and works connected with the retaining dams, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.
13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand nine hundred and seven dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *J. Ruelle* for preparing "*Procès Verbal*" re lands—*Lachine Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.
14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-eight thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following expenses in connection with the *Welland Canal*: Repairing piers, *Port Colbourne* and *Port Maitland*, and canal banks, summit level, \$18,000; Bridge over old lock No. 2 and road, \$6,000; Overhauling the superstructure of the pier at *Port Dalhousie*, removal of shoal, also, construction of piers for bridge at *Thorold*, \$30,000; Reconstructing culvert under feeder above junction, \$3,000; To improve the outlet of *Sunfish Creek*, from the *Feeder to Grand River*, \$1,200, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.
15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for raising banks, lowering bottom of canal, rebuilding lock walls, &c., *Chambly Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.
16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards overhauling foundation of *St. Ours' lock*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.
17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for strengthening old pier below *Ste. Anne's Lock*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for two sets of stop logs, *Carillon* and *Grenville Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for a residence and an office for the Collector at *Cornwall* (*Cornwall Canal*), for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with *Trent River* navigation:—To build a landing pier at *Lakefield*, and repair the roads at *Buckhorn*, \$3,900; Cleaning out the channel at several points between *Lakefield* and *Balsam Lake*, \$5,800, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-eight thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the following expenses in connection with *Rideau Canal*:—For works necessary to complete the supply to the canal and the *Gananoque River*, \$12,000; Renewal of bridge at *Manotick*, \$1,000; To pay claims and legal expenses for land damages, \$100; Construction of a dredge, \$15,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to build road to replace one destroyed by raising water by construction of dams, *Calumet Island*, *Culbute Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand one hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for miscellaneous expenses connected with Canals, as follow:—Miscellaneous works not otherwise provided for, \$15,000; Arbitrations and awards, \$5,000; Surveys and inspections, \$10,000; General dredging on canals, \$10,150, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the following expenses in connection with Railways—(chargeable to income): Surveys and inspections, \$10,000; Railway Statistics, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and sixty-eight thousand eight hundred and fifty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses of Canals, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-nine thousand nine hundred and eighty-six dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Salaries and Contingencies of Canal Officers, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and twenty-three thousand four hundred and twenty-six dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *North-West Mounted Police*:—Pay of Force, \$332,176; Subsistence, \$91,250; Forage, \$77,000; Fuel and light, \$35,000; Clothing, \$60,000; Repairs, renewals, replacement of horses, arms and ammunition, \$50,000; Medicine, medical comforts and hospital expenses, \$5,000; Books, stationery and printed forms, \$5,000; Scouts, guides, billeting charges, travelling allowances, transport of men and stores, \$60,000; Contingencies, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for survey, construction of roads, bridges and other necessary works in connection with the *Hot Springs Reservation* near *Banff Station*, *North-West Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

29. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight hundred and seventy-one thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following expenses in connection with Customs, Salaries and Contingent Expenses of the Several Ports:—In the Province of *Nova Scotia*, \$112,555; In the Province of *New Brunswick*, \$91,020; In the Province of *Prince Edward Island*, \$19,535; In the Province of *Quebec*, \$221,645; In the Province of *Ontario*, \$278,580; In the Province of *Manitoba*, \$33,200; In the *North-West Territories*, \$5,000; In the Province of *British Columbia*, \$44,915; Provinces generally—To cover any unforeseen changes it may appear necessary to make in Staff, \$5,000; Salary and travelling expenses of Inspectors of Ports,

and travelling expenses of other officers on inspection, \$21,000; Board of Customs and Outside Detective Service—To meet expenditure in connection therewith, including \$800 salary of Commissioner of Customs as Chairman of the Board, \$17,000; Customs Laboratory—To meet expenditure in connection with the testing of sugars, &c., including pay of Officers appointed or employed for that purpose, \$5,200; Miscellaneous—Contingencies of head office, covering printing, stationery, newspapers, advertising, telegraphing, locks, instruments, &c., for the several Ports of Entry, \$15,000; To provide for the administration of the Chinese Immigration Act, including remuneration to Customs Officers, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

Resolutions to be reported.

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Friday morning;

Friday, 12th April, 1889.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

Ordered, That the Report be received at the next sitting of the House, this day.

Mr. Colby also acquainted the House that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, at its next sitting this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 25th February, 1889, for a Return of all evidence, papers and correspondence relating to the liability of the Government to construct, or to aid in constructing, a bridge across the *Grand River*, at the Village of *York*, in the County of *Haldimand*. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 69.)

And then The House, having continued to sit till five minutes after Two of the Clock on Friday morning, adjourned till this day.

Friday, 12th April, 1889.

#### PRAYERS.

The following Petition was brought up, and laid on the Table:—  
By Mr. *Denison*,—The Petition of the *Toronto Trades and Labour Council*.

Mr. *Rykert*, from the Select Standing Committee on Public Accounts, presented to the House the First Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have had under consideration the accounts for General Immigration expenses; rendered by Mr. *W. A. Webster*, and set forth on page C-156 of the Auditor-General's Report for the fiscal year ended 30th June, 1888; and for the information of the House, submit herewith the evidence taken, and the papers laid before them in connection with the said accounts. (*Appendix No. 2*.)

Mr. Taylor, from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, presented to the House the Fifth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

The Committee carefully examined the following documents, and recommend that they be printed, viz.:—

48. Return to an Order of the House of the 16th April, 1888, for a Return showing, separately, in regard to Companies doing business under Dominion License, the amount of Fire Insurance at risk on the 31st December, for each of the years from 1881 to 1887, both inclusive, the number of policies in force, the total amount of cash paid each year, and the total amount of expenses for each year, the percentage of losses and expenses to premium income, and the expense per \$1,000 at risk. (*Distribution and Sessional Papers.*)

64. Return to an Order of the House of the 25th February last, for a Return showing public buildings erected in various places throughout the Dominion, from 1st July, 1867, to 1st January, 1889; giving date of first appropriation made for same, locality in which erected, and total cost to date of 1st January, 1889. (*Sessional Papers only.*)

66. Return to an Order of the House of the 25th February last, for a Return showing the total amount of expense incurred and moneys paid up to 1st January, 1889, on account of the preparation, publication and completion:—

1. Of the various lists under the Dominion Franchise Act upon which the last General Election was held; and stating—

- (a) The total amount paid for printing;
- (b) The total amount paid to Revising Barristers;
- (c) The total amount paid to Revising Barristers, Clerks and Bailiffs;
- (d) The total amount paid for all other expenses in connection with preparation, publication and completion of the said lists;
- (e) Whether any claims against the Government in connection with the preparation of the lists are yet unsettled.

2. Showing the expense incurred up to 1st February, 1889, in connection with the preparation of the second Voters' List, under the Dominion Franchise Act, and stating—

- (a) The total cost of type used, or to be used, in setting up the lists;
- (b) The amount paid for composition in setting up the lists;
- (c) The cost of paper and presswork in preparation of the lists;
- (d) The cost or rental of plant used in connection with the preparation of said lists up to the above date;
- (e) Amount of all other expenses incurred in connection with the preparation of the said lists up to 1st February, 1889. (*Sessional Papers only.*)

The Committee would also respectfully recommend that the following documents be not printed, viz.:—

30. Return to an Address (Senate) to His Excellency the Governor General, dated 8th May, 1888, *re Pontiac and Pacific Junction Railway Company.*

49c. Return to an Order of the House of the 25th ultimo, for copies of all correspondence with the Department of Railways and Canals in connection with the opening of the Canals of the Dominion for Sunday traffic. Also, a statement of the number of steamboats and vessels passing through the several canals between the date of the order permitting the same and the close of navigation in the year 1888. Also, copies of all instructions to the Superintendents of the several canals.

62. Return to an Order of the House of the 25th ultimo, for a Return showing the amount of money paid on account of work performed or material furnished for opening or improving public roads or streets in the City of Ottawa, from the 1st of July, 1888, to the 1st of January, 1889; the names of the party or parties to whom paid, for what paid, and the amount; the name or names of all parties in charge as inspectors or superintendents, and the amount per day or month paid to them.

63. Return to an Order of the House of the 20th February last, for a Return showing the cost, to date, of the barn at the Experimental Farm, or of any and all other outbuildings upon said farm, with a statement showing the number of outbuildings and their kind, if any; also, the number of residences built on the farm and the cost of each one, separately; likewise the sum total of the cost of all buildings upon said farm, to date.

65. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 7th February last, for copies of the Resolutions passed at the conference held in 1887, at the City of Quebec, of Delegates from the several Provinces of Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Manitoba; and of all papers and correspondence relating thereto.

Mr. Taylor, from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, presented to the House the Sixth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

The Committee carefully examined the following documents, and recommend that they be printed, viz.:—

49d. Return to an Address (Senate) to His Excellency the Governor General, dated 26th March, 1888; praying that His Excellency will cause to be laid before this House, a detailed statement of all expenditure in maintaining, repairing, and operating the *Welland Canal*, for the years 1870, 1877, 1885, 1886, 1887, and to the 1st of January, 1888, etc., giving the names of all employés, the amount paid each as salary or wages, the number of days each was employed, keeping each month separate, the amount of allowance, if any, for house rent, horse hire or travelling expenses to superintendent, deputy superintendents, foremen or overseers; also, the duties performed by each employé, and how and where employed; if deputy superintendents, giving that portion of canal under the charge of each; if foremen or overseers, giving on what part or section of canal they are employed; if lock masters, giving the number of lock; if bridge tender, giving the name of bridge; if carpenters, masons or labourers, giving the division or portion of canal on which employed, keeping separate the expenditure and names of employés on what is known as the old and the new canal as far as possible.

Also, copies of all time-lists, pay-lists, and vouchers used in paying the employés, keeping each month separate for the above-named years.

Also, copies of all tenders received by the Government for the erection of the Custom House and Post Office Building at *Port Colborne*.

Also, copies of plans and specifications, and a detailed statement of material used in, and the cost of erecting the said building in the year 1887.

Also, copies of all correspondence between the Minister of Railways and Canals, or any officer of his Department, and the Superintendent of the *Welland Canal*, giving instructions for erecting the Custom House and Post Office at *Port Colborne*.

Also, copies of all correspondence and of plans and specifications and instructions to the Superintendent of the *Welland Canal* by the Minister of Railways and Canals, or any officer of that Department, for the erection of a wharf or dock west of the lock in *Port Colborne*.

Also, a detailed statement of the material used and cost of said wharf or dock.

Also, giving the purposes said wharf or dock was built for, and what it is used for.

Also, a detailed statement of the cost of Wrecking Pump purchased for the *Welland Canal*, giving the date of purchase, the number of days the said pump has been used in each year, and date of such service for canal purposes; if for private purposes, giving the date of such service and the amount received by the Government for such service.

Also, giving a detailed statement of the cost of Diving armour purchased for the *Welland Canal*, and giving the number of days it has been used and date of such service in each year.

Also, giving a detailed statement of the amount received by the Government for the use of said Diving armour, when used for private purposes and not for the Government service. (*In Sessional Papers and the following extracts only.*) Expenditure from the 1st July, 1869 to 1st July, 1870, and from 1st July, 1886, to 1st January, 1888.

68. Return to an Address (Senate) to His Excellency the Governor General, dated 19th March, 1888, for a list giving the names of Veterans of the War of 1812, actually living, with their place of residence and the amount of their respective pensions.

Appendix to the Report of the Minister of Agriculture on Experimental Farms for 1888. (*To be reprinted for distribution in such numbers as to give each Senator and Member of the House of Commons two hundred copies, and to be wrapped up singly ready for addressing and mailing.*)

The Committee would also recommend, that the following documents be *not* printed, viz. :—

46a. Return to an Order of the House of the 20th ultimo, for a Return of all correspondence between the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa, and A. Lord, Esq., Agent, *Charlottetown Prince Edward Island*, or any other person, having reference to the dismissal of Capt. *Ronald Campbell*, Harbour Master for *Summerside*.

Also, copy of all complaints made against the said Capt. *Ronald Campbell*, showing by whom made, with copy of evidence touching said dismissal.

Report of the Select Committee, House of Commons, appointed to enquire into and report upon Fraudulent Practices upon Farmers and others in the Dominion.

On motion of Mr. *Sproule*, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*,

*Ordered*, That the 49th Rule of this House be suspended, in so far as it relates to a Report to be presented this day from the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

Mr. *Sproule*, from the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, then presented to the House the Sixth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth :—

Your Committee have examined the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *William Gordon Lowry*."

With the object of more clearly establishing certain of the allegations set forth in the preamble of the Bill, your Committee deemed it advisable to take further evidence. They therefore examined under oath, the following persons, viz.: *William Gordon Lowry* (the Petitioner), *Thomas Checkley*, and *John H. Wright*. After hearing the testimony of these witnesses, your Committee have agreed to report the Bill, without any amendment. (*Appendix No. 3.*)

On motion of Mr. *Sproule*, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*,

*Ordered*, That the evidence taken before the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, this day, in the matter of the Bill, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *William Gordon Lowry*," be forthwith printed, and that Rule 94 be suspended in relation thereto.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 1st April, 1889, for copies of all Orders in Council, correspondence, agreements and settlements, respecting the conveyance of the North Shore Railway to the Government by the Grand Trunk Railway Company, and by the Government to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. (*Sessional Papers, No. 22h.*)

Also, Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 1st April, 1889, for a Return of Orders in Council relating to the division of the subsidy of \$250,000 to the International Railway Company, between the different portions of the road, say, from

the *St. Lawrence* to *Lennoxville*, from *Lennoxville* to *Moose River* and *Mattawamkeag*, from *Mattawamkeag* to *Harvey Station*, and from *Harvey* to *Salisbury*, giving the number of miles in each division, and the amount apportioned thereto. (*Sessional Papers, No. 51a.*)

And also, Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 1st April, 1889, for copies of all tenders received for the construction of the *Sault Ste. Marie Canal*, with accompanying documents, including the approximate quantities on which such tenders were computed, and the gross amounts; and all correspondence, reports and Orders in Council, in relation to the same. (*Sessional Papers, No. 49e.*)

On motion of Mr. *Brown*, seconded by Mr. *McKay*,

Ordered, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend chapter one hundred and forty-eight of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, intituled: 'An Act "respecting the improper use of Fire-arms and other weapons,"' be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

Mr. *Costigan* moved, seconded by Mr. *Tupper*, That this House will, on Monday next, resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting the Inland Revenue Act.

Resolved, That this House will, on Monday next, resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(*In the Committee.*)

1. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and seventy-two thousand three hundred and fifty-one dollars and twenty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following expenses in connection with Excise:—Salaries of Officers and Inspectors of Excise, \$270,801.25; Preventive Service, \$15,800; To provide for increases dependent upon the result of Excise Examinations, \$2,000; To provide for increase of pay of officers at large distilleries and factories, \$5,000; Travelling expenses, rent, fuel, stationery, &c.; also, stamps for imported and Canadian Tobacco, \$70,000; To pay Collectors of Customs, allowance on duties collected by them, \$3,500; Commission to sellers of stamps for *Canada Twist Tobacco*, \$250. Special—To enable the Department to supply methylated spirits, &c., to manufactories, the cost of which will be recouped by manufacturers to whom they are supplied, \$5,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-eight thousand five hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following expenses in connection with Weights and Measures and Gas: Salaries of Inspectors and Assistant Inspectors of Weights and Measures, \$43,200; Salaries of Inspectors of Gas, \$11,350; Rent, fuel, travelling expenses, postage, stationery, &c., for Weights and Measures, \$18,000; Rent, fuel, travelling expenses, postage, stationery, &c., for Gas, \$9,000; Salary of the Chief Inspector of Standards, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the purchase and distribution of Standards of Flour, &c., and other expenditures under the Act for the Inspection of Staples, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet expenses under the Adulteration of Food Act, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the following items, viz.:—Minor Revenues, \$800; Ordnance Lands, \$3,200, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for collection of Slide and Boom dues, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and five thousand seven hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses, Harbours and Slides, including River *Yamaska* Lock and *Lévis* and *Esquimalt* Graving Docks, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Telegraph Line between *Prince Edward Island* and the mainland, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Land and Cable Telegraph Lines of the Sea Coasts and Islands of the Lower Rivers and Gulf of St. Lawrence and Maritime Provinces, including cost of working steamer "*Newfield*" or other vessel, when required for cable service, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for telegraph lines *North-West Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Telegraph Lines, *British Columbia*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Telegraph and Signal Service generally, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Works Agency, *British Columbia*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

And it being Six o'Clock, P.M., Mr. Speaker took the Chair, and left it, to resume the same at half-past Seven o'Clock, P. M.

*Half-past Seven o'Clock, P.M.*

#### Private Bills under Rule 19.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Supreme "Court of the Independent Order of Foresters," and the same were twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendments.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Union "Railway Company," and the same were twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendments.

The Order of the Day being read, for the House in Committee on the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *George McDonald Bagwell*;"

And the Question being put, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair; the House divided: and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read, for the House in Committee on the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *Arthur Wand*;"

And the Question being put, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair; the House divided: and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read, for the House in Committee on the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *William Henry Middleton*;"

And the Question being put, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair; the House divided: and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, the Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same, without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the following Bills without any amendment.

Bill intituled: "An Act to provide for the conveyance of certain lands to "*British Columbia*."

Bill intituled: "An Act in reference to the Western Counties Railway."

Bill intituled: "An Act further to amend 'The Steamboat Inspection Act,' "*chapter seventy-eight of the Revised Statutes*."

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend the Revised "*Statutes, chapter seventy-seven, respecting the safety of Ships*," with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the "*Harbour of Belleville, in the Province of Ontario*," with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The Committee of Supply was then resumed.

(*In the Committee.*)

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two million nine hundred and fifty-nine thousand seven hundred and ten dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Post Offices:—*Ontario*, \$1,356,110; *Quebec*, \$650,030; *New Brunswick*, \$232,780; *Nova Scotia*, \$253,830; *Prince Edward Island*, \$44,560; *British Columbia*, \$137,420; *Manitoba* and the *North-West Territories*, \$274,980, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty-five thousand seven hundred and forty-eight dollars and twenty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Dominion Lands, as follow, viz: Commissioner's salary, \$5,000; Superintendent of Mines' salary, \$3,200; Inspector of Agencies' salary, \$2,200; Secretary's salary, \$2,000; Assistant Secretary's salary, \$1,500; Seven Homestead Inspectors' salaries, \$8,400; Dominion Lands Agents' salaries, \$19,200; Crown Timber Agents' salaries, \$5,600; Inspector of Ranches' salary, \$600; Forestry Commissioner's salary, \$2,000; Dominion Lands Agent's salary, *New Westminster*, \$2,800; Crown Timber Agent's salary, *New Westminster*, \$1,600; To provide for salaries of Clerks in Outside Service, Forest Rangers and Land Guide Service, \$46,818.25; To provide for travelling expenses of Inspector of Agencies, Superintendent of Mines, Homestead Inspectors and Forestry Commissioner; Contingencies of Superintendent of Mines, Land Board,

Dominion Lands and Crown Timber Agents, Inspector of Ranches, and at Head Office; Special Service Account, Stationery and Printing and Half-Breed claims, Commission expenses, \$48,830; To provide for the payment of members of the Board of Examiners of Dominion Land Surveyors—(The authority required by the Civil Service Act is hereby given for paying out of this vote such sums as may be required to pay for the services of members of the Board who are also members of the Civil Service), \$1,000; To provide for the payment of salaries of Extra Clerks at Head Office, Ottawa; To provide for the payment of Advertising, Copying, &c., \$35,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the amount required for Surveys, Examination of Survey Returns, Printing of Plans, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam Communication with the *Magdalen Islands*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam Communication between *Grand Manan, N.B.*, and the mainland, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, as Subsidy to a line of steamers to run between *Liverpool or London* or both, and *St. John, N.B.*, and *Halifax, N.S.*, a port in the Dominion to be the terminal port, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, as Subsidy to steamer between *Campbellton* and *Gaspé* and intermediate ports, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication from *Port Mulgrave* at the terminus of the Eastern Extension Railway to *East Bay, Cape Breton*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *Port Mulgrave* or *Pictou* Railway terminus and *Cheticamp*, touching at *Port Hood, Mabou, Broad Cove, Margaree* and *Cheticamp*, the Local Government having granted a similar amount, conditionally on a Dominion vote, for the same service, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *Prince Edward Island* and the mainland, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *St. John* and Ports in *Basin of Minas, Parrsboro', Mattland, Summerville, Hantsport, Avondale, Windsor, Kingsport Wolfville, &c.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *Canso, Arichat, Guysboro', Port Hood* and *Mabou*, and such other places between above limits as may be agreed upon, touching daily at *Port Mulgrave*; and also, to provide for continuance of service during winter on the *Port Mulgrave* and *Canso* section, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *Halifax* and *Newfoundland* via *Cape Breton*, at \$200 per trip, not to exceed \$2,000 per annum, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventeen thousand six hundred and forty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam service between *San Francisco* and *Victoria, B.C.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *St. John, Digby* and *Annapolis* for a daily service (except Sunday) during nine months and a daily or tri-weekly service during three months, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

Resolutions to be reported.

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Saturday morning;

*Saturday, 13th April, 1889.*

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received at the next sitting of the House, on Monday next.

Mr. *Colby* also acquainted the House that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, at its next sitting on Monday next, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: “An Act further to amend the several Acts relating to the Board of Trade of the City of *Toronto*,” to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And then The House, having continued to sit till five minutes before Two of the Clock on Saturday morning, adjourned till Monday next.

Monday, 15th April, 1889.

**PRAYERS.**

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petition was read and received:—

Of the *Toronto* Trades and Labour Council; praying that a certain sum of money included in the Supplementary Estimates of the present Session, for purposes of Immigration, be not concurred in.

The Petition of the Reverend *Joseph Noël Lussier*, P.P., and others, presented on Thursday last; praying that a certain sum of money be granted to each County in the Dominion of *Canada*, for the purchase of clover seed to be distributed among the farmers of each County, being read;

Mr. Speaker said that as the granting of the prayer of this Petition would involve the expenditure of Public money, it cannot be received.

Mr. Speaker communicated to the House the following letter:—

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S SECRETARY,

*Ottawa*, 15th April, 1889.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that the Honourable Mr. Justice *Strong*, acting as Deputy to His Excellency the Governor General, will proceed to the Senate Chamber, To-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock, for the purpose of giving assent to the

Bills which have passed the Senate and House of Commons during the present Session.

I have the honour to be, Sir,  
Your obedient servant,  
CHARLES COLVILLE, Captain,  
Governor General's Secretary.

The Honourable  
The Speaker of the House of Commons.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, from the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, presented to the House the Twelfth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have had under consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to Bill to incorporate the *Manitoba* and South-Eastern Railway Company, and recommend that the first and second Amendments be agreed to; also, that the third Amendment be agreed to with the following consequential Amendment in Clause A: Leave out "If the Company" and insert "The Company may"; because in order that "The Railway Act" shall apply to the bridges of the Company, it is necessary (under paragraph Q of section two of that Act) to authorize, in the special Act, the construction of such bridges.

Your Committee have also had under consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to Bill to incorporate the North-Western Junction and *Lake of the Woods* Railway Company, and recommend that the first Amendment be disagreed to, because, in order that the "The Railway Act" shall apply to the bridge of the Company, it is necessary (under paragraph Q of section two of that Act) to authorize, in the special Act, the construction of such a bridge; but they recommend that the other Amendments made by the Senate to this Bill, be agreed to.

Your Committee further recommend, that the consideration of this Report be made the First Order of this day, after Routine Proceedings.

Mr *Ryhert*, from the Select Standing Committee on Public Accounts, presented to the House the Second Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have had under consideration the accounts for General Immigration expenses rendered by Mr. *Henry Smyth*, and set forth on page C-157 of the Auditor-General's Report, for the fiscal year ended 30th June, 1858; and, for the information of the House, submit herewith the evidence taken, and the papers laid before them in connection with the said accounts. (*Appendix No. 2a.*)

On motion of Mr. *Small*, seconded by Mr. *Denison*,  
*Ordered*, That all Rules and Orders of this House be suspended, as regards a Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act further to amend the several Acts relating to "the Board of Trade of the City of *Toronto*," and that the Bill be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a second time.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath passed the same without any amendment.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,  
*Ordered*, That the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Manitoba* and South-Eastern Railway Company," also, the

Amendments to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the North-Western Junction and *Lake of the Woods* Railway Company," reported by the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines this day, be placed forthwith on the Orders for consideration.

— Ordered, That Mr. *Dewdney* have leave to bring in a Bill to consolidate and amend "The Act respecting the *North-West Territories*."

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Ordered, That Mr. *Costigan* have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend "The General Inspection Act, chapter ninety-nine of the Revised Statutes."

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Manitoba* and South-Eastern Railway Company."

The First and Second Amendments, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Third Amendment, being read a second time, as followeth:—

Page 2, line 15.—Leave out from nine (9) to the end of the Bill, and insert the following as Clauses "A," "B" and "C":—

*Clause A.*

"If the Company build bridges, for railway purposes, across the *Red River*, one "on the main line of the railway at some suitable point in or near the City of *Winnipeg*, another on the southern branch of the railway in or near the town of *Morris*, and another on the northern branch of the railway in or near the town of *Selkirk*, or any of the said bridges, the Company may, also, in their discretion, at any time construct or arrange the said bridges, or any of them, as well for the use of foot passengers and carriages, or either, as they think best."

*Clause B.*

"If the Company construct or arrange any such bridge for the use of foot passengers and carriages, or either, as well as for railway purposes, then the tolls to be charged for the passage of such foot passengers and carriages shall, before being imposed, be first submitted to and approved of, and may be amended and modified from time to time, by the Governor in Council; but the Company may, at any time, reduce the same; and a notice showing the tolls authorized to be charged shall, at all times, be posted up in a conspicuous place on the said bridge."

*Clause C.*

"The Company may enter into an agreement with any existing company or corporation, for the purchasing or leasing from such company or corporation, any existing bridges across the said *Red River*, at any of the points herein above mentioned, for the use of the railway."

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*.

A consequential Amendment was made to Clause A, in page 3, line 7, leave out "If" and after "Company" insert "may;" because, in order that "The Railway Act" shall apply to the bridges of the Company, it is necessary (under paragraph Q of section two of that Act) to authorize in the Special Act the construction of such bridges.

The Third Amendment, as amended, was then agreed to.

Resolved, That a Message be sent to the Senate communicating to their Honours the reason for disagreeing to the Third of the said Amendments.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the said Message (with the Bill and Amendments) to the Senate.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the North-Western Junction and *Lake of the Woods* Railway Company."

The First Amendment, being read a second time, as followeth:—Page 1, Line 32—after "4" insert "If" and leave out "may—"

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*.

*Resolved*, That this House doth disagree with the Senate in the said Amendment for the following Reason:—Because, in order that "The Railway Act" shall apply to the bridge of the Company, it is necessary (under paragraph Q of Section two of that Act) to authorize in the special Act the construction of such bridge.

Then the subsequent Amendments, being read a second time, were agreed to.

*Resolved*, That a Message be sent to the Senate communicating to their Honours the reason for disagreeing to the First of the said Amendments.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the said Message (with the Bill and Amendments) to the Senate.

The Order of the Day being read, for the third reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *George Macdonald Bagwell*."

Mr. *Brown* moved, seconded by Mr. *Small*, and the Question being put, That the Bill be now read the third time; the House divided: and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the Question being put, That the Bill do pass; the House divided: and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath passed the same without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being read, for the third reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *Arthur Wand*;"

Mr. *Small* moved, seconded by Mr. *Brown*, and the Question being put, That the Bill be now read the third time; the House divided: and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the Question being put, That the Bill do pass; the House divided: and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath passed the same without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being read, for the third reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *William Henry Middleton*;"

Mr. *Small* moved, seconded by Mr. *Brown*, and the Question being put, That the Bill be now read the third time; the House divided: and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the Question being put, That the Bill do pass; the House divided: and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath passed the same without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being read, for the House in Committee on the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *William Gordon Lowry*;"

Mr. *Small* moved, seconded by Mr. *Brown*, and the Question being proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

Sir *John Thompson* moved, in amendment, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question, be left out, and the words "the House do resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole on the said Bill "this day six months," inserted inserted thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS:

## Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Langevin, (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Daly,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreil),</i>	<i>Thérén,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John), and</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	<i>Wright.—55.</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>	

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

<i>Baird,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lient.Genl.),</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Welsh,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Ross,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Scarth,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox), and</i>
<i>Dawdney,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'ld).—69.</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>			

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put;

*Ordered,* That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported; That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

And the Question being put, That the Bill be now read the third time; the House divided: and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

And the Question being put, That the Bill do pass; the House divided: and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

*Ordered,* That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath passed the same without any amendment.

On motion of Mr. *Foster*, seconded by Mr. *Dewdney*,  
*Ordered*, That the Order for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend the Railway Act," be transferred from Public Bills and Orders to Government Orders.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend the Revised Statutes, chapter seventy-seven, respecting the safety of Ships," and the same were twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendments.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the Harbour of *Belleville*, in the Province of *Ontario*."

The First Amendment, being read a second time, was agreed to.

The Second Amendment, being read a second time, as followeth:

Page 2, line 43.—Leave out from "Commissioners" to "9" in line 48, and insert "may from time to time make a tariff of rates and dues applicable to traffic on the said Harbour, but no such tariff shall have any force or effect until it has been approved by the Governor in Council, and published in the *Canada Gazette*."

On motion of Mr. *Tupper*, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, the said Amendment was amended, by adding after the word "*Gazette*" at the end thereof, the words: "Provided that the schedule of tolls and dues now in force shall remain in force until the same shall have been revised and approved by the Governor in Council, and published in the *Canada Gazette*."

The Second Amendment, as amended, was then agreed to.

The Third Amendment, being read a second time, was agreed to.

*Resolved*, That a Message be sent to the Senate communicating to their Honours, the reason for disagreeing to the Second of the said Amendments.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the said Message (with the Bill and Amendments) to the Senate.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Summary Trials Act,' " and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill, with the Amendments, do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath passed the same, with several Amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Summary Convictions Act,' " chapter one hundred and seventy-eight of the Revised Statutes, and the Act amending the same," and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.  
*Ordered*, That the Bill be read the third time To-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act respecting Expropriation of Lands," and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had made some progress, and directed him to move for leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, at its next sitting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution, respecting the amount due on certain loans made to Mennonite Immigrants.

(In the Committee.)

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to provide that the amount due on certain loans, amounting in the aggregate to \$96,400, made to Mennonite Immigrants, on the security of members of that community resident in the Province of Ontario, under the authority of the Act 38 Victoria, Chapter 3, should be computed as though the interest stipulated in the agreements relating to such loans had been four per cent. simple interest, instead of six per cent. compound interest, and that payment in full may be accepted on the basis of such computation.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*. That the Report be now received.

Mr. Colby reported the Resolution accordingly, and the same was read, as followeth:—

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to provide that the amount due on certain loans, amounting in the aggregate to \$96,400, made to Mennonite Immigrants, on the security of members of that community resident in the Province of Ontario, under the authority of the Act 38 Victoria, Chapter 3, should be computed as though the interest stipulated in the agreements relating to such loans had been four per cent. simple interest, instead of six per cent. compound interest, and that payment in full may be accepted on the basis of such computation.

The said Resolution being read a second time, was agreed to.

*Ordered*, That Mr. Carling have leave to bring in a Bill, respecting a loan t herein mentioned to certain Mennonite Immigrants.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution, respecting the Inland Revenue Act, and to make better provision for the working of the said Act.

(In the Committee)

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to amend the Inland Revenue Act, and to make better provision for ascertaining the duty to be charged on malt under the said Act; to provide that a duty of excise of fifteen cents per gallon shall be imposed on spirits used in a bonded manufactory in the production of ether and other chemical compositions, as from the 22nd May, 1888; for the remission of the duty on malt used in the manufacture of vinegar under certain restrictions, and for the better supervision of bonded manufactories; and to make provision that from the 1st July next, the

excise duty on cigarettes, weighing not more than three pounds per thousand, shall be \$1.50 per thousand, and on those weighing more than three pounds per thousand, \$6.00 per thousand; and also, to provide further for the manner in which tobacco and cigarettes may be put up in packages.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. Colby reported the Resolution accordingly, and the same was read, as followeth:—

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to amend the Inland Revenue Act, and to make better provision for ascertaining the duty to be charged on malt under the said Act; to provide that a duty of excise of fifteen cents per gallon shall be imposed on spirits used in a bonded manufactory in the production of ether and other chemical compositions, as from the 22nd May, 1888; for the remission of the duty on malt used in the manufacture of vinegar under certain restrictions, and for the better supervision of bonded manufactories; and to make provision that from the 1st July next, the excise duty on cigarettes, weighing not more than three pounds per thousand, shall be \$1.50 per thousand, and on those weighing more than three pounds per thousand, \$6.00 per thousand; and also, to provide further for the manner in which tobacco and cigarettes may be put up in packages.

The said Resolution being read a second time, was agreed to.

*Ordered*, That Mr. Costigan have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend "The Inland Revenue Act," chapter thirty-four, of the Revised Statutes.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to authorize the granting of pensions to members of the *North-West Mounted Police Force*;

Sir John A. Macdonald moved, seconded by Sir Hector L. Langevin, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time.

Mr. Jones (*Halifax*) moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. Mills (*Bothwell*), That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question, be left out, and the words "it be Resolved, That a percentage of the salary of the *North-West Mounted Police* shall be deducted and paid to such persons on their leaving the service, or "to their families in case of their death in the service," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

YEAS:

Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Ohoquette,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Bécharde,</i>	<i>De St. Georges,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Blake,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>

<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd)</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Welsh, and</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin).—66.</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>		

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Baird,</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.)</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Lds. &amp; Greny)</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Sproute,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton)</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Girouard,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil)</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Tyrovhitt,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox),</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville),</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'd) and</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wright.—106.</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>		

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put;

*Ordered,* That the Bill be now read a second time.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved,* That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered,* That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved,* That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered,* That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the third reading of the Bill further to amend the Revised Statutes, chapter five, respecting the Electoral Franchise;

Sir John Thompson moved, seconded by Mr. Tupper, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time,

Mr. Charlton moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. Paterson (Brant), That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "it be Resolved, That in the opinion of this House, inasmuch as the Franchise Act recognized manhood suffrage as it existed in two of the Provinces of this Dominion at the time of the passage of the Act; that in any Province where manhood suffrage has since been or may hereafter be adopted, the qualification under the Franchise Act shall be the same as under the Provincial law of such Province, and the voters' lists prepared in such Province for Provincial purposes, shall be used for Dominion Elections," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS :

## Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Fiset.</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd) Hale,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	<i>Welsh, and</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin).—59.</i>
<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>	

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>
<i>Baird,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector) Ross,</i>	
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>La Rivière</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.) Shanly,</i>	
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Uds &amp; Gren.)</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria)</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>Mc Dougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Taylor.</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>Mc Dougall (C. Breton)</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Girouard,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe).</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox), and</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville)—88.</i>

So it passed in the Negative.

And the Question being again proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Mr. *Davies* moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Welsh*, That all the words after "now" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "re-committed to a Committee of the Whole House, for the purpose of amending the same, by adding the following section:—

"Section 10 of the said Act is hereby repealed and the following substituted: "In the Provinces of *British Columbia* and *Prince Edward Island*, respectively, besides the persons entitled to be registered as voters and to vote under this Act, every person who on the first day of June in each year:—

"(a.) Is of the age of twenty-one years, and is not by this Act or by any law of the Dominion of *Canada*, disqualified, or prevented from voting; and—

"(b.) Is a British subject by birth or naturalization and resident in the Province, and is entitled to vote in the said Provinces, respectively, by the laws then severally in force in the same, shall have a right to be registered as a voter and to vote so long as he continues to be qualified to vote under the provisions of the said last mentioned laws, respectively, and no longer;" inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

#### YEAS:

##### Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Mcdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd)</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	<i>Welsh, and</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin).—55.</i>
<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>	

#### NAYS:

##### Messieurs

<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>
<i>Baird,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut-Genl.)</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Leeds &amp; Gren.)</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John)</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria)</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Girouard,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton)</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Carlton,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil)</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>

<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox) and</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville).—88.</i>

So it passed in the Negative.

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Tuesday morning;

*Tuesday, 16th April, 1889.*

And the Question being again proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Mr. *Watson* moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Casgrain*, That all the words after "now" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "re-committed to a Committee of the Whole House, for the purpose of amending the same, by providing that the preliminary lists for the present year shall be made up from the last assessment roll and from Provincial lists and records and from solemn declarations made upon personal knowledge," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put;

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the third reading of the Bill to amend "The Post Office Act," chapter thirty-five of the Revised Statutes of Canada;

Mr. *Haggart* moved, seconded by Mr. *Dewdney*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time.

Mr. *White (Renfrew)*, moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Watson*, That all the words after "now" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "re-committed to a Committee of the Whole House, for the purpose of amending the same by providing that the registration fee on letters shall not exceed two cents," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:

YEAS:

Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd)</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>

Casey,  
Casgrain,  
Charlton,  
Choquette,

Holton,  
Innes,  
Jones (Halifax),  
Lang,

Neveu,  
Paterson (Brant),  
Perry,  
Platt,

Weldon (St. John),  
White (Renfrew), and  
Wilson (Elgin).—55.

**NAYS :**

**Messieurs**

Bain (Soulanges),  
Baird,  
Bell,  
Bergeron,  
Bowell,  
Boyle,  
Brown,  
Bryson,  
Burns,  
Cargill,  
Carling,  
Caron (Sir Adolphe),  
Cimon,  
Cochrane,  
Cockburn,  
Colby,  
Costigan,  
Coughlin,  
Curran,  
Davin,  
Davis,  
Denison,

Desjardins,  
Dewdney,  
Dickey,  
Dickinson,  
Dupont,  
Ferguson (Leeds & Gren.),  
Ferguson (Welland),  
Foster,  
Freeman,  
Girouard,  
Gordon,  
Grandbois,  
Guillet,  
Haggart,  
Hall,  
Hesson,  
Hickey,  
Hudspeth,  
Jamieson,  
Jones (Digby),  
Kenny,

Kirkpatrick,  
Landry,  
Langevin (Sir Hector),  
La Rivière,  
Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.),  
Macdonald (Sir John),  
McCulla,  
McDonald (Victoria),  
McDougald (Pictou),  
McDougall (C. Breton),  
McKay,  
McMillan (Vaudreuil),  
McNeill,  
Madill,  
Mara,  
Marshall,  
Masson,  
Mills (Annapolis),  
Moffat,  
Montplaisir,  
O'Brien,  
Porter,  
Prior,  
Roome,  
Ross,  
Rykert,  
Shanly,  
Small,  
Smith (Ontario),  
Sproule,  
Taylor,  
Temple,  
Thérien,  
Thompson (Sir John),  
Tupper,  
Tyrwhitt,  
Wallace,  
White (Cardwell),  
Wilmot,  
Wilson (Argenteuil),  
Wilson (Lennox), and  
Wood (Brockville)—85.

So it passed in the Negative.

And the Question being again proposed, that the Bill be now read the third time ;  
Mr. Jones (Halifax), moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. Weldon (St. John),  
That all the words after " now " to the end of the Question be left out, and the words  
" re-committed to a Committee of the Whole House, with instructions to amend Clause  
" 21 of said Act, by omitting all words in the fifth line, after the words " such  
letters, " inserted instead thereof ;

And the Question being put on the amendment ; It passed in the Negative.

And the Question being again proposed, That the Bill be now read the third  
time ;

Mr. Watson moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. Fisher, That all the words  
after " now " to the end of the Question be left out, and the words " re-committed to  
" a Committee of the Whole House, so as to provide that the fee for registration of tax  
" or assessment notices, mailed by municipal clerks, shall not exceed two cents, " in-  
serted instead thereof ;

And the Question being put on the amendment ; the House divided : and it  
passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put ;

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their con-  
currence.

And then The House, having continued to sit till a quarter of an hour before One  
the Clock on Tuesday morning, adjourned till this day.

Tuesday, 16th April, 1889.

PRAYERS.

Mr. *Rykert*, from the Select Standing Committee on Public Accounts, presented to the House the Third Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—  
Your Committee have had under consideration the items "Expenditure for clothing, Militia and Defence," as set forth on page C-199 of the Auditor-General's Report for the fiscal year ended 30th June, 1888; and, for the information of the House submit herewith the evidence taken, and the papers referred to therein, in connection with the said items. (*Appendix No. 2b.*)

Mr. *Hall*, from the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, presented to the House the Seventh Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have had under consideration Bill for the prevention and suppression of Combinations formed in restraint of Trade, and have agreed to report the same with Amendments.

Mr. *Girouard*, from the Select Committee appointed to examine and report on a Ballot or Voting box, invented by *John Waddell*, of *Harriston*, and constructed by Order of the House, under the superintendence of Mr. *John R. Arnoldi*, Chief Mechanical Engineer of the Department of Public Works, presented to the House the Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

The Box appears well adapted to the purpose for which it was intended, and, if Parliament should decide to change the mode of voting, this Box should receive the best attention that could be given it.

Your Committee have enquired into the probable cost of manufacture, and find that a Box suitable for use for, say, three Candidates, would be about twelve dollars (\$12.00), and two dollars (\$2.00) additional for provision for each additional Candidate.

Mr. *Bowell*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General, Report of the Royal Commission on the relations of Capital and Labour in *Canada*, together with the Evidence adduced in the different Provinces. (*Sessional Papers, Letter A.*)

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend The Railway Act;"

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the Canadian Pacific Railway Company," without any amendment.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to provide against frauds in the supplying of milk to cheese and butter manufactories," with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend the Revised Statute respecting Escapes and Rescues," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The Order of the Day being read, for the House again in the Committee of Supply ;  
 Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*, and the Question being proposed,  
**That** Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair ;  
 And a Debate arising thereupon ;

A Message was brought by *Réné E. Kimber*, Esquire, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod.

Mr. Speaker,

The Honourable Mr. Justice *Strong*, Deputy Governor, desires the immediate attendance of this Honourable House in the Senate Chamber.

Accordingly Mr. Speaker, with the House, went up to the Senate Chamber ; and having returned ;

Mr. Speaker reported, That agreeably to the command of the Deputy Governor, the House had attended in the Senate Chamber, where the Deputy Governor was pleased to give, in Her Majesty's name, the Royal Assent to the following Public and Private Bills :—

An Act respecting the *St. Lawrence* and Atlantic Junction Railway Company.

An Act further to amend the Act incorporating the *London* and Canadian Loan and Agency Company.

An Act to incorporate the *Cobourg*, *Northumberland* and Pacific Railway Company.

An Act respecting the *Bay of Quinté* Bridge Company.

An Act respecting the *Berlin* and Canadian Pacific Junction Railway Company.

An Act to ratify an Exchange of Land between the *Ontario* and *Quebec* Railway Company and the Land Security Company.

An Act respecting the incorporation of the Northern Pacific and *Manitoba* Railway Company.

An Act to amend the Act incorporating the *Ontario* Mutual Life Assurance Company.

An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the *Prescott* County Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to "The Central Counties Railway Company."

An Act to incorporate the Canadian General Trusts Company.

An Act to consolidate the borrowing powers of the *Ontario* Loan and Debenture Company, and to authorize them to issue Debenture Stock.

An Act to incorporate the *Canada* Congregational Foreign Missionary Society.

An Act to amend the Act respecting Queen's College at *Kingston*.

An Act to amend the Charter of Incorporation of the Great *North West* Central Railway Company.

An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the *Quebec* Board of Trade.

An Act respecting the Atlantic and *North West* Railway Company.

An Act to amend the law respecting the Exchequer Court of *Canada*.

An Act to further amend the Act thirty-sixth *Victoria*, chapter sixty-one, respecting the Trinity House and Harbour Commissioners of *Montreal*.

An Act to amend chapter thirteen of the Revised Statutes, intituled : "An Act respecting the House of Commons."

An Act respecting the *Kingston* and *Pemroke* Railway Company, and the *Napanee*, *Tamworth* and *Quebec* Railway Company.

An Act respecting the *Kingston* and *Pembroke* Railway Company.

An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the *Winnipeg* and *North* Pacific Railway Company.

An Act to revive and amend the Acts relating to the *Saint Gabriel* Levee and Railway Company.

An Act to incorporate the *Ontario*, *Manitoba* and *Western* Railway Company.

An Act to enable the City of *Winnipeg* to utilize the *Assiniboine* River water power.

An Act to incorporate the *Three Rivers* and *Western* Railway Company.

- An Act respecting the *Wood Mountain and Qu'Appelle* Railway Company.  
 An Act to incorporate the *Dominion Mineral* Company.  
 An Act to incorporate the *Canadian Superphosphate* Company.  
 An Act to amend chapter eleven of the Revised Statutes, intituled: "An Act respecting the Senate and House of Commons."  
 An Act to amend the Act respecting Certificates to Masters and Mates of Ships, chapter seventy-three of the Revised Statutes.  
 An Act respecting Rules of Court in relation to Criminal Matters.  
 An Act respecting the *Alberta and Athabasca* Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to "The North-Western Railway Company of *Canada*."  
 An Act to incorporate the *Assiniboine* Water Power Company.  
 An Act further to amend "The Civil Service Act," chapter seventeen of the Revised Statutes.  
 An Act to amend "The Winding-up Act," chapter one hundred and twenty nine of the Revised Statutes.  
 An Act further to amend the Supreme and Exchequer Courts Act.  
 An Act respecting the collection of certain Tolls and Dues therein mentioned.  
 An Act to incorporate the Title and Mortgage Guarantee Company of *Canada*.  
 An Act to incorporate the Assets and Debenture Company of *Canada*.  
 An Act to amend the Act incorporating the *Massawippi* Junction Railway Company.  
 An Act to incorporate the *Lake Manitoba* Railway and Canal Company.  
 An Act to incorporate the *Moose Jaw and Edmonton* Railway Company.  
 An Act to incorporate the *Saskatchewan* Railway and Mining Company.  
 An Act to provide for the conveyance of certain Lands to *British Columbia*.  
 An Act in reference to the *Western Counties* Railway.  
 An Act further to amend "The Steamboat Inspection Act," chapter seventy-eight of the Revised Statutes.  
 An Act respecting the *Canadian Pacific* Railway Company.  
 An Act to make further provision respecting the speedy trial of certain Indictable Offences.

The House then resumed the Debate on the Question, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (for the House again in the Committee of Supply);

Mr. *Holton* moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Somerville*, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "it be resolved, That it is expedient to amend the Customs Act in such manner that whilst securing every proper and necessary protection to the Revenue, it will relieve the honest importer from danger of oppression, and, in the case of persons charged with violation of the Customs Laws, provide that no one shall be subject to fine or to have his goods declared forfeited, except after a fair and public trial; and provided further, that in no event shall officers, making seizures, participate in the proceeds of fines or forfeitures imposed for such offences," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

YEAS :

Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>De St. Georges,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Préfontaine,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Langelier (Montmorency)</i>	<i>Purcell,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Langelier (Québec),</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>

<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd),</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Welsh, and</i>
<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin)—71.</i>
<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Demson,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Baird,</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut. Genl),</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John)</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Leeds &amp; Gren.)</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou)</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton)</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McGreevy,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Girouard,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudr'il),</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell)</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Juncas,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox),</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville) and</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'd) 111.</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	

So it passed in the Negative ;

Then the main Question being put :—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee.)

1. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-nine thousand five hundred and fourteen dollars and seventy-nine cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. Vincent de Paul* Penitentiary, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Ninty-five thousand one hundred and thirty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following expenses in connec-

tion with Immigration.—Salaries of agents and employees :—Agent, *Quebec*, \$1,700 ; Assistant Agent, *Quebec*, \$1,100 ; Clerk, *Quebec*, \$1,000 ; Interpreter, *Quebec*, \$660 ; Messenger, *Quebec*, \$365 ; Agent, *Montreal*, \$1,300 ; Agent, *Ottawa*, \$1,300 ; Agent, *Kingston*, \$1,300 ; Agent, *Toronto*, \$1,650 ; Agent, *Hamilton*, \$1,250 ; Agent, *London, Ont.*, \$1,000 ; Agent, *Halifax*, \$1,000 ; Agent, *St. John, N.B.*, \$1,000 ; Agent, *Winnipeg*, \$1,400 ; Assistant Agent, *Winnipeg*, \$1,000 ; Assistant Agent, *Brandon*, \$1,400 ; Assistant Agent, *Calgary*, \$1,200 ; Assistant Agent, *Port Arthur*, \$1,000 ; Assistant Agent, *Victoria, B.C.*, \$1,000 ; Assistant Agent, *Vancouver*, \$1,200 ; Interpreter, *Winnipeg*, \$800 ; Salaries, Agents, *Europe*, \$5,900 ; Contingencies, *Canadian Agencies*, \$16,000 ; Aid to Women's Protective Immigration Society, *Montreal*, \$1,000 ; Towards immigration and immigration expenses, \$48,610, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Pensions payable on account of Rebellion of 1835, to Mounted Police, *Prince Albert* Volunteers and Police Scouts, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

Resolutions to be reported.

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Wednesday morning ;

*Wednesday, 17th April, 1889.*

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair ; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received at the next sitting of the House this day.

Mr. *Colby* also acquainted the House that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, at its next sitting this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

And then, The House having continued to sit till twenty-five minutes after Two of the Clock on Wednesday morning, adjourned till this day.

*Wednesday, 17th April, 1889.*

#### PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Weldon (St. John)*,—The Petition of *Edward J. Smith* and others, of the Village of *Shediac, New Brunswick*.

By Mr. *Perley*,—The Petition of *J. M. Steeves* and others, of *New Brunswick*.

By Mr. *Macdowall*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the Town of *Prince Albert, District of Saskatchewan, North-West Territories*.

On motion of Mr. *Weldon (St. John)*, seconded by Mr. *Mills (Bothwell)*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the number of permanent clerks employed by the Department of the Interior, including inside and outside service. And also, the number of extra clerks at present in the employ of the said Department in the same service.

Mr. *Dewdney*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 1st April, 1889, for all the original cheques given in payment of all fees or expenses connected with the suit, the "*St. Catharines Milling and Lumbering Company vs. The Queen.*" (*Sessional Papers, No. 37a.*)

Mr. *Haggart*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 1st April, 1889, for copies of all correspondence, reports, petitions, and other documents, up to this date, between the Post Office Department and the Post Office Inspector for the District of *Montreal*, Mr. *King*, and any other persons, respecting a change in the location of the Post Office of *Belle Vallée*, in the County of *St. John's*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 70.*)

Sir *John A. Macdonald*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 18th March, 1889, for copies of reports, plans and surveys of the then proposed *Cornwall Canal* by *J. B. Mills* and *Benjamin Wright*, Esquires, Civil Engineers, and by Capt. *P. Cole*, Royal Engineers, in the years 1832, 1833 and 1834; also, for survey and report of *Colin Carman*, Esq., C.E., of a proposed change of location of *Cornwall Canal*, from *Sand Bridge* through *Hoopies Creek* to *Archibald's Point*, with plans, profile and estimates; also, reports, plans and surveys made by Mr. *Clowes*, C.E., in 1826. (*Sessional Papers, No. 49f.*)

Also,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 25th February, 1889, for a Return of Report of Engineer *Crawford*, in 1877-78, and all subsequent reports made on the *Beauharnois Canal*; also, reports of Engineers made on the north shore of the *St. Lawrence* between *Lakes St. Francis* and *St. Louis*; also, resolutions, letters, &c., of Boards of Trade, Corporations, and even from individuals, regarding such works. (*Sessional Papers, No. 49g.*)

And also,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 1st April, 1889, for:—

1st. Copies of the petition asking for the incorporation of the *Témiscouata Railway Company*;

2nd. Copies of all correspondence between the Government and this Company respecting the granting of a subsidy or having reference to such subsidy. (*Sessional Papers, No. 22i.*)

Mr. *Tupper*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 20th March, 1889, for:—

1st. Copies of any order or regulation adopted by the Department of Marine and Fisheries with a view to regulate fishing and to put in force a system of licensing and taxing of fishing utensils in the Counties of *Berthier*, *Maskinongé*, *St. Maurice*, *Richelieu*, *Yamaska* and *Nicolet*, during the two years ending 31st December, 1888;

2nd. Copies of all instructions forwarded during the period aforesaid to the Fishery Overseers having jurisdiction in the said Counties, respecting the enforcement, suspension, modification and re-enactment of the said regulation;

3rd. Copies of all reports and information furnished by the Fishery Overseers to the Department of Marine and Fisheries in relation to the enforcement of the said regulation;

4th. A list of all the fishermen of each of the said Counties, as furnished by the Fishery Overseers, showing those who took out the license so required, the amount paid by each of them, the total amount received, as the product of the said licenses from the date of the enforcement of the said regulation up to the 31st December, 1888; and also, those who did not take out the license so required, and whose fishing utensils were confiscated or not, as the case may be;

5th. Copies of all letters, petitions and correspondence addressed to the Government, or any of its Members, asking for the repeal of the said regulation and the abolition of the said license, of all answers made thereto, and of all other documents relating to the matter. (*Sessional Papers, No. 58b.*)\*

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*,  
*Ordered*, That the Order for the House in Committee on Bill for the prevention and suppression of Combinations, formed in restraint of Trade, be transferred from Public Bills and Orders to Government Orders.

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Dewdney*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution, respecting a fortnightly steamship service between *British Columbia* and the Australian Colonies and *New Zealand*.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, then acquainted the House, That His Excellency, the Governor General, having been informed of the subject matter of this Motion, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Dewdney*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution, respecting a monthly or a fortnightly steamship service between *British Columbia* and *China* and *Japan*.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, then acquainted the House, That His Excellency the Governor General, having been informed of the subject matter of this Motion, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Dewdney*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution, respecting a fast weekly steamship service between *Canada* and the United Kingdom, making connection with a French port.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, then acquainted the House, That His Excellency the Governor General, having been informed of the subject matter of this Motion, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*,  
*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns on Thursday next, it do stand adjourned until the following Saturday, at Three o'Clock, P.M., and that Government measures have precedence on that day.

The Order of the Day being read, for the third reading of the Bill further to amend "The Customs Act," chapter thirty-two of the Revised Statutes;

*Ordered*, That the said Order be discharged.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now re-committed to a Committee of the Whole House, with power to amend the same by leaving out that portion of Section 4 amending Clause 61, from the 25th line to line 38, both inclusive.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had further amended the Bill.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

A Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Summary Convictions 'Act,' chapter one hundred and seventy-eight of the Revised Statutes, and the Act amending the same," was, according to Order, read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath passed the same without any amendment.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend the Revised Statute respecting "Interest," and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That that the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath passed the same without any amendment.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act respecting Expropriation of Lands," and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill, with the Amendments, do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath passed the same, with several Amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend The Fisheries "Act," chapter ninety-five of the Revised Statutes, without any amendment.

Also, the Senate have agreed to the Amendment made by this House to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Summary Trials Act,'" without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being read, for the House again in the Committee of Supply;

Mr. Foster moved, seconded by Mr. Haggart, and the Question being proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair;

Mr. Fisher moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. Macdonald (*Huron*), That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "it be Resolved, That this House regrets that the Government has allowed, through its officer, the Lieutenant Governor of the *North-West Territories*, the issue of "permits for the sale of intoxicants within those Territories, thereby endorsing and "assisting the violation of the spirit of the sections 92 and following, under the "heading 'Prohibition of Intoxicants' in the *North-West Territories Act*; and also, "that the Minister of the Interior has allowed, in the *Rocky Mountains Park*, the "sale of intoxicants without any authorization from him, and has taken no steps to "punish this violation of the *Rocky Mountains Park Act*, by the provisions of which "all trade and commerce in the Park is under his control and management," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS :

## Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Langelier (Montmorency) Platt,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec), Rinfret,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Laurier, Robertson,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Livingston, Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>Lovitt, Scriver,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron), Semple,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Mc Millan (Huron), Somerville,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd) Hale,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Mc Mullen, Sutherland,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Meigs, Turcot,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell), Waldie,</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Neveu, Watson,</i>
<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant), Weldon (St. John), and</i>
<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Perry, Wilson (Elgin)—53.</i>
<i>De St. Georges,</i>		

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Lépine</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Baird,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Desautniers,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton)</i>	<i>Smith (Sir Donald),</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Leeds &amp; Gren)</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil)</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Caron,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox),</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Purcell,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville) and</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut Genl.)</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'd)—100</i>

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee.)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following expenses, viz.:—Ammunition, including artillery ammunition, and manufacture of small arm ammunition at the Cartridge Factory at Quebec, \$50,000; Clothing and great coats, \$90,000; Military stores, \$60,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Royal Military College of Canada, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Pensions payable on account of Rebellion of 1885 to Militiamen, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for completion and construction of Lighthouses and Fog Alarms, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet expenses in connection with Superintendence of Insurance, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Three thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the payment of Mr. *Fabre's* salary and contingencies of his office, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay for salaries, fees, gratuities and contingencies of Callers at *Montreal, Quebec and Three Rivers*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the following expenses in connection with Department of Printing and Stationery—To provide for payment to Mr. *A. Sénécal*, Superintendent of Printing, for services rendered during the year 1887-88, in collecting materials, organizing staff and putting in type Voters' Lists for the Dominion, &c. (Order in Council) \$300; To provide for payment to Mr. *Gliddon* of the usual statutory increase of \$50, from 1st April to 30th June, \$12.50, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet further amount required for Contingencies, Auditor General's office, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand two hundred and sixty-eight dollars and thirty-four cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following sums in connection with Administration of Justice, viz.:—Refund of moneys paid in error on account of Judges' pensions—Judge *Boswell*, \$688.60; Judge *Gowan*, \$579.74, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Dorchester Penitentiary*, as follow:—Amount due to Messenger *McDougall*, allowance in lieu of perquisites, 1887-88, \$50; amount required to pay an allowance of \$200 per annum to the Accountant and Schoolmaster, from 1st April to 30th June, 1889, \$50, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand one hundred and ninety dollars be granted to Her Majesty to pay the following items in connection with Legislation:—House of Commons; to provide for the following promotions and increases: The Clerk's Department—*James Dalton*, to 1st Class, Assistant Clerk English Journals, \$150; *J. A. Polkinghorne*, to 2nd Class, Clerk Sessional Papers, \$200; *T. Ouimet*, Assistant Clerk French Journals, \$200; *F. X. Lemieux*, 2nd Assistant Postmaster, \$50; *W. Dubé*, Junior Clerk, \$50; *R. Brewer*, to 1st Class, Assistant Accountant, &c., \$200; *E. P. Hartney*, to 1st Class, Examiner Private Bills and Acting Clerk of Committees, \$200; *C. E. Clarke*, to 2nd Class, Assistant Clerk of Stationery, &c., \$150; *H. P. Macdonell*, Junior Clerk, \$100; *N. Robidoux*, Junior

Clerk, \$100; *J. Stansfeld*, to 1st Class, Postmaster, \$200; *H. R. Smith*, Deputy Sergeant-at-Arms, \$200. The Sergeant-at-Arms' Department—*L. Dubé*, Chief Messenger, \$100; *N. Turgeon*, Assistant Chief Messenger, \$100; *George Smith*, Bank Messenger, \$50; *G. A. Boudreault*, the Clerk's Messenger, \$50; *Claire Hugg*, Messenger in House, \$90, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Major *J. Wilson*, Collector of Customs at *Sault Ste. Marie*, for services as Returning Officer for *Algoma* at the general election of 1887 (notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Civil Service Act), \$150 having been authorized by the Supply of 1887, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to purchase twelve copies of Volume 14, *Ontario Law Reports*, for Library Exchanges, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and sixty-nine dollars and thirty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Pensions, as follow, viz.:—To provide for the payment of the Pension of Sir *G. Phillip*, late Attorney General of *British Columbia*, at the rate of \$584 a year, from 5th October, 1888, to 30th June, 1889, \$428.80; to pay estate of the late Major *R. S. King*, *Welland Field Battery*, Pension, 1st July to 6th August, 1885, at \$400 per annum, \$40.55, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

16. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Barracks in *British Columbia*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and ninety-one dollars and thirty-eight cents be granted to Her Majesty, for the following purposes, viz.:—*River Trent Navigation*—To pay a gratuity of one month's salary to the undermentioned persons, whose services are no longer required, the works being nearly completed; payment was authorized by Orders in Council, dated, respectively, the 24th December, 1888, and the 24th January, 1889, viz., *J. A. Aylmer*, \$169.25; *A. J. Belcher*, \$.27.50; *W. J. Macaulay*, \$44.63; *C. W. Roberts*, \$10; *H. S. Greenwood*, \$40, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred and fifteen dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay a gratuity of one month's salary to the undermentioned persons, whose services are no longer required, owing to the completion of the works on which they were employed, viz.:—*Welland Canal*—*E. J. Odum*, \$105; *P. H. O'Neill*, \$90; *John Lallison*, \$90; *V. Curran*, \$75; *W. F. Secord*, \$75; *H. A. Willet*, \$60; *C. H. W. King*, \$60; *C. H. Knyvett*, \$45; *Charles Bridger*, \$15, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay a gratuity of one month's salary to *Wm. Pollock*, *Culbute Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and forty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Murray Canal*, towards completing the present works. (Governor General's Warrant), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-four thousand one hundred and twenty-two dollars and eighty-two cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Canadian Pacific Railway, as follow, viz.:—Arbitration (including the remuneration to be paid to *L. K. Jones*, a permanent officer of the Department of Railways and Canals, as Secretary of the Commission of Arbitrators, appointed by Order in Council, dated 27th February, 1888, and in addition to his regular salary (Governor General's Warrant) \$60,000; To meet land claims and expenses on *Pembina Branch* (Governor General's Warrant); \$1,573.69; To pay award on claim of *Charles Wilson*, for gravel taken on his land—*Stonewall Branch*. (Governor General's Warrant), \$1,549.13; To pay for right of way from the town of *East Selkirk* to *Whitemouth*, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for raising banks, lowering bottom, rebuilding lock walls, &c., of *Chambly Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-six dollars and twenty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay a gratuity of two months pay to *William O'Neil*, lockman at Lock No. 5, *Lachine Canal*, disabled by a paralytic stroke while performing his duties, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay a gratuity of two months' pay to the widow of the late lockman, *Alexis Lachambre*, *St. Ours Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to build a dam at *Bobcaygeon*, *Trent Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Welland Canal*, as follow, viz :—Construction of a new highway bridge over the river, at the town of *Chippewa* (Governor General's Warrant \$2,400), \$3,000; Repairing piers, *Port Colborne* and *Port Maitland*, and canal banks summit level, \$5,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *H. F. Perley*, C. E., two years' services to 31st December, 1888, in superintending *St. Peter's Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and thirteen dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the widow of the late *J. W. Burke*, in his lifetime extra clerk in the Department of Railways and Canals, a gratuity of two months' pay, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

29. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, additional Departmental Building, Wellington Street,—Settlement of *Mrs. McLaurin's* claim for dower on property purchased from *Dr. McLaurin* (Governor General's Warrant), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

30. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Esquimalt* Graving Dock—Revote of lapsed amount, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

31. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight hundred and twenty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Nova Scotia*, as follow, viz :—*North Sydney* Post Office, Custom House, &c.—Revote of lapsed amount (Governor General's Warrant), \$375; *Amherst* Post Office, &c., \$45; *Halifax* Examining Warehouse, \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

32. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Charlottetown* Dominion Building, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

33. *Resolved* That a sum not exceeding One hundred and ten dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Fredericton* Post Office, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

34. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-seven thousand two hundred and eighty-eight dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, as follow, viz :—*Quebec—Montreal* Drill Hall (Governor General's Warrants), \$3,566; *Montreal* Dominion Buildings—improvements and repairs, \$510; Cliff under Citadel, *Quebec*—To make good damage to property resulting from the blasting of dangerous portions of the cliff at *Diamond Harbour*, during the winter of 1857, &c., \$245; *St. Vincent de Paul* Penitentiary—Additional amount required for materials, tools, &c., for use by convicts in construction, &c., \$5,000; *Grosse Ile* Quarantine Station—To pay *J. Aswith* in full settlement of claim for extra haulage of materials, &c., made by him in connection with his contract for the erection of an hospital, dated 16th April, 1881, \$437 50; *Montreal* Drill Hall—Balance of contracts, including superintendence and contingencies, \$14,800; *Montreal* Armouries—Balance of contracts, including superintendence and contingencies, \$28,600; *Johette* Post Office, &c., \$3,000; *Montreal* Post Office, \$925; *Quebec* Dominion Buildings—improvements,

\$150; *Sherbrooke* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$55, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

35. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty four thousand two hundred and sixty dollars and thirty-two cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, as follow, viz. :—*Ontario—Belleville* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$50; *Barrie* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$3,000; *Hamilton* Public Building—Wire window guards, &c., \$100; *Lindsay* Post Office, Custom House, &c. (Revote of lapsed amount), \$6,000; *Napanee* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$12,000; *Toronto* Post Office, Custom House and Examining Warehouse (Governor General's Warrant, \$1,500), \$5,000; *Toronto* Assistant Receiver General's Office—Sanitary works, &c., \$1,110.32; *Trenton* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$7,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

36. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for conversion of quarters vacated by Dominion Lands Commissioners at *Winnipeg* into offices for Dominion Lands Agent, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

37. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine hundred and thirty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, as follow :—*Prince Albert* Court House and Gaol, \$430; Lieutenant Governor's old residence, *Regina*, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

Resolutions to be reported.

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Thursday morning;

Thursday, 18th April, 1889.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received at the next sitting of the House this day.

Mr. *Colby* also acquainted the House that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, at its next sitting this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Sir *John A. Macdonald*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Return, Correspondence, etc., in connection with Tenders called for and received for Bridge at *Grand Narrows, Cape Breton* Railway. (*Sessional Papers, No. 69a.*)

And also,—Reports, Railway Statistics of *Canada*, and capital, traffic and working expenditure of the Railways of the Dominion, 1888. (*Sessional Papers, No. 10a.*)

Mr. *Bowell*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 25th February, 1889, for a Return showing the amount of duty collected upon baskets and boxes containing fruits admitted free of duty since 1st May, 1888. (*Sessional Papers No. 72.*)

Sir *John A. Macdonald*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 13th March, 1889, for a Return showing :—

1. Statement of cases in which all or any of the tenders called for and received within five years, for any work in connection with canals, were rejected on the report of the Chief Engineer of Canals, giving names of tenderers and gross amount of each tender; with copies of all such reports of the Chief Engineer, giving reasons for such rejection, and noting the cases in which new tenders were called for;

2. In cases where new tenders were called for, a statement of names of tenderers and gross amount of each tender, noting which tender was accepted, and giving copies of any reports or other reasons for the rejection of lower tenders, if any;

3. Statement of cases in which claims for extras have arisen and have been referred to the sole arbitration of the Chief Engineer of Canals, showing amounts paid to claimants under his award, and a detailed statement of costs paid by the Government or the other parties to the suit in connection with the arbitration in each case, and to whom paid. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 49h).

And then The House, having continued to sit till ten minutes after Two of the Clock on Thursday morning, adjourned till this day.

Thursday, 18th April, 1889.

PRAYERS.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an order of this House, dated 1st April, 1889, for copies of all tenders for the supply of beef for the Blackfeet, Blood and Piegan Indian Agencies, and all papers and correspondence connected with the calling for such tenders, and the awarding of contracts for such supplies, during the summer of 1888. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 44b.)

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Dewdney* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act respecting the *Rocky Mountains Park of Canada*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Saturday next.

On motion of Sir *John Thomson*, seconded by Mr. *Dewdney*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend the Revised Statute respecting Escapes and Rescues," be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Saturday next.

Mr. *Costigan* moved, seconded by Mr. *Carling*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution, respecting the *Cullers' Act*.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee. The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee.

(*In the Committee.*)

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to amend the *Cullers' Act* and to provide that the rates and dues payable thereunder and the classification therein set forth may be changed by Order of the Governor in Council; and to make better provision respecting the reduction of the number of cullers and the annuities payable in consequence; and further, to provide that culling and measuring under the said Act, shall be compulsory only in respect of square and waney timber.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. Colby reported the Resolution accordingly, and the same was read, as followeth:—

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to amend the Cullers' Act and to provide that the rates and dues payable thereunder and the classification therein set forth may be changed by Order of the Governor in Council; and to make better provision respecting the reduction of the number of cullers and the annuities payable in consequence; and further, to provide that culling and measuring under the said Act, shall be compulsory only in respect of square and waney timber.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

*Ordered*, That Mr. Costigan have leave to bring in a Bill to amend "The Cullers' Act," chapter one hundred and three of the Revised Statutes.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Saturday next.

On motion of Sir Hector L. Langevin, seconded by Sir Adolphe P. Caron.

*Ordered*, That the Second and Third Reports, together with the documents and evidence accompanying them, of the Select Standing Committee on Public Accounts, laid before this House during the present Session, be printed forthwith for the use of Members, and that Rule 94 be suspended in relation thereto.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have agreed to the Amendment made by this House to their Amendments to the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the Harbour of Belleville, in the Province of Ontario, without any amendment."

Also, the Senate doth not concur in the Amendment made by this House to the third Amendment made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Manitoba and South-Eastern Railway Company," for the reason that the Company, if incorporated for the purposes mentioned in the said Bill, would have authority under sub-section "g" of section 90 of the Railway Act, to make or construct a bridge over any river which its railway intersects or touches, and it is inexpedient to re-enact such authority in the said Bill.

And also, the Senate doth insist on their first Amendment to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the North-Western Junction and Lake of the Woods Railway Company," to which the Commons disagree, for the reason that the Company, if incorporated for the purpose mentioned in the said Bill, would have authority under sub-section "g" of section 90 of the Railway Act, to make or construct a bridge over any river which its railway intersects or touches, and it is inexpedient to re-enact such authority in the said Bill.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill for the prevention and suppression of Combinations formed in restraint of Trade, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. White (Benfrew) reported, That the Committee had made some progress, and directed him to move for leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, on Saturday next, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution, to provide for a subsidy for a fortnightly steamship service between British Columbia and the Australian Colonies and New Zealand.

(In the Committee.)

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to provide that the Governor in Council may give to any individual or company a subsidy not exceeding the sum of twenty-five thousand pounds sterling per annum, to assist in establishing an effective fortnightly steamship service between *British Columbia* and the Australian Colonies and *New Zealand*, or such portion thereof as may be decided on by the Governor in Council, to assist in establishing a monthly service between the same countries, such subsidy to be given for such term of years, not exceeding ten, and on such conditions, as the Governor in Council may consider expedient.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received on Saturday next.

The Order of the Day being read, for the House in Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution, to provide for a subsidy for a fortnightly steamship service between *British Columbia* and *China* and *Japan*;

Mr. Foster moved, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*, and the Question being proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair;

Mr. *Laurier* moved in amendment, seconded by Sir *Richard J. Cartwright*, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question, be left out, and the words, "the consideration of granting a subsidy for a steamship service between *British Columbia* and *China* and *Japan*, be postponed until the Government has placed before the House all correspondence exchanged with the Government of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland* on the subject, and also, all correspondence with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company or other companies, and all agreements entered into with any such companies, if any there are, in relation to said service," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

*Ordered*, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into a Committee on the said proposed Resolution.

(In the Committee.)

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to provide that the Governor in Council may give to any individual or company, to whom may be given by the Government of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland* the aid hereinafter mentioned, a subsidy not exceeding the sum of fifteen thousand pounds sterling per annum, for a monthly steamship service, or a subsidy not exceeding the sum of twenty-five thousand pounds sterling per annum, for a fortnightly steamship service between *British Columbia* and *China* and *Japan*, such subsidy to be given for such term of years as may be considered expedient by the Governor in Council: Provided always, that during such term the Government of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland* gives to such individual or company a subsidy of not less than forty-five thousand pounds sterling per annum for the monthly service, or of not less than seventy-five thousand pounds sterling per annum for the fortnightly service above mentioned.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received on Saturday next.

The Order of the Day being read, for the House in Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution, respecting a contract for the performance of a fast weekly steamship service, for the carrying of mails between *Canada* and the United Kingdom, making connection with a French port.

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*, and the Question being proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair;

Mr. *Laurier* moved in amendment, seconded by Sir *Richard J. Oartwright*, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words, "the consideration of granting a subsidy for a fast weekly steamship service between *Canada* and the United Kingdom be postponed until the Government has placed before the House all the information in its possession on the subject, including demands for tenders, tenders received and the precise nature of the service to be performed," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into a Committee to consider the said proposed Resolution, That it is expedient to provide that the Governor in Council may enter into a contract, for a term not exceeding ten years, with any individual or company, for the performance of a fast weekly steamship service between *Canada* and the United Kingdom, making connection with a French port, on such terms and conditions as to the carriage of mails and otherwise as the Governor in Council deems expedient, for a subsidy not exceeding the sum of five hundred thousand dollars a year, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had made some progress, and directed him to move for leave to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, on Saturday next, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

And then The House adjourned till Saturday next, at Three of the Clock P.M.

Saturday, 20th April, 1889.

Three o'Clock, P.M.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Gigault*,—The Petition of *Bruce F. Campbell* and others, fruit growers and gardeners, and others.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and received:—

Of *Edward J. Smith* and others, of the Village of *Shediac*; and of *J. M. Steeves* and others, all of *New Brunswick*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, respecting the inspection of timber and lumber, may not become law.

Of the Municipal Council of the Town of *Prince Albert*, District of *Saskatchewan*, *North-West Territories*; praying the House to take into its favourable consideration their claim for early Railway facilities for transporting their products to market.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Dewdney* have leave to bring in a Bill to authorize the conveyance to the *Quebec Skating Club* of certain Ordnance Lands in the City of *Quebec*.  
He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Monday next.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Mr. *Tupper*,  
*Ordered*, That the Order for the second reading of the Bill to extend the provision of the Extradition Act, be transferred from Public Bills and Orders to Government Orders.

Sir *John A. Macdonald* moved, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*, That this House will, on Monday next, resolve itself into a Committee to consider certain proposed Resolutions, respecting Railway subsidies to certain Railway Companies, and towards the construction of the Railways therein mentioned.

Sir *John A. Macdonald*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, then acquainted the House, That His Excellency the Governor General, having been informed of the subject matter of this Motion, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

*Resolved*, That this House will, on Monday next, resolve itself into the said Committee.

On motion of Mr. *Bowell*, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*,  
*Ordered*, That the Order for taking into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to provide against frauds in the supplying of milk to cheese and butter manufactories," be transferred from Public Bills and Orders to Government Orders.

Sir *John Thompson*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—General Rules of the Maritime Court of *Ontario*. (*Sessional Papers, No 73.*)

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill further to amend "The Inland Revenue Act," chapter thirty-four of the Revised Statutes.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill further to amend "The General Inspection Act," chapter ninety-nine of the Revised Statutes.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

And the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time,

Mr. *Costigan* moved, seconded by Mr. *Carling*, That the Bill be re-committed to a Committee of the Whole House:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The House accordingly again resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

Mr. Costigan moved, seconded by Mr. Carling, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time.

Mr. Davin moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. Wright, That all the words after "now" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words, "re-committed to a Committee of the Whole House, for the purpose of substituting the words 'not exceeding 11' instead of '9' in the second line of sub-section 3 of section 3," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then the main Question, so amended, being put;

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now recommitted to a Committee of the Whole House, for the purpose of inserting the words "not exceeding 11" instead of "9," in the "second line of sub-section 3 of section 3."

The House accordingly again resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had further amended the Bill,

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill, respecting a loan therein mentioned to certain Mennonite Immigrants.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time, and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the inspection of timber and lumber.

*Ordered*, That the said Order be discharged.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be withdrawn.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend "The Copyright Act," chapter sixty-two of the Revised Statutes;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time ; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled : " An Act to amend the Revised Statute respecting Escapes and " Rescues ; "

The Bill was accordingly read a second time ; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution, respecting a contract for the performance of a fast weekly steamship service for the carrying of mails between *Canada* and the United Kingdom, making connection with a French port.

*(In the Committee.)*

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to provide that the Governor in Council may enter into a contract, for a term not exceeding ten years, with any individual or company, for the performance of a fast weekly steamship service between *Canada* and the United Kingdom, making connection with a French port, on such terms and conditions, as to the carriage of mails and otherwise, as the Governor in Council deems expedient, for a subsidy not exceeding the sum of five hundred thousand dollars a year.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received on Monday next.

And then The House adjourned till Monday next.

Monday, 22nd April, 1889.

PRAYERS.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petition was read and received:—

Of *Bruce F. Campbell* and others, fruit growers, gardeners and others; praying the House to consider the advisability of imposing a duty on certain fruits, vegetables and nursery stock, when imported from the *United States*.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the third Amendment made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Manitoba* and South-Eastern Railway Company," and to which this House hath disagreed, and the same was again read.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*, Resolved, That this House doth not insist on their Amendment to the third Amendment made by the Senate, but doth agree to the same.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to the said third Amendment.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the first Amendment made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the North-Western Junction and *Lake of the Woods* Railway Company," and to which this House hath disagreed, and the same was again read.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*, Resolved, That this House doth not insist on its disagreement to the first Amendment made by the Senate, but doth agree to the same.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to the said first Amendment.

Sir *John A. Macdonald* moved, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution, respecting the westerly, northerly and easterly boundaries of the Province of *Ontario*.

Resolved, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Sir *John A. Macdonald* moved, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution, respecting a Railway to be constructed as a Government work, from a point of junction on the *New Brunswick* Railway to a point of junction with the Intercolonial Railway, at or near *Salisbury*, in the Province of *New Brunswick*.

Sir *John A. Macdonald*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, then acquainted the House, That His Excellency the Governor General, having been informed of the subject matter of this Motion, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

Resolved, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Sir *John A. Macdonald*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—An Agreement with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, for the performance of a Railway Service in the Province of *New Brunswick*. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 36a.)

Sir *John A. Macdonald*, also presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 1st April, 1889, for a Return of the survey made of the *Annapolis and Liverpool Railway*, with the report of the engineer, and all papers and correspondence connected therewith. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 22j.)

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to provide against frauds in the supplying of milk to cheese and butter manufactories," and the same were twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendments.

Mr. *Colby* reported, from the Committee of the Whole House, to consider a certain proposed Resolution, to provide for a subsidy for a fortnightly steamship service between *British Columbia* and the Australian Colonies and *New Zealand*, and the same being read a second time;

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*, That the said Resolution be now agreed to.

Mr. *Laurier* moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Mills (Bothwell)*, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "it be Resolved, That whilst this House will ever be ready to favour any reasonable scheme to promote and extend the trade of this country, the Government, in asking an annual expenditure of £25,000 sterling for the establishment of a steamship service between *Canada* and the Australian Colonies and *New Zealand*, has failed to show that such a service would result in advantages in any way commensurate with the large amount of the expenditure required," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS:

## Messieurs

<i>Amyot,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Scriven,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Chouinard,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Weldon (St John),</i>
<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Welsh, and</i>
<i>Daves,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin).—55.</i>
<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

<i>Archibald (Sir Adams) Davis,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.),</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>

<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox),</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm't'd) and</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>	<i>Ross,</i>	<i>Wright.—77.</i>
<i>Davin,</i>			

So it was passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put, That the said Resolution be agreed to; the House divided: and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Mr. Colby reported, from the Committee of the Whole House, to consider a certain proposed Resolution, to provide for a subsidy for a fortnightly steamship service between *British Columbia* and *China* and *Japan*, and the same being read a second time,

Mr. Foster moved, seconded by Mr. Bowell, That the said Resolution be now agreed to;

Mr. Davies moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. Gillmor, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "this House" should not be asked to agree to a Resolution, providing for the granting of an annual subsidy for a fortnightly or monthly steamship service between *British Columbia* and *China* and *Japan*, supplementary to one to be granted by the British Government, until the correspondence and negotiations relative to the granting of such a subsidy and the agreements between the British Government and the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, under which the subsidy of the British Government is payable, and all other necessary information relative to the character of the service, have been laid before it; and the House is further of opinion, from the information at present before it, that, if any subsidy is voted for such service by this House, it should be conditional on the steamships calling at either *Victoria* or *Esquimalt*," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put, That the said Resolution be agreed to;—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Mr. Colby reported, from the Committee of the Whole House to consider a certain proposed Resolution, respecting a contract, for the performance of a fast weekly steamship service for the carrying of mails between *Canada* and the *United Kingdom*, making connection with a French port, and the same being read a second time;

Mr. Foster moved, seconded by Mr. Bowell, That the said Resolution be now agreed to.

Mr. Jones (*Halifax*) moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. Weldon (*St. John*), That all the words after "now" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "re-committed to a Committee of the Whole House, for the purpose of amending the same, so as to reduce the amount named therein, to a sum sufficient, to provide for a 17-knot fast mail service, which, in the opinion of this House, is all that is required to promote the postal and passenger service of the Dominion, and is at the same time better calculated to serve the general business and commercial interests of the

"country; and that it be expressly provided in any contract entered into, that the terminal point on this side shall be at a Port within the Dominion of Canada," inserted instead thereof;

Mr. McMullen, moved in amendment to the said proposed amendment, seconded by Mr. Platt, That all the words in the "amendment," and all the words after "That" in the main Motion be left out, and the words "this House is of opinion that the mail and passenger service now rendered by the *Allan*, *Beaver* and *Dominion Lines of Steamers*, is amply sufficient for the requirements of this Dominion, and that it is inexpedient to increase the burdens of the people by granting increased subsidies to foster Atlantic Steamship Lines," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment to the said proposed amendment; the House divided: and it passed in the Negative.

And the Question being put on the amendment to the original Question; the House divided: and it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put, That the said Resolution be agreed to;—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Ordered, That Mr. Foster have leave to bring in a Bill relating to Ocean Steamship subsidies.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act further to amend the Dominion Lands Act," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill for the prevention and suppression of Combinations formed in restraint of Trade, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time To-morrow.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee.)

1. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand six hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Nova Scotia*:—*Broad Cove Marsh*, \$2,900; *Digby* (re-vote of lapsed amount), \$1,650; *Arisaig*, *Bayfield* and *McNair's Cove (Cape George)*—Pier Repairs (re-vote of lapsed amount, \$3,100, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

2. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to repair Piers and Breakwaters, *Prince Edward Island*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

3. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand six hundred and ninety-two dollars and sixty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *New Brunswick*:—*River St. John*—*River des Chutes to Woodstock* and above *Grand Falls*; also, *River Tobique*, \$355; *Pointe du Chêne, Shediac*—Repairs to Breakwater, &c. (Governor General's Warrant), \$1,000; *Grand Anse*—To complete (Governor-

General's Warrant), \$150; *Belliveau Village*—(re-vote of lapsed amount) (Governor General's Warrant), \$1,187, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for general Repairs and Improvements, Harbours and Rivers, Maritime Provinces, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-five thousand six hundred and forty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Quebec*, as follow:—*Rivière du Lièvre*, \$25,000; *Anse à l'Eau* or *Tadouac Pier*, \$285; General Repairs and Improvements—Harbours and Rivers, *Quebec*, \$2,000; *Ile Perrott*, \$405; *Kamouraska*, \$.0; *Lake Megantic Piers*—Repairs, \$175; *Murray Bay, Isle-aux-Coudres* and *Les Eboulements*—Repairs to Piers, \$275; Raising crib work in front of new immigration building on breakwater, *Quebec*, \$220; *Rivière Ste. Anne de la Pérade*, \$1,375; *River St. Francis*, \$860; *River Yamaska*, \$245; *Trois Pistoles Pier*, \$290; *Papineauville* or *Pentecost Bay Channel*, \$275; *Port Daniel*, \$1,600; *Percé*—To complete Pier, \$2,600, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers as follow:—*Ontario*—*Tolsma Bay*—re-vote of lapsed amount. (Governor General's Warrant), \$2,700; *Sault Ste. Marie*, \$5,000; *Portsmouth*, \$1,910; *Rideau River*—North Branch—Dredging \$390; *River Ottawa*—Improvement of steamboat channel through Narrows of *Petewawa*, above *Pembroke*, \$300, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for general repairs and improvements, Harbours and Rivers, *Manitoba*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers generally, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for new Dredging Plant, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and sixty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Slides and Booms, River *Madawaska*, *Ottawa District*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Bridges, *Ottawa City*, over the River *Ottawa*, the Slides, the *Bideau Canal* and approaches thereto, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Telegraph Lines, *North-West Territories*—New station at *Saddle Lake*, on the *Qu'Appelle-Edmonton* Line, *vid Fort Pitt*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand five hundred and eighty-two dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, *v.z.*:—Miscellaneous, examination in connection with spring floods at *Montreal* and vicinity, \$415; To pay Miss *Margaret Smellie*, only surviving daughter of the late *David Smellie*, of the heating staff, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*—a gratuity equal to one month of his salary, \$55; To cover accounts paid to Mr. *S. Bray*, D. L. S., of the Department of Indian Affairs, for surveys made by him in connection with the Government Printing Bureau and *Victoria Hall*, *Ottawa City*, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Civil Service Act, \$112; Surveys and inspections, \$5,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the construction of Lighthouses, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay for Steam communication, four trips, between *Hamburg* and *Montreal*, at \$2,000 per trip (Governor General's Warrant), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand one hundred and fifty-eight dollars and thirty-four cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication with the *Magdalen Islands*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication from *Port Mulgrave* at the terminus of the Eastern Extension Railway to *East Bay, Cape Breton*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fourteen thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam service between *San Francisco* and *Victoria, British Columbia*, 1st September, 1888, to 30th June, 1889, ten months, at \$17,640 a year, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand nine hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the payment to Mr. *James King* in settlement of a claim for compensation for the summary annulling of a contract held by him in 1874-75, for the mail service between *Prince Edward Island* and the mainland, as recommended by a Special Committee of the House of Commons, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand two hundred and forty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Ontario* and *Quebec*, to enable the Department to defray the additional cost of building a barn at the *Mount Elgin* Industrial institution at *Munceytown*. \$1,000; To aid in placing two blackboards in the building erected to accommodate the surplus children of the Roman Catholic Orphanage at *Fort William Ontario*—the whole estimated cost being \$100, \$40; To cover expenses incurred by Inspector *Dingman*, while acting as one of three Commissioners appointed to investigate the Township of *Dundee* land matter, \$100; To complete the Roman Catholic school building on the *Abenakis* Indian Reserve at *St. Francis, County of Yamaska, Quebec*, the band having contributed \$300, nearly one-tenth of their fund, towards the erection of the building, \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-six dollars and thirty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the salary of Mr. *G. R. Smith*, agent for the Indians of *Yarmouth County, N.S.*, from 19th January, 1888, date of his appointment, to the 30th June, 1889, at \$25.00 per annum, not before provided, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand eight hundred and nine dollars and seventy-one cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, as follow, viz.:—*Manitoba* and the *North West Territories*, to enable the Department to pay for a reaping machine for the Blood Indian Reserve, the purchase of which, in August, 1888, was necessitated by the exceptionally abundant grain harvest of that year, \$149; To compensate *P. Ayles, M.D.*, for medical services rendered to Indians of the *Battleford* Agency, from 23rd March, 1888, to 23rd January, 1889, \$291.32; To provide, at the rate of \$50 per head, for the maintenance of ten Indian pupils at the Roman Catholic Boarding School on the Reserve of the Sioux Chief, *Standing Buffalo*, under authority of an Order in Council dated 29th November, 1888, \$500; For the purchase of two waggons for the Peigan Indians, to enable them to draw logs with which to rebuild their dwellings, \$196; To pay for erection of a School House on the Indian Reserve at *File Hills*, \$400; Allowance for fuel and light for the Indian Commissioner from 3rd August, 1888, to 30th June, 1889, at \$300 a year, \$273.39, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay contribution for the relief of sufferers by the *Hull* fire (Governor General's Warrant), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and thirty-six dollars and one cent be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Mr. Justice *Rouleau* rental allowances from the date he assumed his duties as Stipendiary Magistrate, to the date of his appointment as Judge of the Supreme Court, (5th April, 1886, to 18th February, 1887) at \$500 per annum, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Mr. *N. O. Côté* for services in connection with the Half-breed Commission (re-vote, Governor General's Warrant), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, as further contribution towards the publication of Dr. *Rand's* Micmac Dictionary (re-vote), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide stock for Government bindery, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay for the undermentioned works: Five hundred copies of Parliamentary Companion, at \$2 each, \$1,000; One hundred copies, vol. 4, *Jugements du Conseil Souverain*, at \$3 each, \$300, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

29. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, further amount required for expenses of Government in the District of *Kewatin*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

30. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to indemnify the *St. Catharines* Milling and Lumbering Company, for the costs of the suit of the Queen vs. the Company, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

31. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay for the maintenance of indigent patients in the *St. Albert* Hospital, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

32. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and thirty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide an equivalent sum to that voted by the British Association for the advancement of Science, for the purpose of making an investigation into the physical character, languages, and industrial and social condition of the North-Western tribes of the Dominion of *Canada*, and especially the tribes and bands of the Province of *British Columbia*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

33. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay one-half the expense of publishing the third volume of cases decided on "The *British North America Act, 1867*," collected and edited by *John R. Cartwright, Esq.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

34. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand and fourteen dollars and thirty-six cents be granted to Her Majesty, to meet costs of litigated matters, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

35. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet expenditure under *Canada* Temperance Act, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

36. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay balance of gratuity to the family of the late *William Menzies* (Order in Council), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

37. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirteen thousand five hundred and seventy-one dollars and eighty-three cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay moiety of expenses incurred in connection with the survey of the River *St. Lawrence*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

38. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the *North-West* Mounted Police for supplies for the relief of distress among half-breeds in the *North-West Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

39. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand four hundred and forty-three dollars and eighty-two cents, be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Customs—Customs Miscellaneous—Further amount required for preventive service (legal expenses), \$6,500; Further amount required to provide for Customs share (one-half) of cost of repairs and maintenance of Government steam yacht "*Cruiser*," during the season of 1888, \$2,781.82; Gratuity to *B. C. Ambrose*, injured whilst in charge of a hoist in bonded warehouse in *Montreal*, in consequence of which a part of his foot had to be amputated, \$162, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

40. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and ninety-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Excise—To pay *A. W. Goodman* for services, overtime, from 1st January, 1887, to 30th June, 1888, assisting the Inspector of Distilleries in measuring tanks required for storage of spirits, \$300; To provide for the appointment of a Deputy Collector of Inland Revenue at *Port Hope*, at the rate of \$600 per annum, from 1st February, 1889, \$250; To pay *T. Burke* difference between his salary, \$1,155, and that to which he is entitled as acting Collector of Inland Revenue, *St. John, N.B.*, for 1888-89, \$245, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

41. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses *Cornwall Canal* (Governor General's Warrant), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

42. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Williamsburgh Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

43. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Ste. Anne Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

44. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Chambly Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

45. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dredge Vessels, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

46. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Three thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the following expenses, viz.:—Public works—Telegraphs, *North-West Territories*, maintenance and repairs, \$1,900; Gulf of *St. Lawrence* telegraph and signal system, compensation to the owners of *Anticosti Island* in full for land and firewood taken on the Island, 1880 to 1889, in connection with Government telegraph construction and maintenance, inclusive of stations, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

47. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-three thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Post Office:—To compensate *H. Dunbar*, late Messenger in the *Kingston* Post Office, for loss of quarters, \$100; To provide for the salary of an Assistant Post Office Inspector in the *Stratford* Postal Division, from the 1st December, 1888, to the 30th June, 1889 at the rate of \$1,200 a year, \$700; Commission to Postmasters on the Savings Bank business in the following Provinces: *New Brunswick*, \$1,000, *Nova Scotia*, \$500, *British Columbia*, \$300; Amount required for mail service over the Canadian Pacific Railway owing to increased car accommodation, to be distributed as follow: *Ontario*, \$22,500; *Quebec*, \$2,300; *Manitoba*, \$24,000; *British Columbia*, \$12,200, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

48. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the payment of freight on seed grain; for forwarding and distributing the same to *Edmonton* settlers, and for clerical assistance (to cover Governor General's Warrant as per Order in Council of 6th July, 1888. P. C. No. 1599), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

49. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for militia expenses in connection with the suppression of the rebellion in the *North-West* (Governor General's Warrant), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

Resolutions to be reported.

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Tuesday morning;

Tuesday, 23rd April, 1889.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

Ordered, That the Report be received at the next sitting of the House this day.

Mr. Colby, also acquainted the House that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, at its next sitting this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

And then The House, having continued to sit till twenty-five minutes after Two of the Clock on Tuesday morning, adjourned till this day.

Tuesday, 23rd April, 1889.

PRAYERS.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Mr. *Foster*,  
*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act further to amend "The Dominion Lands Act," be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Mr. *Tupper*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 11th April, 1889, for copies of all papers and correspondence in connection with a claim of Messrs. *A. and J. Adams* for loss incurred by the wreck of their vessel, "*Carrier Dove*," caused by the change of lights at *Crapaud Harbour*, without due notice to the public. (*Sessional Papers, No. 74.*)

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill to amend "The Copyright Act," chapter sixty-two of the Revised Statutes;

*Ordered*, That the said Order be discharged.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now re committed to a Committee of the Whole House, for further consideration.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had amended the Bill.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House, accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, delivered to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Excellency the Governor General, signed by His Excellency.

And the said Message was read by Mr. Speaker (all the Members of the House standing and being uncovered), and is as followeth:—

STANLEY OF PRESTON.

The Governor General transmits to the House of Commons, Supplementary Estimates of sums required for the Service of the Dominion, for the year ending 30th.

June, 1890; and in accordance with the provisions of "The *British North America Act, 1867*," he recommends these Estimates to the House of Commons. (*Sessional Papers, No. 2.*)

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

OTTAWA, 22nd April, 1889.

On motion of Mr. *Foster*, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*,

*Ordered*, That the said Message, together with the Estimates accompanying the same, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

The Order of the Day being read, for the third reading of the Bill for the prevention and suppression of Combinations formed in restraint of Trade;

Sir *John Thompson* moved, seconded by Mr. *Tupper*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Mr. *Curran* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Masson*, That all the words after "now" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "re-committed to a Committee of the Whole House, in order to provide that: An Appeal shall lie from any conviction under this Act to the highest Court of Appeal for Criminal matters in the Province where such conviction shall have been made, upon all issues of law and fact, and the evidence taken at the trial shall form part of the record in Appeal, and, for that purpose, the Court before which the case is tried shall take notes of evidence and legal objections," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment:—It passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put;

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to extend the provisions of the Extradition Act;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the House again in Committee of Supply;

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*, and the Question being proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair;

Mr. *Barron* moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Laurier*, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "it be Resolved, That it appears from a Return laid upon the Table of this House, that the Government of Canada, in the year 1836, acquired from the Band of Indians known as 'Shawanakiskic's Band' a surrender of the Indian title to the merchantable pine timber on the *White Fish Lake* Indian Reserve, or Reserve No. 6, in trust, to be

“ sold for the joint benefit of the said Band, on such terms and on such conditions ‘ as  
 “ ‘ to Her Majesty’s Government of *Canada* should seem proper, 10 per cent. of the  
 “ ‘ bonus derivable from the sale of the said timber to be divided among the said Band,  
 “ ‘ the remainder of the proceeds to be invested for their sole joint benefit and for the  
 “ ‘ benefit of their descendants, in such manner as to said Government of *Canada*  
 “ ‘ should seem to be most conducive to the interests of said Band.’ ”

“ And it appears that at and prior to the time of the sale thereof, hereinafter  
 “ mentioned, the Government of *Canada* had been officially advised that the said re-  
 “ serve contained ‘ a large quantity of valuable pine timber fit for lumber, much more  
 “ ‘ than the Indians would be likely to require for their own purposes.’ ”

“ And that in consequence of the reserve not having been surveyed or laid out  
 “ until recently, the Government of the Province of *Ontario* had no means of knowing  
 “ of the existence of said reserve, and, having no such knowledge, proceeded in the  
 “ year 1872 to sell, and did sell, the pine timber thereon for several thousand dollars,  
 “ all of which was well known to the Government of *Canada*, prior to their selling the  
 “ same, as hereinafter appears.”

“ And that it further appears from said Return that the Government of *Canada*,  
 “ without conferring with the Indians of said Band (or any of them) as to the price to  
 “ be obtained for said pine timber, or in any way whatever enquiring as to their views  
 “ or wishes regarding the same, and without communicating to them, or any of them,  
 “ as to the sum of money for which they proposed to sell said pine timber, sold and  
 “ disposed of the same, covering an area of 79 square miles, at a private sale, without  
 “ competition of any kind, to one *Honoré Robillard*, now a Member of the House, and  
 “ a supporter of the said Government, for a nominal sum of \$316.”

“ And it appears that the said pine timber is, and was at the time of the sale  
 “ thereof, of a value in excess of the sum of \$50,000, and, by reason of the aforesaid  
 “ facts, the Indians have been grievously wronged, and the trust they reposed in the  
 “ Government of *Canada* has been violated and misused.”

“ That in view of the facts aforesaid, this House expresses its disapproval of the  
 “ sale of the pine timber, for the nominal sum of \$316, and of the manner in which it  
 “ was sold, and this House declares it to be a gross violation of the trust reposed by  
 “ the Indians in the Government of *Canada*, and it is the duty of this House to record  
 “ its condemnation of the transaction,” inserted instead thereof ;

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the clock on Wednes-  
 day morning ;

Wednesday, 24th April, 1889.

And the Question being put on the amendment ; the House divided : and the  
 names being called for, they were taken down as, follow :—

YEAS :

Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec),</i>	<i>Perry,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Lavergne,</i>	<i>Préfontaine,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rick'd),</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John), and</i>
<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin).—62.</i>
<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Langelier (Montmorency)</i>		

## NATS :

## Messieurs

<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Devdney,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.),</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Lds &amp; Grest.),</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton)</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Cimou,</i>	<i>Girouard,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil)</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox), and</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Jowcas,</i>	<i>Purcell,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'ld). 91.</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>	

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee.)

1. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and sixty-five thousand, eight hundred and ninety dollars and eighteen cents be granted to Her Majesty,—amount required to cover unprovided items for 1887-88, as per Auditor General's report, page B—62, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

2. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and forty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for 9 months' services of Mrs. *Ellie Landerkin*, as clerk in the Dominion Lands Office at *Nelsonville*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

3. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and fifteen dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Amount required for the repair of roads on Ordnance Lands at *Grand Falls, New Brunswick*, \$700; To pay *Louis Lavoie, junr.*, late caretaker of the ordnance property at *Hoche-laga*, a gratuity of one month's salary, \$15.50, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

4. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding One thousand three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Trent Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

5. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses, *Prince Edward Island Railway*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

6. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Five hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses, *Intercolonial Railway* (Governor General's Warrant, \$125,000), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand eight hundred and thirty-five dollars and twenty-two cents be granted to Her Majesty for Inspection of Weights and Measures, to pay Salaries of the following Assistant Inspectors:—*R. A. Hughes*, from 5th October, 1888, at \$600, \$443.55; *Edward Kelly*, from 1st December, 1888, at \$300, \$291.67; *J. S. Baker*, for whole year, \$600; *P. C. A. Bruneau*, for the whole year, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand and forty-six dollars and twenty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay costs of appeal to Privy Council, in the *Queen vs. Hodge*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, further amount required to meet the expenditure connected with the Royal Labour Commission (Governor General's Warrant, \$20,000), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required to complete the service of the year, *North-West Mounted Police*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and thirteen thousand four hundred and thirty-nine dollars and fifty-six cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Intercolonial Railway, as follow, viz.:—Increased accommodation at *Halifax*, \$2,800; *Dalhousie* Branch, \$400; Increased accommodation at *Rivière du Loup*, \$1,700; *Pictou Town* Branch, \$30,000; *Rivière du Loup Town* Branch (Governor General's Warrant, \$6,260.73), \$7,100; *Dartmouth* Branch, \$1,000; Rolling stock (Governor General's Warrant), \$170,000; *Halifax* Extension (Governor General's Warrant), \$439.56, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-eight thousand one hundred dollars and seventy-one cents be granted to Her Majesty, to meet additional amount required for Immigration (Governor General's Warrant), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and eighty-seven dollars and twelve cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *Manitoba* Penitentiary (Amount required to cancel charges for fuel and light, Warden's residence, 1887-88), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand four hundred and eighty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Marine, as follow, viz.:—Further amount required to provide for the salary of a third-class clerk, from 1st April to 30th June, 1889, \$182.50; To provide for the salary of *C. C. Chipman*, from 1st July, 1888, to 30th June, 1889, \$2,300, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand seven hundred and seven dollars and twenty-six cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, as follow, viz.:—Repairs, furniture, heating, &c., *Toronto* Custom House and Examining Warehouse, \$475; Water for the Dominion Public Buildings—To pay the City Corporation of *Hamilton*, accounts for water rates in connection with the new Public Building, 1st January, 1881, to 30th June, 1888 (Governor General's Warrant), \$2,627.26; Additional safe for *Victoria, B.C.*, Post Office, \$300; Fitting up the temporary Post Office building at *Winnipeg*, for use as an examining warehouse, \$800; *Halifax* Dominion Building—New pump and repairs to heating apparatus, \$600; *Antigonish* Public Buildings—Repairs, furniture, &c., \$180; *Montreal* Post Office—New safe for Customs postal branch, and brass counter railing, &c., in Accountant's room, \$500; Repairs, fittings, &c., special agent's office, *Montreal* Custom House, \$450; *Quebec* Post Office—Fitting up room for use as a Customs office in connection with the postal parcel service, \$350; *Kingston* Custom House—Repairs, furniture, &c., \$750; *Ottawa* Geological Museum—Furniture, &c., \$675, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received at the next sitting of the House this day.

Mr. Colby also acquainted the House that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, at its next sitting this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

And then The House, having continued to sit till two minutes after Two of the Clock on Wednesday morning, adjourned till this day.

Wednesday, 24th April, 1889.

PRAYERS.

Sir Hector L. Langevin, from the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, presented to the House the Thirteenth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have had under consideration Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Railway Act,'" and recommend the measure be not passed; because, in the opinion of Your Committee, the Bill is unnecessary, as section fourteen of "The Railway Act" provides fully for drainage through and across the works and lands of Railway Companies.

Mr. Taylor, from the Joint Committee of both Houses, on the Printing of Parliament, presented to the House the Seventh Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

The Committee carefully examined the following documents, and recommend that they be printed, viz:—

49. Return to an Order of the House of the 25th ultimo, for copies of all correspondence with the Department of Railways and Canals, on the subject of the late break in the *Cornwall Canal*, and of all plans and suggestions by Civil Engineers and others for the prevention of the recurrence of such break, and the Report of *John Page*, the Chief Engineer of Canals, thereon.

49f. Return to an Order of the House of the 18th ultimo, for copies of reports, plans and surveys of the then proposed *Cornwall Canal*, by *J. B. Mills* and *Benjamin Wright*, Esquires, Civil Engineers, and by Capt. *P. Cole*, Royal Engineers, in the years 1832, 1833 and 1834; also, for survey and report of *Colin Carman*, Esq., C. E., of a proposed change of location of *Cornwall Canal*, from *Sand Bridge* through *Hoopes Creek* to *Archibald's Point*, with plans, profile and estimates; also, reports, plans and surveys made by Mr. *Clowes*, C. E., in 1826. (*The above two Returns for distribution and Sessional Papers, condensed, and with maps reduced to one-fourth of the present size.*)

51a. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 1st instant, for a Return of Orders in Council relating to the division of the subsidy of \$250,000 to the International Railway Company, between the different portions of the road, say, from the *St. Lawrence* to *Lennoxville*, from *Lennoxville* to *Moose River* and

*Mattawamkeag*, from *Mattawamkeag* to *Harvey Station*, and from *Harvey* to *Salisbury*, giving the number of miles in each division, and the amount apportioned thereto. (*Order in Council only to be printed, and in Sessional Papers only.*)

The Committee would also recommend that the following documents be not printed, viz. :—

22i. Return to an Order of the House of the 1st instant, for :—

1st. Copies of the petition asking for the incorporation of the *Témiscouata Railway Company* ;

2nd. Copies of all correspondence between the Government and this Company, respecting the granting of a subsidy, or having reference to such subsidy.

37a. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 1st instant, for all the original cheques given in payment of all fees or expenses connected with the suit, "*The St. Catharines Milling and Lumbering Company vs. The Queen.*"

49c. Return to an Order of the House of the 25th February last, for a Return of Report of Engineer *Crawford*, in 1877-78, and all subsequent reports made on the *Beauharnois Canal* ; also, reports of Engineers made on the North Shore of the *St. Lawrence* between Lakes *St. Francis* and *St. Louis* ; also, resolutions, letters, &c., of Boards of Trade, Corporations, and even from individuals, regarding such works.

49e. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 1st instant, for copies of all tenders received for the construction of the *Sault Ste. Marie Canal*, with accompanying documents, including the approximate quantities on which such tenders were computed, and the gross amounts ; and all correspondence, reports, and Orders in Council, in relation to the same.

49h. Return to an Order of the House of the 13th ultimo, for a Return showing :—

1. Statement of cases in which all or any of the tenders called for and received within five years, for any work in connection with canals, were rejected on the report of the Chief Engineer of Canals, giving names of tenderers and gross amount of each tender ; with copies of all such reports of the Chief Engineer, giving reasons for such rejection, and noting the cases in which new tenders were called for ;

2. In cases where new tenders were called for, a statement of names of tenderers and gross amount of each tender, noting which tender was accepted, and giving copies of any reports or other reasons for the rejection of lower tenders, if any ;

3. Statement of cases in which claims for extras have arisen and have been referred to the sole arbitration of the Chief Engineer of Canals, showing amounts paid to claimants under his award, and a detailed statement of costs paid by the Government or the other parties to the suit in connection with the arbitration in each case, and to whom paid.

58b. Return to an Order of the House of the 20th ultimo, for :—

1st. Copies of any order or regulation adopted by the Department of Marine and Fisheries, with a view to regulate fishing, and to put in force a system of licensing and taxing of fishing utensils in the Counties of *Berthier*, *Maskinongé*, *St. Maurice*, *Richelieu*, *Yamaska* and *Nicolet*, during the two years ending 31st December, 1888 ;

2nd. Copies of all instructions forwarded during the period aforesaid to the Fishery Overseers having jurisdiction in the said counties, respecting the enforcement, suspension, modification and re-enactment of the said regulation ;

3rd. Copies of all reports and information furnished by the Fishery Overseers to the Department of Marine and Fisheries, in relation to the enforcement of the said regulation ;

4th. A list of all the fishermen of each of the said counties, as furnished by the Fishery Overseers, showing those who took out the license so required, the amount paid by each of them, the total amount received as the product of the said licenses, from the date of the enforcement of the said regulation up to 31st December, 1888, and also, those who did not take out the license so required, and whose fishing utensils were confiscated or not, as the case may be ;

5th. Copies of all letters, petitions and correspondence addressed to the Government, or any of its Members, asking for the repeal of the said regulation and the abolition of the said license, of all answers made thereto, and of all other documents relating to the matter.

70. Return to an Order of the House of the 1st instant, for copies of all correspondence, reports, petitions and other documents, up to this date, between the Post Office Department and the Post Office Inspector for the District of *Montreal*, Mr. *King*, and any other persons, respecting a change in the location of the Post Office of *Belle Vallée* in the County of *St. John's*.

69a. Return,—Correspondence, etc., in connection with tenders called for and received for Bridge at *Grand Narrows, Cape Breton Railway*.

72. Return to an Order of the House of the 25th February last, for a Return showing the amount of duty collected upon baskets and boxes containing fruits admitted free of duty since May 1st, 1888.

Minutes of Evidence attached to the First Report of the Select Standing Committee on Public Accounts.

Mr. *Taylor*, from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, presented to the House the Eighth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

The Committee carefully examined the following documents, and recommend that they be printed, viz.:—

36. Return (*in part*) under Resolution of the House of Commons, passed on the 20th February, 1882, on all subjects affecting the Canadian Pacific Railway, respecting details as to:—

1. The selection of the route.
2. The progress of the work.
3. The selection or reservation of land.
4. The payment of moneys.
5. The laying out of branches.
6. The progress thereon.
7. The rates of tolls for passengers and freight.
8. The particulars required by the Consolidated Railway Act and amendments thereto, up to the end of the previous fiscal year.
9. Like particulars up to the latest practicable date before the presentation of the Return.

10. Copies of all Orders in Council and all correspondence between the Government and the Railway Company, or any member or officer of either, relating to the affairs of the Company, (*Sessional Papers, and condensed in the usual form.*)

36a. An Agreement with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company for the performance of a Railway Service in the Province of *New Brunswick*. (*Sessional Papers.*)

The Committee would also recommend that the following documents be not printed, viz.:—

22h. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 1st instant, for copies of all Orders in Council, correspondence, agreements and settlements, respecting the conveyance of the North Shore Railway to the Government by the Grand Trunk Railway Company, and by the Government to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

44b. Return to an Order of the House of the 1st instant, for copies of all tenders for the supply of beef for the *Blackfoot, Blood and Piegan* Indian Agencies, and all papers and correspondence connected with the calling for such tenders, and the awarding of contracts for such supplies during the summer of 1888.

69. Return to an Order of the House of the 28th February last, for a Return of all evidence, papers and correspondence, relating to the liability of the Government

to construct, or to aid in constructing, a bridge across the *Grand River*, at the Village of *York*, in the County of *Haldimand*.

73. General Rules of the Maritime Court of Ontario.

74. Return to an Address (Senate) to His Excellency the Governor General, dated 22nd March, 1889; praying that His Excellency will cause to be laid before this House, copies of leases or existing arrangements permitting the occupancy of the reserve of public property on the *Ottawa River*, from *Bay* to *Kent* streets, in the City of *Ottawa*.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to consolidate and amend the Act respecting the *North West Territories*;

*Ordered*, That the said Order be discharged.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be withdrawn.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain proposed Resolutions, respecting subsidies to certain railway companies, and towards the construction of the railways therein mentioned.

(In the Committee.)

1. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to authorize the Governor in Council to grant the subsidies hereinafter mentioned to the Railway Companies and towards the construction of the Railways also hereinafter mentioned, that is to say:—

To the <i>Ontario</i> and <i>Pacific Railway Company</i> , for a line of railway from <i>Cornwall</i> to <i>Ottawa</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole .....	\$172,400 00
To the <i>Ottawa</i> and <i>Gatineau Railway Company</i> , for a line of railway from <i>Hull Station</i> towards <i>Le Desert</i> , a distance of 62 miles, a subsidy not exceeding in the whole.....	320,000 00
To the <i>Cap Rouge</i> and <i>St. Lawrence Railway Company</i> , for twelve miles of their railway, from <i>Lorette</i> , <i>vid Cap Rouge</i> , to <i>Quebec</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	38,400 00
To the <i>Parry Sound Colonization Railway Company</i> , for forty miles of their railway, from the Village of <i>Parry Sound</i> to the Village of <i>Sundridge</i> , or some other point on the line of the Northern Pacific Junction Railway, in the Province of <i>Ontario</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	128,000 00
For a Railway from <i>St. Andrews</i> to the Canadian Pacific Railway, at, or at any point east of, the Town of <i>Lachute</i> , in the County of <i>Argenteuil</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , seven miles, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	22,400 00
For a Railway from <i>Truro</i> to <i>Newport</i> , in the Province of <i>Nova Scotia</i> , forty-nine miles, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	156,800 00
For a line of the Central Railway from the head of <i>Grand Lake</i> to the Intercolonial Railway, in the Province of <i>New Brunswick</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	128,000 00
To the <i>Albert Southern Railway Company</i> , the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidy granted by the Act 47th <i>Victoria</i> , Chapter 8, not exceeding in the whole.....	31,771 43
To the <i>Baie des Chaleurs Railway Company</i> , the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidy mentioned in the Act 49th <i>Victoria</i> , Chapter 17, not exceeding in the whole.....	244,500 00
To the <i>Irondale, Bancroft and Ottawa Railway Company</i> , for a line of railway from the <i>Victoria</i> branch of the <i>Midland Railway</i> to the Village of <i>Bancroft</i> , in the County of <i>Hastings</i> , the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidy granted by the Act 47th <i>Victoria</i> , Chapter 8, not exceeding in the whole.....	145,000 00

To the Northern and Pacific Junction Railway Company, for a railway from *Gravenhurst* to *Callander*, the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidies granted by the Acts 45th *Victoria*, Chapter 14, and 46th *Victoria*, Chapter 25, not exceeding in the whole..... 35,000 00

2. *Resolved*, That all the lines for the construction of which subsidies are granted shall, unless already commenced, be commenced within two years from the first day of August next, and completed within a reasonable time, not to exceed four years, to be fixed by Order in Council, and shall also be constructed according to descriptions and specifications, and upon conditions to be approved by the Governor in Council, on the Report of the Minister of Railways and Canals, and specified in an agreement to be made in each case by the company with the Government, and which the Government is hereby empowered to make; the location also of every such line of railway shall be subject to the approval of the Governor in Council; and all the said subsidies, respectively, payable in cash, shall be payable out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of *Canada*, by instalments, on the completion of each section of the railway of not less than ten miles, proportionate to the value of the portion so completed in comparison with that of the whole work undertaken, to be established by the Report of the said Minister or upon completion of the work subsidized.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received To-morrow.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee.)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for office of the Queen's Privy Council of *Canada*, as follow, viz. :— One statutory increase (omitted in main Estimates) \$50; additional amount for translation, &c., \$100; to increase the salary of the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery to \$2,400, \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Justice, Statutory increase to one third class clerk (omitted in main Estimates), for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to make up to *C. C. Pelletier*, Department of the Interior, the difference between \$400 and \$700 per annum, from the 1st January, 1887, to 1st July, 1887, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and forty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the salary of a third class clerk, Department of Marine, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand five hundred and thirty one dollars and eighty-six cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Indian Affairs :—To provide the usual salary for the Solicitor for Indian Affairs, the amount having been omitted from the main Estimates for 1889-90, \$400; To provide for the increase, from \$400 to \$450, in the salary of *David Osahgel*, third-class clerk, to which he is entitled, on account of having passed in the optional subject of book-keeping before the Board of Examiners for the Civil Service—from 11th February to 30th June, 1889, \$19.36, and to provide for the statutory increase for three-months, ending 30th June, 1889, \$12.50, total, \$31.86; To provide a salary for a second-class clerk, to keep the accounts of Parliamentary appropriations for Indian purposes, \$1,100; Contingencies, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Fisheries :—To provide for the promotion of one

second-class clerk to a first class clerkship, \$50; To provide for the promotion of one third-class clerk to a second-class clerkship, \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Printing and Stationery—To meet further amount required for contingencies, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Departments generally—To remunerate special messenger for delivery of night mails to Ministers and Deputy Heads, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Post Office and Finance Departments :—Contingencies—Amount required to make payment to those officers of the Savings Bank Branch, Post Office and Finance Departments, engaged in the balancing of, and computing interest on, depositors' accounts to 30th June, 18-9—Post Office Department, \$1,850; Finance Department, \$1,250, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay additional salary to *C. Schreiber*, Chief Engineer of Government Railways, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and seventy dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Dorchester* Penitentiary, as follow :—Additional amount required to pay accountant and schoolmaster, \$200; Amount required to place *Guard L. H. Chambers*, acting as trade instructor, at the maximum of his class, \$70, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand two hundred and thirty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Manitoba* Penitentiary, viz. :—Salaries for quarryman and mason instructor, \$600 each, \$1,200; To pay increase of salary to trade instructor *Pugh*, \$30, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand eight hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Kingston* Penitentiary, to provide for introduction of electric light, \$15,000; Salary of electrician, \$800; Promotion of two guardians to position of keepers, \$60, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. Vincent de Paul* Penitentiary, for 150 cords of tamarac for lime burning, tools, &c., \$1,000; Salary for quarryman, \$600; Required to pay Warden *Ouimet* the maximum salary, under Act 50-51 *Vic.*, cap. 52, sec. 10, \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the undermentioned returning officers for extra services, during the elections :—*T. C. de Lorimier*, election of 1888, \$75; *C. J. Doherty*, election of 1887, \$150; *A. W. Atwater*, election of 1887, \$75, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet expenses in connection with Electoral Franchise Act, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and forty dollars and forty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay to the following Members of Parliament travelling expenses, short calculated in 1887 and 1888: Messrs. *L. H. Davies*, \$58; *J. Yeo*, \$85.20; *S. F. Perry*, \$83.20; *J. Robertson*, \$15.60; *P. A. McIntyre*, \$40.40; *W. Welsh*, \$58, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the following purposes, viz. :—Colonial and Indian Exhibition—To pay balance of freight charges and other unsettled accounts, \$3,500; To aid in further extension and development of the dairying interests of Canada, \$3,000; To aid in the extension and development of the fruit growing industry of Canada, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-four dollars and twenty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *J. M. Oxley*, a permanent officer of the Department

of Marine, for services rendered and expenses incurred in connection with the Canadian Pacific Railway arbitration, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Tay Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-six thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Lachine Canal*:—Construction of a bridge over the canal, *Wellington street, Montreal*, \$25,000; For drainage of land and leakage of banks from *Lachine* to *Côte St. Paul*, \$10,000; For purchase or erection of a telephone line, \$1,600, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Welland Canal*:—Weirs and dams at *Dunville*, \$5,000; Repairing piers, *Port Colborne* and *Port Maitland*, and canal bank summit level, \$10,000; To repair banks damaged by high water and storm on 9th January, 1889, \$15,000; Towards filling a pond at *St. Catharines*—(re-vote, \$5,000), for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand four hundred and thirty-six dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Rideau Canal*:—For works in connection with the new location of the swing bridge over the canal at *Smith's Falls*, including the renewal of a bridge, &c.—re-vote, \$2,536; Construction of a bridge over the canal, between Concession C and D, *Nepean* front—re-vote, \$7,000; To pay claims for land damages and legal expenses, \$900, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay claims and services of valuers, *Carillon Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for improvement of ship channel between *Quebec* and *Montreal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty to cover the cost of placing seventy-five additional keel blocks in the *Esquimaux* Graving Dock, *B. C.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Halifax* Immigrant Building, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Prince Edward Island*:—*Charlottetown* Dominion Building—Introduction of water from city aqueduct \$500; *Summerside* Public Building—Improvements, &c., \$900, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

29. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs to *Sussex* Public Building, *New Brunswick*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

30. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings *Quebec, Carillon* Inland:—Revenue Office, including outbuildings, \$800, *Montreal* Custom House \$1,500; *Montreal* Post Office Improvements, \$950; *Montreal* Dominion Buildings—Improvements, &c., in connection with heating and elevator services, \$3,500; *St. Henri* Post Office, &c., \$4,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

31. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-three thousand four hundred dollars, be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Ontario* viz:—*Belleville* Battalion Drill Shed, \$10,000; *Belleville* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$400; *Brantford* Battalion Drill Shed, \$10,000; *Berlin* Post Office, Custom House, &c.—Introduction of water from *Berlin* Waterworks Company's aqueduct, \$300; *Carleton Place* Post Office, &c., \$4,000; *Hamilton* Public Building, \$2,600; *Guelph* Post Office—Improvements, &c.—To complete, \$2,000; *London* Post Office—Re-covering roof, furniture, &c., \$1,200; *London* Military Buildings, \$10,000; *Orillia* Public Buildings—The town contributing the *Wheeler* lot free of cost, \$4,000; Parliament Building—Renewing skylight, House of Commons—re-vote, \$3,250; Parliament Building, *Ottawa*—To cover with copper, front part of roof between main tower and first

break west of Commons' entrance, \$3,000; *Peterborough* Custom House, &c., \$10,000; *Peterborough* Post Office—re-vote of lapsed amount, \$1,900; Public Buildings, *Ottawa*—Fuel shed and ice house, \$750; *Prescott* Custom House—Brick vaults, \$1,000; *Stratford* Post Office—Improvements, \$2,000; *St. Thomas* Post Office, Custom House, &c.—Fencing, plumbing, &c., \$900; Public Buildings, *Ottawa*—Addition to Supreme Court Building, \$5,000; *Toronto* Military School—New drill shed, \$3,000; *Toronto* Old Fort—New magazine, \$2,500; *Toronto* Examining Warehouse—Towards purchase of water lots by expropriation or otherwise, \$35,000; *Toronto* Post Office—Sanitary works, &c., \$4,200; *Toronto* Immigrant Buildings—Improvements and repairs, \$2,000; *Walkerton* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$4,000; *Windsor* Public Building—Alterations, &c., \$400, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

32. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Manitoba*, viz.:—*Manitoba* Penitentiary—re-vote, \$15,000; *Winnipeg* Post Office—re-vote of lapsed amount, \$2,500; *Winnipeg* Immigrant Buildings—re-vote, \$5,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

33. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-seven thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *North-West Territories*:—*Calgary* Post Office, Custom House and Inland Revenue, Dominion Lands and Crown Timber Offices, \$10,000; *North-West* Mounted Police Buildings, \$50,000; *Regina* Post Office—Improvements, \$1,100; *Regina* Court House and Jail—Water Supply, Fittings, &c., \$7,000; *Regina*, *North West* Assembly Building—Addition, \$8,000; Assistance towards the erection of a Hospital at *Medicine Hat*—The local authorities contributing \$3,000, \$2,000; *Regina* Jail—Cottages for officers, \$6,000; Immigrant Buildings at *Regina*, *Whitewood* and *Salt Coats*, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

34. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-seven thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *British Columbia*:—*British Columbia* Penitentiary—re-vote, \$5,000; *Victoria* Military Buildings, \$21,250; *Nanaimo* Public Building—Improvements, \$1,000 for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

35. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand two hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Repairs, Furniture, Heating, &c.:—*Quebec* Custom House.—Protection of Main Pipes, Heating Apparatus, Repairs, Furniture, Bands, &c., \$1,000; *Quebec* Cutlers' Office—To make good damage done by fire to furniture, &c., \$300; *Hamilton* Public Building—Fitting up room in Examining Warehouse, exclusively for the custody and filing of Invoices, Alterations, &c., \$450; Old Penitentiary Buildings, *St. John, N. B.*—Repairs, &c., \$400; *Moncton* Public Building—Repairs, &c., \$500; *Toronto* Post Office—Furniture, \$400; *Charlottetown* Dominion Building—To pay account of *A. Newbery, Esq.*, disbursements for keeping grounds in order during 1888, \$400; *Grosse Isle* Quarantine Station, *Quebec*—Repairs to residences of medical assistants, \$800; *Partridge Island* Quarantine Station, *N. B.*—Repairs to pest house, \$300; *Victoria, B. C.*, Quarantine Station—General repairs, \$125, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

36. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-eight thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Nova Scotia*:—*Cow Bay*—Repairs, \$1,500; *East Bay*, north side—Wharf, \$2,000; *Summersville*—Wharf and repairs, \$3,000; *Port Maitland* or *Green Cove*, \$4,200; *Jones Harbour*, \$1,000; *Margaree*—Extension of pier, \$2,500; *Wallace Harbour*, \$2,000; *Port Greville*—Repairs, \$2,500; *Tidnish*, \$2,000; *Groses Coques*—Breakwater, \$3,000; *Economy*—Extension of breakwater, to complete, \$2,500; *West Jordan Bay*—Dredging, \$1,200; *French Cove*, \$200; *Big Tracadie*—Dredging, \$1,000; *Western Head*, \$5,000; *Port George*—Heavy repairs to pier, \$5,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

37. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Prince Edward Island*, as follow:—*Port Selkirk*, \$1,000; *China Point*, \$1,200; *Chapel Point Wharf*—*Grand River*, \$800, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

38. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventeen thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *New Brunswick*:—*Campbellton* Ballast Wharf and Landing—To complete, \$2,000; *Kingston*—Wharf on *Richibucto* River, \$4,000; *Baie Verte*—Repairs to ballast wharf, \$500; *Shippegan*—Breakwater, \$10,000; *Lincoln*—Wharf, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

39. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and three thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers:—*Quebec*—*Baie St. Paul* Pier—Wing to pier, \$7,500; *Port Daniel*—Addition to pier, \$4,500; *St. Siméon*—Pier, \$5,000; *Rimouski* Pier—Repairs, \$22,500; *Lévis* Graving Dock, \$4,000; *St. Laurent, Island Orleans*—Urgent works of renewal and repairs, \$6,000; *Longue Pointe* and *Boucherville* Ferry Route—Dredging, \$2,000; *River Yamaska*—Lock and dam, \$2,500; *Rivière L'Assomption*, \$3,500; *St. Timothée*—Piers, \$2,500; *Ile Perrot*—To complete, \$3,300; *Rivière des Prairies*—Improvements at *Pointe à la Carrière, Ile Bizard* and *Ste. Geneviève, Island of Montreal*, \$4,300; *Pointe St. Pierre*—Removal of reef, \$2,000; *Grand Rivière*—Breakwater, \$7,500; *Ste. Anne des Monts*—To complete survey, \$500; *Longueuil* Pier—Approach from the shore, to complete, \$6,000; *Petit Bonaventure*, \$5,000; *Georgeville*—Repairs, &c., \$2,000; *St. Michel de Bellechasse*—Repairs, \$1,000; *River St. Maurice*—West channel, mouth of river, \$4,000; *Pointe à Valois*—Wharf extension, \$3,000; *River Nicolet*—To complete, \$3,000; *Boucherville* Pier—Local authorities furnishing \$1,000, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

40. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-nine thousand seven hundred and eighty-six dollars and fifty-eight cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers:—*Ontario*—*Thessalon*, \$10,000; *Little Current*, \$10,000; *Rondeau Harbour* Works—To pay *F. B. McNamee & Co.*, contractors, in full settlement of their claim, \$1,286.58; *Southampton*, \$7,000; *Midland Harbour*—On condition that the local authorities will provide \$10,000, \$16,000; *Warton*—Breakwater, \$10,000; *Meaford*—Harbour works, \$3,500; *Beaver River*—Dredging channel at outlet of river into *Lake Simcoe* and protecting banks—the local authorities of *Beaverton* contributing \$2,000, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

41. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-nine thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *British Columbia*:—*Nanaimo*—Removal of *Nicol* Rock, \$5,000; *Fraser River*, \$10,000; *Victoria Harbour*—To complete removal of boulder shoal, \$6,000; *Columbia River*—Improvements between *Revelstoke* and *Arrow Lake*, \$6,000; *Skeena River*—Removal of snags, &c., \$2,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

42. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-five thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Roads and Bridges, as follow:—Bridge across the *Bow* River, near *Calgary*—Improving approaches, painting, &c., \$2,500; New iron truss bridge, to replace the *Union Suspension Bridge, Ottawa*—re-vote, \$35,000; Bridge over the *Belly River*, at *Lethbridge, N. W. T.*—re-vote, \$3,000—To complete, \$28,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

43. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the purchase of a barge in connection with dredging, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

44. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to complete *Telegraph Line* on north shore of *St. Lawrence*, extension to *Pointe aux Esquimaux*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

45. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for re-poling *Clark's Crossing* and *Saskatchewan Telephone Line*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

46. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet additional amount required for telegraphic connection between *Bonilla Point* and *Victoria, B. C.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

47. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to assist in the erection of a monument to *Col. Williams* (re-vote), for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

48. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for Steam communication between *New Westminster* and *Victoria*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

49. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for Steam communication between *Port Mulgrave* and *East Bay*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

50. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for Steam communication between *Halifax* and *St. John*, via *Yarmouth* and *Port Medway*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

51. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for Steam communication between *St. John*, *Digby* and *Annapolis*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

52. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for a wharf and shed at *Victoria, British Columbia*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

53. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide a small steam launch for the use of the Indian Department, in the waters of the Province of *British Columbia* (re-vote), for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

54. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for increase of salary of Director of Meteorological Service, from \$2,400 to \$2,500, including his allowance for house rent, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

55. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Mr. *James Fletcher* for services in connection with the entomological collections in the Geological and Natural History Museum, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

56. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand seven hundred and twenty five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians *Ontario* and *Quebec*—as follow:—To provide for the maintenance, at the *Mount Elgin* Industrial School, *Munceytown*, of 15 additional pupils, at \$60, \$900; To enable the Department to complete the schoolhouse on the *Spanish River Reserve*, \$100; And to provide a salary for a teacher, \$200; To defray one-half of the cost of erecting a new school at *Bécan-cour, Quebec*, the estimated cost of the building being \$250, of which the *Abenakis of Bécan-cour* will contribute the remaining half, \$125; To enable the Department to relieve cases of distress among the Indians in *Ontario* who have no funds of their own, \$300; To admit of the re-building of the pupils' playhouse belonging to the *Mount Elgin* Institution, at *Munceytown*, which was recently destroyed by fire. The sum available from insurance paid is \$1,000. The new and enlarged building will cost \$1,600, and the sum required is \$600; To aid in the maintenance of additional pupils at the Roman Catholic Orphanage at *Fort William, Ontario*, \$200; To enable the Department to pay the salary of the teacher of the girls' day school at *Wikoem-kong, Manitoulin Island*, \$300, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

57. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand six hundred and seventy dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *British Columbia*:—A re-vote of the sums granted for the erection of Indian Industrial Schools at *Kamloops, Kootenay* and on *Kuper Island*, \$1,500; To supplement the grant of \$3,250 for maintenance of 25 pupils, at \$130 each, at the *Metlakahla* Industrial School, by a sum which will enable the Department to pay the salary of a Principal, \$800; Matron, \$400; Cook, \$250; Instructor of Trades, \$600; Wages of two servants, \$400; Additional rations for those employes, \$720—\$3,170, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

58. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *New Brunswick*, as follow:—To increase salary of Miss *Martin*, teacher of the Indian Day School, on the *St. Mary's* Indian Reserve, from \$200 to \$250 a year, \$50; To enable the Department to provide a larger supply of seed grain to Indians throughout *New Brunswick* generally, \$300; To enable the Department

to pay the Rev. Mr. Barry, for services to Indians in Gloucester County, \$200; And for similar services rendered by the Rev. Mr. Smith at Restigouche, \$50, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

59. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide a salary for an Indian Agent to be appointed in Shelburne County, N. S., for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

Resolutions to be reported.

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Thursday morning;

Thursday, 25th April, 1889.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received at the next sitting of the House this day.

Mr. Colby also acquainted the House that he was directed to move That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, at its next sitting this day, again resolve into the said Committee.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have agreed to, the Amendments made by this House to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Summary Convictions Act,' chapter one hundred and seventy-eight of the Revised Statutes, and the Act amending the same," with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And then The House, having continued to sit till ten minutes before Two of the Clock on Thursday morning, adjourned till this day.

Thursday, 25th April, 1889.

PRAYERS.

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

By Sir Richard J. Cartwright,—The Petition of Jane Sullivan, widow, of Kingston, Ontario.

Sir John A. Macdonald, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 11th April, 1889, for all papers, reports, returns and correspondence in reference to the condition of the railway subsidized by the Parliament of Canada, extending from the western end of the Derby Branch Railway to a connection with the Northern and Western Railway, in the County of Northumberland, New Brunswick; also, all correspondence, &c., had between the Government, or any of its officers, and the proprietors of the said railway, with the object of opening it up and running trains thereon. (*Sessional Papers, No. 22k.*)

Also, Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 11th March, 1889, for copies of all correspondence between the Government and the Windsor and Annapolis

and Western Counties Railway Companies, relating to the consolidation, under Government control, of the Railways of Western *Nova Scotia*, together with copies of Resolutions adopted by the Chamber of Commerce of *Halifax*, and the Fruit Grower's Association of *Nova Scotia*, referring to the same subject. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 221.)

And also, Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 1st April, 1889, for copies of all tenders received by the Department of Railways and Canals, in September and October, 1888, for the enlargement of the *Cornwall* and *Galops* Canal, including the approximate quantities on which such tenders were computed, and the gross amounts; and all correspondence, reports, and Orders in Council, relating to the same, since the receipt of such tenders. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 49i.)

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*.

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns on Friday next, it do stand adjourned until the following Saturday, at Three o'Clock, P.M., and that Government measures have precedence on that day.

Mr. *Colby* reported, from the Committee of the Whole House, to consider certain proposed Resolutions, respecting subsidies to certain Railway Companies, and towards the construction of the Railways therein mentioned, several Resolutions, which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to authorize the Governor in Council to grant the subsidies hereinafter mentioned to the Railway Companies, and towards the construction of the Railways also hereinafter mentioned, that is to say:—

To the <i>Ontario</i> and <i>Pacific</i> Railway Company, for a line of railway from <i>Cornwall</i> to <i>Ottawa</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	\$172,400 00
To the <i>Ottawa</i> and <i>Gatineau</i> Railway Company, for a line of railway from <i>Hull</i> Station towards <i>Le Desert</i> , a distance of 62 miles, a subsidy not exceeding in the whole.....	320,000 00
To the <i>Cap Rouge</i> and <i>St. Lawrence</i> Railway Company, for twelve miles of their railway, from <i>Lorette</i> , <i>vid Cape Rouge</i> , to <i>Quebec</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	38,400 00
To the <i>Parry Sound</i> Colonization Railway Company, for forty miles of their railway, from the Village of <i>Parry Sound</i> to the Village of <i>Sundridge</i> , or some other point on the line of the Northern <i>Pacific Junction</i> Railway, in the Province of <i>Ontario</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	128,000 00
For a Railway from <i>St. Andrews</i> to the Canadian <i>Pacific</i> Railway, at, or at any point east of, the Town of <i>Lachute</i> , in the County of <i>Argenteuil</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , seven miles, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	22,400 00
For a Railway from <i>Truro</i> to <i>Newport</i> , in the Province of <i>Nova Scotia</i> , forty-nine miles, a subsidy, not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	156,800 00
For a line of the Central Railway from the head of <i>Grand Lake</i> to the <i>Intercolonial</i> Railway, in the Province of <i>New Brunswick</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	128,000 00
To the <i>Albert</i> Southern Railway Company, the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidy granted by the Act 47th <i>Victoria</i> , Chapter 8, not exceeding in the whole.....	31,771,43
To the <i>Baie des Chaleurs</i> Railway Company, the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidy mentioned in the Act 49th <i>Victoria</i> , Chapter 17, not exceeding in the whole.....	244,500 00

To the *Irondale, Bancroft and Ottawa Railway Company*, for a line of railway from the *Victoria* branch of the *Midland Railway* to the Village of *Bancroft*, in the County of *Hastings*, the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidy granted by the Act 47th *Victoria*, Chapter 8, not exceeding in the whole ..... 145,000 00

To the *Northern and Pacific Junction Railway Company*, for a railway from *Gravenhurst* to *Callander*, the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidies granted by the Acts 45th *Victoria*, Chapter 14, and 46th *Victoria*, Chapter 25, not exceeding in the whole..... 35,000 00

2. *Resolved*, That all the lines for the construction of which subsidies are granted shall, unless already commenced, be commenced within two years from the first day of August next, and completed within a reasonable time, not to exceed four years, to be fixed by Order in Council, and shall also be constructed according to descriptions and specifications, and upon conditions to be approved by the Governor in Council, on the Report of the Minister of Railways and Canals, and specified in an agreement to be made in each case by the company with the Government, and which the Government is hereby empowered to make; the location also of every such line of railway shall be subject to the approval of the Governor in Council; and all the said subsidies, respectively, payable in cash, shall be payable out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of *Canada*, by instalments, on the completion of each section of the railway of not less than ten miles, proportionate to the value of the portion so completed in comparison with that of the whole work undertaken, to be established by the Report of the said Minister or upon completion of the work subsidized.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendment made by the Senate to the Amendments made by this House to the Bill, intitled: "An Act to amend 'The Summary Convictions Act,' chapter one hundred and "seventy-eight of the Revised Statutes, and the Act amending the same," and the same was twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendment.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend "The Cullers Act," chapter one hundred and three of the Revised Statutes;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intitled: "An Act further to amend 'The Dominion Lands Act;'"

The Bill was accordingly read a second time, and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That

the Committee had made some progress, and directed him to move for leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting a loan therein mentioned to certain Mennonite Immigrants," without any amendment.

Also, the Senate have agreed to the Amendments made by this House to the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting Expropriation of Lands," without any amendment.

And also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend the Revised Statute, respecting the *North-West* Mounted Police Force," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The Order of the Day being read, for the House again in the Committee of Supply;

Mr. Foster moved, seconded by Mr. Bowell, and the Question being proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair;

Mr. Mulock moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. Laurier, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "it be Resolved, That the administration of the Department of Militia and Defence (at *Ottawa*), as at present constituted, is unsatisfactory to the Militia Force of *Canada* and does not command public confidence," inserted instead thereof;

And the House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Friday morning;

Friday, 26th April, 1889.

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

#### YEAS:

##### Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Lavergne,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Lovett,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Ric'h)</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Lung,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>	<i>Welsh, and</i>
<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Langelier (Montmorency)</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin).—54.</i>
<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec),</i>		

#### NAYS:

##### Messieurs

<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Shanley,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>

Boisvert,	Dickey,	McDonald (Victoria)	Sproule,
Bowell,	Dickinson,	McDougald (Pictou)	Stevenson,
Boyle,	Dupont,	McGreevy,	Taylor,
Brown,	Ferguson (Renfrew),	McKay,	Temple,
Bryson,	Foster,	McKeen,	Thérien,
Burns,	Freeman,	McNeill,	Thompson (Sir John),
Carling,	Gigault,	Madill,	Tisdale,
Carpenter,	Girouard,	Mara,	Tyrwhitt,
Caron (Sir Adolphe),	Grandbois,	Marshall,	Vanasse,
Chouinard,	Guillet,	Masson,	Ward,
Cochrane,	Haggart,	Mills (Annapolis),	Welton (Albert),
Cockburn,	Hesson,	Montplaisir,	White (Cardwell),
Colby,	Hickey,	Patterson (Essex),	White (Renfrew),
Coulombe,	Hudspeth,	Perley,	Wilmot,
Curran,	Jamieson,	Porter,	Wilson (Argenteuil),
Daly,	Jones (Digby),	Prior,	Wilson (Lennox),
Daoust,	Kenny,	Riopel,	Wood (Brockville), and
Davin,	Kirkpatrick,	Robillard,	Wood (Westm'd)—95.
Davis,	Labelle,	Ross,	

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee.)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards meeting expenditure in connection with the meeting of the Mining Association, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for relief of distress among half-breeds, in Cumberland District, North-West Territories, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the expenses of examining lands in the Canadian Pacific Railway belt, which the Canadian Pacific Railway Company have proposed to class as lands not fairly fit for settlement, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards aiding in the publication of the sixth volume of "Le Dictionnaire "Généalogique des Familles Canadiennes," for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for plant required for Government Printing Office, and for Government binding (re-vote), for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Dr. A. Jukes for medical services in connection with prisoners and lunatics confined in the guard-room at Regina, from 1st July, 1833, to 30th June, 1890 at \$100 per annum, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee, had come to several Resolutions.

Ordered, That the Report be received at the next sitting of the House this day.

Mr. Colby also acquainted the House that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, at its next sitting this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

And then The House, having continued to sit till twelve minutes after Two of the Clock on Friday morning, adjourned till this day.

Friday, 26th April, 1889.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Tupper, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 1st April, 1889, for copies of all correspondence between the Dominion Government and the Corporation of Pilots for, and below, the Harbour of Quebec, respecting the change in the present tariff of pilotage dues on vessels for, and below, the Harbour of Quebec. (*Sessional Papers, No. 23b.*)

On motion of Sir John A. Macdonald, seconded by Sir Hector L. Langevin, Ordered, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend the Revised Statute, respecting the North-West Mounted Police Force," be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Sir John A. Macdonald moved, seconded by Sir Hector L. Langevin, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution, respecting a Contract with the Qu'Appelle, Long Lake and Saskatchewan Railway and Steamboat Company.

Sir John A. Macdonald, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, then acquainted the House, That His Excellency the Governor General, having been informed of the subject matter of this Motion, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

Resolved, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. Foster moved, seconded by Mr. Haggart, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution, respecting release of the Corporation of the Town of Cobourg from the payment of the balance due by said Corporation under a certain Act of the Parliament of Canada.

Mr. Foster, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, then acquainted the House, That His Excellency the Governor General, having been informed of the subject matter of this Motion, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

Resolved, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. Dewdney moved, seconded by Mr. Haggart, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution, respecting the granting of subsidies in land to certain Railway Companies, and towards the construction of the Railways therein mentioned.

Mr. Dewdney, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, then acquainted the House, That His Excellency the Governor General, having been informed of the subject matter of this Motion, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

Resolved, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Sir John A. Macdonald moved, seconded by Sir Hector L. Langevin, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider certain proposed Resolutions, respecting the granting of subsidies to the Railway Companies and towards the construction of the Railways therein mentioned.

Sir John A. Macdonald, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, then acquainted the House, That His Excellency the Governor General, having been informed of the subject matter of this Motion, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. Foster moved, seconded by Mr. Haggart, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution, respecting a certain mortgage on properties in the City of Kingston given to the Crown by the Honourable George H. Markland.

Mr. Foster, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, then acquainted the House, That His Excellency the Governor General, having been informed of the subject matter of this Motion, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. Foster, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House—  
Abstract of Statements of Insurance Companies in *Canada*, for the year ending 31st December, 1888. (*Sessional Papers, No. 11b.*)

Mr. Colby, from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Library of Parliament, presented to the House the Second Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

The Joint Committee on the Library of Parliament met a second time on Saturday, 20th April, 1889.

The Sub-Committee of Audit presented their report, which was adopted; a copy is hereto annexed.

The Sub-Committee on Exchanges presented their report, which was adopted.

It was ordered that the Librarians be authorized to purchase during the recess of Parliament such works as they may, in their discretion, deem necessary for Library Exchanges.

The Librarians were also requested to report on the subject of Exchanges.

The Committee then adjourned.

J. ALDHIC OUIMET,  
Chairman.

#### REPORT OF THE SUB-COMMITTEE OF AUDIT.

The Sub-Committee appointed by the Joint Library Committee of Parliament for the Session of 1889, to audit and report upon the Account of Receipts and Expenditure connected with the Library of Parliament for the past year, present the following report:—

That they have inspected the accounts, books and vouchers submitted to them by the Accountant, numbered 834 to 1123 (inclusive), also, the vouchers for Bills of Exchange sent to the Agents in *London, England*, lettered J of 1887-88 and A and B of 1888-89, respectively, and find them to correspond.

They also submit herewith for the information of Parliament, an abstract of the account current of the Library, from the last audit (9th May, 1888, to 27th March, 1889), together with a statement of expenditure for books (classified by subjects) during the same period, also a list of outstanding cheques.

W. H. ODELL,  
CHAS. C. COLBY, } *Auditors.*  
J. SCRIVER,

LIBRARY OF PARLIAMENT,  
Ottawa, April, 1889.

LIBRARY OF PARLIAMENT.

ACCOUNT CURRENT of the Library of Parliament of the amounts received and disbursed, from the 9th May, 1888 (the date of the last audit), till the 27th March, 1889.

1888.		\$	cts.	1888.	\$	cts.	1888.	\$	cts.
May 9...	To balance of grants for 1887-88, unexpended at this date.....			June 30.	By amount expended on English books, to date .....	1,780	54		
July 1...	To amount of grants for 1888-89:—		2,575 10	do 30.	By amount expended on French books, to date .....	469	60		
	General.....	10,000	00	do 30.	By amount expended on Books of <i>North America</i> , to date.....	172	11		
	Books on <i>North America</i> .....	1,000	00	do 30	By amount expended on binding, to date.....	162	85		2,575 10
	Binding.....	2,000	00	M'ch 27.	By amount expended on English books, to date.....	4,123	21		
			13,000 00	do 27.	By amount expended on French books, to date.....	2,966	65		
				do 27.	By amount expended on books of <i>North America</i> , to date.....	362	35		
				do 27.	By amount expended on binding, to date.....	1,412	25		8,884 46
				do 27.	By balance yet unexpended (grants 1888-89).....				11,459 56
			15,575 10						4,115 54
									15,575 10
EXPLANATION OF THE UNEXPENDED BALANCE.									
1889.		\$	cts.	1889.		\$	cts.		\$
M'ch 27.	Balance of grants (1888-89) not yet called for.....			M'ch 27.	Total amount expended on English books since 9th May, 1888.....	5,903	75		
do 27.	Balance in Bank of <i>Montreal</i> (see Bank pass book).....	1,535	51	do 27.	Total amount expended on French books since 9th May, 1888.....	3,436	25		
do 27.	Less outstanding cheques (for list of which see page 3).....	8	20	do 27.	Total amount expended on books of <i>North America</i> since 9th May, 1888.....	554	46		
				do 27.	Total amount expended on binding since 9th May, 1888.....	1,665	10		
									11,459 56

JOHN SMITH, Accountant.

LIBRARY OF PARLIAMENT,  
OTTAWA, 27th March, 1889.

List of Outstanding Cheques.

Issued 1889.		No.	Amount.
January 18.	<i>James Fletcher</i> , Treasurer, <i>Ottawa Field Naturalists' Club</i> .....	1,049	\$ 2 70
March 1.	<i>History Company, San Francisco, Cal.</i> .....	1,105	5 50
			8 20

LIBRARY OF PARLIAMENT.

STATEMENT, Classified by Subjects, of Expenditure on Books, from 9th May, 1888,  
till 27th March, 1889.

Religion, Philosophy and Education .....	\$ 290 79
History and Biography .....	2,066 29
Geography and Travels .....	296 04
Sciences .....	731 10
Useful Arts .....	502 38
Fine Arts .....	316 29
Sports and Games .....	113 16
Philology, Literary, History and Bibliography .....	254 62
Belles Lettres .....	817 96
Encyclopedias, Magazines, &c. ....	756 17
Law, Constitutional History, Parliamentary Papers, &c. ....	2,420 11
Social Science, Political Economy, Statistics, &c. ....	643 47
Directories .....	48 05
Canadian Binding .....	1,565 10
Numismatic Specimens .....	82 97
Insurance, Commission, Postages, &c. ....	554 74
Refund deposited to credit of the Receiver General. ....	0 32
	\$11,459 56

JOHN SMITH,  
*Accountant.*

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth :—

The Senate have passed the following Bills, without any amendment:—

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Post Office Act,' chapter thirty-five of "the Revised Statutes of Canada."

Bill intituled: "An Act to authorize the granting of pensions to members of the "North-West Mounted Police Force."

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act further to amend the "Revised Statutes, chapter five, respecting the Electoral Franchise," with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House."

The Order of the Day being read, for the House again in the Committee of Supply;

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*, and the Question being proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair;

Mr. *Barron* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Fisher*, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words, "it be resolved, "That this House regrets that the Government should have increased the duty upon "saw-logs exported from Canada," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS :

## Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Langelier (Montmorency)</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec),</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bécharé,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Sonerville,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd)</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John), and</i>
<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin).—54.</i>
<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>		

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>	<i>Smith (Sir Donald),</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John)</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Lds &amp; Green)</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Kenfrew),</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McGreevy,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil)</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Tyrchitt,</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville), and</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'l'd)—90.</i>
<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>		

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee.)

1. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-eight thousand seven hundred and ninety-six dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Manitoba*, and the

*North-West Territories*, as follow:—To replace the amount taken, in the main Estimates, from the salaries to be paid to the Principals of the three Indian Industrial Schools at *Qu'Appelle*, *High River* and *Battleford*, \$600; A grant for the maintenance of twenty pupils at each of the three Presbyterian Boarding Schools, *Cote's Reserve*, *Birtle* and *File Hills*, equal to 60, at \$60, \$3,600; To aid in the erection of a school-house on the *Stony* Indian Reserve, for the Bands of Chiefs *Bear's Paw* and *Chiniquy*, \$200; For the purchase of two waggons for the *Peigan* Indians, to enable them to draw logs with which to rebuild their dwellings, \$196; To provide a salary for the teacher of the Indian School at *Oak River*, \$300; A grant to the Roman Catholic School at *Lesser Slave Lake*, \$200; To provide fuel and light for the Indian Commissioner, from 1st July, 1889, to 30th June, 1890, \$300; To complete the Industrial School buildings at *St. Paul, Manitoba*, \$10,000; To aid in the erection of a Grist Mill in the *Prince Albert* District, \$1,500; For the maintenance of thirty pupils, at \$60 each per annum, at the Roman Catholic Boarding Schools which it is proposed to establish on certain Reserves in the *North-West Territories*, \$1,800; To provide for the education of twenty Indian children, at \$100 each, when admitted, with the consent of the Department, to Roman Catholic institutions at *St. Boniface* and *Brandon*, \$2,000; To provide for the maintenance of ten pupils, at \$60 each per annum, under the care of the Roman Catholic Church in the *Saskatchewan* District, \$600; To provide salary for an assistant teacher at the *Qu'Appelle* Industrial School, \$350; Further aid towards the completion of a *Chipewyan* dictionary, commenced by His Grace Archbishop *Taché*, and now being completed by the Rev. Father *Legroff*, \$250; To provide fishing nets, fishing twine and hooks for destitute Indians in the *Mackenzie* and *Athabasca* Districts, \$500; To aid in the erection of a boarding school on the *Peigan* Reserve to accommodate ten or twelve children, the total estimated cost to be from \$1,800 to \$2,000, \$400; The sum required, over and above the amount already appropriated, to finish the Indian Industrial School at *Regina*, \$6,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet additional amount required for repairs, &c., for telegraph lines, *North-West Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand eight hundred and eighty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet the following items in connection with Excise:—To pay the widow of *John McGovern*, in his lifetime Messenger in the *Hamilton* Inland Revenue Office, a gratuity equal to two months' salary, at the rate received by the deceased at the time of his death, \$80; To increase the salaries of special class Excisemen in charge of distilleries, \$1,800, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, To pay the salaries of the following Assistant Inspectors of Weights and Measures—*Robert Magness*, \$600; *W. J. McDonnell* \$800; Assistant Inspector at *Pictou, N.S.*, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *George H. Perks*, for expenses and loss of time in connection with inspection of gas at *Port Hope*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety thousand three hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Post Office Department:—To provide for an increase of salary to the Post Office Inspector at *Halifax, Nova Scotia*, he being entitled to the same under the Civil Service Act, \$200; To provide for one additional second class clerk in the Post Office Inspector's Office at *Halifax, Nova Scotia*, \$900; To provide for four additional Second class Railway Mail Clerks in the *Nova Scotia* Postal Division, at \$720 each, \$2,880, thus effecting a saving of \$150; To provide for 13 additional Letter Carriers in the *Toronto* Post Office at \$360 each, \$4,680; Amount required for mail service over the Canadian Pacific Railway in consequence of advance in rates over the main line, for the year ending 30th June, 1890, being difference between 8 cents and 12 cents per mile, \$81,500, to be distributed as fol-

Now:—Ontario, \$30,000; Quebec, \$3,100; Manitoba, \$33,290; British Columbia, \$16,200; Compensation to *Alphonse LeGresley*, mail contractor between *Gaspé Basin* and *Percé*, for loss of horse and vehicle which broke through the ice while crossing the river near *Douglastown*, on the 9th of January last, his brother, the courier, losing his life at the same time, \$200, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay an extra allowance of \$240 per annum to *W. Wallace*, ex-postmaster at *Victoria, British Columbia*, from 1st January, 1838, to 30th June, 1890 (superannuation), for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Intercolonial Railway, viz.:—*Dartmouth Branch*, \$4,000; *Indiantown Branch*, \$1,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet further amount required for Contingencies of High Commissioner for *Canada in England*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received at the next sitting of the House.

Mr. *Colby* also acquainted the House that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, at its next sitting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. *Colby* reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand nine hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Governor General's Secretary's office, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-six thousand four hundred and ninety-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Office of the Queen's Privy Council for *Canada*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand seven hundred and seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Justice, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Justice, Penitentiaries Branch, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-two thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Militia Department, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-four thousand nine hundred and seventy-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of the Secretary of State, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand three hundred and ten dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Public Printing and Stationery, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-eight thousand five hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of the Interior, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-two thousand four hundred and fifteen dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Indian Affairs, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand eight hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the office of the Auditor General, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-three thousand five hundred and ninety-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Finance and Treasury Board, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand nine hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Inland Revenue, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty-four thousand nine hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Postmaster General's Department, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-six thousand two hundred and seventy dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Agriculture, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. Colby reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-seven thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Marine, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixteen thousand one hundred and eighty-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with Fisheries Department, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-five thousand one hundred and ninety dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with Public Works Department, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-seven thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with Department of Railways and Canals, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-five thousand six hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Customs, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand eight hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with *North-West Mounted Police*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and ninety-two thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for "Departmental Contingencies," for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. Colby reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fourteen thousand two hundred and fifty-three dollars and thirty-seven cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the following expenses, viz:—Estimated expenditure required in connection with the High Commissioner's Office—Salaries, \$7,753.37; Contingencies, including taxes and insurance on official residence, income taxes, rent, fuel, light, stationery, &c., \$6,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required to provide for the contingent expenses of the High Commissioner for *Canada in London*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required for salaries of Board of Examiners and other expenses in connection with the Civil Service Act, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty-four thousand two hundred and eighty-three dollars and eighteen cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the following expenses in connection with Charges of Management:—Financial Inspector, \$2,600; Assistant Financial Inspector, \$1,700; Office of Assistant Receiver General, *Toronto*, \$7,300; Office of Assistant Receiver General, *Montreal*, \$5,600; Office of Assistant Receiver General, *Halifax*, \$9,700; Office of Assistant Receiver General, *St. John*, \$7,700; Auditor and Assistant Receiver General, *Winnipeg*, \$6,600; Auditor and Assistant Receiver General, *Victoria*, \$7,600; Auditor and Assistant Receiver General, *Charlottetown*, \$4,600; Country Savings Banks, *New Brunswick*, *Nova Scotia*, *Prince Edward Island* and *British Columbia*:—Salaries, \$13,500; Contingencies, \$2,500;  $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. commission on \$7,258,976.17, for payment of interest on Public Debt, \$36,294.88; Brokerage on purchases for Sinking Funds—Intercolonial Railway Loan, \$790.95; *Rupert's Land* Loan, \$81.09; *British Columbia* Loan, \$42.65.; Brokerage and commission on purchases for Sinking Fund, viz.:—Dominion Loans of 1874, 1875, 1876, 1878 and 1879, \$5,453.24; Dominion Loan of 1884, \$1,074.76; Dominion Loan of *Canada* reduced, \$4,145.61; English bill stamps, postage, telegrams, &c., \$2,000; Expenses in connection with the issue and redemption of Dominion notes, \$5,000; Printing Dominion notes, \$43,000; Printing, advertising, inspection, expressage, miscellaneous charges, &c., including commutation of stamp duty, \$17,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-two thousand seven hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the following items in connection with Administration of Justice:—Miscellaneous expenditure, including *North-West Territories*, \$20,000; Travelling expenses of Judges in the *North-West Territories*, \$4,000; Circuit allowances, *British Columbia*, \$6,000; Travelling allowances, Court of Queen's Bench and County Court Judges, *Manitoba*, \$2,500; Reporter of the Supreme Court of *Canada*, \$2,350; Assistant Reporter of the Supreme Court of *Canada*, 2nd class clerk, \$1,250; Clerk in the office of the Registrar of the Supreme Court of *Canada*, \$400; Second clerk in the office of the Registrar of the Supreme Court of *Canada*, \$900; Senior Messenger of the Supreme Court of *Canada*, \$500; Second Messenger of the Supreme Court of *Canada*, \$500; Third Messenger of the Supreme Court of *Canada*, \$460; Clerk, Exchequer Court of *Canada*, \$1,100; 3rd class clerk, Exchequer Court of *Canada*, \$600; Messenger, Exchequer Court, \$300; Contingencies and disbursements, judges' travelling expenses; also, salaries of officers (sheriff, registrar, as editor of reports, usher, &c.) in the Supreme Court of *Canada*, and \$150 for books for judges, \$4,000; Printing, binding and distributing the Supreme Court reports, \$2,000; for the purchase of law reports and text books for the Supreme Court Library, \$2,500; Sundry disbursements connected with the Maritime Court of *Ontario*, judges' travelling expenses, &c., \$100; salary of Registrar of the Vice-Admiralty Court, *Quebec*, \$666.66; salary of Marshal of Vice-Admiralty Court, *Quebec*, \$333.34; to provide Vice-Admiralty Court Rooms, *St. John, N.B.*, \$150; to provide Vice-Admiralty Court Rooms, *Halifax*, \$150; Contingencies, Exchequer Court of *Canada*, judge's and registrar's travelling expenses, salary of sheriffs, &c., and \$50 for judges' books, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty thousand six hundred and thirty-eight dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for salaries and contingent expenses of the Senate, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nineteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dominion Police, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-one thousand one hundred and twenty-eight dollars and fifty-eight cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *Kingston Penitentiary*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-five thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *Dorchester Penitentiary*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand five hundred and twenty-six dollars and forty eight cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *Manitoba Penitentiary*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-four thousand three hundred and ninety-one dollars and seven cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *British Columbia Penitentiary*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand four hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Regina Jail*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

The first Nine Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Tenth Resolution being read a second time; and the Question being proposed, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution;

Sir *Richard J. Cartwright* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Davies*, That the said Resolution be not agreed to, but that "it be Resolved, That it appears from the Report of the Auditor General that the cost of each convict in the *Manitoba* Penitentiary is, on the average, \$707.51 per head, as against: "

" \$203.38 in *Kingston Penitentiary*;

" \$305.50 in *St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary*;

" \$274.34 in *Dorchester* do

" \$475.53 in *British Columbia* do

" and that it is expedient that the said vote for \$50,526 be referred back to the Committee of Supply, with instructions to reduce the amount to \$40,000; "

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS:

## Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Langelier (Montmorency)</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec),</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd)</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Welsh, and</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin).—47.</i>
<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>	

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>La Rivière</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Ferguson (L'Isle &amp; Gren.)</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria)</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>

<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McGreevy,</i>	<i>Tyrowhitt,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville), and</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'd)—73.</i>
<i>Dawson,</i>			

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put ;

*Resolved,* That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution.

The subsequent Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. Colby reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions ; which were read, as follow :—

1. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salary of the Deputy Speaker, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Seventy thousand and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Salaries, House of Commons, per Clerk's estimate, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Thirteen thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay expenses of Committees, Extra Sessional Clerks, &c., House of Commons, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, House of Commons, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Publishing Debates, House of Commons. (Authority is hereby given for paying out of this vote such sums as may be required to pay such employees of the Civil Service as it is necessary to employ to do duty as amanuenses to the Debates Staff of the House of Commons for the present Session, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Civil Service Act), for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Thirty-three thousand eight hundred and eighty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Salaries and Contingencies, House of Commons, per Sergeant-at-Arms', estimate, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for printing Voters' Lists, Franchise Act, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Thirty-four thousand eight hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.: Salaries of officers of the Library, \$16,860; Grant to Parliamentary Library, \$10,000; Purchase of works on America, \$1,000; Contingencies of the Library, \$2,500; Binding newspapers, &c., \$2,000; Preparing and reprinting the Catalogue of the Library of American History (revote), \$2,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for printing, binding and distributing the laws, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

10. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Seventy-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for printing, printing paper and book-binding, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

11. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for care of Archives, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

12. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for expenses in connection with Patent Record, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for expenses in connection with preparation of Criminal Statistics, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for expenses in connection with Health Statistics, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards the establishment and maintenance of Experimental Farms, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to aid Agricultural Societies in the *North-West Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay expenses connected with Census and Statistics, including preliminary preparation for census of 1891, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. Colby reported from the Committee of Supply, a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay pension to Lady *Cartier*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

Mr. Colby reported from the Committee of Supply, a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay pension to Mrs. *Delaney*, wife of Indian Agent killed at *Frog Lake*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

Mr. Colby reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand and eighty-six dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for pensions payable on account of Fenian Raid, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand one hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet probable amount required for Veterans of War of 1812, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for compensation to Pensioners in lieu of land, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay a pension of \$400 per annum to Mrs. *Gowanlock*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fourteen thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salaries, Militia Branch and District Staff, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Brigade Majors' Salaries, Transport Expenses, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Armouries and care of Arms, including pay of Storekeepers, Caretakers, Storemen and Armourers, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and ninety thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Drill instruction,

\$40,000; Drill pay and other incidental expenses connected with the drill and training of the Militia, \$250,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for contingencies and general services, not otherwise provided for, including grants to Artillery and Rifle Associations and bands of efficient corps, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dominion Rifle Association—Government grant, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dominion Artillery Association—Government grant, towards Artillery competition to be held in *Canada*, or for sending a team of Dominion Artillerymen to compete at *Shoeburyness, England*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for improved rifled ordnance, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Military Properties, Drill Sheds—Rifle ranges and care and maintenance of Military Properties, \$22,000; Construction and repairs, \$75,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and eighty-four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Permanent Forces—Pay and maintenance of "A," "B" and "C" Batteries, Schools of Artillery at *Quebec, Kingston and Victoria, B.C.*, \$180,000; Cavalry and Infantry Schools at *Quebec, Fredericton, St. John's, P.Q., Toronto, London and Winnipeg*, \$304,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards expense of additional public building, *Wellington street*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and thirty-three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required for construction of *Port Arthur Harbour* and for *Kaministiquia River*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Kingston Graving Dock*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Cape Tormentine Harbour, N.B.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand six hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Nova Scotia*:—*Annapolis Post Office, Custom House, &c.*, \$10,000; *Halifax Dominion Building, repairs, &c.*, \$1,500; *Sydney (South) Post Office, Custom House, &c.*, \$10,000; *Halifax Examining Warehouse*, \$175, for year ending 30th June, 1890.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *New Brunswick*:—*Dalhousie Post Office*, \$12,000; *Fredericton Post Office, Custom House, &c.*, \$50; *St. John Dominion Buildings—Improvements, &c.*, \$1,500; *Woodstock Post Office—To complete*, \$900, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-nine thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Quebec*:—*Aylmer Post Office—To complete*, \$6,900; *Coaticook Post Office, Custom House and Inland Revenue Office—To complete*, \$2,000; *Grosse Isle Quarantine Station*, \$500; *Hull Post Office and Inland Revenue Office—To complete*, \$700; *Joliette Post Office—To complete*, \$7,000; *Laprairie Post Office*, site to be furnished by local authorities free of cost, \$3,000; *Montreal Dominion Buildings, improvements and repairs*, \$1,500; *Lachine Post Office, &c.*, \$6,000; *Montreal Post office safe, &c.*, \$400; *Montreal Post Office—Electric lighting, extensions, alterations, &c.*, \$1,250; *Quebec Custom House*, \$500; *Quebec Dominion Buildings, improvements, &c.*, \$1,500; *Rivière du Loup (Fraserville) Post Office, Cus-*

tom House, &c., \$2,000; *Sherbrooke* Public Building, improvements, \$250; *St. Vincent de Paul* Penitentiary, \$20,000; *St. Hyacinthe* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$6,000; *St. Jérôme* Public Building—To complete, \$9,500; *Three Rivers* Dominion Buildings, improvements, &c., \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty-four thousand six hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Ontario*:—*Almonte* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$7,000; *Brampton* Public Building, \$7,000; *Cayuga* Post Office—To complete, \$4,500; *Cobourg* Post Office, Custom House, &c.—To complete, \$6,000; *Gananoque* Post Office, Custom House, &c., to complete, \$2,500; *Goderich* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$7,000; Government Printing Bureau, to complete, \$33,000; *Kingston* Penitentiary, \$20,000; *Lindsay* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$9,000; *London* Custom House (revote of lapsed amount) \$4,000; *Napanee* Post Office, Custom House, &c.—To complete, \$11,000; *Fembroke* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$8,000; *Port Arthur* Post Office, Custom House, &c., on proper site being given, \$7,000; *Prescott* Post Office and Custom House Buildings, \$10,000; *Strathroy* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$7,000; *Toronto* Dominion Buildings improvements, &c., \$1,500; *Trenton* Public Building, \$7,000; *Toronto* Drill Hall—For the construction of, on condition that the City of *Toronto* provide a plot of land, as agreed upon, \$30,000; Departmental Buildings, *Ottawa*—Reconstruction of elevator in Western Block, \$3,000; *Toronto* Examining Warehouse—Outbuilding, \$150, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Manitoba*:—*Brandon* Post Office, \$10,000; *Brandon* Immigrant Building, improvements, &c., \$350, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *North-West Territories* generally, \$5,000; Residence for Lieutenant-Governor of *North-West Territories*, *Regina*, \$9,000; *Calgary* Court House, Jail, &c., \$10,000; Crown Lands and Timber Agents' Offices at *Regina*, *Prince Albert* and *Edmonton*, \$10,000; Court House, Lock up and Police accommodation at *Moosomin*, *Wolseley*, *Maple Creek* and *Medicine Hat*, \$7,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for general repairs and improvements, Public Buildings, *British Columbia*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings generally, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-two thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Nova Scotia*:—*Arisaig*—Completion of pier, \$6,000; *Barrington* Passage Pier, \$1,000; *Cheticamp*—To complete, \$1,000; *Cow Bay*—Repairs, \$2,000; *East River of Pictou*—Removing rocks, to complete, \$500; *Eatonville* Pier—To complete, \$2,100; *Mabou*, \$1,000; *Noël*, \$2,000; *Partridge* Island River, \$2,000; *Port Hood*—Repairs, \$2,500; *Sheet Harbour*—To complete, \$1,000; *Wallace* Harbour, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

The first Twenty-six Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Twenty-seventh Resolution, being read a second time; and the Question being proposed, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution;

Mr. *McMullen* moved, in amendment, seconded by Sir *Richard J. Cartwright*, That the said Resolution be not agreed to, but that "it be resolved, That it appears from statements made in this House that the sum of \$500 demanded for the *East Pictou* River improvement is not for the purpose of benefiting the navigation, but of assisting lumbermen to float timber down the said river. That it is inexpedient that the Dominion should charge itself with the task of improving any river for such purposes, and that the said vote for \$22,100 be referred back to the Committee of Supply, with instructions to reduce the same by striking out the said item for \$500;"

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put;

*Resolved*, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution.

Mr. Colby reported from the Committee of Supply, a Resolution; which was read as followeth:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for general repairs and improvements Harbours and Rivers, Maritime Provinces, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

Mr. Colby reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and seventy thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Repairs, Furniture, Heating &c.: Repairs, furniture, &c., \$170,000; Grounds, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$7,000; Removal of snow, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$2,000; Heating Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$60,000; Gas and electric light, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$26,000; Water, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$20,000; Allowance for fuel and light, Rideau Hall, \$8,000; Telephonic service, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$3,000; Major's Hill Park, *Ottawa*, \$7,000; Salaries of Engineers, Firemen, Caretakers &c., of Dominion Public Buildings, \$55,000; Heating Dominion Public Buildings—Fuel, &c., \$50,000; Lighting Dominion Public Buildings, \$30,000; Water for Dominion Public Buildings, \$15,000; Materials for repairs, &c., in connection with ventilation and lighting Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$5,000; Sundry supplies for Caretakers, Engineers, Firemen, &c., Dominion Buildings, \$5,000; To meet disbursements for petty repairs, &c., in connection with Dominion Public Buildings, hitherto made directly by the various Departments occupying the offices, \$5,000; Dominion Immigration Buildings—Repairs, furniture, &c., \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eleven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Prince Edward Island: Cascumpec*—Removal of rock, \$2,000; *Souris East*—Breakwater at *Knight's Point*, repairs, &c., \$3,000; Repairs to piers and breakwaters, \$6,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-three thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *New Brunswick: River St. John—River des Chutes to Woodstock* and above *Grand Falls*, including removal of obstructions between *Fredericton* and *Woodstock*; also, *River Tobique*—To complete, \$4,000; *Edgett's Landing*—Ballast wharf, \$3,500; *Maisonnette*—To complete, \$1,500; *St. John Harbour—Negro Point Breakwater*, \$5,000; *Richibucto*—Protection works, \$1,000; *Campbellton Ballast Wharf*, \$6,000; *Grande Anse*—To complete, \$2,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-six thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Quebec: Chenal du Moin*—Ice piers at *St. Anne de Sorel*—To complete, \$2,500; *Chicoutimi, St. Alphonse, Anse St. Jean* and *St. Anne du Saguenay*, \$3,750; *Rivière du Lièvre*, \$30,000; *River Nicolet*, \$8,000; *Trois Pistoles*—Pier, \$2,500; *Ste. Adelaide de Pabos (Little Pabos)*—To complete, \$7,000; *River St. Francis*, \$5,000; *Rivière St. Anne de la Pérade*, \$2,000; *Grand Pabos*—Removal of shoal—To complete, \$1,500; *Anse à l'Eau or Tadousac Pier*—To complete repairs, \$1,200; *Murray Bay, Ile aux Coudres, Les Eboulements*—Repairs to piers, \$1,500; *River Yamaska*—Stone protection to dam, &c., \$2,500; *Barachois de Malbaie* and mouth of *Newport River*—To complete, \$2,000; *New Carlisle*—To complete, \$3,000; *Isle Verte Pier*, \$4,000; *Sorel Ice Piers*, \$2,500; *Ile Perrot*, \$2,000; *River Cap de Chatte*, \$300; *Three Rivers Pier*—To complete, \$5,000; General Repairs and Improvements, Harbours and Rivers, *Quebec*, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-eight thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Ontario*: *Cobourg Harbour*—*Lake Ontario*, \$6,000; *Kincardine*—Repairs, \$5,000; *Kingston Harbour*—*Lake Ontario*, \$6,000; *Little Nation River*—Removal of obstructions, \$4,000; *McGregor's Creek*—To complete, \$2,250; *Owen Sound*, \$15,000; *Port Elgin*, \$3,000; *Port Hope*—Repairs, \$2,500; *Portsmouth*—Repairs to pier—To complete, \$1,000; *River Ottawa*—Improvement of steamboat channel through *Narrows of Petawawa* above *Pembroke*, \$3,000; *Meaford*—The town having furnished \$3,000—To complete, \$3,000; *Belleville*—To complete harbour works, the local authorities protecting the island with cribwork to the extent of \$6,000, \$4,000; *Rideau River*—Dredging branch, \$3,500; *Collingwood Harbour*—Works of improvement, \$5,000; *Toronto Harbour*—Works at eastern entrance, the City of *Toronto* having to contribute \$100,000, \$20,000; *Penetanguishene Harbour Works*, locality having furnished \$10,000, \$5,000; General Repairs and Improvements, Harbours and Rivers, *Ontario*, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for General Repairs and Improvements, Harbours and Rivers, *Manitoba*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for General Repairs and Improvements, Harbours and Rivers, *North-West Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers generally, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-eight thousand six hundred and sixty-four dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following expenses in connection with Quarantine: Medical Inspection—*Quebec*, \$1,600; Quarantine—*Grosse Ile*, \$13,364; Quarantine—*St. John, N.B.*, \$2,600; Quarantine—*Pictou, N.S.*, \$800; Quarantine—*Halifax N. S.*, \$3,400; Quarantine—*Charlottetown, P. E. I.*, \$1,000; Quarantine—*Victoria, B. C.*, \$1,900; Quarantine—*Sydney, N. S.*, \$1,900; Quarantine—*Chatham, N. B.*, \$600; Quarantine—*Port Hawkesbury*, \$300; *Tracadie Lazaretto*, \$3,200; To meet expenses of precautionary measures for public health, \$10,000; To meet expenses for Cattle Quarantines: Province of *Ontario*, \$5,000; Province of *Quebec*, \$3,000; Maritime Provinces, \$3,000; Province of *Manitoba*, \$2,000; To meet possible expenses for Sheep Scab and Cattle Diseases, \$5,000; For payment for immigrant patients in *Winnipeg* and *St. Boniface Hospitals*, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

The First Resolution, being read a second time; and the Question being proposed, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution;

Mr. *McMullen* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Jones (Halifax)*, That the said Resolution be not agreed to, "but that it be referred back to the Committee of Supply, with instructions to strike out the item, 'Major's Hill Park, Ottawa, \$7,000.'"

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put;

*Resolved*, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution. The subsequent Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Colby* reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-four thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *British Columbia*:—*Cowichan River*, \$1,000; *Fraser River*, \$10,000; *Nanaimo*—Removal of *Nicol Rock*, \$5,000; *River Somass*, \$300; *Columbia River*—Improvements above *Golden*, \$5,000; *River Coquitlam*, \$1,000; General Repairs and Improvements, Harbours and Rivers, *British Columbia*, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and sixty-eight thousand four hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dredging, as follow, viz.:—New dredging plant, \$16,950; Dredge vessels—Repairs, \$31,500; Dredging—*Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick*, \$40,000; Dredging—*Quebec and Ontario*, \$40,000; Dredging—*Manitoba*, \$15,000; Dredging—*British Columbia*, \$15,000; Dredging—General service, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Slides and Booms, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-five thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Roads and Bridges, as follow:—Bridges, *Ottawa City*, over the River *Ottawa*, the Slides, the *Rideau Canal* and approaches thereto, \$8,300; Aid towards the construction of a free bridge over the Old Man's River, at *Fort Macleod*, \$6,000; Bridge across the Battle River, at *Battleford*—To complete, \$17,000; Bridge over the Belly River, at *Lethbridge, N. W. T.*, \$12,000; Bridges on trail between *Edmonton* and *Athabasca Landing*, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for telegraph lines, land and cable telegraph lines for the sea coasts and islands of the Lower Rivers and Gulf of *St. Lawrence* and Maritime Provinces:—Land line on north shore of *St. Lawrence*, extension towards *Pointe aux Esquimaux*, \$5,000; Submarine cable for connecting *Brier* and *Long Islands* with *Digby*, the Telephone Company of *Nova Scotia* agreeing to construct and maintain all the land lines required to establish an uninterrupted telegraphic communication between these islands and the Town of *Digby*, \$2,000; Telegraph Lines, *North-West Territories*:—Line between *Humboldt* and *Prince Albert*, repoling, to complete, \$1,000; Telephone line to connect the Police Headquarters, &c., with the *Banff Telephone Exchange*, \$300, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Experimental Farms, buildings, fencing, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the following purposes, viz.:—Miscellaneous works, not otherwise provided for, \$10,000; Surveys and Inspections, \$15,000; Arbitrations and awards, \$5,000; National Art Gallery, \$1,000; Surveys and plans of Government properties in connection with Public Works, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and thirty-seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for maintenance and repairs of Government Steamers, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the examination of Masters and Mates, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay rewards for saving life, and life-boat service, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for investigation into wrecks, and collection of information relating to disasters to shipping, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Canadian registration of shipping, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Montreal* and *Quebec River* and Water Police, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for removal of obstructions in navigable rivers, including removal of wreck of Steamer "*Ottawa*" in River *St. Lawrence*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for "Winter Service," *Prince Edward Island*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty-five thousand four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salaries and allowances, &c., of Lighthouse Keepers, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighteen thousand four hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay agencies, rents and contingencies (Lighthouse and Coast Service), for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and eighty-seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for maintenance and repairs to Lights, Fog-Whistles, Buoys and Beacons and Humane Establishments, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Signal Service, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Scientific Institutions: Observatory, *Toronto*, \$5,250; Observatory, *Kingston*, \$500; Observatory, *Montreal*, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Meteorological Service, including instruments and cost of telegraphing weather warnings, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the following purposes, viz.:—Marine and Immigrant Hospital, *Quebec*, \$15,000; *St. Catharines* Hospital, \$500; *Kingston* Hospital, \$500; Marine Hospitals in the Provinces of *Quebec*, *Nova Scotia*, *New Brunswick*, *Prince Edward Island* and *British Columbia*, \$30,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Shipwrecked and Distressed Seamen, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for expenses of Steamboat Inspection, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. Colby reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-one thousand and five dollars and ninety-two cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, as follow:—*Ontario*, *Quebec* and the Maritime Provinces—To supplement the Indian Fund—Province of *Quebec*, relief of distress, \$4,200; Purchase of blankets for Indians of *Ontario* and *Quebec*, \$1,600; For Indian schools in *Ontario*, *Quebec*, *Nova Scotia* and *New Brunswick*, \$22,197.50; For payment of annuities under the *Robinson Treaty*, \$15,588; To provide a salary for Chief *Angus Cooke*, of the *Gibson Reserve*, and Chief *William McGregor*, of *Cape Croker Band*, \$50 each, \$100; Revote of amount voted last Session, but not expended, for the removal of the residue of the Lake of *Two Mountain* Indians from *Oka* to Township of *Gibson*, \$4,977.20; To provide for the survey of Indian Reserves, revote, \$1,723.22; To provide travelling allowance for *L. F. Boucher*, Indian Superintendent for the north shore of the *River St. Lawrence*, \$400; To enable the Department to pay *A. Dingman* for special services, as one of the Commissioners in connection with the settlement of *Dundee* lands matter, \$220, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand two hundred and seven dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Nova Scotia*:—Salaries, \$1,075; Relief and seed grain, \$3,045; Medical attendance and medicine, \$1,012; Miscellaneous, \$75, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand three hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *New Brunswick*:—Salaries, \$2,105; Relief and seed grain, \$2,700; Medical attendance and medicine, \$170; Miscellaneous, \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Prince Edward Island*:—Salaries, \$500; Relief and seed grain, \$1,125; Medical attendance and medicine, \$300; Miscellaneous, \$75, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine hundred and forty-one thousand one hundred and forty-six dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Manitoba* and *North-West Territories*, as follow:—Annuities, \$138,955; Agricultural implements, \$15,054; Seed grain, \$3,040; Cattle and pigs, \$6,306; Supplies for destitute, including provisions given at annuity payments and ammunition given to enable Indians to hunt, \$354,319; Clothing—triennial, \$3,514; Schools—day, \$57,286; Schools—industrial, \$128,094; Surveys, \$5,000; Farming Instructors' wages, \$31,940; Maintenance, \$24,369; Sioux, \$4,165; General expenses, \$152,486; Agency buildings, \$11,218; Grist and saw mills, \$5,400, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-four thousand and seven dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *British Columbia* viz.:—For Indians of *British Columbia*, generally, \$52,670; For surveys, \$11,837; For Reserve Commission, \$9,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Canada Gazette*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Miscellaneous Printing, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for unforeseen expenses, expenditure thereof to be under Order in Council, and a detailed statement to be laid before Parliament within the first fifteen days of the next Session, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, as commutation in lieu of remission of duties on articles imported for the use of the Army and Navy, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and forty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the expenses of Government in the *North-West Territories*, including printing, roads, bridges, ferries, aid to schools, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the expenses of Government in the District of *Keewatin*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet expenditure in connection with "The *Canada Temperance Act*," for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to compensate members of the *North-West Mounted Police* for injuries received in the discharge of duty, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, on account of expenditure in connection with surveys of *Lakes Superior* and *Huron*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet costs of litigated matters, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to cover expenses of taking evidence concerning the Public Accounts, and reporting the same to the Auditor-General of *Canada*, under authority of section fifty-seven of "The Consolidated Revenue and Audit Act"; and to pay for legal advice to the Auditor-General, and assistance to him in estimating the value of printing for Returning Officers and others, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet payments to Extra Clerks for services rendered in preparation of Returns ordered by Parliament, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Commercial Agencies, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Academy of Arts, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for collection of Orders in Council, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to assist in the publication of the proceedings of the Royal Society, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for collection and classification of old records of the late Province of Canada, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand one hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for salaries of Inspector, Registrar and Clerks, Contingencies, &c., in the *North-West Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Saturday morning;

*Saturday, 27th April, 1889.*

Mr. Colby reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One million two hundred and ninety-one thousand four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Sault Ste. Marie Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Lachine Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One million two hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Cornwall Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Canals, as follow, viz.:—*Williamsburg*—Towards enlarging the *Farran's Point* Division, \$100,000; For the construction of an entrance and lock at the head of *Rapide Plat Canal*, \$360,000; Towards the improvement of the works at the head of the *Galops Canal*, \$340,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred and twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with Canals, as follow, viz.:—*St. Lawrence River and Canals*—*Lake St. Louis* and Canal between Lakes *St. Louis* and *St. Francis*, \$600,000; *St. Lawrence River and Canals*, \$20,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and seventeen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards completing the present works, *Murray Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and twelve thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Welland Canal*, as follow: *Welland*, \$100,000; *Welland*, deepening to 14 feet throughout, \$100,000; *Welland*, land and damages, *Grand River*, \$12,700, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Trent River Navigation*—For construction of locks and the improvement of navigation between *Lakefield* and *Balsam Lake*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-four thousand six hundred and forty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Ste. Anne Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Grenville Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Tay Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Culbute Canal*, to remove a shoal above the locks, land damages and works connected with the retaining dams, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand nine hundred and seven dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *J. Rielle* for preparing "*Procès Verbal*" *re lands—Lachine Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-eight thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following expenses in connection with the *Welland Canal*: Repairing piers, *Port Colbourne* and *Port Maitland*, and canal banks, summit level, \$18,000; Bridge over old lock No. 2 and road, \$6,000; Overhauling the superstructure of the pier at *Port Dalhousie*, removal of shoal, also, construction of piers for bridge at *Thorold*, \$30,000; Reconstructing culvert under feeder above junction, \$3,000; To improve the outlet of *Sunfish Creek*, from the *Feeder to Grand River*, \$1,200, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for raising banks, lowering bottom of canal, rebuilding lock walls, &c., *Chambly Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards overhauling foundation of *St. Ours' lock*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for strengthening old pier below *Ste. Anne's Lock*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for two sets of stop logs, *Carillon* and *Grenville Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for a residence and an office for the Collector at *Cornwall (Cornwall Canal)*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with *Trent River* navigation:—To build a landing pier at *Lakefield*, and repair the roads at *Buckhorn*, \$3,900; Cleaning out the channel at several points between *Lakefield* and *Balsam Lake*, \$5,800, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-eight thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the following expenses in connection with *Rideau Canal*:—For works necessary to complete the supply to the canal and the *Gananoque River*, \$12,000; Renewal of bridge at *Manotick*, \$1,000; To pay claims and legal expenses for land damages, \$100; Construction of a dredge, \$15,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to build road to replace one destroyed by raising water by construction of dams, *Calumet Island*, *Culbute Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand one hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for miscellaneous expenses connected with Canals, as follow:—Miscellaneous works not otherwise provided for, \$15,000; Arbitrations and awards, \$5,000; Surveys and inspections, \$10,000; General dredging on canals, \$10,150, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the following expenses in connection with Railways—(chargeable to income): Surveys and inspections, \$10,000; Railway Statistics, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and sixty-eight thousand eight hundred and fifty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses of Canals, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-nine thousand nine hundred and eighty-six dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Salaries and Contingencies of Canal Officers, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and twenty-three thousand four hundred and twenty-six dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *North-West Mounted Police*:—Pay of Force, \$332,176; Subsistence, \$91,250; Forage, \$77,000; Fuel and light, \$35,000; Clothing, \$60,000; Repairs, renewals, replacement of horses, arms and ammunition, \$50,000; Medicine, medical comforts and hospital expenses, \$5,000; Books, stationery and printed forms, \$5,000; Scouts, guides, billeting charges, travelling allowances, transport of men and stores, \$60,000; Contingencies, \$8,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for survey, construction of roads, bridges and other necessary works in connection with the *Hot Springs Reservation* near *Banff Station, North-West Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

29. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight hundred and seventy-one thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following expenses in connection with Customs—Salaries and Contingent Expenses of the Several Ports:—In the Province of *Nova Scotia*, \$112,655; In the Province of *New Brunswick*, \$91,020; In the Province of *Prince Edward Island*, \$19,585; In the Province of *Quebec*, \$221,645; In the Province of *Ontario*, \$278,580; In the Province of *Manitoba*, \$33,200; In the Province of *North-West Territories*, \$5,000; In the Province of *British Columbia*, \$44,915; Provinces generally—To cover any unforeseen changes it may appear necessary to make in Staff, \$5,000; Salary and travelling expenses of Inspectors of Ports, and travelling expenses of other officers on inspection, \$21,000; Board of Customs and Outside Detective Service—To meet expenditure in connection therewith, including \$800 salary of Commissioner of Customs as Chairman of the Board, \$17,000; Customs Laboratory—To meet expenditure in connection with the testing of sugars, &c., including pay of Officers appointed or employed for that purpose, \$5,200; Miscellaneous—Contingencies of head office, covering printing, stationery, newspapers, advertising, telegraphing, locks, instruments, &c., for the several Ports of Entry, \$15,000; To provide for the administration of the Chinese Immigration Act, including remuneration to Customs Officers, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—A certified copy of a Report of a Committee of the Honourable the Privy Council, approved by his Excellency the Governor General in Council, on the 5th September, 1888, relating to Appeals in Criminal Cases, to the Judicial Committee of Her Majesty's Privy Council. (*Sessional Papers, No. 77.*)

Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 9th April, 1888, for copy of the correspondence having reference to the translation into French of the "*Field Exercise*," from 23rd July, 1879, which has passed between the Militia Department, and Lieut.-Colonel *A. Audet*, and also between either of them and the Manager of the *Compagnie d'Imprimerie Canadienne* of Montreal, *Benjamin Sulte*, Esquire, and *Gebbart Berthiaume*, and any other person, in relation to the said translation. (*Sessional Papers, No. 78.*)

And then The House, having continued to sit till twelve minutes after Twelve of the Clock on Saturday morning, adjourned till Three of the Clock, P.M., this day.

Saturday, 27th April, 1889.

Three o'Clock, P.M.

PRAYERS.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petition was read and received:—

Of *Jane Sullivan*, widow, of *Kingston, Ontario*; complaining of an injustice done her by a person now a public officer; and praying that she may obtain a remedy.

The following Papers were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:—

General statements and returns of Baptisms, Marriages and Burials, in the Districts of *Chicoutimi, Gaspé, Iberville, Joliette, Montmagny* and *Saguenay*, for the year 1888. (*Sessional Papers, No. 79.*)

Also, Statement of affairs of The *British Canadian Loan and Investment Company*, on the 31st December, 1888. (*Sessional Papers, No. 40a.*)

And also, Return of the *Collingwood Marine and General Hospital*, for the year 1888. (*Sessional Papers, No. 41.*)

*Mr. Desjardins*, from the Select Committee appointed to supervise the Official Report of the Debates of this House, during the present Session, presented to the House the Third Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

With a view of avoiding in future any possible delay in the printing of either the English or French editions of the Debates, the Committee have adopted certain rules which they append hereto and would direct the attention of the House to the same, and suggest that such arrangements be made during the Recess of Parliament as will ensure the prompt issue of the English and French editions of the Debates.

RULES FOR THE PRINTING OF THE DEBATES OF THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

The printing shall be performed daily, on sheets of sufficient size as may be directed, to contain the speeches which have been delivered at the previous sitting of the House, and be published as reported, in the language in which they are delivered, the said sheets to be delivered to the Distribution Office by Three o'Clock, p.m., after each such sitting, and the French copy of the Debates shall be published within three juridical days after the copy of the same has been placed in the hands of the Printer.

In the event of the House sitting after (12) Twelve o'Clock, the daily sheets of the Debates are to be delivered as expeditiously as possible after (3) Three o'Clock of the following day.

The type to be used shall be Brevier type, with quotations in Nonpareil.

The type to be kept standing and three (3) days allowed for corrections, and then to be made up in the revised or book form edition. The sheets of the same to be returned by the Printer for Binding.

The Chief Reporter shall see that the Printer's copy of the daily sheets be furnished concurrently with the Debate as the Debate proceeds, and said copy shall be accepted by the Printer as correct, for the purpose of the daily publication, and all the copy for each day's publication shall be delivered to the Printer within two (2) hours after the adjournment of the House—the Printer to give the Chief Reporter a receipt for the last copy delivered for that day's issue.

The Printer shall receive the revised proofs of the daily sheets for correction not later than forty-eight (48) hours after publication.

The Officer of the House, whose duty it is to revise the Debates, shall proof-read the daily edition, as well as transcribe corrections made by Members, before sending such proof-read and revised daily edition to the Printer for correction.

The signed proofs for the bound edition shall be returned by the Chief Reporter to the Printer for press within twenty-four (24) hours from the receipt of the same by him.

The Printer may proceed to print the book form after having kept the type standing for the three days allowed for corrections.

The translation of the French edition shall be made from the revised copy, as prepared by the Chief Reporter.

The Chief Translator shall return the galley proofs to the Printer, signed for press, within twenty-four (24) hours after they are deposited for his use.

The Chief Reporter shall cause the table of contents and index of the English edition of the Debates to be delivered to the Printer within one month after the prorogation of Parliament.

The Chief Translator shall see that the index of the French edition is prepared within one month after the work of translation has been completed.

Any Member requiring extra copies of his own or any speech, may have them furnished, covered or not covered, as maybe required, at the actual cost, not including composition.

Mr. *Sproule*, from the Select Standing Committee on Agriculture and Colonization, presented to the House the Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth :—

Your Committee examined Mr. *John Lowe*, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, on the subject of Immigration.

He made a statement, respecting the results of the year, from which it appears that the total number of immigrants who settled in *Canada*, during the year 1888, was 88,766, as against 84,526 in 1887.

The character of the year's immigration was reported to be satisfactory, it being alleged that no paupers were shown to have arrived who were in any way a burden on any Charity; and further, that none of the immigrants who came to seek work remained over at any of the Departmental agencies, unemployed.

It was stated that the High Commissioner in *England*, Sir *Charles Tupper*, has an understanding with the Local Government Boards, in virtue of which no paupers are allowed to embark for *Canada* without his consent, which is not granted unless it is shown they have friends to take care of them.

As regards the immigration of children under the auspices of benevolent persons or societies, it was ordered, in accordance with the suggestions of the Committee last Session, that there should be a medical inspection of each child before embarking; and it is reported that the practice has been carried out with satisfactory results.

The number of settlers who were reported to have gone into the *North-West* during the year 1888, was 29,685, as against 21,685 in the previous year. These figures include immigrants from other countries and immigrants from the older Provinces.

So far as ascertained and reported by the immigration agents, the sum of \$3,774,455 in money and effects was brought in by settlers.

The system of assisted passages, which had been in operation since 1872, ceased altogether on the 27th April, 1888.

The total expenditure, during the calendar year, for immigration purposes is \$183,057, to which must be added \$43,444, on account of assisted passages, the liability for which had been incurred before the commencement of the year, as against \$313,891 for 1887, thus showing a very decided reduction in the cost of the service.

The total expenditure of the Department in *Canada* for immigration publications, during the calendar year 1888, was \$23,534, a fact showing retrenchment in this branch of the service as compared with previous years.

Mr. *Lowe* also gave your Committee some valuable statistics respecting the movements of populations in *Canada* and the *United States*, in relation to the subject of immigration, having special reference to the agricultural classes. The facts stated by him, as reported, are contained in the Appendix herewith.

Mr. *W. A. Webster* was examined in relation to the efforts made by agents of American Railway Companies to induce Canadians in *Ontario* and the older Provinces to emigrate to the *North-Western States*.

He stated that he had travelled over a considerable portion of the States of *Dakota* and *Minnesota*, with a view of ascertaining, by personal observation, whether those States possessed any advantages over our own *North-West* for immigrant settlement. He also visited *Manitoba* and the Canadian *North-West*. The result of the observations and the conclusions arrived at are that the advantages of our *North-West* over that portion of the *North-Western States* consists in the fact of possession of better soil, a milder climate, and more equitable homesteading land laws, together with greater immunity from early frosts and violent storms.

Mr. *Webster* visited many of the Counties in *Ontario*, with a view of pointing out the advantages he described, to the young men of that Province, and he expresses the opinion, that the information thus conveyed had induced many to migrate to *Manitoba* and the *North-West Territories*, who would otherwise have gone to the *United States*.

Mr. *J. T. Carey* appeared before the Committee, to make objections, on behalf of the Knights of Labour, to the payment of a bonus, as an assistance to child immigration. He spoke in special reference to the competition of these children in the Canadian labour market. His remarks, as reported, are contained in the Appendix herewith.

Professor *Saunders*, Director of Government Experimental Farms, was examined by your Committee, and he stated that the result of numerous experiments had shown, that the wheat called "*Ladoga*" ripens fully ten days earlier than the "*Red Fyfe*." There appears, however, to have been considerable difference in the opinion expressed by the different bodies of experts to which the wheat was submitted, as to its quality, the same samples having been graded variously as "hard wheat," "soft wheat," and "No. 1 hard."

Mr. *Saunders* having stated that a series of careful experiments have been made by the Chemist of the Central Experimental Farm which demonstrated that the *Ladoga* was superior in gluten to the *Red Fyfe*, while reports from bakers and specimens of bread shown, proved that the flour produced from it was strong in bread-making qualities, even more so than that from the *Red Fyfe*, the colour of the bread, however, being a shade less white.

The remarks made by Mr. *Saunders* on the subject of the barley product of the Dominion, and the importance for Canadian farmers of growing varieties suitable for malting purposes in *England*, cannot be too carefully considered by them. He showed that we were in danger, from two causes, of a lessened demand for our four and six-rowed varieties in the *United States* markets, which had hitherto taken such large quantities; and, on the other hand, that the importation into *England*, for malting purposes, reached the quantity of 35 000,000 bushels a year, and for which much higher prices are paid than our farmers have hitherto obtained. It has, therefore, become a matter of prime importance for Canadian farmers to produce varieties to suit the English market. The kind used in *England* is the two-rowed; the four and six-rowed being not at all saleable there for malting purposes. Mr. *Saunders* stated that a large number of samples of the very best varieties of the two-rowed had been distributed among farmers in different parts of the Dominion.

Mr. *Saunders* stated that 913 seed germinating tests had been made during the year, of which 216 were of frozen wheat, 20 of frozen oats, and 19 of frozen barley.

These tests showed that the vitality of frozen wheat varied from 21 to 99 per cent.; frozen barley, 14 to 99 per cent.; and frozen oats from 2 to 94 per cent. The conclusion arrived at was that it was most unwise for farmers to sow anything but

good seed, unless driven to it by absolute necessity, the rule being the same in vegetable as in animal life, from which it followed that a good constitution of seed was necessary in plant life to produce a good result.

Much of the information presented to your Committee on these subjects is contained in a bulletin published in March last; and the evidence of Mr. *Saunders*, as reported, is contained in an Appendix herewith.

The Dairymen's Association of the Dominion, which held its meetings at *Ottawa* on the 9th and 10th of April, appointed a delegation to present its views before your Committee; and the statements made by the delegates are submitted herewith as part of this report.

The importance of the dairying interest to the Dominion is evidenced by the fact that our exports of cheese grew from \$13,675, in 1860, to \$8,923,242, in 1888; and the excellence of Canadian cheese is made manifest by the further fact, that whilst the Dominion exported during the last year four million pounds less weight than the *United States*, the actual money value of the Canadian export exceeded that of the *United States* by nearly \$200,000.

The representations in relation to butter making which were made by the delegates, are worthy of the attention of farmers. Their main object was to cause such steps to be taken as would increase the product, and improve the quality of Canadian butter.

The Resolution passed by your Committee, after the hearing of the delegates, in approval of their recommendations, is appended herewith, as a portion of this report.

The elaborate report of the Sub-Committee, of which Lieut.-Genl. *Laurie* was the Chairman, on the subject of tuberculosis in animals, in relation to its effects on mankind, as a question of public health, is hereto appended. The Sub-Committee was requested, during the last Session of Parliament, to continue its enquiries during the recess. This has been done with great carefulness and elaborateness, and for which the thanks of your Committee were expressed by resolution. (*Appendix No. 4.*)

Sir *John A. Macdonald* moved, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution, respecting the *Pontiac Pacific Railway Company*.

Sir *John A. Macdonald*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, then acquainted the House, That His Excellency the Governor General, having been informed of the subject matter of this Motion, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

*Resolved.* That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee. The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee.

(*In the Committee.*)

*Resolved.* That it be declared that the provision in the Act 51 *Victoria*, Chapter 3, respecting the *Pontiac Pacific Railway Company*, extends the several subsidies in aid of the said company, for four years from the passing of the said Act, that is to say, from the 22nd May, 1888.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered.* That the Report be received on Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to authorize the conveyance to the *Quebec Skating Club* of certain Ordnance Lands in the City of *Quebec*.

*Ordered.* That the said Order be discharged.

*Ordered.* That the Bill be withdrawn.

Mr. Colby reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Canadian Pacific Railway construction (including the remuneration to be paid to *L. K. Jones*, a permanent officer of the Department of Railways and Canals, as Secretary of the Commission of Arbitrators, appointed by Order in Council, dated 27th February, 1888, and in addition to his regular salary), for the year ending 30th June, 1890.
2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *L. K. Jones* for services as Private Secretary to the Chief Engineer of the Canadian Pacific Railway, from 1st July, 1889, to 30th June, 1890, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.
3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and ninety-one thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Intercolonial Railway: Increased accommodation at *Halifax*, \$150,000; Increased accommodation at *Moncton*, \$67,500; Rolling stock, \$17,000; Extension of the shed to repair cars, *Richmond*, \$2,500; Iron overhead bridge at the Foundry Crossing, *Truro*, provided that the Government is indemnified by the Town of *Truro* against any claims for damages by reason of the construction of said crossing, \$5,000; To provide for a *Y* at *Truro* station, \$7,500; Extension along City front at *St. John*, subject to such terms and conditions as the Governor in Council may authorize and impose, \$17,000; Increased accommodation at *St. John*, \$25,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.
4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One million one hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Cape Breton* Railway, viz.:—Construction, \$700,000; Construction of a bridge over "The Narrows," \$400,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.
5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards construction of *Oxford and New Glasgow* Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.
6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three million two hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses of Intercolonial Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.
7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses, Eastern Extension Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.
8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses, *Prince Edward Island* Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.
9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses, *Windsor Branch* Railway, for the year ending 30th June 1890.
10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and thirty-one thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fisheries, Salaries and Disbursements of Fishery Overseers and Wardens: *Ontario*, \$20,000; *Quebec*, \$14,000; *Nova Scotia*, \$18,000; *New Brunswick*, \$16,000; *Prince Edward Island*, \$3,500; *Manitoba*, *Keewatin* and *North-West Territories*, \$3,000; *British Columbia*, \$6,000; Fish-breeding, building fishways and clearing rivers, \$40,000; To provide for legal and incidental expenses, \$2,000; To provide for the cost, maintenance and repairs of fishery protection steamers and vessels, \$100,000; Canadian fisheries exhibit, \$1,500; To pay for services performed by Customs and Fisheries Departments and other expenses in connection with the distribution of the Fishing Bounty and collection of Statistics, \$6,000; To meet cost of fitting up lower story of *Victoria Hall*, as a Fish Hatchery (revote), \$1,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.
11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required for Geological Survey, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

And the question being proposed, That the said Resolutions be now read a second time,

Sir *Richard J. Cartwright* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Laurier*, That the Resolutions relating to Railway and other expenditures, be not now read a second time, "but that it be Resolved, That in the course of his Budget Speech, it was stated "by the Minister of Finance, that an expenditure of \$12,738,849 would suffice to meet "all the engagements of the Dominion on capital account, up to the 1st July, 1892, "and would secure a 14-foot canal system from *Lake Superior* to *Montreal*.

"That it now appears, from subsequent statements made by the said Minister of Finance and other Members of the Government, that the requirements of the Dominion on capital account must be estimated for, as follow:—

"1. For canals, as aforesaid, \$13,551,109.

"2. For Intercolonial and subsidiary lines of road, \$3,000,000.

"3. For subsidies, \$6,000,000.

"4. For annuities capitalized, \$4,000,000.

"5. Road from Harvey to Moncton, \$3,000,000.

"6. For minor works, \$1,000,000; being in all, about \$30,000,000.

"That the Government have further agreed to expend \$750,000 per annum, for "terms of years, in subsidizing certain lines of steamers, less the amount now paid to "the *Allan* and Dominion lines.

"That the said annual charge for subsidies, and for interest on the said \$30,000,000, will involve an addition to the fixed charges on the revenue of \$1,700,000 per annum.

"That the estimated expenditure for the year ending 30th June, 1889, is \$37,893,384.

"That the inevitable effect of a large portion of this expenditure on capital account will be to diminish the traffic and to further increase the heavy deficit now existing in working the Intercolonial Railway.

"That, under these circumstances, the conduct of the Government in assuming "these other and further obligations, is reckless and improvident."

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS :

## Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd)</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Trow.</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Weldon (St John), and</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin).—40.</i>

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Archibald (Sir Adams)</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges);</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Desjarains,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>

<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John)</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Maddowall,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria)</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil)</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'ld), and</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>	<i>Wright.—73.</i>
<i>Davis,</i>			

So it passed in the Negative.

The first Four Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Fifth Resolution being, read a second time; and the Question being proposed, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution;

Sir *Richard J. Cartwright* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Laurier*, That the said Resolution be not agreed to, "but that it be Resolved, That it appears from statements made in this House by Sir *Charles Tupper*, then Minister of Finance, "that the construction of the road (*Oxford* and *New Glasgow Junction*), which I "proposed to this Parliament to secure, shortens the distance between the whole "of that great portion of *Nova Scotia* and the rest of *Canada* by no less than from "forty to forty-five miles for every pound of freight and for every passenger that is "carried."

"That, on the faith of this statement, the House was induced to undertake the "construction of this road as a Government work, and to incur an expenditure of not "less than \$1,500,000.

"That it now appears, from statements made in this House by the First Minister "and others, that the distance, instead of being reduced from forty to forty-five miles, "has only been reduced by a distance variously estimated at from four to seven miles, "and that the statement above mentioned was without foundation in fact, and that the "House was induced to undertake the construction of the said road by false representation."

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

YEAS:

Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd)</i>	<i>Fisler,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John), and</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin).—39.</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Archibald</i> (Sir Adams)	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Langevin</i> (Sir Hector)	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Bain</i> (Soulanges),	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Macdonald</i> (Sir John)	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McDonald</i> (Victoria),	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McDougald</i> (Pictou),	<i>Smith</i> (Ontario),
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Carting.</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McMillan</i> (Vaudreuil)	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Caron</i> (Sir Adolphe),	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Thompson</i> (Sir John),
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Jones</i> (Digby),	<i>Patterson</i> (Essex),	<i>Weldon</i> (Albert),
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wood</i> (Westm'l'd), and
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wright.</i> —70.
<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>		

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put ;

*Resolved*, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution.

The Sixth Resolution, being read a second time ; and the Question being proposed, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution ;

Mr. *Davies* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Gillmor*, That the said Resolution be not agreed to, "As it appears, from the Report of the Minister of Railways, "that one of the chief causes of the very large deficit of \$363,000 incurred in the "working of the Intercolonial Railway, for the financial year ending June 30th, "1888, was the carriage of coal from the *Spring Hill* Mines at rates far below paying "ones. That such a policy, while very advantageous to the shareholders of the "Spring Hill Mines, is unfair and unjust to the farmers, fishermen, artisans, and "other taxpayers and industries of this Dominion, and results in taxing the vast "mass of the community in the interests of a small and wealthy class. That the "policy of discriminating in favour of the carriage of coal on a Government railway, "and against farm produce, lumber, flour, fish, and other articles, does not meet with "the approval of this House, and that the vote for Intercolonial Railway, "of \$3,200,000, be referred back to the Committee of Supply, with instructions to "reduce the same to the sum of \$3,000,000."

And the Question being put on the amendment ; the House divided : and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow :—

## YEAS :

## Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Jones</i> (Halifax),	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bain</i> (Wentworth),	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Cartwright</i> (Sir Rich'd)	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Mills</i> (Bothwell),	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Weldon</i> (St. John), and
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Paterson</i> (Brant),	<i>Wilson</i> (Elgin).—39.
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Archibald</i> (Sir Adams)	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Langevin</i> (Sir Hector)	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Bain</i> (Soulanges),	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Macdonald</i> (Sir John),	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McDonald</i> (Victoria)	<i>Smith</i> (Ontario),
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McDougald</i> (Pictou),	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McMillan</i> (Vaudreuil)	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Caron</i> (Sir Adolphe),	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Thompson</i> (Sir John),
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Patterson</i> (Essex),	<i>Weldon</i> (Albert),
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Jones</i> (Digby),	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wood</i> (Westm'd), and
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wright</i> .—71.
<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>	

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put ;

*Resolved*, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution. The subsequent Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. Colby reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow :—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and seventy-two thousand three hundred and fifty-one dollars and twenty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following expenses in connection with Excise :—Salaries of Officers and Inspectors of Excise, \$270,801.25; Preventive Service, \$15,800; To provide for increases dependent upon the result of Excise Examinations, \$2,000; To provide for increase of pay of officers at large distilleries and factories, \$5,000; Travelling expenses, rent, fuel, stationery, &c.; also, stamps for imported and Canadian Tobacco, \$70,000; To pay Collectors of Customs, allowance on duties collected by them, \$3,500; Commission to sellers of stamps for *Canada Twist Tobacco*, \$250. Special—To enable the Department to supply methylated spirits, &c., to manufactories, the cost of which will be recouped by manufacturers to whom they are supplied, \$5,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-eight thousand five hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following expenses in connection with Weights and Measures and Gas : Salaries of Inspectors and Assistant Inspectors of Weights and Measures, \$48,200; Salaries of Inspectors of Gas, \$11,350; Rent, fuel, travelling expenses, postage, stationery, &c., for Weights and Measures, \$18,000; Rent, fuel, travelling expenses, postage, stationery, &c., for Gas, \$9,000; Salary of the Chief Inspector of Standards, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the purchase and distribution of Standards of Flour, &c., and other expenditures, under the Act for the Inspection of Staples, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet expenses under the Adulteration of Food Act, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the following items, viz.:—Minor Revenues, \$800; Ordnance Lands, \$3,200, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for collection of Slide and Boom dues, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and five thousand seven hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses, Harbours and Slides, including River *Yamaska* Lock and *Lévis* and *Esquimaux* Graving Docks, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Telegraph Line between *Prince Edward Island* and the mainland, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Land and Cable Telegraph Lines of the Sea Coasts and Islands of the Lower Rivers and Gulf of St. Lawrence and Maritime Provinces, including cost of working steamer "*Newfield*" or other vessel, when required for cable service, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for telegraph lines, *North-West Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Telegraph Lines, *British Columbia*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Telegraph and Signal Service generally, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Works Agency, *British Columbia*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two million nine hundred and fifty nine thousand seven hundred and ten dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Post Offices:—*Ontario*, \$1,366,110; *Quebec*, \$650,030; *New Brunswick*, \$232,780; *Nova-Scotia*, \$253,830; *Prince Edward Island*, \$44,560; *British Columbia*, \$137,420; *Manitoba* and the *North-West Territories*, \$274,980, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty-five thousand seven hundred and forty-eight dollars and twenty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Dominion Lands, as follow, viz.: Commissioner's salary, \$5,000; Superintendent of Mines' salary, \$3,200; Inspector of Agencies' salary, \$2,200; Secretary's salary, \$2,000; Assistant Secretary's salary, \$1,500; Seven Homestead Inspectors' salaries, \$8,400; Dominion Lands Agents' salaries, \$19,200; Crown Timber Agents' salaries, \$5,600; Inspector of Ranches' salary, \$600; Forestry Commissioner's salary, \$2,000; Dominion Lands Agent's salary, *New Westminster*, \$2,800; Crown Timber Agent's salary, *New Westminster*, \$1,600; To provide for salaries of Clerks in Outside Service, Forest Rangers and Land Guide Service, \$46,818.25; To provide for travelling expenses of Inspector of Agencies, Superintendent of Mines, Homestead Inspectors and Forestry Commissioner; Contingencies of Superintendent of Mines, Land Board, Dominion Lands and Crown Timber Agents, Inspector of Ranches, and at Head Office; Special Service Account, Stationery and Printing and Half-Breed claims, Commission expenses, \$48,830; To provide for the payment of members of the Board of Examiners of Dominion Land Surveyors—(The authority required by the Civil Service Act is hereby given for paying out of this vote such sums as may be required to pay for the services of members of the Board who are also members of the Civil Service), \$1,000; to provide for the payment of salaries of Extra Clerks at Head Office, *Ottawa*; also, to provide for the payment of Advertising, Copying, &c., \$35,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the amount required for Surveys, Examination of Survey Returns, Printing of Plans, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam Communication with the *Magdalen Islands*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam Communication between *Grand Manan, N.B.*, and the mainland, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, as Subsidy to a line of steamers to run between *Liverpool or London* or both, and *St. John, N.B.*, and *Halifax, N.S.*, a port in the Dominion to be the terminal port, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, as Subsidy to steamer between *Campbellton* and *Gaspé* and intermediate ports, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication from *Port Mulgrave* at the terminus of the Eastern Extension Railway to *East Bay, Cape Breton*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *Port Mulgrave* or *Pictou* Railway terminus and *Cheticamp*, touching at *Port Hood, Mabou, Broad Cove, Margaree* and *Cheticamp*, the Local Government having granted a similar amount, conditionally on a Dominion vote, for the same service, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *Prince Edward Island* and the mainland, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *St. John* and Ports in *Basin of Minas, Parrsboro', Maitland, Summerville, Hantsport, Avondale, Windsor, Kingsport Wolfville, &c.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *Canso, Arichat, Guysboro', Port Hood* and *Mabou*, and such other places between above limits as may be agreed upon, touching daily at *Port Mulgrave*; and also, to provide for continuance of service during winter on the *Port Mulgrave* and *Canso* section, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *Halifax* and *Newfoundland, via Cape Breton*, at \$200 per trip, not to exceed \$2,000 per annum, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventeen thousand six hundred and forty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam service between *San Francisco* and *Victoria, B.C.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *St. John, Digby* and *Annapolis* for a daily service (except Sunday) during nine months, and a daily or tri-weekly service during three months, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

The first Fourteen Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Fifteenth Resolution, being read a second time; and the Question being proposed, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution;

Sir *Richard J. Cartwright* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Laurier*, That the said Resolution be not agreed to, "As it appears from the Public Accounts, that the cost of managing the public lands in the *North-West* amounted to the sum of \$461,474 in the year 1887, and \$426,820 in the year 1888.

"That the total receipts from all sources amounted to \$191,781 in 1887, and \$217,083 in 1888, showing a deficiency in two years of \$479,432.

"That in the year 1880, the First Minister, being then Minister of the Interior, stated that he estimated the net proceeds to be received from these lands before 1890 at \$68,900,000, after deducting the costs of survey and administration.

"That on the 4th May, 1883, Sir Charles Tupper informed the House, that the Deputy Minister of the Interior calculated that the receipts from said lands 'would amount to \$58,000,000 from 1st January, 1833, to 31st December, 1891, both days inclusive.'

"That the total expenditure for *North-West* lands up to the 1st July, 1888, on capital account is stated at \$5,778,777, and the total receipts credited against the said expenditure were \$4,275,526, leaving a deficit of \$1,503,251 on capital account only."

"That the expenditure of the said Department of the Interior is extravagant, and that the said vote of \$185,748 for Dominion Lands be referred back to the Committee of Supply, with instructions to reduce the same to the sum of \$100,000."

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS:

## Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd)</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John), and</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Gilmor,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin).—39.</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

<i>Archibald (Sir Adams)</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil)</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm't'd), and</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wright.—71.</i>
<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>	

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put ;

*Resolved*, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution.

The next Twelve Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Twenty-eighth Resolution, being read a second time, was amended by leaving out all the words after "*Annapolis*."

And the said Resolution, so amended, was agreed to, as followeth :—

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *St. John, Digby and Annapolis*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth :—

The Senate have passed the following Bills, without any amendment :—

Bill intituled : " An Act further to amend ' The Inland Revenue Act,' chapter "thirty-four of the Revised Statutes."

Bill intituled : " An Act further to amend ' The General Inspection Act,' chapter ninety-nine of the Revised Statutes."

Bill intituled : " An Act to extend the provisions of the Extradition Act."

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled : " An Act further to amend ' The Customs Act,' chapter thirty-two of the Revised Statutes," with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Mr. Colby reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow :—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-nine thousand five hundred and fourteen dollars and seventy-nine cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. Vincent de Paul* Penitentiary, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-five thousand one hundred and thirty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following expenses in connection with Immigration.—Salaries of agents and employees :—Agent, *Quebec*, \$1,700 ; Assistant Agent, *Quebec*, \$1,100 ; Clerk, *Quebec*, \$1,000 ; Interpreter, *Quebec*, \$660 ; Messenger, *Quebec*, \$365 ; Agent, *Montreal*, \$1,300 ; Agent, *Ottawa*, \$1,300 ; Agent, *Kingston*, \$1,300 ; Agent, *Toronto*, \$1,650 ; Agent, *Hamilton*, \$1,250 ; Agent, *London, Ont.*, \$1,000 ; Agent, *Halifax*, \$1,000 ; Agent, *St. John, N.B.*, \$1,000 ; Agent, *Winnipeg*, \$1,400 ; Assistant Agent, *Winnipeg*, \$1,000 ; Assistant Agent, *Brandon*, \$1,400 ; Assistant Agent, *Calgary*, \$1,200 ; Assistant Agent, *Port Arthur*, \$1,000 ; Assistant Agent, *Victoria, B.C.*, \$1,000 ; Assistant Agent, *Vancouver*, \$1,200 ; Interpreter, *Winnipeg*, \$800 ; Salaries, Agents, *Europe*, \$5,900 ; Contingencies, Canadian Agencies, \$16,000 ; Aid to Women's Protective Immigration Society, *Montreal*, \$1,000 ; Towards immigration and immigration expenses, \$48,610, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Pensions payable on account of Rebellion of 1835, to Mounted Police, *Prince Albert* Volunteers and Police Scouts, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

The First Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

The Second Resolution, being read a second time; and the Question being proposed, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution;

Mr. Somerville moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. Bain (*Wentworth*), That the said Resolution be not agreed to, " as it appears from evidence reported to " this House from the Committee on Public Accounts that one *Henry Smyth*, heretofore employed by the Department of Immigration, had furnished a return of " expenditure under false dates, and for services which he did not render; and that " one *W. A. Webster*, likewise an employé of the said department, was shown to have " been actively engaged in bye-elections while drawing pay from the department; " that it is improper and inexpedient that the public funds should be used for the " payment of such persons, and that the said vote for \$95,135 for immigration be

"referred back to the Committee of Supply, with instructions to reduce the same to the sum of \$50,000."

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEA'S :

## Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd),</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Mc Mullen,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John), and</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Gilmor,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin).—39.</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Archibald (Sir Adams)</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Dawdney,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Shanty,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudrevil)</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Paterson (Essex),</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm't'd), and</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wright.—71.</i>
<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>	

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put;

*Resolved,* That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution. The subsequent Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

Mr. Colby reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Two hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following expenses, viz.:—Ammunition, including artillery ammunition, and manufacture of small arm ammunition at the Cartridge Factory at Quebec, \$50,000; Clothing and great coats, \$90,000; Military stores, \$60,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Seventy-seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Royal Military College of Canada, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Pensions payable on account of Rebellion of 1835 to Militiamen, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for completion and construction of Lighthouses and Fog Alarms, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet expenses in connection with Superintendence of Insurance, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the payment of Mr. *Fabre's* salary and contingencies of his office, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay for salaries, fees, gratuities and contingencies of Cullers at *Montreal, Quebec and Three Rivers*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the following expenses in connection with Department of Printing and Stationery—To provide for payment to Mr. *A. Sénécal*, Superintendent of Printing, for services rendered during the year 1887-88, in collecting materials, organizing staff and putting in type Voters' Lists for the Dominion, &c. (Order in Council) \$300; To provide for payment to Mr. *Gliddon* of the usual statutory increase of \$50, from 1st April to 30th June, \$12.50, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet further amount required for Contingencies, Auditor General's office, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand two hundred and sixty-eight dollars and thirty-four cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following sums in connection with Administration of Justice, viz:—Refund of moneys paid in error on account of Judges' pensions—Judge *Boswell*, \$688.60; Judge *Gowan*, \$579.74, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Dorchester Penitentiary*, as follow:—Amount due to Messenger *McDougall*, allowance in lieu of perquisites, 1887-88, \$50; amount required to pay an allowance of \$200 per annum to the Accountant and Schoolmaster, from 1st April to 30th June, 1889, \$50, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand one hundred and ninety dollars be granted to Her Majesty to pay the following items in connection with Legislation:—House of Commons; to provide for the following promotions and increases: The Clerk's Department—*James Dalton*, to 1st Class, Assistant Clerk English Journals, \$150; *J. A. Polkinghorne*, to 2nd Class, Clerk Sessional Papers, \$200; *T. Ouimet*, Assistant Clerk French Journals, \$200; *F. X. Lemieux*, 2nd Assistant Postmaster, \$50; *W. Dubé*, Junior Clerk, \$50; *B. Brewer*, to 1st Class, Assistant Accountant, &c., \$200; *E. P. Hartney*, to 1st Class, Examiner Private Bills and Acting Clerk of Committees, \$200; *C. E. Clarke*, to 2nd Class, Assistant Clerk of Stationery, &c., \$150; *H. P. Macdonell*, Junior Clerk, \$100; *N. Robidoux*, Junior Clerk, \$100; *J. Stansfeld*, to 1st Class, Postmaster, \$200; *H. R. Smith*, Deputy Sergeant-at-Arms, \$200. The Sergeant-at-Arms' Department—*L. Dubé*, Chief Messenger, \$100; *N. Turgeon*, Assistant Chief Messenger, \$100; *George Smith*, Bank Messenger, \$50; *G. A. Boudreault*, the Clerk's Messenger, \$50; *Claire Hugg*, Messenger in House, \$90, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Major *J. Wilson*, Collector of Customs at *Sault Ste. Marie*, for services as Returning Officer for *Algoma* at the general election of 1887 (notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Civil Service Act), \$150 having been authorized by the Supply Bill of 1887, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to purchase twelve copies of Volume 14, *Ontario Law Reports*, for Library Exchanges, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and sixty-nine dollars and thirty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Pensions, as follow, viz.:—To provide for the payment of the Pension of Sir *G. Phillip*, late Attorney General of *British Columbia*, at the rate of \$584 a year, from 5th October, 1888, to 30th June, 1889, \$428.80; to pay estate of the late Major *R. S. King*, *Welland Field Battery*, Pension, 1st July to 6th August, 1885, at \$400 per annum, \$40.55, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

16. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Barracks in *British Columbia*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and ninety-one dollars and thirty-eight cents be granted to Her Majesty, for the following purposes, viz.:—*River Trent Navigation*—To pay a gratuity of one month's salary to the undermentioned persons, whose services are no longer required, the works being nearly completed; payment was authorized by Orders in Council, dated, respectively, the 24th December, 1888, and the 24th January, 1889, viz., *J. A. Aylmer*, \$169.25; *A. J. Belcher*, \$127.50; *W. J. Macaulay*, \$44.63; *C. W. Roberts*, \$10; *H. S. Greenwood*, \$40, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred and fifteen dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay a gratuity of one month's salary to the undermentioned persons, whose services are no longer required, owing to the completion of the works on which they were employed, viz.:—*Welland Canal*—*E. J. Odum*, \$105; *P. H. O'Neill*, \$90; *John Lallison*, \$90; *V. Curran*, \$75; *W. F. Secord*, \$75; *H. A. Willet*, \$60; *C. H. W. King*, \$60; *C. H. Knyvett*, \$45; *Charles Bridger*, \$15, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay a gratuity of one month's salary to *Wm. Pollock*, *Culbute Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and forty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Murray Canal*, towards completing the present works, (Governor General's Warrant), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-four thousand one hundred and twenty-two dollars and eighty-two cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Canadian Pacific Railway, as follow, viz.:—Arbitration (including the remuneration to be paid to *L. K. Jones*, a permanent officer of the Department of Railways and Canals, as Secretary of the Commission of Arbitrators, appointed by Order in Council, dated 27th February, 1888, and in addition to his regular salary (Governor General's Warrant) \$60,000; To meet land claims and expenses on *Pembina Branch* (Governor General's Warrant); \$1,573.69; To pay award on claim of *Charles Wilson*, for gravel taken on his land—*Stonewall Branch*. (Governor General's Warrant), \$1,549.13; To pay for right of way from the town of *East Selkirk* to *Whitemouth*, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for raising banks, lowering bottom, rebuilding lock walls, &c., of *Chambly Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-six dollars and twenty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay a gratuity of two months' pay to *William O'Neil*, lockman at Lock No. 5, *Lachine Canal*, disabled by a paralytic stroke while performing his duties, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay a gratuity of two months' pay to the widow of the late lockman, *Alxis Lachambre*, *St. Ours Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to build a dam at *Bobcaygeon*, *Trent Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Welland Canal*, as follow, viz :—Construction of a new highway bridge over the river, at the town of *Chippewa* (Governor General's Warrant \$2,400), \$3,000; Repairing piers, *Port Colborne* and *Port Maitland*, and canal banks summit level, \$5,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *H. F. Perley*, C. E., two years' services to 31st December, 1888, in superintending *St. Peter's Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and thirteen dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the widow of the late *J. W. Burke*, in his lifetime extra clerk in the Department of Railways and Canals, a gratuity of two months' pay, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

29. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, additional Departmental Building, Wellington Street,—Settlement of *Mrs. McLaurin's* claim for dower on property purchased from *Dr. McLaurin* (Governor General's Warrant), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

30. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Esquimalt* Graving Dock—revote of lapsed amount, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

31. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight hundred and twenty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Nova Scotia*, as follow, viz :—*North Sydney* Post Office, Custom House, &c.—revote of lapsed amount (Governor General's Warrant), \$375; *Amherst* Post Office, &c., \$45; *Halifax* Examining Warehouse, \$400, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

32. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Charlottetown* Dominion Building, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

33. *Resolved* That a sum not exceeding One hundred and ten dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Fredericton* Post Office, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

34. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-seven thousand two hundred and eighty-eight dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, as follow, viz :—*Quebec—Montreal* Drill Hall (Governor General's Warrants), \$3,566; *Montreal* Dominion Buildings—improvements and repairs, \$510; Cliff under Citadel, *Quebec*—To make good damage to property resulting from the blasting of dangerous portions of the cliff at *Diamond Harbour*, during the winter of 1887, &c., \$245; *St. Vincent de Paul* Penitentiary—Additional amount required for materials, tools, &c., for use by convicts in construction, &c., \$5,000; *Grosse Ile* Quarantine Station—To pay *J. Askwith* in full settlement of claim for extra haulage of materials, &c., made by him in connection with his contract for the erection of an hospital, dated 16th April, 1881, \$437 50; *Montreal* Drill Hall—Balance of contracts, including superintendence and contingencies, \$14,800; *Montreal* Armouries—Balance of contracts, including superintendence and contingencies, \$28,600; *Joliette* Post Office, &c., \$3,000; *Montreal* Post Office, \$925; *Quebec* Dominion Buildings—improvements, \$150; *Sherbrooke* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$55, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

35. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-four thousand two hundred and sixty dollars and thirty-two cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, as follow, viz :—*Ontario—Belleville* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$50; *Barrie* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$3,000; *Hamilton* Public Building—Wire window guards, &c., \$100; *Lindsay* Post Office, Custom House, &c. (revote of lapsed amount), \$6,000; *Napanee* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$12,000; *Toronto* Post Office, Custom House and Examining Warehouse (Governor General's Warrant, \$1,500), \$5,000; *Toronto* Assistant Receiver General's Office—Sanitary works, &c., \$1,110.32; *Trenton* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$7,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

36. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for conversion of quarters vacated by Dominion Lands Commissioners at

**Winnipeg** into offices for Dominion Lands Agent, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

37. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine hundred and thirty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, as follow:—*Prince Albert* Court House and Gaol, \$430; Lieutenant Governor's old residence, *Regina*, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. Colby reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand six hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Nova Scotia*:—*Broad Cove* Marsh, \$2,900; *Digby* (re-vote of lapsed amount), \$1,650; *Arisaig*, *Bayfield* and *McNair's Cove* (*Cape George*)—Pier Repairs (re-vote of lapsed amount, \$3,100, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to repair Piers and Breakwaters, *Prince Edward Island*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand six hundred and ninety-two dollars and sixty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *New Brunswick*:—*River St. John*—*River des Chutes* to *Woodstock* and above *Grand Falls*; also, *River Tobique*, \$355.60; *Pointe du Chêne*, *Shediac*—Repairs to Breakwater, &c. (Governor General's Warrant), \$1,000; *Grand Anse*—To complete (Governor General's Warrant), \$150; *Belliveau Village*—(re-vote of lapsed amount) (Governor General's Warrant), \$1,187, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for general Repairs and Improvements, Harbours and Rivers, Maritime Provinces, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-five thousand six hundred and forty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Quebec*, as follow:—*Rivière du Lièvre*, \$25,000; *Anse à l'Eau* or *Tadousac* Pier, \$285; General Repairs and Improvements—Harbours and Rivers, *Quebec*, \$2,000; *Ile Perrott*, \$405; *Kamouraska*, \$40; *Lake Megantic* Piers—Repairs, \$175; *Murray Bay*, *Isle-aux-Coudres* and *Les Eboulements*—Repairs to Piers, \$275; Raising crib work in front of new immigration building on breakwater, *Quebec*, \$220; *Rivière Ste. Anne de la Pérade*, \$1,375; *River St. Francis*, \$860; *River Yamaska*, \$245; *Trois Pistoles* Pier, \$290; *Papineauville* or *Pentecost Bay* Channel, \$275; *Port Daniel*, \$1,600; *Percé*—To complete Pier, \$2,600, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, as follow:—*Ontario*—*Tolsma Bay*—re-vote of lapsed amount. (Governor General's Warrant), \$2,700; *Sault Ste. Marie*, \$5,000; *Portsmouth*, \$1,910; *Rideau River*—North Branch—Dredging \$390; *River Ottawa*—Improvement of steamboat channel through Narrows of *Petawawa*, above *Pembroke*, \$300, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for general repairs and improvements, Harbours and Rivers, *Manitoba*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers generally, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for new Dredging Plant, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and sixty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Slides and Booms, *River Madawaska*, *Ottawa* District, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Bridges, *Ottawa City*, over the *River Ottawa*, the Slides, the *Rideau Canal* and approaches thereto, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Telegraph Lines, *North-West Territories*—New station at *Saddle Lake*, on the *Qu'Appelle-Edmonton* Line, *vid Fort Pitt*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand five hundred and eighty-two dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Miscellaneous,—examination in connection with spring floods at *Montreal* and vicinity, \$415; To pay Miss *Margaret Smellie*, only surviving daughter of the late *David Smellie*, of the heating staff, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*—a gratuity equal to one month of his salary, \$55; To cover accounts paid to Mr. *S. Bray*, D. L. S., of the Department of Indian Affairs, for surveys made by him in connection with the Government Printing Bureau and *Victoria Hall, Ottawa City*, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Civil Service Act, \$112; Surveys and inspections, \$5,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the construction of Lighthouses, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay for Steam communication, four trips, between *Hamburg* and *Montreal*, at \$2,000 per trip (Governor General's Warrant), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand one hundred and fifty-eight dollars and thirty-four cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication with the *Magdalen Islands*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication from *Port Mulgrave* at the terminus of the Eastern Extension Railway to *East Bay, Cape Breton*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fourteen thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam service between *San Francisco* and *Victoria, British Columbia*, 1st September, 1888, to 30th June, 1889, ten months, at \$17,640 a year, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand nine hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the payment to Mr. *James King* in settlement of a claim for compensation for the summary annulling of a contract held by him in 1874-75, for the mail service between *Prince Edward Island* and the mainland, as recommended by a Special Committee of the House of Commons, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand two hundred and forty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Ontario* and *Quebec*, to enable the Department to defray the additional cost of building a barn at the *Mount Elgin Industrial institution* at *Munceytown*, \$1,000; To aid in placing two blackboards in the building erected to accommodate the surplus children of the Roman Catholic Orphanage at *Fort William Ontario*—the whole estimated cost being \$100, \$40; To cover expenses incurred by Inspector *Dingman*, while acting as one of three Commissioners appointed to investigate the Township of *Dundee* land matter, \$100; To complete the Roman Catholic school building on the *Abenakis Indian Reserve* at *St. Francis, County of Yamaska, Quebec*, the band having contributed \$300, nearly one-tenth of their fund, towards the erection of the building, \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-six dollars and thirty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the salary of Mr. *G. R. Smith*, agent for the Indians of *Yarmouth County, N.S.*, from 19th January, 1888, the date of his appointment, to the 30th June, 1889, at \$25.00 per annum, not before provided, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand eight hundred and nine dollars and seventy-one cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, as follow, viz.:—*Manitoba* and the *North-West Territories*, to enable the Department to pay for a reaping machine for the Blood Indian Reserve, the purchase of which, in August, 1888, was necessitated by the exceptionally abundant grain harvest of that year, \$149; To compensate *P. Ayles*, M. D., for medical services rendered to Indians of the *Battleford* Agency, from 23rd March, 1888, to 23rd January, 1889, \$291.32; To provide, at the rate of \$50 per head, for the maintenance of ten Indian pupils at the Roman Catholic Boarding School on the Reserve of the Sioux Chief, *Standing Buffalo*, under authority of an Order in Council, dated 29th November, 1888, \$500; For the purchase of two waggons for the Peigan Indians, to enable them to draw logs with which to rebuild their dwellings, \$196; To pay for erection of a School House on the Indian Reserve at *File Hills*, \$400; Allowance for fuel and light for the Indian Commissioner from 3rd August, 1888, to 30th June, 1889, at \$300 a year, \$273.39, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay contribution for the relief of sufferers by the *Hull* fire (Governor General's Warrant), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and thirty-six dollars and one cent be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Mr. Justice *Rouleau* rental allowances from the date he assumed his duties as Stipendiary Magistrate, to the date of his appointment as Judge of the Supreme Court, (5th April, 1886, to 18th February, 1887) at \$500 per annum, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Mr. *N. O. Côté* for services in connection with the Half-breed Commission (re-vote, Governor General's Warrant), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, as further contribution towards the publication of Dr. *Rand's* *Micmac* Dictionary (re-vote), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide stock for Government bindery, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay for the undermentioned works: Five hundred copies of Parliamentary Companion, at \$2 each, \$1,000; One hundred copies, vol. 4, *Jugements du Conseil Souverain*, at \$3 each, \$300, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

29. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, further amount required for expenses of Government in the District of *Keewatin*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

30. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to indemnify the *St. Catharines* Milling and Lumbering Company, for the costs of the suit of the Queen vs. the Company, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

31. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay for the maintenance of indigent patients in the *St. Albert* Hospital, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

32. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and thirty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide an equivalent sum to that voted by the British Association for the advancement of Science, for the purpose of making an investigation into the physical character, languages, and industrial and social condition of the North-Western tribes of the Dominion of *Canada*, and especially the tribes and bands of the Province of *British Columbia*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

33. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay one-half the expense of publishing the third volume of cases decided on "The *British North America* Act, 1867," collected and edited by *John R. Cartwright*, Esq., for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

34. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand and fourteen dollars and thirty-six cents be granted to Her Majesty, to meet costs of litigated matters, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

35. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet expenditure under *Canada Temperance Act*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

36. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay balance of gratuity to the family of the late *William Menzies* (Order in Council), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

37. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirteen thousand five hundred and seventy-one dollars and eighty-three cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay moiety of expenses incurred in connection with the survey of the River *St. Lawrence*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

38. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the *North-West Mounted Police* for supplies for the relief of distress among half-breeds in the *North-West Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

39. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand four hundred and forty-three dollars and eighty-two cents, be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Customs—Customs Miscellaneous—Further amount required for preventive service (legal expenses), \$6,500; Further amount required to provide for Customs share (one-half) of cost of repairs and maintenance of Government steam yacht "*Cruiser*," during the season of 1888, \$2,781.82; Gratuity to *B. C. Ambrose*, injured whilst in charge of a hoist in bonded warehouse in *Montreal*, in consequence of which a part of his foot had to be amputated, \$162, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

40. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and ninety-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Excise—To pay *A. W. Goodman* for services, overtime, from 1st January, 1887, to 30th June, 1888, assisting the Inspector of Distilleries in measuring tanks required for storage of spirits, \$300; To provide for the appointment of a Deputy Collector of Inland Revenue at *Port Hope*, at the rate of \$600 per annum, from 1st February, 1889, \$250; To pay *T. Burke* difference between his salary, \$1,155, and that to which he is entitled, as acting Collector of Inland Revenue, *St. John, N.B.*, for 1888-89, \$245, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

41. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses *Cornwall Canal* (Governor General's Warrant), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

42. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Williamsburgh Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

43. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Ste. Anne Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

44. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Chambly Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

45. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dredge Vessels, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

46. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the following expenses, viz.:—Public works—Telegraphs, *North-West Territories*, maintenance and repairs, \$1,900; Gulf of *St. Lawrence* telegraph and signal system, compensation to the owners of *Anticosti Island* in full for land and firewood taken on the Island, 1880 to 1889, in connection with Government telegraph construction and maintenance, inclusive of stations, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

47. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-three thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Post Office:—To compensate *H. Dunbar*, late Messenger in the *Kingston Post Office*, for loss of quarters, \$100; To provide for the salary of an Assistant Post Office Inspector

in the *Stratford* Postal Division, from the 1st December, 1888, to the 30th June, 1889 at the rate of \$1,200 a year, \$700; Commission to Postmasters on the Savings Bank business in the following Provinces: *New Brunswick*, \$1,000, *Nova Scotia*, \$500, *British Columbia*, \$300; Amount required for mail service over the Canadian Pacific Railway, owing to increased car accommodation, to be distributed as follow: *Ontario*, \$22,500; *Quebec*, \$2,300; *Manitoba*, \$24,000; *British Columbia*, \$12,200, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

48. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the payment of freight on seed grain; for forwarding and distributing the same to *Edmonton* settlers, and for clerical assistance (to cover Governor General's Warrant as per Order in Council of 6th July, 1888. P. C. No. 1599), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

49. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for militia expenses in connection with the suppression of the rebellion in the *North-West* (Governor General's Warrant), for the year ending 30th June, 1889. The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. Colby reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and sixty-five thousand, eight hundred and ninety dollars and eighteen cents be granted to Her Majesty,—amount required to cover unprovided items for 1887-88, as per Auditor General's report, page B—62, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and forty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for 9 months' services of Mrs. *Elke Landerkin*, as clerk in the Dominion Lands Office at *Nelsonville*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and fifteen dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Amount required for the repair of roads on Ordnance Lands at *Grand Falls, New Brunswick*, \$700; To pay *Louis Lavoie, junr.*, late caretaker of the ordnance property at *Hoche-laga*, a gratuity of one month's salary, \$15.50, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Trent Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses, *Prince Edward Island Railway*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses, *Intercolonial Railway* (Governor General's Warrant, \$125,000), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand eight hundred and thirty-five dollars and twenty-two cents be granted to Her Majesty for Inspection of Weights and Measures, to pay Salaries of the following Assistant Inspectors:—*R. A. Hughes*, from 5th October, 1888, at \$600, \$443.55; *Edward Kelly*, from 1st December, 1888, at \$500, \$291.67; *J. S. Baker*, for whole year, \$600; *P. C. A. Bruneau*, for the whole year, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand and forty-six dollars and twenty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay costs of appeal to Privy Council, in the *Queen vs. Hodge*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, further amount required to meet the expenditure connected with the *Royal Labour Commission* (Governor General's Warrant, \$20,000), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required to complete the service of the year, *North-West Mounted Police*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and thirteen thousand four hundred and thirty-nine dollars and fifty-six cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *Intercolonial Railway*, as follow, viz. :—Increased accommodation at *Halifax*, \$2,800; *Dalhousie Branch*, \$400; Increased accommodation at *Rivière du Loup*, \$1,700; *Pictou Town Branch*, \$30,000; *Rivière-du-Loup Town Branch* (Governor General's Warrant, \$6,260.73), \$7,100; *Dartmouth Branch*, \$1,000; Rolling stock (Governor General's Warrant), \$170,000; *Halifax Extension* (Governor General's Warrant), \$439.56, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-eight thousand one hundred dollars and seventy-one cents be granted to Her Majesty, to meet additional amount required for *Immigration* (Governor General's Warrant), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and eighty-seven dollars and twelve cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *Manitoba Penitentiary* (Amount required to cancel charges for fuel and light, Warden's residence, 1887-88), for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand four hundred and eighty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *Department of Marine*, as follow, viz. :—Further amount required to provide for the salary of a third-class clerk, from 1st April to 30th June, 1889, \$182 50; To provide for the salary of *C. C. Chipman*, from 1st July, 1888, to 30th June, 1889, \$2,300, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand seven hundred and seven dollars and twenty-six cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *Public Buildings*, as follow, viz. :—Repairs, furniture, heating, &c., *Toronto Custom House* and *Examining Warehouse*, \$475; Water for the *Dominion Public Buildings*—To pay the *City Corporation of Hamilton*, accounts for water rates in connection with the new *Public Building*, 1st January, 1881, to 30th June, 1888 (Governor General's Warrant), \$2,627.26; Additional safe for *Victoria, B.C., Post Office*, \$300; Fitting up the temporary *Post Office building at Winnipeg*, for use as an examining warehouse, \$800; *Halifax Dominion Building*—New pump and repairs to heating apparatus, \$600; *Antigonish Public Buildings*—Repairs, furniture, &c., \$180; *Montreal Post Office*—New safe for *Customs postal branch*, and brass counter railing, &c., in *Accountant's room*, \$500; Repairs, fittings, &c., *special agent's office, Montreal Custom House*, \$450; *Quebec Post Office*—Fitting up room for use as a *Customs office* in connection with the postal parcel service, \$350; *Kingston Custom House*—Repairs, furniture, &c., \$750; *Ottawa Geological Museum*—Furniture, &c., \$675, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

The first Thirteen Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Fourteenth Resolution, being read a second time; and the Question being proposed, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution.

Mr. *McMullen* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Bain (Wentworth)*; That the said Resolution be not agreed to, "as it appears that the Minister of Marine "stated in his place in the House that the appointment of Mr. *Chipman* to a new "additional Chief Clerkship in his Department at a salary of \$2,300 would impose "no additional tax on the people of this country."

"That it subsequently appeared that the said statement had no foundation in "fact; that it be referred back to the Committee of Supply, with instructions to "leave out the item, Salary of *C. C. Chipman*, \$2,300."

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow :—

## YEAS :

## Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Mc Mullen,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rob't),</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John), and</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin)—33.</i>
<i>Colter,</i>			

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou)</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudr'il),</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wilmot, and</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm't'd) 65.</i>
<i>Dawson,</i>			

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put ;

*Resolved*, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution. The subsequent Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

Mr. Colby reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow :—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for office of the Queen's Privy Council of Canada, as follow, viz. :— One statutory increase (omitted in main Estimates) \$50; additional amount for translation, &c., \$100; to increase the salary of the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery to \$2,400, \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Justice, Statutory increase to one third class clerk (omitted in main Estimates), for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to make up to C. C. Pelletier, Department of the Interior, the difference between \$400 and \$700 per annum, from the 1st January, 1887, to 1st July, 1887, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and forty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the salary of a third class clerk, Department of Marine, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand five hundred and thirty one dollars and eighty-six cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Indian Affairs:—To provide the usual salary for the Solicitor for Indian Affairs, the amount having been omitted from the main Estimates for 1889-90, \$400; To provide for the increase, from \$400 to \$450, in the salary of *David Osahgel*, third-class clerk, to which he is entitled, on account of having passed in the optional subject of book-keeping before the Board of Examiners for the Civil Service—from 11th February to 30th June, 1889, \$19.36, and to provide for the statutory increase for three months, ending 30th June, 1889, \$12.50, total, \$31.86; To provide a salary for a second-class clerk, to keep the accounts of Parliamentary appropriations for Indian purposes, \$1,100; Contingencies, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Fisheries:—To provide for the promotion of one second-class clerk to a first class clerkship, \$50; To provide for the promotion of one third-class clerk to a second-class clerkship, \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Printing and Stationery—To meet further amount required for contingencies, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Departments generally—To remunerate special messenger for delivery of night mails to Ministers and Deputy Heads, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Post Office and Finance Departments:—Contingencies—Amount required to make payment to those officers of the Savings Bank Branch, Post Office and Finance Departments, engaged in the balancing of, and computing interest on, depositors' accounts to 30th June, 1889—Post Office Department, \$1,850; Finance Department, \$1,250, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay additional salary to *C. Schreiber*, Chief Engineer of Government Railways, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and seventy dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Dorchester* Penitentiary, as follow:—Additional amount required to pay accountant and schoolmaster, \$200; Amount required to place Guard *L. H. Chambers*, acting as trade instructor, at the maximum of his class, \$70, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand two hundred and thirty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Manitoba* Penitentiary, viz.:—Salaries for quarryman and mason instructor, \$600 each, \$1,200; To pay increase of salary to trade instructor *Pugh*, \$30, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand eight hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Kingston* Penitentiary, to provide for introduction of electric light, \$15,000; Salary of electrician, \$800; Promotion of two guardians to position of keepers, \$60, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. Vincent de Paul* Penitentiary, for 150 cords of tamarac for lime burning, tools, &c., \$1,000; Salary for quarryman, \$600; Required to pay Warden *Ouimet* the maximum salary, under Act 50-51 Vic., cap. 52, sec. 10, \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the undermentioned returning officers for extra services, during the elections:—*T. C. de Lorimier*, election of 1888, \$75; *C. J. Doherty*, election of 1887, \$150; *A. W. Atwater*, election of 1887, \$75, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet expenses in connection with Electoral Franchise Act, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and forty dollars and forty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay to the following Members of Parliament travelling expenses, short calculated in 1887 and 1888: Messrs. *L. H. Davies*, \$58; *J. Yeo*, \$35.20; *S. F. Perry*, \$83.20; *J. Robertson*, \$15.60; *P. A. McIntyre*, \$40.40; *W. Welsh*, \$58, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the following purposes, viz.:—Colonial and Indian Exhibition—To pay balance of freight charges and other unsettled accounts, \$3,500; To aid in further extension and development of the dairying interests of Canada, \$3,000; To aid in the extension and development of the fruit growing industry of Canada, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-four dollars and twenty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *J. M. Oxley*, a permanent officer of the Department of Marine, for services rendered and expenses incurred in connection with the Canadian Pacific Railway arbitration, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Tay Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-six thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Lachine Canal*:—Construction of a bridge over the canal, *Wellington street, Montreal*, \$25,000; For drainage of land and leakage of banks from *Lachine to Côte St. Paul*, \$10,000; For purchase or erection of a telephone line, \$1,600, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Welland Canal*:—Weirs and dams at *Dunville*, \$5,000; Repairing piers, *Port Colborne* and *Port Maitland*, and canal bank summit level, \$10,000; To repair banks damaged by high water and storm on 9th January, 1889, \$15,000; Towards filling a pond at *St. Catharines*—(re-vote, \$5,000), for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand four hundred and thirty-six dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Rideau Canal*:—For works in connection with the new location of the swing bridge over the canal at *Smith's Falls*, including the renewal of a bridge, &c.—re-vote, \$2,536; Construction of a bridge over the canal, between Concession C and D, *Nepean* front—re-vote, \$7,000; To pay claims for land damages and legal expenses, \$900, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay claims and services of valuers, *Carillon Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for improvement of ship channel between *Quebec* and *Montreal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty to cover the cost of placing seventy-five additional keel blocks in the *Esquimalt* Graving Dock, *B. C.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Halifax* Immigrant Building, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Prince Edward Island*:—*Charlottetown* Dominion Building—Introduction of water from city aqueduct \$500; *Summerside* Public Building—Improvements, &c., \$900, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

29. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs to *Sussex* Public Building, *New Brunswick*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

30. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings *Quebec*:—*Carillon* Inland Revenue Office, including outbuildings, \$800, *Montreal* Custom House \$1,500; *Montreal* Post Office Improvements, \$950; *Montreal* Dominion Buildings—Improvements, &c.,

in connection with heating and elevator services, \$3,500; *St. Henri* Post Office, &c., \$4,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

31. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-three thousand four hundred dollars, be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Ontario* viz:—*Belleville* Battalion Drill Shed, \$10,000; *Belleville* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$400; *Brantford* Battalion Drill Shed, \$10,000; *Berlin* Post Office, Custom House, &c.—Introduction of water from *Berlin* Waterworks Company's aqueduct, \$300; *Carleton Place* Post Office, &c., \$4,000; *Hamilton* Public Building, \$2,600; *Guelph* Post Office—Improvements, &c.—To complete, \$2,000; *London* Post Office—Re-covering roof, furniture, &c., \$1,200; *London* Military Buildings, \$10,000; *Orillia* Public Buildings—The town contributing the *Wheeler* lot free of cost, \$4,000; Parliament Building—Renewing skylight, House of Commons—re-vote, \$3,250; Parliament Building, *Ottawa*—To cover with copper, front part of roof between main tower and first break west of Commons' entrance, \$3,000; *Peterborough* Custom House, &c., \$10,000; *Peterborough* Post Office—re-vote of lapsed amount, \$1,900; Public Buildings, *Ottawa*—Fuel shed and ice house, \$750; *Prescott* Custom House—Brick vaults, \$1,000; *Stratford* Post Office—Improvements, \$2,000; *St. Thomas* Post Office, Custom House, &c.—Fencing, plumbing, &c., \$900; Public Buildings, *Ottawa*—Addition to Supreme Court Building, \$5,000; *Toronto* Military School—New drill shed, \$3,000; *Toronto* Old Fort—New magazine, \$2,500; *Toronto* Examining Warehouse—Towards purchase of water lots by expropriation or otherwise, \$35,000; *Toronto* Post Office—Sanitary works &c., \$4,200; *Toronto* Immigrant Buildings—Improvements and repairs, \$2,000; *Walkerton* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$4,000; *Windsor* Public Building—Alterations, &c., \$400, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

32. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Manitoba*, viz.:—*Manitoba* Penitentiary—re-vote, \$15,000; *Winnipeg* Post Office—re-vote of lapsed amount, \$2,500; *Winnipeg* Immigrant Buildings—re-vote, \$5,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

33. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-seven thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *North-West Territories*:—*Calgary* Post Office, Custom House and Inland Revenue, Dominion Lands and Crown Timber Offices, \$10,000; *North-West* Mounted Police Buildings, \$50,000; *Regina* Post Office—Improvements, \$1,100; *Regina* Court House and Jail—Water Supply, Fittings, &c., \$7,000; *Regina*, *North West* Assembly Building—Addition, \$8,000; Assistance towards the erection of a Hospital at *Medicine Hat*—The local authorities contributing \$3,000, \$2,000; *Regina* Jail—Cottages for officers, \$6,000; Immigrant Buildings at *Regina*, *Whitewood* and *Salt Coats*, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

34. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-seven thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *British Columbia*:—*British Columbia* Penitentiary—re-vote, \$15,000; *Victoria* Military Buildings, \$21,250; *Nanaimo* Public Building—Improvements, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

35. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand two hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Repairs, Furniture, Heating, &c.:—*Quebec* Custom House.—Protection of Main Pipes, Heating Apparatus, Repairs, Furniture, Blinds, &c., \$1,000; *Quebec* Cullers' Office—To make good damage done by fire to furniture, &c., \$800; *Hamilton* Public Building—Fitting up room in Examining Warehouse, exclusively for the custody and filing of Invoices, Alterations, &c., \$450; Old Penitentiary Buildings, *St. John, N. B.*—Repairs, &c., \$400; *Moncton* Public Building—Repairs, &c., \$550; *Toronto* Post Office—Furniture, \$400; *Charlottetown* Dominion Building—To pay account of *A. Newbery, Esq.*, disbursements for keeping grounds in order during 1888, \$400; *Grosse Isle* Quarantine Station, *Quebec*—Repairs to residences of medical assistants, \$800; *Partridge Island* Quarantine Station, *N. B.*—Repairs to pest house, \$300; *Victoria, B. C.*, Quarantine Station—General repairs, \$125, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

36. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-eight thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Nova Scotia*:—*Cow Bay*—Repairs, \$1,500; *East Bay*, north side—Wharf, \$2,000; *Summerville*—Wharf and repairs, \$3,000; *Port Maitland* or *Green Cove*, \$4,200; *Jones Harbour*, \$1,000; *Margaree*—Extension of pier, \$2,500; *Wallace Harbour*, \$2,000; *Port Greville*—Repairs, \$2,500; *Tidnish*, \$2,300; *Grosses Coques*—Breakwater, \$3,000; *Economy*—Extension of breakwater, to complete, \$2,500; *West Jordan Bay*—Dredging, \$1,200; *French Cove*, \$200; *Big Tracadie*—Dredging, \$1,000; *Western Head*, \$5,000; *Port George*—Heavy repairs to pier, \$5,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

37. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Prince Edward Island*, as follow:—*Port Selkirk*, \$1,000; *China Point*, \$1,200; *Chapel Point Wharf*—*Grand River*, \$800, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

38. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventeen thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *New Brunswick*:—*Campbellton* Ballast Wharf and Landing—To complete, \$2,000; *Kingston*—Wharf on *Richibucto River*, \$4,000; *Baie Verte*—Repairs to ballast wharf, \$500; *Shippegan*—Breakwater, \$10,000; *Lincoln*—Wharf, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

39. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and three thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers:—*Quebec*—*Baie St. Paul* Pier—Wing to pier, \$7,500; *Port Daniel*—Addition to pier, \$4,500; *St. Siméon*—Pier, \$5,000; *Rimouski* Pier—Repairs, \$22,500; *Lévis* Graving Dock, \$4,000; *St. Laurent, Island Orleans*—Urgeht works of renewal and repairs, \$6,000; *Longue Pointe* and *Boucherville* Ferry Route—Dredging, \$2,000; *River Yamaska*—Lock and dam, \$2,500; *Rivière L'Assomption*, \$3,500; *St. Timothée*—Piers, \$2,500; *Ile Perrot*—To complete, \$3,300; *Rivière des Prairies*—Improvements at *Pointe à la Carrière, Ile Bizard* and *Ste. Geneviève, Island of Montreal*, \$4,300; *Pointe St. Pierre*—Removal of reef, \$2,000; *Grand Rivière*—Breakwater, \$7,500; *Ste. Anne des Monts*—To complete survey, \$500; *Longueuil* Pier—Approach from the shore, to complete, \$6,000; *Petit Bonaventure*, \$5,000; *Georgeville*—Repairs, &c., \$2,000; *St. Michel de Bellechasse*—Repairs, \$1,000; *River St. Maurice*—West channel, mouth of river, \$4,000; *Pointe à Valois*—Wharf extension, \$3,000; *River Nicolet*—To complete, \$3,000; *Boucherville* Pier—Local authorities furnishing \$1,000, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

40. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-nine thousand seven hundred and eighty-six dollars and fifty-eight cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers:—*Ontario*—*Thessalon*, \$10,000; *Little Current*, \$10,000; *Rondeau Harbour* Works—To pay *F. B. McNamee & Co.*, contractors, in full settlement of their claim, \$1,286.58; *Southampton*, \$7,000; *Midland Harbour*—On condition that the local authorities will provide \$10,000, \$16,000; *Warton*—Breakwater, \$10,000; *Meaford*—Harbour works, \$3,500; *Beaver River*—Dredging channel at outlet of river into *Lake Simcoe* and protecting banks—the local authorities of *Beaverton* contributing \$2,000; \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

41. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-nine thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *British Columbia*:—*Nanaimo*—Removal of *Nicol Rock*, \$5,000; *Fraser River*, \$10,000; *Victoria Harbour*—To complete removal of boulder shoal, \$6,000; *Columbia River*—Improvements between *Revelstoke* and *Arrow Lake*, \$6,000; *Skeena River*—Removal of snags, &c., \$2,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

42. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-five thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Roads and Bridges, as follow:—Bridge across the *Bow River*, near *Calgary*—Improving approaches, painting, &c., \$2,500; New iron truss bridge, to replace the *Union Suspension Bridge, Ottawa*—re-vote, \$35,000; Bridge over the *Belly River*, at *Lethbridge, N. W. T.*—re-vote, \$3,000—To complete, \$28,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

43. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the purchase of a barge in connection with dredging, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

44. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to complete Telegraph Line on north shore of *St. Lawrence*, extension to *Pointe aux Esquimaux*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

45. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for re-poling *Clark's Crossing* and *Saskatchewan Telephone Line*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

46. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet additional amount required for telegraphic connection between *Bonilla Point* and *Victoria, B. C.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

47. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to assist in the erection of a monument to *Col. Williams* (re vote), for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

48. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for Steam communication between *New Westminster* and *Victoria*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

49. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for Steam communication between *Port Mulgrave* and *East Bay*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

50. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for Steam communication between *Halifax* and *St. John, via Yarmouth* and *Port Medway*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

51. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for Steam communication between *St. John, Digby* and *Annapolis*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

52. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for a wharf and shed at *Victoria, British Columbia*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

53. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide a small steam launch for the use of the Indian Department, in the waters of the Province of *British Columbia* (re-vote), for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

54. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for increase of salary of Director of Meteorological Service, from \$2,400 to \$2,500, including his allowance for house rent, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

55. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *Mr. James Fletcher* for services in connection with the entomological collections in the Geological and Natural History Museum, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

56. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand seven hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Ontario* and *Quebec*, as follow:—To provide for the maintenance, at the *Mount Elgin Industrial School, Munceytown*, of 15 additional pupils, at \$60, \$900; To enable the Department to complete the schoolhouse on the *Spanish River Reserve*, \$100; And to provide a salary for a teacher, \$200; To defray one-half of the cost of erecting a new school at *Bécancour, Quebec*, the estimated cost of the building being \$250, of which the *Abenakis of Bécancour* will contribute the remaining half, \$125; To enable the Department to relieve cases of distress among the Indians in *Ontario* who have no funds of their own, \$300; To admit of the re-building of the pupils' playhouse belonging to the *Mount Elgin Institution, at Munceytown*, which was recently destroyed by fire. The sum available from insurance paid is \$1,000. The new and enlarged building will cost \$1,600, and the sum required is \$600; To aid in the maintenance of additional pupils at the Roman Catholic Orphanage at *Fort William, Ontario*, \$200; To enable

the Department to pay the salary of the teacher of the girls' day school at *Wikuemakong, Manitoulin Island*, \$300, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

57. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand six hundred and seventy dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *British Columbia*:—A re-vote of the sums granted for the erection of Indian Industrial Schools at *Kamloops, Kootenay* and on *Kuper Island*, \$7,500; To supplement the grant of \$3,250 for maintenance of 25 pupils, at \$13<sup>00</sup> each, at the *Metlakahla* Industrial School, by a sum which will enable the Department to pay the salary of a Principal, \$800; Matron, \$400; Cook, \$250; Instructor of Trades, \$600; Wages of two servants, \$400; Additional rations for those employés, \$720—\$3,170, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

58. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *New Brunswick*, as follow:—To increase salary of Miss *Martin*, teacher of the Indian Day School, on the *St. Mary's* Indian Reserve, from \$200 to \$250 a year, \$50; To enable the Department to provide a larger supply of seed grain to Indians throughout *New Brunswick* generally, \$300; To enable the Department to pay the Rev. Mr. *Barry*, for services to Indians in *Gloucester County*, \$200; And for similar services rendered by the Rev. Mr. *Smith* at *Restigouche*, \$50, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

59. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide a salary for an Indian Agent to be appointed in *Shelburne County, N. S.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

The first Fourteen Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Fifteenth Resolution, being read a second time, was amended by reducing the item "*C. J. Doherty*, election of 1887," from the sum of \$150 to \$75.

And the said Resolution, so amended, was agreed to, as followeth:—

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the undermentioned Returning Officers for extra services during the elections:—"*T. C. de Lorimier*, election of 1888, \$75; *C. J. Doherty*, election of 1887, \$75; *A. W. Atwater*, election of 1887, \$75," for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

The Sixteenth Resolution, being read a second time; and the Question being proposed, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution;

Mr. *Platt* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Armstrong*, "That the said Resolution be not agreed to, but that it be *Resolved*, That a complete and satisfactory Voters' list is now, and will continue to be available for Dominion Election purposes in every Province of *Canada*, and that such list may be secured for Dominion purposes without expenditure from the Public Treasury."

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for; they were taken down as follow:—

## YEAS:

## Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd) Innes,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>		<i>Ste. Marie,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin)—33.</i>
<i>Colter,</i>			

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Desautniers,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>

<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wilmot. and</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'l'd)-65.</i>
<i>Dawson,</i>			

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put;

*Resolved,* That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution.

Then the subsequent Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Colby* reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards meeting expenditure in connection with the meeting of the Mining Association, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for relief of distress among half-breeds, in *Cumberland District, North-West Territories,* for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Two thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the expenses of examining lands in the Canadian Pacific Railway belt, which the Canadian Pacific Railway Company have proposed to class as lands not fairly fit for settlement, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards aiding in the publication of the sixth volume of "*Le Dictionnaire "Généalogique des Familles Canadiennes,"*" for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for plant required for Government Printing Office, and for Government binding (re-vote), for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Dr. *A. Jukes* for medical services in connection with prisoners and lunatics confined in the guard-room at *Regina,* from 1st July, 1883, to 30th June, 1890 at \$100 per annum, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Colby* reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Twenty-eight thousand seven hundred and ninety-six dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Manitoba,* and the *North-West Territories,* as follow:—To replace the amount taken, in the main Estimates, from the salaries to be paid to the Principals of the three Indian Industrial Schools at *Qu'Appelle, High River* and *Battleford,* \$600; A grant for the maintenance of twenty pupils at each of the three Presbyterian Boarding Schools, *Côté's Reserve, Birtle* and *File Hills,* equal to 60, at \$60, \$3,600; To aid in the erection of a school-house on the *Stony Indian Reserve,* for the Bands of Chiefs *Bear's Paw* and *Chiniquy,* \$200; For the purchase of two waggons for the *Peigan* Indians, to enable them to draw logs with which to rebuild their dwellings, \$196; To provide a salary for the

teacher of the Indian School at *Oak River*, \$300; A grant to the Roman Catholic School at *Lesser Slave Lake*, \$200; To provide fuel and light for the Indian Commissioner, from 1st July, 1889, to 30th June, 1890, \$300; To complete the Industrial School buildings at *St. Paul, Manitoba*, \$10,000; To aid in the erection of a Grist Mill in the *Prince Albert* District, \$1,500; For the maintenance of thirty pupils, at \$60 each per annum, at the Roman Catholic Boarding Schools which it is proposed to establish on certain Reserves in the *North-West Territories*, \$1,800; To provide for the education of twenty Indian children, at \$100 each, when admitted, with the consent of the Department, to Roman Catholic institutions at *St. Boniface* and *Brandon*, \$2,000; To provide for the maintenance of ten pupils, at \$60 each per annum, under the care of the Roman Catholic Church in the *Saskatchewan* District, \$600; To provide salary for an assistant teacher at the *Qu'Appelle* Industrial School, \$350; Further aid towards the completion of a *Chipeawayan* dictionary, commenced by His Grace Archbishop *Taché*, and now being completed by the Rev. Father *Legroff*, \$250; To provide fishing nets, fishing twine and hooks for destitute Indians in the *Mackenzie* and *Athabasca* Districts, \$500; To aid in the erection of a boarding school on the *Peigan* Reserve to accommodate ten or twelve children, the total estimated cost to be from \$1,800 to \$2,000, \$400; The sum required, over and above the amount already appropriated, to finish the Indian Industrial School at *Regina*, \$6,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet additional amount required for repairs, &c., for telegraph lines, *North-West Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand eight hundred and eighty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet the following items in connection with Excise:—To pay the widow of *John McGovern*, in his lifetime Messenger in the *Hamilton* Inland Revenue Office, a gratuity equal to two months' salary, at the rate received by the deceased at the time of his death, \$80; To increase the salaries of special class Excisemen in charge of distilleries, \$1,800, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, To pay the salaries of the following Assistant Inspectors of Weights and Measures—*Robert Magness*, \$600; *W. J. McDonell* \$800; Assistant Inspector at *Pictou, N.S.*, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *George H. Perks*, for expenses and loss of time in connection with inspection of gas at *Port Hope*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety thousand three hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Post Office Department:—To provide for an increase of salary to the Post Office Inspector at *Halifax, Nova Scotia*, he being entitled to the same under the Civil Service Act, \$200; To provide for one additional second class clerk in the Post Office Inspector's Office at *Halifax, Nova Scotia*, \$900; To provide for four additional Second class Railway Mail Clerks in the *Nova Scotia* Postal Division, at \$720 each, \$2,880, thus effecting a saving of \$150; To provide for 13 additional Letter Carriers in the *Toronto* Post Office at \$360 each, \$4,680; Amount required for mail service over the Canadian Pacific Railway in consequence of advance in rates over the main line, for the year ending 30th June, 1890, being difference between 8 cents and 12 cents per mile, \$81,500, to be distributed as follow:—*Ontario*, \$30,000; *Quebec*, \$3,100; *Manitoba*, \$32,200; *British Columbia*, \$16,200; Compensation to *Alphonse LeGresley*, mail contractor between *Gaspé Basin* and *Percé*, for loss of horse and vehicle which broke through the ice while crossing the river near *Douglastown*, on the 9th of January last, his brother, the courier, losing his life at the same time, \$200, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay an extra allowance of \$240 per annum to *W. Wallace*, ex-postmaster

at *Victoria, British Columbia*, from 1st January, 1888, to 30th June, 1890 (superannuation), for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Intercolonial Railway, viz. :—*Dartmouth Branch*, \$4,000; *Indiantown Branch*, \$1,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet further amount required for Contingencies of High Commissioner for *Canada in England*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain proposed Resolutions, to authorize the granting of subsidies to certain Railway Companies and towards the construction of certain Railways therein mentioned; and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had made some progress, and directed him to move for leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, on Monday next, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, delivered to Mr. Speaker, a Message from His Excellency the Governor General, signed by His Excellency.

And the said Message was read by Mr. Speaker (all the Members of the House standing and being uncovered), and is as followeth :—

STANLEY OF PRESTON.

The Governor General transmits to the House of Commons, additional Supplementary Estimates of sums required for the Service of the Dominion, for the year ending 30th June, 1890; and in accordance with the provisions of "The *British North America Act, 1867*," he recommends these Estimates to the House of Commons. (*Sessional Papers, No. 2.*)

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

*Ottawa*, 27th April, 1889.

On motion of Mr. *Foster*, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*,

*Ordered*, That the said Message, together with the Estimates accompanying the same, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

And then The House adjourned till Monday next.

Monday, 29th April, 1889.

PRAYERS.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, from the Joint Committee of both Houses appointed to enquire into the expenditure of the country in respect of Legislation and the practicability of reducing the same, presented to the House the Report of the said Committee, which was read. (*Appendix No. 5.*)

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 11th March, 1889, for copies of all

petitions presented to the Government by the residents of the Township of the Front of Young, County of Leeds, Ontario; praying that Jones' Creek in the said Township be declared a non-navigable stream, and to allow the Municipal Council to build a low solid bridge across said stream. Also, copies of the Report of the Engineer on the same. (*Sessional Papers, No. 69b.*)

On motion of Mr. Taylor, seconded by Mr. Hickey,

*Resolved*, That this House doth concur in the Fifth, Sixth, Seventh and Eighth Reports of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament.

Mr. Dewdney moved, seconded by Mr. Haggart, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution, respecting a grant of land, as authorized by a certain Act of the present Session of Parliament, to the Wood Mountain and Qu'Appelle Railway Company.

Mr. Dewdney, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, then acquainted the House, That His Excellency the Governor General, having been informed of the subject matter of this Motion, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

The Order of the Day being read, for the House again in Committee on the Bill relating to Bills of Exchange, Cheques and Promissory Notes;

*Ordered*, That the said Order be discharged.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be withdrawn.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend chapter forty-one of the Revised Statutes, respecting the Militia and Defence of Canada;

*Ordered*, That the said Order be discharged.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be withdrawn.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend the Act respecting the Rocky Mountains Park of Canada;

*Ordered*, That the said Order be discharged.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be withdrawn.

Sir John A. Macdonald, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 8th April, 1889, for copies of all correspondence between Mr. Allan Knight, or his solicitor, with the Government of Canada, or any of its officers, in reference to a claim for damages in connection with the Indian Town Branch of the Intercolonial Railway, and also, any report from any of the Government officers in reference to the same subject. (*Sessional Papers, No. 51b.*)

And also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 11th April, 1889, for copies of all letters, reports, and correspondence had between Mr. George R. Parker and the Government, or any of its officers; and also, between the Government and its officers, in relation to claims for land, and damages, in connection with the Derby Branch Railway. (*Sessional Papers, No. 51c.*)

Mr. Colby reported from the Committee of the Whole House, to consider a certain proposed Resolution, respecting the Pontiac Pacific Railway Company, a Resolution, which was read, as followeth:—

*Resolved*, That it be declared that the provision in the Act 51 Victoria, chapter 3, respecting the Pontiac Pacific Railway Company extends the several subsidies in aid of the said Company for four years from the passing of said Act, that is to say, from the 2nd May, 1888.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendment made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act further to amend 'The Customs Act,' chapter thirty-two of the Revised Statutes," and the same was twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered,* That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendment.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act further to amend 'The Dominion Lands Act,'" and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered,* That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered,* That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved,* That the Bill, with the Amendments, do pass.

*Ordered,* That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath passed the same with several Amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendment made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act further to amend the Revised Statutes, chapter five, respecting the Electoral Franchise," and the same was twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered,* That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendment.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill relating to Ocean Steamship Subsidies;

Mr. Foster moved, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*, and the Question being put, That the Bill be now a second time; the House divided; and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved,* That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee; and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered,* That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

And the Question being put, That the Bill do pass; the House divided: and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

*Ordered,* That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain proposed Resolutions, to authorize the granting of subsidies to certain Railway Companies and towards the construction of certain Railways therein mentioned.

(In the Committee.)

1. Resolved, That it is expedient to authorize the Governor in Council to grant the subsidies hereinafter mentioned to the Railway Companies, and towards the construction of the Railways also hereinafter mentioned, that is to say:—

For a Railway from some point on the <i>Joggins</i> Railway, near the <i>Hebert</i> River, to <i>Young's Mills</i> , in the Province of <i>Nova Scotia</i> , a distance of five miles, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, and not exceeding in the whole.....	\$ 16,000 00
To the <i>St. Clair</i> Frontier Tunnel Company, for the construction of a tunnel under the <i>St. Clair</i> River, from a point at or near <i>Sarnia</i> to a point at or near <i>Port Huron</i> , a subsidy not exceeding in the whole.....	375,000 00
To the <i>Pontiac</i> and <i>Renfrew</i> Railway Company, for six miles of their railway, from the north bank of the <i>Ottawa</i> River, opposite <i>Braeside</i> , or from <i>Bristol</i> Iron Mines to the <i>Pontiac</i> Pacific Junction Railway, near the <i>Quion</i> River, in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, and not exceeding in the whole.....	19,200 00
To the <i>Quebec</i> , <i>Montmorency</i> and <i>Charlevoix</i> Railway Company, for thirty miles of their railway, from the east bank of the <i>St. Charles</i> River, to or near to <i>Cape Tormente</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, and not exceeding in the whole....	96,000 00
To the <i>Fredericton</i> and <i>St. Mary's</i> Bridge Company, for a bridge over the <i>St. John</i> River, at <i>Fredericton</i> , in the Province of <i>New Brunswick</i> , a subsidy not exceeding in the whole.....	30,000 00
To the <i>Napanee</i> , <i>Tamworth</i> and <i>Quebec</i> Railway Company, for seven miles of their railway, from a point at or near <i>Yarker</i> to a point at or near <i>Harrowsmith</i> , and to a company for three miles of railway from a point at or near <i>Harrowsmith</i> to a point at or near <i>Sydenham</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, and not exceeding in the whole.....	32,000 00
For a Railway from a point near <i>Sicamous</i> , on the Canadian Pacific Railway, to a point on <i>Lake Okanagan</i> , for fifty-one miles of such railway, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, and not exceeding in the whole.....	163,200 00
To the <i>Cornwallis</i> Valley Railway Company, for one mile of their railway, from the end of the line subsidized by 50 51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 24, to <i>Kingsport</i> , in the Province of <i>Nova Scotia</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	3,200 00
To the <i>Lake Temiscamingue</i> Colonization and Railway Company, for fifteen miles of their railway, from <i>Mattawa</i> Station on the Canadian Pacific Railway, towards the <i>Long Sault</i> , or from the <i>Long Sault</i> towards the <i>Mattawa</i> Station, on the Canadian Pacific Railway, in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	48,000 00
To the <i>Maskinongé</i> and <i>Nipissing</i> Railway Company, for fifteen miles of their railway, from a point on the Canadian Pacific Railway at or near <i>Maskinongé</i> or <i>Louisville</i> , towards the Parish of <i>St. Michel des-Saints</i> , on the <i>River Mattawin</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	48,000 00
To the <i>Kingston</i> , <i>Smith's Falls</i> and <i>Ottawa</i> Railway Company, for twenty miles of their railway, from the City of <i>Kingston</i> towards <i>Smith's Falls</i> , in the Province of <i>Ontario</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	64,000 00
To the <i>South Ontario</i> Pacific Railway Company, for forty-nine and one-half miles of their railway, from <i>Woodstock</i> to <i>Hamilton</i> , in the Province of <i>Ontario</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	158,400 00

For a Railway from <i>St. Césaire</i> to <i>St. Paul d'Abbottsford</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , five miles, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	16,000 00
To the Great Eastern Railway Company, for twenty miles of their railway, from the east end of the line subsidized by the Act 50-51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 24, at <i>St. Grégoire</i> , towards the <i>Chaudière</i> Junction Station on the Intercolonial Railway, in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	64,000 00
To the <i>Drummond</i> County Railway Company, for four and one-half miles of their railway, from the end of the line subsidized by the Act 50-51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 24, to <i>Ball's Wharf</i> , on the <i>St. Lawrence</i> River, in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	14,400 00
To the <i>St. Catharines</i> and <i>Niagara</i> Central Railway Company, for twenty miles of their railway, from the end of the line subsidized by the Act 50-51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 24, at <i>St. Catharines</i> , towards the City of <i>Hamilton</i> , in the Province of <i>Ontario</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	64,000 00
To the <i>Quebec</i> and <i>Lake St. John</i> Railway Company, for twenty miles of their railway, from the end of the section of thirty miles from <i>Lake St. John</i> towards <i>Chicoutimi</i> , subsidized by the Act 51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, towards <i>Chicoutimi</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	64,000 00
To the Grand Trunk, <i>Georgian</i> Bay and <i>Lake Erie</i> Railway Company, for fifteen miles of their railway, from the Village of <i>Tara</i> , or some point between <i>Tara</i> and <i>Hepworth</i> , to the Town of <i>Owen Sound</i> , in the Province of <i>Ontario</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	48,000 00
To the <i>Hereford</i> Railway Company, for fifteen miles of their railway, from <i>Cookshire</i> to a junction with the <i>Quebec</i> Central Railway at <i>Dudswell</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	48,000 00
To the <i>Massawippi</i> Junction Railway Company, for fifteen miles of their railway, from <i>Ayer's Flat</i> to <i>Coaticook</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	48,000 00
To the <i>Brockville</i> , <i>Westport</i> and <i>Sault Ste. Marie</i> Railway Company, for twenty miles of their railway, from a point at or near <i>Newboro'</i> towards <i>Palmer Rapids</i> , in the Province of <i>Ontario</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	64,000 00
To the <i>Thousand Islands</i> Railway Company, for four miles of their railway, from a point near the <i>St. Lawrence</i> River, in <i>Gananoque</i> Village, to <i>Gananoque</i> Junction of the Grand Trunk Railway, and for thirteen miles of their railway, from <i>Gananoque</i> Junction of the Grand Trunk Railway, to a junction with the <i>Brockville</i> , <i>Westport</i> and <i>Sault Ste. Marie</i> Railway, in the Province of <i>Ontario</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	54,400 00
For a Railway from <i>Cape Tormente</i> towards <i>Murray Bay</i> , twenty miles, in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	64,000 00
To the <i>Amhersiburgh</i> and <i>Lake Shore</i> and <i>Blenheim</i> Railway Company, for twenty miles of their railway, in the Province of <i>Ontario</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	64,000 00
2. Resolved, That so much of the subsidy of \$3,200 per mile, which, under the provisions of the Act 49th <i>Victoria</i> , Chapter 17, and of any subsequent Act, may be paid to the <i>Baie des Chaleurs</i> Railway Company, in respect of the last thirty miles of	

their railway, eastward from *Metapediac*, shall be applicable to the section of the said railway, comprised between the fortieth and the seventieth mile thereof, eastward from *Metapediac*, instead of to the said first mentioned section of thirty miles, making Six thousand four hundred dollars per mile, applicable to the secondly mentioned section of thirty miles; but the foregoing provision shall be subject to the condition that the said Company undertake to complete the thirty miles of their railway, from the seventieth to the hundredth mile eastward from *Metapediac*, within a reasonable time, not to exceed four years, to be fixed by Order in Council, and without any further subsidy from the Government of *Canada*, and that they deposit with the Minister of Railways and Canals, as security to the Crown, that they will well and truly carry out their undertaking, their bonds to the amount of Two hundred thousand dollars.

3. *Resolved*, Every subsidy so granted, shall be granted on the terms, and subject to the conditions, upon and under which subsidies were granted, by the Act passed in the Session held in the fiftieth and fifty-first years of Her Majesty's reign, Chapter twenty-four, in aid of the railways and railway bridges in the said Act mentioned.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. *Colby* reported the Resolutions accordingly, and the same were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to authorize the Governor in Council to grant the subsidies hereinafter mentioned to the Railway Companies, and towards the construction of the Railways also hereinafter mentioned, that is to say:—

For a Railway from some point on the *Joggins* Railway, near the *Hebert* River, to *Young's Mills*, in the Province of *Nova Scotia*, a distance of five miles, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, and not exceeding in the whole..... \$ 16,000 00

To the *St. Clair* Frontier Tunnel Company, for the construction of a tunnel under the *St. Clair* River, from a point at or near *Sarnia*, to a point at or near *Port Huron*, a subsidy not exceeding in the whole..... 375,000 00

To the *Pontiac* and *Renfrew* Railway Company, for six miles of their railway, from the north bank of the *Ottawa* River, opposite *Braeside*, or from *Bristol* Iron Mines to the *Pontiac* Pacific Junction Railway, near the *Quion* River, in the Province of *Quebec*, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, and not exceeding in the whole..... 19,200 00

To the *Quebec*, *Montmorency* and *Charlevoix* Railway Company, for thirty miles of their railway, from the east bank of the *St. Charles* River, to or near *Cape Tormente*, in the Province of *Quebec*, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, and not exceeding in the whole..... 96,000 00

To the *Fredericton* and *St. Mary's* Bridge Company, for a bridge over the *St. John* River at *Fredericton*, in the Province of *New Brunswick*, a subsidy not exceeding in the whole..... 30,000 00

To the *Napanee*, *Tamworth* and *Quebec* Railway Company, for seven miles of their railway, from a point at or near *Yarker* to a point at or near *Harrowsmith*, and to a company for three miles of railway from a point at or near *Harrowsmith* to a point at or near *Sydenham*, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, and not exceeding in the whole. 32,000 00

For a Railway from a point near *Sicamous*, on the *Canadian Pacific* Railway, to a point on *Lake Okanagan*, for fifty-one miles of such railway, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, and not exceeding in the whole ..... 163,200 00

To the <i>Cornwallis Valley Railway Company</i> , for one mile of their railway, from the end of the line subsidized by 50-51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 24, to <i>Kingsport</i> , in the Province of <i>Nova Scotia</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	3,200 00
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To the <i>Kingston, Smith's Falls and Ottawa Railway Company</i> , for twenty miles of their railway, from the City of <i>Kingston</i> towards <i>Smith's Falls</i> , in the Province of <i>Ontario</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	64,000 00
To the <i>South Ontario Pacific Railway Company</i> , for forty-nine and one-half miles of their railway, from <i>Woodstock</i> to <i>Hamilton</i> , in the Province of <i>Ontario</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	158,400 00
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To the <i>Drummond County Railway Company</i> , for four and one-half miles of their railway, from the end of the line subsidized by the Act 50 51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 24, to <i>Ball's Wharf</i> , on the <i>St. Lawrence River</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	14,400 00
To the <i>St. Catharines and Niagara Central Railway Company</i> , for twenty miles of their railway, from the end of the line subsidized by the Act 50-51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 24, at <i>St. Catharines</i> , towards the City of <i>Hamilton</i> , in the Province of <i>Ontario</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	64,000 00
To the <i>Quebec and Lake St. John Railway Company</i> , for twenty miles of their railway, from the end of the section of thirty miles from <i>Lake St. John</i> towards <i>Chicoutimi</i> , subsidized by the Act 51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, towards <i>Chicoutimi</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	64,000 00
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To the <i>Massawippi Junction Railway Company</i> , for fifteen miles of their railway, from <i>Ayer's Flat</i> to <i>Coaticook</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	43,000 00
To the <i>Brockville, Westport and Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company</i> , for twenty miles of their railway, from a point at or near <i>Newboro'</i> towards <i>Palmer Rapids</i> , in the Province of <i>Ontario</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	64,000 00
To the <i>Thousand Islands Railway Company</i> , for four miles of their railway, from a point near the <i>St. Lawrence River</i> , in <i>Gananoque Village</i> , to <i>Gananoque Junction</i> of the <i>Grand Trunk Railway</i> , and for thirteen miles of their railway, from <i>Gananoque Junction</i> of the <i>Grand Trunk Railway</i> , to a junction with the <i>Brockville, Westport and Sault Ste. Marie Railway</i> , in the Province of <i>Ontario</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	54,400 00
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To the <i>Amherstburgh and Lake Shore and Blenheim Railway Company</i> , for twenty miles of their railway, in the Province of <i>Ontario</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	64,000 00

2. *Resolved*, That so much of the subsidy of \$3,200 per mile, which, under the provisions of the *Act 49th Victoria*, Chapter 17, and of any subsequent Act, may be paid to the *Baie des Chaleurs Railway Company*, in respect of the last thirty miles of their railway, eastward from *Metapediac*, shall be applicable to the section of the said railway, comprised between the fortieth and the seventieth mile thereof, eastward from *Metapediac*, instead of to the said first mentioned section of thirty miles, making Six thousand four hundred dollars per mile, applicable to the secondly mentioned section of thirty miles; but the foregoing provision shall be subject to the condition that the said Company undertake to complete the thirty miles of their railway, from the seventieth to the hundredth mile eastward from *Metapediac*, within a reasonable time, not to exceed four years, to be fixed by Order in Council, and without any further subsidy from the Government of *Canada*, and that they deposit with the Minister of Railways and Canals, as security to the Crown, that they will well and truly carry out their undertaking, their bonds to the amount of Two hundred thousand dollars.

3. *Resolved*, Every subsidy so granted, shall be granted on the terms, and subject to the conditions, upon and under which subsidies were granted, by the Act passed in the Session held in the fiftieth and fifty-first years of Her Majesty's reign, Chapter twenty-four, in aid of the railways and railway bridges in the said Act mentioned.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time ;

Sir *John A. Macdonald* moved, seconded by Mr. *Foster*, That the First of the said Resolutions be now agreed to ;

Mr. *Davies* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Mills (Bothwell)*, That all the words after "be" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "re-committed to a Committee of the Whole House, to amend the same, by leaving out the "vote : "To the *Fredericton and St. Mary's Bridge Company*, for a bridge over the *St. John River*, at *Fredericton*, in the Province of *New Brunswick*, a subsidy not exceeding in the whole \$30,000," inserted instead thereof ;

And the Question being put on the amendment ; the House divided : and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow :—

YEAS :

Messieurs

*Armstrong,*  
*Bain (Wentworth),*  
*Beausoleil,*

*Choquette,*  
*Colter,*  
*Davies,*

*Innes,*  
*Jones (Halifax),*  
*Laurier,*

*Ste. Marie,*  
*Scriver,*  
*Somerville,*

<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Trou,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd)</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John), and</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin).—33.</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>			

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Ferguson (L'As. &amp; Gren.)</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wilmot, and</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>	<i>Wood (Westmorel'd).—65.</i>
<i>Dawson,</i>			

So it passed in the Negative.

And the Question being again proposed, That the First Resolution be now agreed to;

Sir Richard J. Cartwright moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. Laurier, That all the words after "be" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "re-committed to a Committee of the Whole House, so as to provide that the sum of "\$30,000 to be paid to the *Fredericton* and *St. Mary's* Bridge Company, be applied in "reduction of the sum of \$300,000 advanced to the said Bridge Company," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS:

## Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Trou,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd),</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John), and</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin).—33.</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>			

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>

<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John)</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Ferguson (L'ds &amp; Gren.),</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wilmot, and</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm't'd)—65.</i>
<i>Dawson,</i>			

So it passed in the Negative.

And the Question being put, That the said Resolution be agreed to; the House divided: and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the Question being put, That the Second Resolution be now agreed to; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

YEAS:

Messieurs

<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John)</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Ferguson (L'ds &amp; Gren.)</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wilmot, and</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm't'd)—66.</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>		

NAYS:

Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Troo,</i>
<i>Gartwright (Sir Rich'd),</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Weldon (St John), and</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin).—35.</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Third Resolution was then agreed to.

Ordered, That Sir John A. Macdonald have leave to bring in a Bill to authorize the granting of subsidies in aid of the construction of the lines of Railway therein mentioned.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a second time.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House, for To-morrow.

Sir John A. Macdonald, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Papers, Correspondence, etc, respecting subsidies to certain Railway Companies, and towards the construction of certain Railways, as follow:—

St. Césaire to St. Paul d'Abbotsford Railway.

Quebec and Murray Bay Railway.

South Ontario Pacific Railway.

Kingston, Smith's Falls and Ottawa Railway Company.

Lake Temiscamingue Railway Company, Mattawa to foot of Long Sault.

Shuswap and Lake Okanagan Railway.

Chicoutimi Railway.

St. Catharines and Niagara Central Railway Company.

Grand Trunk, Georgian Bay and Lake Erie Railway Company.

Hereford Railway Company.

Quebec, Montmorency and Charlevoix Railway.

Cornwallis Valley Railway Company.

St. Clair Tunnel Company.

Drummond County Railway.

Pontiac and Renfrew Railway Company.

Massawippi Junction Railway.

Great Eastern Railway Company.

Gananoque, Perth and James' Bay Railway Company, and Thousand Islands Railway Company.

Brockville, Westport and Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company.

Maskinongé and Lake Nipissing Railway.

Napanee, Tamworth and Quebec Railway Company; and

Joggins Railway Company. (*Sessional Papers, No. 22m.*)

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution, on which to found an Address to Her Majesty, respecting the westerly, northerly and easterly boundaries of the Province of Ontario.

(*In the Committee.*)

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying that she may be graciously pleased to cause a measure to be submitted to the Parliament of the United Kingdoms of Great Britain and Ireland, declaring and providing the following to be the westerly, northerly and easterly boundaries of the Province of Ontario, that is to say:—Commencing at the point where the international boundary between the *United States of America* and *Canada* strikes the western shores of *Lake Superior*, thence westerly along the said boundary to the north-west angle of the *Lake of the Woods*; thence along a line drawn due north until it strikes the middle line of the course of the river discharging the waters of the lake called *Lake Seul* or the *Lonely Lake*, whether above or below its confluence with the stream flowing from the *Lake of the Woods* towards *Lake Winnipeg*, and thence proceeding eastward from the point at which the before-mentioned line strikes the middle line of the course of the river last aforesaid, along the middle line of the course of the same river (whether called by the name of the *English River*, or, as to the part below the confluence, by the name of the *River Winnipeg*)

up to Lake *Seul* or the *Lonely Lake*, and thence along the middle line of Lake *Seul* or *Lonely Lake* to the head of that lake, and thence by a straight line to the nearest point of the middle line of the waters of Lake *St. Joseph*, and thence along that middle line until it reaches the foot or outlet of that lake, and thence along the middle line of the river by which the waters of Lake *St. Joseph* discharge themselves to the shore of the part of *Hudson's Bay* commonly known as *James' Bay*, and thence south-easterly, following upon the said shore to a point where a line drawn due north from the head of Lake *Temiscamingue* would strike it, and thence due south along the said line to the head of the said lake, and thence through the middle channel of the said lake, into the *Ottawa River*, and thence descending along the middle of the main channel of the said river to the intersection by the prolongation of the western limit of the Seigneurie of *Rigaud*, such mid-channel being as indicated on a map of the *Ottawa Ship Canal Survey*, made by *Walter Shanly*, C.E., and approved by Order of the Governor General in Council, dated the 21st July, 1886, and thence southerly, following the said westerly boundary of the Seigneurie of *Rigaud* to the south-west angle of the said Seigneurie, and thence southerly along the western boundary of the augmentation of the Township of *Newton*, to the north-west angle of the Seigneurie of *Longueuil*, and thence south-easterly along the south-western boundary of said Seigneurie of *New Longueuil*, to a stone boundary on the north bank of the Lake *St. Francis*, at the cove, west of *Pointe au Baudet*, such line from the *Ottawa River* to Lake *St. Francis* being, as indicated on a plan of the line of boundary between Upper and Lower Canada, made in accordance with the Act 23 *Victoria*, Chapter 21, and approved by Order of the Governor General in Council, dated the 16th of March, 1861.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered. That the Report be now received.

Mr. *Colby* reported the Resolution accordingly, and the same was read, as followeth:—

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying that she may be graciously pleased to cause a measure to be submitted to the Parliament of the *United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland* declaring and providing the following to be the westerly, northerly and easterly boundaries of the Province of *Ontario*, that is to say:—Commencing at the point where the International boundary between the *United States of America* and *Canada* strikes the western shores of Lake *Superior*, thence westerly along the said boundary to the north-west angle of the *Lake of the Woods*; thence along a line drawn due north until it strikes the middle line of the course of the river discharging the waters of the lake called Lake *Seul* or the *Lonely Lake*, whether above or below its confluence with the stream flowing from the *Lake of the Woods* towards Lake *Winnipeg*, and thence proceeding eastward from the point at which the before mentioned line strikes the middle line of the course of the river last aforesaid, along the middle line of the course of the same river (whether called by the name of the *English River*, or, as to the part below the confluence, by the name of the *River Winnipeg*) up to Lake *Seul* or the *Lonely Lake*, and thence along the middle line of Lake *Seul* or *Lonely Lake* to the head of that lake, and thence by a straight line to the nearest point of the middle line of the waters of Lake *St. Joseph*, and thence along that middle line until it reaches the foot or outlet of that lake, and thence along the middle line of the river by which the waters of Lake *St. Joseph* discharge themselves to the shore of the part of *Hudson's Bay*, commonly known as *James Bay*, and thence south easterly, following upon the said shore to a point where a line drawn due north from the head of Lake *Temiscamingue* would strike it, and thence due south along the said line to the head of the said lake, and thence through the middle channel of the said lake, into the *Ottawa River*, and thence descending along the middle of the main channel of the said river to the intersection by the prolongation of the western limit of the Seigneurie of *Rigaud*, such mid-channel being, as indicated on a map of the *Ottawa Ship Canal Survey*, made by

*Walter Shanly*, C.E., and approved by Order of the Governor General in Council, dated the 21st July, 1886, and thence southerly, following the said westerly boundary of the Seigneurie of *Rigaud* to the south-west angle of the said Seigneurie, and thence southerly along the western boundary of the augmentation of the Township of *Newton*, to the north-west angle of the Seigneurie of *Longueuil*, and thence south-easterly along the south-western boundary of said Seigneurie of *New Longueuil*, to a stone boundary on the north bank of the *Lake St. Francis*, at the cove, west of *Pointe au Baudet*, such line from the *Ottawa River* to *Lake St. Francis* being, as indicated on a plan of the line of boundary between Upper and Lower *Canada*, made in accordance with the Act 23 *Victoria*, Chapter 21, and approved by Order of the Governor General in Council, dated the 16th of March, 1861.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

Resolved, That a Select Committee composed of *Sir John A. Macdonald*, *Sir Hector L. Langevin*, *Messieurs Mills (Bothwell) Howell* and *Shanly*, be appointed to draft an Address to Her Majesty, founded on the said Resolution.

*Sir John A. Macdonald* reported, from the Select Committee appointed to draw up an Address to Her Majesty, That they had drawn up an Address accordingly, and the same was read, as followeth:—

To the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty.

MOST GRACIOUS SOVEREIGN:

We, Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects the Commons of *Canada* in Parliament assembled, humbly approach Your Majesty with the request that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased to cause a measure to be submitted to the Parliament of the *United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland*, declaring and providing the following to be the westerly, northerly and easterly boundaries of the Province of *Ontario*, that is to say:—

Commencing at the point where the International boundary between the *United States of America* and *Canada* strikes the western shores of *Lake Superior*, thence westerly along the said boundary to the north-west angle of the *Lake of the Woods*, thence along a line drawn due north until it strikes the middle line of the course of the river discharging the waters of the lake called *Lake Seul* or the *Lonely Lake*, whether above or below its confluence with the stream flowing from the *Lake of the Woods* towards *Lake Winnipeg*, and thence proceeding eastward from the point at which the before-mentioned line strikes the middle line of the course of the river last aforesaid, along the middle line of the course of the same river (whether called by the name of the *English River*, or, as to the part below the confluence, by the name of the *River Winnipeg*) up to *Lake Seul* or the *Lonely Lake*, and thence along the middle line of *Lake Seul* or *Lonely Lake* to the head of that lake, and thence by a straight line to the nearest point of the middle line of the waters of *Lake St. Joseph*, and thence along that middle line until it reaches the foot or outlet of that lake, and thence along the middle line of the river by which the waters of *Lake St. Joseph* discharge themselves to the shore of the part of *Hudson's Bay*, commonly known as *James' Bay*, and thence south-easterly, following upon the said shore to a point where a line drawn due north from the head of *Lake Témiscamingue* would strike it, and thence due south along the said line to the head of the said lake, and thence through the middle channel of the said lake, into the *Ottawa River*, and thence descending along the middle of the main channel of the said river to the intersection by the prolongation of the western limit of the Seigneurie of *Rigaud*, such mid-channel being, as indicated on a map of the *Ottawa Ship Canal Survey* made by *Walter Shanly*, C. E., and approved by Order of the Governor General in Council, dated the 21st July, 1886, and thence southerly, following the said westerly boundary of the Seigneurie of *Rigaud* to the south-west angle of the said Seigneurie, and thence southerly along the western boundary of the augmentation of the Township of *Newton* to the north-west angle of the Seigneurie of *Longueuil*, and thence south-easterly along the south-western boundary of said Seigneurie of *New Longueuil* to a stone boundary on the

north bank of the Lake *St. Francis*, at the cove, west of *Point au Baudet*, such line from the *Ottawa River* to Lake *St. Francis*, being, as indicated on a plan of the line of boundary between Upper and Lower *Canada*, made in accordance with the Act 23 *Victoria*, Chapter 21, and approved by Order of the Governor General in Council, dated the 16th of March, 1861.

The said Address, being read a second time, was agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the said Address be engrossed.

*Resolved*, That a Message be sent to the Senate, informing their Honours, That this House hath passed an Address to Her Majesty on the subject of the westerly, northerly and easterly boundaries of the Province of *Ontario*; and declaring it desirable that an Act of the Parliament of the *United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland* should be passed defining the same, and requesting their Honours to unite with this House in the said Address.

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

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Tuesday morning;

*Tuesday, 30th April, 1889.*

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution, respecting a Railway to be constructed, as a Government work, from a point of junction on the *New Brunswick Railway* to a point of junction with the *Intercolonial Railway*, at or near *Salisbury*, in the Province of *New Brunswick*.

*(In the Committee.)*

*Resolved*, That it is expedient that a Railway should be constructed, as a Government work, between a point of junction on the *New Brunswick Railway*, at or near *Harvey*, in the Province of *New Brunswick*, and a point of junction with the *Intercolonial Railway*, at or near *Salisbury* or *Moncton* in the said Province, or somewhere between *Salisbury* and *Moncton*, and that the sum of Five hundred thousand dollars be granted towards the construction of the said Railway.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received at the next sitting of the House this day.

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*,

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns, it do stand adjourned until half-past One o'Clock, P. M., this day.

And then The House, having continued to sit till a quarter of an hour after Two of the Clock on Tuesday morning, adjourned till half-past One of the Clock, P. M., this day.

Tuesday, 30th April, 1889.

Half-past One o'Clock, P.M.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth :—

The Senate have passed the Bill, intituled : “ An Act for the prevention and suppression of Combinations formed in restraint of Trade,” with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Mr. Taylor, from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, presented to the House the Ninth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth :—

The Committee carefully examined the following documents, and recommend that they be printed, viz. :—

77. Certified copy of a Report of a Committee of the Honourable the Privy Council, approved by His Excellency the Governor General in Council, on the 5th September, 1888, relating to Appeals in Criminal Cases, to the Judicial Committee of Her Majesty's Privy Council. (*Sessional Papers.*)

Report of the Select Standing Committee (*House of Commons*) on Agriculture and Colonization. (*To be printed in the Journals only; and of the Report of the Subcommittee attached thereto, 20,000 copies, in pamphlet form for distribution, to be wrapped up singly, ready for addressing and mailing, and forwarded to each Senator and Member of the House of Commons.*)

The Committee also examined the following documents, and recommend that they be not printed, viz. :—

22j. Return to an Order of the House of the 1st instant, for a Return of the survey made of the *Annapolis* and *Liverpool* Railway, with the report of the engineer, and all papers and correspondence connected therewith.

22k. Return to an Order of the House of the 11th instant, for all papers, reports, returns and correspondence in reference to the condition of the Railway subsidized by the Parliament of Canada, extending from the western end of the *Derby* Branch Railway to a connection with the Northern and Western Railway, in the County of *Northumberland, New Brunswick*; also, all correspondence, &c., had between the Government, or any of its officers, and the proprietors of the said railway, with the object of opening it up and running trains thereon.

22l. Return to an Address, Copies of all correspondence between the Government and the *Windsor* and *Annapolis* and Western Counties Railway Companies relating to the consolidation, under Government control, of the Railways of Western *Nova Scotia*, together with the copies of Resolutions adopted by the Chamber of Commerce of *Halifax*, and the Fruit Growers' Association of *Nova Scotia*, referring to the same subject.

22b. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 1st instant, for copies of all correspondence between the Dominion Government and the Corporation of Pilots, for and below, the harbour of *Quebec*, respecting the change in the present tariff of pilotage dues on vessels, for and below, the harbour of *Quebec*.

49i. Return to an Address, Copies of all tenders received by the Department of Railways and Canals, in September and October, 1888, for the enlargement of the *Cornwall* and *Galops* Canal, including the approximate quantities on which such tenders were computed, and the gross amounts; and all correspondence, reports, and Orders in Council, relating to the same, since the receipt of such tenders.

74. Return to an Address (*Senate*), Detailed statement showing the total annual cost for supplying the Electric Light for the use of the Intercolonial Railway, and charging the cars with Electricity at the respective Stations of *St. John* and *Halifax*, and the names of the parties performing such service.

75. Return to an Order of the House of the 11th instant, for copies of all papers and correspondence in connection with a claim of Messrs. *A. and J. Adams*, for loss incurred by the wreck of their vessel, "*Carrier Dove*," caused by the change of lights at *Crapaud* Harbour, without due notice to the public.

76. Return to an Address (*Senate*), Copy of the Report made to the Minister of Public Works, by the Commissioners on the floods in the *St. Lawrence* River.

78. Return to an Order of the House of the 9th April, 1888, for a copy of the correspondence having reference to the translation into French of the "Field Exercise," from 23rd July, 1879, which has passed between the Militia Department and Lieut.-Colonel *A. Audet*, and also, between either of them and the manager of the *Compagnie d'Imprimerie Canadienne* of *Montreal*, *Benjamin Sulte*, Esquire, and *Gebbart Berthiaume*, and any other person, in relation to the said translation.

Statement of the affairs of the British Canadian Loan and Investment Company, on the 31st December, 1888.

Return of the *Collingwood* Marine and General Hospital, for the year 1888.  
Statements of Baptisms, Marriages and Burials in certain districts.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Mr. *Carling*,  
*Resolved*, That the Order of the House of Thursday, the 18th instant, for the printing of the Second and Third Reports, together with the documents and evidence accompanying them, of the Select Standing Committee on Public Accounts, be rescinded.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Mr. *Carling*,  
*Ordered*, That the Second and Third Reports of the Select Standing Committee on Public Accounts, of the present Session, with the evidence and reports produced by the Department, be printed for the use of Members, and that Rule 94 be suspended in relation thereto.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—A copy of the Prospectus of the *Chignecto* Marine Transport Railway Company, as published in the *London Times*, March 19th, 1889. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 22n.)

Mr. *Dewdney*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Supplement to the Annual Report of the Department of the Interior, for the year 1888, being a summary of the Reports of the *London*, *Crofter*, *Scandinavian*, *Hungarian*, *Church*, *German* and *Icelandic* Colonies, by *Rufus Stephenson*. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 15a.)

Mr. *Dewdney*, also presented—Return to an Order of this House, dated 16th April, 1888, for a Return of all Dominion Scrip issued for any purpose in connection with *Manitoba* and the *North-West Territories*; the dates and amounts of the several issues, and the purposes for which they were made; the mode or modes of redemption; the amount of each issue so far redeemed, and the balances outstanding on the 1st March, 1888. (*Sessional Papers* No. 80.)

Also, Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 1st April, 1888, for copies of all correspondence since the 1st January, 1888, between the Government of the Dominion and that of the Province of *Ontario*, relating to the arrears of annuities due to the Indians who surrendered their lands, under the *Robinson* Treaty, and to the grant of a reserve to the *Chippewa* Band of *Lake Temiscamingue*. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 44 c.)

And also, Supplementary Return, under Resolution of the House of Commons, passed on the 20th February, 1882, on all subjects affecting the Canadian Pacific Railway, respecting details as to:—

1. The selection of the route.
2. The progress of the work.
3. The selection or reservation of land.
4. The payment of moneys.
5. The laying out of branches.
6. The progress thereon.
7. The rates of tolls for passengers and freight.
8. The particulars required by the Consolidated Railway Act and amendments thereto, up to the end of the previous fiscal year.
9. Like particulars up to the latest practicable date before the presentation of the Return.
10. Copies of all Orders in Council and all correspondence between the Government and the Railway Company, or any member or officer of either, relating to the Company. (*Sessional Papers, No. 36b.*)

Mr. Tupper, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented—Return to an Order of this House, dated 1st April, 1889, for copies of correspondence between the Government and the holders of fishing rights under permit in River *Matane*, and of correspondence, on the same subject, with the riparian proprietors, and reports on their opposition to permits, &c. (*Sessional Papers, No. 58c.*)

And also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 25th February, 1889, for a Return showing:—

1. The number of immigrants that have arrived at the several ports of entry in *Canada* each year, from 1st July, 1867, to the 1st January, 1889, distinguishing their several occupations, with the number in each.
2. The number reported as having settled in *Canada*, and the number that went to the *United States*, in each year.
3. The number received at the several immigration offices in each year during same period.
4. The amount of money expended annually for immigration purposes. (*Sessional Papers, No. 81.*)

Sir Hector L. Langevin, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—A letter from the Chief Engineer of Public Works, respecting the state and condition of the road between the Towns of *Dundas* and *Galt*. (*Sessional Papers No. 82.*)

Mr. *Bowell*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Report on Adulteration of Food, being Supplement No. III to the Report of the Department of Inland Revenue, 1888. (*Sessional Papers, No. 4c.*)

Mr. *Colby* reported, from the Committee of the Whole House, to consider a certain proposed Resolution, respecting a Railway to be constructed, as a Government work, from a point of junction on the *New Brunswick* Railway to a point of junction with the Intercolonial Railway, at or near *Salisbury*, in the Province of *New Brunswick*, a Resolution, which was read, as followeth:—

*Resolved*,—That it is expedient that a Railway should be constructed, as a Government work, between a point of junction on the *New Brunswick* Railway, at or near *Harvey*, in the Province of *New Brunswick*, and a point of junction with the Intercolonial Railway, at or near *Salisbury* or *Moncton*, in the said Province, or somewhere between *Salisbury* and *Moncton*, and that the sum of Five hundred thousand dollars be granted towards the construction of the said Railway.

The said Resolution, being read a second time,  
 Sir John A. Macdonald moved, seconded by Sir Hector L. Langevin, That the said Resolution be now agreed to;

Mr. Weldon (St. John) moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. Ellis, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "it be Resolved, That no action should be taken by this House authorizing the construction by the Government of Canada of another line of railway between Harvey and Salisbury, or Moncton, until a proper survey of the proposed line and reliable estimates of its probable cost are laid before Parliament, and until time has established that the existing line of railway between the points named is not sufficient to meet the demands of passenger and freight traffic," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS:

## Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Richd)</i>	<i>Gilmor,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Préfontaine,</i>	<i>Weldon (St John), and</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin).—34.</i>
<i>Colter,</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>		

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut-Genl.),</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John)</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Lds &amp; Gren.)</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil)</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Mora,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'l'd), and</i>
<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>	<i>Wright.—70.</i>
<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Labelle,</i>		

So it passed in the Negative.

And the Question being again proposed, That the said Resolution be now agreed to;

Sir Richard J. Cartwright moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. Mackenzie, "That the said Resolution be not now agreed to, inasmuch as the *Témiscouata* Rail-road has already been constructed, entirely through Canadian territory, from *Rivière du Loup* to *Edmundston* on the River *St. John*, and inasmuch as the distance

"from *Montreal* to *Moncton* is thereby capable of being greatly reduced, and cannot, in any event, be more than a few miles in excess of the distance by the so-called Short Line Railway across the State of *Maine*, and whereas it is now proposed to construct a line from *Harvey* to *Salisbury* entirely at the public expense, but that it be referred back to the Committee of the Whole, for the purpose of providing that the said *Témiscouata* Railway shall be granted full running powers over the said line from *Harvey* to *Salisbury*."

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and it passed in the Negative.

The said Resolution was then agreed to.

*Ordered*, That Sir *John A. Macdonald* have leave to bring in a Bill to provide for the building and working of a line of railway from *Harvey* to *Salisbury* or *Moncton*, in the Province of *New Brunswick*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a second time.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. *Speaker* resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to authorize the granting of subsidies in aid of the construction of the lines of Railway therein mentioned, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. *Speaker* resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

Sir *John A. Macdonald* moved, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Mr. *Weldon* (*St. John*) moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Mills* (*Bothwell*), That all the words after "now" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "re-committed to a Committee of the Whole House to amend the second section by providing, that the bonds therein named shall be a first lien or charge upon the said railway, and have priority over all other bonds issued by the said Company," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

YEAS:

Messieurs

*Armstrong*,  
*Bain* (*Wentworth*),  
*Beausoleil*,

*Charlton*,  
*Colter*,  
*Doyon*,

*Jones* (*Halifax*),  
*Lovitt*,  
*McMullen*,

*Ste. Marie*,  
*Scriver*,  
*Somerville*,

<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John), and</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir R. chd)</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin).—27.</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Préfontaine,</i>	

NAYS:

Messieurs

<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Macdonnell,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Ferguson (L'ds &amp; Gren.)</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>	<i>Wilmot, and</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Ross,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'ld)—48.</i>

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put;

*Ordered,* That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved,* That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered,* That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

Mr. Curran moved, seconded by Mr. Brown, That the Ninth Report of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, presented this day, be referred back to the said Committee, for the purpose of re-considering their decision with reference to the printing of the Returns to an Address for the Report of the Commissioners on the floods in the St. Lawrence River.

Objection having been taken to the regularity of the motion,

Mr. Deputy Speaker thereupon ruled the Motion out of order, on the ground that no notice had been given thereof.

The House according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain proposed Resolutions, to amend the Act respecting the Judges of Provincial Courts.

(In the Committee.)

1. *Resolved,* That it is expedient to amend the Act respecting the Judges of Provincial Courts and to provide that the salaries of thirteen Judges of the Superior Court, in the Province of Quebec, whose residences are fixed at Montreal or Quebec (not including the Judge of the district of Terrebonne), shall be \$5,000 per annum.

2. *Resolved,* That the salaries of the Judges of the County Courts of Cariboo, New Westminster, Yale and Nanaimo, in the Province of British Columbia, shall be \$2,400 each per annum.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered,* That the Report be now received.

Mr. Colby reported the Resolutions accordingly, and the same were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to amend the Act respecting the Judges of Provincial Courts and to provide that the salaries of thirteen Judges of the Superior Court, in the Province of *Quebec*, whose residences are fixed at *Montreal* or *Quebec* (not including the Judge of the district of *Terrebonne*), shall be \$5,000 per annum.

2. *Resolved*, That the salaries of the Judges of the County Courts of *Cariboo*, *New Westminster*, *Yale* and *Nanaimo*, in the Province of *British Columbia*, shall be \$2,400 each per annum.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

*Ordered*, That Sir *John Thompson* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Revised Statutes, chapter one hundred and thirty-eight, respecting the Judges of Provincial Courts.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a second time.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That that the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same, without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act for the prevention and suppression of Combinations formed in restraint of Trade," and the same were twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendments.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act relating to Bills of Lading."

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath passed the same without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being read, for the House again in the Committee of Supply;

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*, and the Question being proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair;

Mr. *Ross* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Hickey*, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words, "this House regrets that no proposal for a Land Subsidy, in aid of the *Manitoba* and South-

“Eastern Railway Company, has been laid before Parliament,” inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment :—It passed in the Negative. Then the main Question being put; It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair:

The House accordingly again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee.)

1. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for purchase of a house and premises as quarters for the Commandant of the Royal Military College at *Kingston*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to aid in defraying the expenses in connection with the meeting of the American Association for the advancement of Science, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Sixty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for a line of steamers to ply between the ports of *Halifax* and *St. John, N.B.*, or either, and the *West Indies* and *South America*, or either, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

Resolutions to be reported.

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Wednesday morning;

Wednesday, 1st May, 1889.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

Ordered, That the Report be received at the next sitting of the House this day.

Mr. *Colby* also acquainted the House that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, at its next sitting this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. *Colby* reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read as follow:

1. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for purchase of a house and premises as quarters for the Commandant of the Royal Military College at *Kingston*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to aid in defraying the expenses in connection with the meeting of the American Association for the advancement of Science, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Sixty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for a line of steamers to ply between the ports of *Halifax* and *St. John, N.B.*, or either, and the *West Indies* and *South America*, or either, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

The First Resolution, being read a second time; and the Question being proposed, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution;

Mr. *McMullen* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Somerville*, That the said Resolution be not agreed to, “but that it be Resolved, That it appears from statements made in this House by the Minister of Militia, that it is proposed to purchase a residence for the Commandant of the Royal Military College, situated at the opposite extremity of the City of *Kingston*, at a distance of about one and a-half miles from the said College. That if it be necessary to provide a residence for the

“Commandant, said residence should be erected within the grounds or immediately adjacent to the said College; and that the said purchase is inexpedient and is a misappropriation of the public funds.”

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and it passed in Negative.

Then the main Question being put;

*Resolved*, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution.

The subsequent Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution, respecting a contract proposed to be entered into with the *Qu'Appelle, Long Lake and Saskatchewan Railroad and Steamboat Company*.

(*In the Committee.*)

*Resolved*, That it is expedient, in order to enable the *Qu'Appelle, Long Lake and Saskatchewan Railroad and Steamboat Company* to complete their railway from *Regina* to some point on the *South Saskatchewan River*, at or near *Saskatoon*, and thence northward to *Prince Albert*, to enter into a contract with such Company for the transport of men, supplies, materials and mails, for twenty years, and to pay for such services during the said term, Eighty thousand dollars per annum, in manner following, that is to say:—The sum of Fifty thousand dollars to be paid annually on the construction of the railway, to a point, at or near *Saskatoon*, such payment to be computed from the date of the completion of the railway to such point, and the remaining Thirty thousand dollars annually on the extension of the railway to *Prince Albert*; such payment to be computed from the date of such last mentioned completion: Provided that, in case the second portion of the said railway shall not be built and operated to *Prince Albert* within two years after its completion to the *South Saskatchewan* as aforesaid, the payment of Fifty thousand dollars shall cease until the whole railway is finished to *Prince Albert*.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. Colby reported the Resolution accordingly, and the same was read, as followeth:—

*Resolved*, That it is expedient, in order to enable the *Qu'Appelle, Long Lake and Saskatchewan Railroad and Steamboat Company* to complete their railway from *Regina* to some point on the *South Saskatchewan River*, at or near *Saskatoon*, and thence northward to *Prince Albert*, to enter into a contract with such Company for the transport of men, supplies, material and mails, for twenty years, and to pay for such services during the said term, Eighty thousand dollars per annum, in manner following, that is to say:—The sum of Fifty thousand dollars to be paid annually on the construction of the railway, to a point at or near *Saskatoon*, such payment to be computed from the date of the completion of the railway to such point, and the remaining Thirty thousand dollars annually on the extension of the railway to *Prince Albert*; such payment to be computed from the date of such last mentioned completion: Provided that, in case the second portion of the said railway shall not be built and operated to *Prince Albert* within two years after its completion to the *South Saskatchewan* as aforesaid, the payment of Fifty thousand dollars shall cease until the whole railway is finished to *Prince Albert*.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

*Ordered*, That Mr. Dewdney have leave to bring in a Bill respecting an agreement therein mentioned with the *Qu'Appelle, Long Lake and Saskatchewan Railroad and Steamboat Company*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House; and the same was received and read the first time.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a second time.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Hickey* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read the third time at the next sitting of the House this day.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend the Revised Statute respecting the *North-West Mounted Police Force*;"

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath passed the same without any amendment.

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Sir *John Thompson*,

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns, it do stand adjourned till Eleven o'Clock A. M. this day.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the following Bills without any amendment:—

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Copyright Act,' chapter sixty-two of 'the Revised Statutes.'"

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Cullers Act,' chapter one hundred and 'three of the Revised Statutes.'"

And then The House, having continued to sit till Two of the Clock on Wednesday morning, adjourned till Eleven of the Clock A. M., this day.

Wednesday, 1st May, 1889.

*Eleven o'Clock, A.M.*

**PRAYERS.**

Mr. Speaker communicated to the House the following letter:—

GOVERNMENT HOUSE, *Ottawa.*

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that His Excellency the Governor General will proceed to the Senate Chamber to prorogue the Session of the Dominion Parliament on Thursday, the 2nd May, at Three o'Clock.

I have the honour to be, Sir,  
Your obedient servant,

CHARLES COLVILLE,  
Captain,  
*Governor General's Secretary.*

The Honourable  
The Speaker of the House of Commons.

A Bill respecting a certain agreement therein mentioned with the *Qu'Appelle, Long Lake and Saskatchewan Railroad and Steamboat Company*, was, according to Order, read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

*(In the Committee.)*

1. *Resolved*, That towards making good the Supply granted to Her Majesty, for the financial year ending 30th June, 1889, the sum of \$2,090,177.23 be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of *Canada*.

2. *Resolved*, That towards making good the Supply granted to Her Majesty for the financial year ending 30th June, 1890, the sum of \$25,643,275.93 be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of *Canada*.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. *Colby* reported the Resolutions accordingly, and the same were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That towards making good the Supply granted to Her Majesty, for the financial year ending 30th June, 1889, the sum of \$2,090,177.23 be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of *Canada*.

2. *Resolved*, That towards making good the Supply granted to Her Majesty, for the financial year ending 30th June, 1890, the sum of \$25,643,275.93 be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of *Canada*.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Foster* have leave to bring in a Bill for granting to Her Majesty, certain sums of money required for defraying certain expenses of the Public Service, for the financial years ending respectively the 30th June, 1889, and the 30th June, 1890, and for other purposes relating to the Public Service.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a second time.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

Mr. *Taylor*, from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, presented to the House the Tenth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

The Committee carefully examined the following documents, and recommend that they be printed, viz.:—

22m. Papers, correspondence, etc., respecting subsidies to certain Railway Companies, and towards the construction of certain Railways, as follow:—

*St. Césaire to St. Paul d'Abbotsford Railway.*

*Quebec and Murray Bay Railway.*

*South Ontario Pacific Railway.*

*Kingston, Smith's Fall and Ottawa Railway Company.*

*Lake Temiscamingue Railway Company, Mattawa to foot of Long Sault.*

*Shuswap and Lake Okanagan Railway.*

*Chicoutimi Railway.*

*St. Catharines and Niagara Central Railway Company.*

*Grand Trunk, Georgian Bay and Lake Erie Railway Company.*

*Hereford Railway Company.*

*Quebec, Montmorency and Charlevoix Railway.*

*Cornwallis Valley Railway Company.*

*St. Clair Tunnel Company.*

*Drummond County Railway.*

*Pontiac and Renfrew Railway Company.*

*Massawippi Junction Railway.*

*Great Eastern Railway Company.*

*Gananoque, Perth and James' Bay Railway Company, and Thousand Islands Railway Company.*

*Brockville, Westport and Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company.*

*Maskinongé and Lake Nipissing Railway.*

*Napanee, Tamworth and Quebec Railway Company;—and*

*Joggins Railway Company.—(Sessional Papers.)*

36b. Supplementary Return, under Resolution of the House of Commons, passed on the 20th February, 1882, on all subjects affecting the Canadian Pacific Railway, respecting details as to:—

1. The selection of the route.
2. The progress of the work.
3. The selection or reservation of land.
4. The payment of moneys.
5. The laying out of branches.
6. The progress thereon.
7. The rates of tolls for passengers and freight.
8. The particulars required by the Consolidated Railway Act and amendments thereto, up to the end of the previous fiscal year.

9. Like particulars up to the latest practicable date before the presentation of the Return.

10. Copies of all Orders in Council and all correspondence between the Government and the Railway Company, or any member or officer of either, relating to the affairs of the Company.—(*Sessional Papers.*)

The Committee would also recommend that the following documents be *not* printed, viz. :—

22n. Copy of the Prospectus of the *Chignecto Marine Transport Railway Company*, as published in the *London Times*, March 19th, 1889.

44c. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 1st inst., for copies of all correspondence since the 1st of January, 1888, between the Government of the *Dominion* and that of the Province of *Ontario*, relating to the arrears of annuities due to the Indians who surrendered their lands under the Robinson Treaty, and to the grant of a reserve to the *Chippewa Band of Lake Témiscamingue*.

51b. Return to an Order of the House, of the 8th instant, for copies of all correspondence between Mr. *Allan Knight*, or his solicitor, with the Government of *Canada*, or any of its officers, in reference to a claim for damages in connection with the *Indian Town Branch* of the *Intercolonial Railway*, and also, any report from any of the Government officers in reference to the same subject.

51c. Return to an Order of the House, of the 11th instant, for copies of all letters, reports and correspondence had between Mr. *George R. Parker* and the Government, or any of its officers; and also, between the Government and its officers, in relation to claims for land, and damages, in connection with the *Derby Branch Railway*.

58c. Return to an Order of the House, of the 1st instant, for copies of correspondence between the Government and the holders of fishing rights under permit in *River Matane*, and of correspondence on the same subject with the riparian proprietors, and reports on their opposition to permits, &c.

69b. Return to an Order of the House, of the 11th ultimo, for a Return of copies of all petitions presented to the Government by the residents of the Township of the *Front of Young*, County of *Leeds, Ont.*; praying that *Jones' Creek* in said Township be declared a non-navigable stream, and to allow the Municipal Council to build a low, solid bridge across said stream. Also, copies of the report of the Engineer on the same.

80. Return to an Order of the House, of the 16th April, 1888, for a Return of all *Dominion Scrip* issued for any purpose in connection with *Manitoba* and the *North-West Territories*; the dates and amounts of the several issues, and the purposes for which they were made; the mode or modes of redemption; the amount of each issue so far redeemed, and the balances outstanding on the 1st March, 1888.

81. Return to an Order of the House, of the 25th February last, for a Return showing :—

1. The number of immigrants that have arrived at the several ports of entry in *Canada* each year, from 1st July, 1867, to 1st January, 1889, distinguishing their several occupations, with the number in each.

2. The number reported as having settled in *Canada*, and the number that went to the *United States*, in each year.

3. The number received at the several immigration offices in each year during same period.

4. The amount of money expended annually for immigration purposes.

82. A letter from the Chief Engineer of Public Works respecting the state and condition of the road between the Towns of *Dundas* and *Galt*.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution, respecting the granting of subsidies in land to certain Railway Companies, and towards the construction of the Railways therein mentioned.

(In the Committee.)

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to authorize the Governor in Council to grant the subsidies of land hereinafter mentioned to the Railway Companies, and towards the construction of the Railways also hereinafter mentioned, that is to say:—

To the North Western Coal and Navigation Company (Limited), in addition to the grant provided for by Section 1 of the Act 48-49 *Victoria*, Chapter 60, Dominion Lands, to an extent not exceeding Two thousand six hundred acres for each mile of the Company's railway, from *Dunmore* Station, on the Canadian Pacific Railway, to *Lethbridge*, on the *Belly* River, the present terminus of the said railway, a distance of one hundred and nine and one-half miles, such additional grant to be made only on condition that the gauge of the said railway be made of standard width.

Also, to the North-Western Coal and Navigation Company (Limited), Dominion Lands to an extent not exceeding Six thousand four hundred acres for each mile of the Company's railway, from *Lethbridge* to the International Boundary, a distance of about fifty miles.

To the *Red Deer* Valley Railway and Coal Company, Dominion Lands to an extent not exceeding Six thousand four hundred acres for each mile of the Company's railway, from *Cheadle* Station, on the Canadian Pacific Railway, to its terminus at a point in or near Township twenty-nine, Range twenty-three, west of the 4th Meridian, a distance of about fifty-five miles.

To the North-Western Railway Company of Canada, Dominion Lands to an extent not exceeding Ten thousand acres for each mile of the Company's railway, from *Calgary*, on the Canadian Pacific Railway, northerly, to a point on the North *Saskatchewan* River, at or near *Edmonton*, a distance of about two hundred and ten miles.

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To the Lake *Manitoba* Railway and Canal Company, Dominion Lands to an extent not exceeding Six thousand acres for each mile of the Company's railway, from *Portage la Prairie* to the southern boundary of Lake *Manitoba*, a distance of about seventeen miles.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Colby* reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. *Colby* reported the Resolution accordingly, and the same was read, as followeth:—

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The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution, respecting the grant of land provided for by Section 3 of the Act 49 *Victoria*, Chapter 11, for the line of the *Wood Mountain* and *Qu'Appelle* Railway.

(In the Committee.)

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to authorize the Governor General in Council to make the grant of land provided for by Section 3 of the Act 49 *Victoria*, Chapter 11, being for the line of the *Wood Mountain* and *Qu'Appelle* Railway, of about Two hundred and forty miles in length, applicable to the line of railway of the said Company, as authorized by the Act respecting the *Wood Mountain* and *Qu'Appelle* Railway Company, passed during the present Session of Parliament, upon the like terms and subject to the like conditions as those upon which the grant hereinbefore mentioned was authorized to be made to the said Company by the said Act.

Resolution to be reported.

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*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

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The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Dawdney* have leave to bring in a Bill to authorize the granting of subsidies in land to certain Railway Companies.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a second time.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered,* That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved,* That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered,* That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution, to release the Corporation of the Town of *Cobourg* from the payment of the balance due by the said Corporation, under the Act of the Parliament of *Canada* 49th *Victoria*, Chapter 33, under certain conditions mentioned.

(*In the Committee.*)

*Resolved,* That it is expedient to provide that the Governor in Council may, on such conditions as he deems expedient, release the Corporation of the Town of *Cobourg* from the payment of the balance due by the said Corporation, under the Act of the Parliament of *Canada*, 49th *Victoria*, Chapter 33, intituled: "An Act for the relief of the Corporation of the Town of *Cobourg*," together with all interest now unpaid thereon; provided always, that one of the conditions of such release shall be that the said Corporation shall abandon all claims they have in respect to the *Port Hope* and *Rice Lake* Road, whether as to the collection of tolls or in any other respect whatsoever.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered,* That the Report be now received.

Mr. Colby reported the Resolution accordingly, and the same was read, as followeth:—

*Resolved,* That it is expedient to provide that the Governor in Council may, on such conditions as he deems expedient, release the Corporation of the Town of *Cobourg* from the payment of the balance due by the said Corporation under the Act of the Parliament of *Canada*, 49th *Victoria*, Chapter 33, intituled: "An Act for the relief of the Corporation of the Town of *Cobourg*," together with all interest now unpaid thereon; provided always, that one of the conditions of such release shall be that the said Corporation shall abandon all claims they have in respect to the *Port Hope* and *Rice Lake* Road, whether as to the collection of tolls or in any other respect whatsoever.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

*Ordered,* That Mr. Foster have leave to bring in a Bill for the relief of the Corporation of the Town of *Cobourg*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time.

*Ordered,* That the Bill be now read a second time.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved,* That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Colby reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

On motion of Mr. *Taylor*, seconded by Mr. *Hickey*,

*Resolved*, That this House doth concur in the Tenth Report of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, presented this day.

On motion of Mr. *Taylor*, seconded by Mr. *Hickey*,

*Resolved*, That this House doth concur in the Ninth Report of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, except paragraph "76. Return to an Address (*Senate*), Copy of the Report made to the Minister of Public Works, by the Commissioners on the floods in the *St. Lawrence River*;" and that the said Report, etc., of the Floods Commission (without the plans) be printed for the use of Members; and that Rule 94 be suspended in relation thereto.

Mr. *Carling*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Criminal Statistics for the year 1887. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 5c).

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth :—

The Senate have agreed to the Address to Her Majesty the Queen, on the subject of the westerly, northerly and easterly boundaries of the Province of *Ontario*, and declaring it desirable that an Act of the Parliament of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain and Ireland* should be passed defining the same, and filling up the blank with "Senate and,"

And also, the Senate have agreed to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, praying that His Excellency will be pleased to transmit the Joint Address of both Houses to Her Majesty on the subject of the westerly, northerly and easterly boundaries of the Province of *Ontario*, and declaring it desirable that an Act of Parliament of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain and Ireland* should be passed defining the same, to which the Senate desires the concurrence of this House.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,

*Resolved*, That this House doth concur in the Address of the Senate to His Excellency the Governor General, praying him to transmit the Joint Address of both Houses to Her Majesty on the subject of the westerly, northerly and easterly boundaries of the Province of *Ontario*, and declaring it desirable that an Act of the Parliament of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain and Ireland* should be passed defining the same, in such a way as to His Excellency may seem fit, in order that the same may be laid at the foot of the Throne, by filling up the blank with the words "and Commons."

*Resolved*, That a Message be sent to the Senate acquainting their Honours, That this House hath agreed to the said Address by filling up the blank with the words "and Commons."

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

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House that a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth :—

The Senate have agreed to the Amendments made by this House to the Bill, intituled: "An Act further to amend the Dominion Lands Act," without any amendment.

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald* seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*.

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns this day, it do stand adjourned till To-morrow, at Eleven o'Clock A. M.

And then The House adjourned till Eleven of the Clock, A. M., To-morrow.

Thursday, 2nd May, 1889.

Eleven o'Clock, A.M.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the following Bills, without any amendment:—

Bill intituled: "An Act relating to Ocean Steamship Subsidies."

Bill intituled: "An Act for granting to Her Majesty certain sums of money required for defraying certain expenses of the Public Service, for the financial years ending, respectively, the 30th June, 1889, and the 30th June, 1890, and for other purposes relating to the Public Service."

Bill intituled: "An Act to authorize the granting of subsidies in aid of the construction of the lines of railway therein mentioned."

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Revised Statutes, chapter one, hundred and thirty-eight, respecting the Judges of Provincial Courts."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting a certain agreement therein mentioned with the *Qu'Appelle, Long Lake and Saskatchewan* Railroad and Steamboat Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act to authorize the granting of subsidies in land to certain Railway Companies."

Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of the Corporation of the Town of *Cobourg*."

Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 1st April, 1889, for copies of all petitions, correspondence and documents, respecting the extension of *McMahon* Street through the Ordnance land, in the City of *Quebec*, to *D'Aiguillon* Street. (*Sessional Papers, No. 62a.*)

And also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 18th March, 1889, for a Return of all correspondence between the Government and the officers or men of the 15th Battalion, respecting aid to construct a drill shed at *Belleville*, and for any reports made to the Government respecting the desirability of granting such aid. (*Sessional Papers, No. 71.*)

A Message was received from His Excellency the Governor General, by *Réné E. Kimber*, Esquire, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod:—

Mr. SPEAKER,—

I am commanded by His Excellency the Governor General, to acquaint this Honourable House, That it is the pleasure of His Excellency that the Members thereof do forthwith attend him in the Senate Chamber.

Accordingly, Mr. Speaker, with the House, went up to attend His Excellency, where His Excellency was pleased to give, in Her Majesty's name, the Royal Assent to the following Public and Private Bills:—

An Act to incorporate the Supreme Court of the Independent Order of Foresters.

An Act to incorporate the Union Railway Company.

An Act to amend the Revised Statutes, chapter 77, respecting the safety of Ships.

An Act for the relief of *George MacDonald Bagwell*.

An Act for the relief of *William Henry Middleton*.

An Act for the relief of *Arthur Wand*.

An Act for the relief of *William Gordon Lowry*.

An Act further to amend the several Acts relating to the Board of Trade of the City of *Toronto*.

An Act to amend "The Summary Trials Act."

An Act respecting the Harbour of *Belleville* in the Province of *Ontario*.

An Act to amend the Revised Statute respecting Interest.

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An Act to provide against frauds in the supplying of milk to cheese, butter and condensed milk manufactories.

An Act respecting a loan therein mentioned to certain Mennonite Immigrants.

An Act respecting Expropriation of Lands.

An Act to amend "The Post Office Act," chapter 35 of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*.

An Act to authorise the granting of Pensions to members of the North-West Mounted Police Force.

An Act to incorporate the *Manitoba* and South-Eastern Railway Company.

An Act to incorporate the North-Western Junction and *Lake of the Woods* Railway Company.

An Act to amend "The Summary Convictions Act," chapter 178 of the Revised Statutes, and the Act amending the same.

An Act further to amend "The Inland Revenue Act," chapter 34 of the Revised Statutes.

An Act further to amend "The General Inspection Act," chapter 99 of the Revised Statutes.

An Act to extend the provisions of the Extradition Act.

An Act to amend "The Copyright Act," chapter 62 of the Revised Statutes.

An Act to amend "The Cullers' Act," chapter 103 of the Revised Statutes.

An Act further to amend "The Customs Act," chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes.

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An Act further to amend "The Dominion Lands Act."

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An Act to amend the Revised Statute respecting the *North-West* Mounted Police Force.

An Act relating to Ocean Steamship subsidies.

An Act to amend the Revised Statutes, chapter 138, respecting the Judges of Provincial Courts.

An Act respecting a certain agreement therein mentioned with the *Qu'Appelle Long Lake* and *Saskatchewan* Railroad and Steamboat Company.

An Act to authorise the granting of subsidies in aid of the construction of the lines of railway therein mentioned.

An Act to authorize the granting of subsidies in land to certain railway companies.

An Act for the relief of the Corporation of the Town of *Cobourg*.

Then the Honourable the Speaker of the House of Commons addressed His Excellency the Governor General, as followeth:—

"MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY,—

"The Commons of *Canada* have voted the Supplies required to enable the Government to defray the expenses of the Public Service.

"In the name of the Commons, I present to Your Excellency a Bill intituled: "An Act for granting to Her Majesty certain sums of money required for defraying certain expenses of the Public Service, for the financial years ending, respectively, the 30th June, 1889, and the 30th June, 1890, and for other purposes relating to the Public Service," to which I humbly request Your Excellency's assent.

To this Bill the Royal Assent was signified in the following words:—

“In Her Majesty’s name, His Excellency the Governor General thanks Her Loyal subjects, accepts their benevolence and assents to this Bill.”

After which His Excellency was pleased to deliver the following Speech to both Houses:—

*Honourable Gentlemen of the Senate:*

*Gentlemen of the House of Commons:*

In relieving you of the arduous labours which the present Session of Parliament has imposed on you, I rejoice that I am able to congratulate you on the number of important and useful measures which have resulted from your deliberations.

I have reason to hope that the authority which you have conferred on my Government, will enable them to conclude an arrangement for effective steam communication with *Europe* and with *Asia*, whereby the trade and commerce of *Canada* will be widely extended, and the traffic passing over her lines of communication, greatly developed.

You have again made liberal provision for extending the railway facilities of the Dominion and for increasing their efficiency.

The Act relating to the Electoral Franchise will, I believe, be found an important improvement, tending to economy and certainty in the administration of that branch of the law.

The measure by which the system of Speedy Trials for criminals has been extended to the Maritime Provinces, is likely to prove a valuable addition to our Criminal Procedure.

It is gratifying to know that your address, referring to the boundaries of *Ontario*, will lead to the early settlement of the principal question which has remained unsettled to the present time between that Province and the Dominion, in a manner entirely satisfactory to all concerned.

The amendment of the laws relating to Copyright, will, it is hoped, remove some of the embarrassments under which the printers and publishers of *Canada* have laboured for some years past, without doing injustice to authors in this or other countries.

You have provided for greater efficiency and economy in the Postal Service, for giving greater facilities for the settlement of our lands in the *North-West Territories*, and for increasing the safeguards of life and property on our ships.

Many of the other measures, although of a minor character, will be found of great usefulness in conducting the affairs of administration.

*Gentlemen of the House of Commons:*

You have liberally provided for the various requirements of the public service.

*Honourable Gentlemen of the Senate:*

*Gentlemen of the House of Commons:*

In taking leave of you, I congratulate you on the indications of prosperity which appear in all parts of *Canada*, and on the increasing revenue which promises amply to meet the appropriations for the year.

I sincerely hope that in the season which is now opening, the labours of our people may be blessed by Divine Providence, and that when it shall be my duty to summon you again, I shall be able to renew the congratulations which I have already expressed on the marked welfare and progress of the Dominion.

Then the Honourable the Speaker of the Senate said:—

*Honourable Gentlemen of the Senate:*

*Gentlemen of the House of Commons:*

It is His Excellency the Governor General’s will and pleasure, that this Parliament be prorogued until Tuesday, the Eleventh day of June next, to be here holden, and this Parliament is, accordingly, prorogued until Tuesday, the Eleventh day of June next.

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96. Correspondence with 15th Battalion respecting aid towards construction of a Drill Shed, at Belleville ( <i>Not printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers</i> , No. 71.)	By Order 162	404
97. Correspondence with Lieut.-Col. Audet, in reference to the translation of the "Field Exercise" into French. ( <i>Not printed</i> , 388.) ( <i>S. Papers</i> , No. 73.)	By Order 9th April, 1888	340
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115. Copies of Petitions in relation to building a Post Office at Lévis.	By Order 126	—
116. Correspondence respecting a bi-weekly mail service between Lourdes and Somerset.	By Order 169	—
117. Correspondence respecting the dismissal of J. M. Grover, Postmaster of Morden, Man.	By Address 216	—
118. Correspondence respecting a change in the locality of the Post Office of Belle Vallée, P.Q. ( <i>Not printed</i> , 306.) (S. Papers, No. 70.)	By Order 216	276
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135. Statement showing entire cost of the St. Charles Branch Railway.	By Order 216	—

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137. Statement of cost for supplying Electric Light for Intercolonial Railway trains. ( <i>Not printed</i> , 388.) ( <i>S. Papers</i> , No. 74.)	—	Senate.
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140. Correspondence with Messrs. Sims & Slater, contractors for the eastern section of the Cape Breton Railway. ( <i>Not printed</i> , 196.) ( <i>S. Papers</i> , No. 22.)	By Order 7th May, 1888	27
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143. Correspondence respecting the condition of the railway subsidized by Parliament and which extends from the western end of the Derby Branch Railway to the Northern and North-Western Railway. ( <i>Not printed</i> , 387.) ( <i>S. Papers</i> , No. 22 <i>k</i> .)	By Order 247	314
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150. Return respecting the Pontiac and Pacific Junction Railway Company. ( <i>Not printed, 251.</i> ) (S. Papers, No. 30.)	By Address 8th May, 1888	Senate.
151. Correspondence in connection with the Land Grant to the Souris and Rocky Mountain Railway Company, or relating to its construction. ( <i>Not printed, 10 .</i> ) (S. Papers, No. 22a.)	By Order 9th April, 1888	27
152. List of shareholders of the Temiscouata Railway Co. ( <i>Not printed, 196.</i> ) (S. Papers, No. 22e.)	By Order 35	129
153. Copy of petition asking for the incorporation of the Temiscouata Railway Company, and correspondence in reference to a subsidy for the road. ( <i>Not printed, 305.</i> ) (S. Papers, No. 22i.)	By Order 217	276
154. Correspondence with the Windsor and Annapolis and the Western Counties Railway Companies, relating to the consolidation of the railways of Western Nova Scotia. ( <i>Not printed, 387.</i> ) (S. Papers, No. 22l.)	By Address 142	314
155. <i>Receipts and Expenditures</i> :—Return of Receipts and Expenditures from 1st July, 1888, to 1st February, 1889—with Comparative Statement for same period in previous year. ( <i>Not printed, 101.</i> ) (S. Papers, No. 32.)	By Order 34	45
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