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FROM THE 16<sup>TH</sup> OF JANUARY TO THE 16<sup>TH</sup> OF MAY, 1890,  
BOTH DAYS INCLUSIVE.

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In the Fifty-third Year of the Reign of Our  
Sovereign Lady, Queen Victoria.

BEING THE 4<sup>TH</sup> SESSION OF THE 6<sup>TH</sup> PARLIAMENT OF CANADA.

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# PROCLAMATIONS.

## 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 :

**W**HEREAS Our Parliament of Canada stands prorogued to the ELEVENTH 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 considera-  
tions, 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 con-  
voking and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, on the TWENTY-SECOND  
day of the month of JULY 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 SIXTH  
day of JUNE, in the year of Our Lord, One thousand eight  
hundred and eighty-nine, and in the Fifty-third 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 Our Parliament of Canada stands prorogued to the TWENTY-SECOND day of the month of JULY, 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 THIRTY-FIRST 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 the United Kingdom ; 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 EIGHTEENTH day of JULY, in the year of Our Lord, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, and in the Fifty-third year of Our Reign.

By Command,

SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU,  
*Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, 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 THIRTY-FIRST 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

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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 OCTOBER 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 the United Kingdom; 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-NINTH day of AUGUST, in the year of Our Lord, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, and in the Fifty-third year of Our Reign.

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

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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 Our Parliament of Canada stands prorogued to the TENTH 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 NINETEENTH day of the month of NOVEMBER 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

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Preston, in the County of Lancaster, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom ; 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 THIRD day of OCTOBER, in the year of Our Lord, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, and in the Fifty-third year of Our Reign.

By Command,

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

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*STANLEY OF PRESTON.*

[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 Our Parliament of Canada stands prorogued to the NINETEENTH day of the month of NOVEMBER, 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-EIGHTH 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, 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 the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland ; Knight Grand Cross of Our 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, in our said Dominion, this NINETEENTH day of NOVEMBER, in the year of Our Lord, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine and in the Fifty-third year of Our Reign.

By Command,

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

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*STANLEY OF PRESTON.*

[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 TWENTY-EIGHTH day of DECEMBER next, 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 TWENTY-EIGHTH day of DECEMBER next, 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 SIXTEENTH 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. 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 the United Kingdom ; Knight Grand Cross of Our 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-THIRD day of NOVEMBER, in the year of Our Lord, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, and in the Fifty-third year of Our Reign.

By Command,

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

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FOURTH SESSION, SIXTH PARLIAMENT, 1890.

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Thursday, 16th January, 1890.

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 *Réné 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 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 *Compton*, *Richelieu*, *Victoria, B. C.*, and *Stanstead*; 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.

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 *Compton*, in the Province of *Quebec*, on account of the death of the Honourable *John Henry Pope*.

Given under our hands and seals, at the City of *Ottawa*, this 26th day of April, 1889.

CHAS. C. COLBY, [L.S.]  
 Member for the Electoral District of *Stanstead*.  
 JOHN HAGGART, [L.S.]  
 Member for the Electoral District of the  
 South 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 *Richelieu, P. Q.*, in consequence of the death of Captain *J. Bte. Labelle*.

Given under our hands and seals at the City of *Ottawa*, this 25th day of September, 1889.

J. A. CHAPLEAU, [L.S.]  
 Member for the Electoral District of *Terrebonne*.  
 ADOLPHE P. CARON, [L.S.]  
 Member for the Electoral District of the County of *Quebec*.

*Resignation of Member.*

*Laurel Point, Victoria, B.C., 24th September, 1889.*

To the Honourable  
 The Speaker of the House of Commons,  
*Ottawa, Ontario.*

SIR,—In keeping with Clause 5, Chapter 13, 49 *Victoria*, being the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, I do hereby declare it to be my intention to resign my seat in the House of Commons, as one of the representatives in said House of the Electoral District of *Victoria*, Province of *British Columbia*, and I do hereby resign said Seat.

As witness my hand and seal, the day and year first above written.

Signed, sealed and delivered  
 in the presence of  
 R. B. McMICKING.  
 B. GORDON. }

E. CROW BAKER. [L.S.]

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

*Stanstead*, in the Province of *Quebec*, in consequence of *C. C. Colby*, Esquire, having accepted an office of emolument under the Crown.

Given under our hands and seals, at the City of *Ottawa*, this twenty-eighth day of November, 1889.

JOHN A. MACDONALD, [L.S.]  
Member for the Electoral District of the City of *Kingston*.

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

Mr. Speaker further informed the House, That during the Recess the Clerk of 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*, 9th January, 1890.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the twenty-sixth day of April last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *Elias S. Orr*, Esquire, Registrar of *Cookshire, P. Q.*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of *Compton*, 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 the Honourable *John Henry Pope*, deceased; *Rufus Henry Pope*, Esquire, of the Township of *Eaton*, 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, C.M.G., LL.D.  
Clerk of the House of Commons of *Canada*.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, *Canada*.  
*Ottawa*, 9th January, 1890.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the twenty-eighth day of September last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *Joseph Napoléon Mondor*, Esquire, Notary Public, of *Sorel, P. Q.*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of *Richelieu*, 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 Captain *Jean Baptiste Labelle*, deceased; *Joseph Aimé Massue*, Esquire, of the Parish of *St. Aimé, 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, C.M.G., LL. D.  
Clerk of the House of Commons of *Canada*.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, *Canada*,  
*Ottawa*, 9th January, 1890.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the twelfth day of October last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *James E. McMillan*, Esquire, of *Victoria, B. C.*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of *Victoria*, 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 *Edward Crow Baker*, Esquire, resigned; *Thomas*

*Earle*, Esquire, of the City of *Victoria, B. C.*, Merchant, 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, C.M.G., 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*, 9th January, 1890.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the twenty-eighth day of November last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *Otis Shurtleff*, Esquire, Registrar of *Coaticooke, P. Q.*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of *Stanstead*, 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 the Honourable *C. C. Colby*, who has accepted an office of emolument under the Crown; Honourable *C. C. Colby*, of *Stanstead, 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, C.M.G., LL.D.  
Clerk of the House of Commons of *Canada*.

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The Honourable *Charles Carroll Colby*, Member for the Electoral District of *Stanstead*; *Thomas Earle*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of *Victoria, B. C.*; and *Rufus Henry Pope*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of *Compton*, 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 to 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 calling you together again for the consideration of Public Affairs, I may fairly congratulate you on a continuance of the progress and prosperity of the Country.

During the recess I visited *Manitoba* and the *North-West Territories* and *British Columbia*, and everywhere I found myself received with loyalty and good-will which I have learned to be characteristic of *Canada*. A comparison of my own observations with those of my predecessors shows clearly the great progress which has marked this part of the Dominion, in the settlement of the Country and in the development of its great agricultural capabilities, of its mineral wealth, and of its other natural resources.

In consequence of the repeated seizures by Cruisers of the *United States Navy* of Canadian Vessels, while employed in the capture of seals in that part of the Northern Pacific Ocean, known as *Behring Sea*, my Government has strongly represented to Her Majesty's Ministers, the necessity of protecting our shipping, while engaged in their lawful calling, as well as of guarding against the assumption by any nation of exclusive proprietary rights in those waters. I feel confident that those representations have had due weight, and I hope to be enabled during the present Session to assure you that all differences on this question are in the course of satisfactory adjustment.

Having observed the close attention which has recently been given by the Imperial Authorities and on the Continent of *Europe* to the improvement in the methods of catching, curing and packing fish, I deemed it expedient to cause a Commission to be sent to *Scotland* and *Holland* to examine and report upon this subject during the fishing season. The report of the delegates will be laid before you; it will, I am sure, give our Fishermen most valuable information and instruction as to the best means of improving and developing this important industry.

My Ministers have carefully considered the difficulties which surround the administration of the rights of the Dominion in its foreshores, harbours, lakes and rivers, and a measure will be submitted to you for removing uncertainty as to the respective rights of the Dominion and of the Provinces, and for preventing confusion in the titles thereto.

The report of the Royal Commission on Labour, which was laid before you during the last Session, has been distributed throughout the country. I have reason to believe that the information which it contains will be found eminently useful in suggesting improvements in the administration of the laws which affect the working classes. Measures for the amendment of those laws, so far as they come within the jurisdiction of the Parliament of *Canada*, will be submitted for your consideration.

The early termination of the Acts of Incorporation of the principal Banking institutions of the Dominion necessitates a review of our present system of Banking and an adjustment of the terms under which the Charters of these Corporations should be renewed. Your attention will be drawn to this important subject.

Certain amendments to the Acts relating to the *North-West Territories*, calculated to facilitate the administration of affairs in that region, as also a Bill further to promote the efficiency of the *North-West Mounted Police*, will be submitted for your consideration.

Measures will be laid before you relating to Bills of Exchange and Promissory Notes, to improve the laws respecting patents of invention and discovery, to amend the Adulteration Act, and the law respecting the Inland Revenue, to amend also the Act respecting the Geological and Natural History Survey of *Canada*, and to provide for the better organization of the National Printing Establishment.

*Gentlemen of the House of Commons:*

The accounts for the past year will be laid before you. It will be found that the Estimates of Revenue have been realized, and that after having fully provided for the various public services of the Country, a substantial surplus will remain. The Estimates for next year have been framed with a due regard to the requirements of the Public Service.

*Honourable Gentlemen of the Senate:*

*Gentlemen of the House of Commons:*

I commit these weighty matters, and all others which may come before you, to your earnest consideration, and I rely upon your wisdom and prudence to deal with them in the manner which, under Divine Providence, may prove most conducive to the happiness 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.

On motion of Mr. *Bowell*, seconded by Mr. *Foster*,  
*Resolved*, That a Select Committee composed of Messieurs *Béchar*, *Charlton*, *Davin*, *Desjardins*, *Ellis*, *Innes*, *Prior*, *Scriver*, *Somerville*, *Taylor*, *Tupper*, *Vanasse*, *Weldon* (*Albert*), and *White* (*Cardwell*), 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.

Mr. Speaker communicated to the House, The Report of the Joint Librarians of Parliament. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 8.)

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

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Friday, 17th January, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Taylor*,—The Petition of the *Belleville* and Lake *Nipissing* Railway Company.

By Mr. *White* (*Cardwell*),—The Petition of the *Alberta* Railway and Coal Company.

By Mr. *Brown*,—The Petition of the Canadian Millers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

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. *Pope* moved, seconded by Mr. *Prior*, 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 receive with much pleasure His Excellency's congratulations, on calling us together again for the consideration of public affairs, with respect to the continuance of the progress and prosperity of the Country.

2. That we are much gratified to know that on the occasion of His Excellency's visit, during the recess, to *Manitoba* and the *North-West Territories* and *British Columbia*, His Excellency everywhere found himself received with the loyalty and

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good-will which, we are glad to be informed, His Excellency has learned to be characteristic of *Canada*; and that a comparison of His Excellency's own observations with those of his predecessors shows clearly the great progress which has marked this part of the Dominion, in the settlement of the Country and in the development of its great agricultural capabilities, of its mineral wealth and of its other natural resources.

3. That we learn with great satisfaction that, in consequence of the repeated seizures by the Cruisers of the *United States* Navy of Canadian vessels, while employed in the capture of seals in that part of the Northern Pacific Ocean known as *Behring* Sea, His Excellency's Government has strongly represented to Her Majesty's Ministers, the necessity of protecting our shipping, while engaged in their lawful calling, as well as of guarding against the assumption by any nation of exclusive proprietary rights in those waters; and that we thank His Excellency for informing us that he feels confident that those representations have had due weight, and that he hopes to be enabled during the present Session to assure us that all differences on this question are in the course of satisfactory adjustment.

4. That we receive with great interest the information that His Excellency, having observed the close attention which has recently been given by the Imperial authorities and on the continent of Europe to the improvement in the methods of catching, curing and packing fish, deemed it expedient to cause a Commission to be sent to *Scotland* and *Holland* to examine and report upon this subject during the fishing season; and that we are convinced that the report of the delegates, which will be laid before us, will give our Fishermen most valuable information and instruction as to the best means of improving and developing this important industry.

5. That we are pleased to learn that, His Excellency's Ministers having carefully considered the difficulties which surround the administration of the rights of the Dominion in its foreshores, harbours, lakes and rivers, a measure will be submitted to us for removing uncertainty as to the respective rights of the Dominion and of the Provinces, and for preventing confusion in the titles thereto.

6. That we thank His Excellency for informing us that the report of the Royal Commission on Labour, which was laid before us during the last Session, has been distributed throughout the country; that we concur with His Excellency in the belief that the information which it contains will be found eminently useful in suggesting improvements in the administration of the laws which affect the working classes; and that we assure His Excellency that any measures for the amendment of those laws, so far as they come within the jurisdiction of the Parliament of *Canada*, will receive our careful consideration.

7. That, having been informed by His Excellency that the early termination of the Acts of Incorporation of the principal Banking institutions of the Dominion necessitates a review of our present system of Banking and an adjustment of the terms under which the Charters of these Corporations should be renewed, we assure His Excellency that any Bill relating to this important subject will receive our earnest attention.

8. That we will willingly consider any measure submitted to us for the amendment of the Acts relating to the *North-West Territories*, calculated to facilitate the administration of affairs in that region, as also any Bill further to promote the efficiency of the *North-West* Mounted Police.

9. That His Excellency may rest assured that any measures laid before us relating to Bills of Exchange and Promissory Notes, to improve the laws respecting Patents of Invention and Discovery, to amend the Adulteration Act and the law respecting the Inland Revenue, to amend also the Act respecting the Geological and Natural History Survey of *Canada* and to provide for the better organization of the National Printing Establishment, will have our best consideration.

10. That we thank His Excellency for informing us that the accounts for the past year will be laid before us, and that it will be found that the Estimates of Revenue have been realized, and that after having fully provided for the various

public services of the Country, a substantial surplus will remain ; and that our thanks are due to His Excellency for informing us that the Estimates for next year have been framed with a due regard to the requirements of the Public Service.

11. That His Excellency may rest assured that these weighty matters, and all others which come before us, will receive our earnest consideration ; and that we thank His Excellency for the expression of his reliance upon our wisdom and prudence to deal with them in the manner which, under Divine Providence, will prove most conducive to the happiness 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 *Pope* and *Prior*, 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 receive with much pleasure Your Excellency's congratulations, on calling us together again for the consideration of public affairs, with respect to the continuance of the progress and prosperity of the Country.

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Your Excellency may rest assured that these weighty matters, and all others which come before us, will receive our earnest consideration; and we thank Your Excellency for the expression of our reliance upon our wisdom and prudence to deal with them in the manner which, under Divine Providence, will prove most conducive to the happiness 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.

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, 1889. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 3.)

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, 1889, compiled from official returns. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 2.)

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, 1889. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 1.)

And then The House adjourned till Monday next.

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### Monday, 20th January, 1890.

#### PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Dawson*,—The Petition of the *Port Arthur, Dubuth* and Western Railway Company.

By Mr. *Denison*,—The Petition of *Samuel May*, of the City of *Toronto, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Kirkpatrick*,—The Petition of *George W. Yarker* and others.

By Mr. *Smith (Ontario)*,—Six Petitions of the Iron Moulders' Union, N. A., No. 136, *Oshawa, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Wilson (Lennox)*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the Counties of *Lennox* and *Addington*.

By Mr. *Small*,—The Petition of *W. McDowall* and others, of the City of *Toronto, Ontario*.

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

Of the *Belleville* and *Lake Nipissing* 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 *Alberta* Railway and Coal Company; praying for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation.

Of the Canadian Millers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company; praying for the passing of an Act granting them additional corporate powers, so as to enable them to extend their business to all parts of the Dominion of *Canada*.

Mr. *Haggart*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 20th March, 1889, for 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*. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 21.)

Also,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 25th February, 1889, for copies of all correspondence respecting the awarding of the contract for carrying the mail

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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. (*Sessional Papers, No. 21a.*)

And also,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 2nd March, 1888, for a Return of all correspondence by letter or telegram, and all other papers, relative to the conveyance of extra Provincial mails in *Prince Edward Island* since the 1st of September last. (*Sessional Papers, No. 21b.*)

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Charlton* have leave to bring in a Bill to permit Reciprocity in wrecking and in towing Vessels and Rafts.

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.

*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*.

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. *Joncas* have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend the Dominion Elections 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.

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

*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 (since the date of the last Return on the subject) showing the total number of Bills disallowed since Confederation, also the total number disallowed each year during the same period; giving the titles of the Bills, the Province where passed, and the reason for said disallowance.

*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. *Landerkin*, seconded by Mr. *Geoffrion*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return giving the names of all persons who were tried before a Magistrate for selling intoxicating liquors to Indians in the County of *Grey* or *Bruce*, in the year 1888-89; together with all papers, documents and letters on the subject; also the name of the party who laid the information, the name of the Magistrate before whom it was tried, the name of the con-

stable employed and the name of the Lawyer retained in each case, together with the decisions of the Magistrate, stating the fines imposed, if any; also, if any appeals were made from the decisions of the Magistrate, stating before what Judge the appeals were tried and what was the result; giving the cost of each trial before the Magistrate, and of each appeal before the Judge, together with the name, occupation and Post Office address of every person who received money for any service whatever, either at the trial at the Magistrate's court or at the appeal before the Judge; the total cost of all the trials, the total fines imposed and collected. If costs were refused at any trial, giving the reason for such refusal; also showing whether any of the Indians who received whiskey were electors of *Bruce* under the Electoral Franchise Act of *Canada*.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of the number of Dominion Franchise Voters' Lists of 1889, printed outside of the Government Printing Bureau, the names of the offices in which they were printed, and the amount paid for the printing of each respectively.

On motion of Mr. *Welsh*, seconded by Mr. *Mills* (*Bothwell*),

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a copy of Government Engineer's report of survey of Harbours of *Pinette* and *Wood's Island*, and also copy of report of survey of *New London Harbour* and Breakwater, in the Province of *Prince Edward Island*.

On motion of Mr. *McMullen*, seconded by Mr. *Bain* (*Wentworth*),

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the amounts of money deposited in the several Savings Banks in the Dominion, and in the several Post Office Savings Banks, the location of each, and the gross amount of deposits in each on the 30th of June and December last.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Statement of the Governor General's Warrants issued and expenditure made under same, since last Session of Parliament, in accordance with Consolidated Revenue and Audit Act. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 22.)

*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 16th instant; 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, 21st January, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

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

By Mr. *Watson*,—The Petition of the Honourable *W. E. Sanford*, Senator, of *Hamilton*, and others.

By Mr. *Denison*,—Seven Petitions of Maple Leaf Assembly, No. 2622.

By Mr. *Cockburn*,—Seven Petitions of the *Toronto* Trades and Labour Council.

Sir *John A. Macdonald*, 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, Bryson, Caron, Casgrain, Chapleau, Colby, Costigan, Curran, Davies, Desaulniers, Desjardins, Dickey, Edgar, 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).—44.*

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, LaRivière, Livingston, McIntyre, Putnam, Ste. Marie, Tyrchitt, 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, Barnard, 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, Colter, Cook, Corby, Costigan, Coulombe, Couture, Curran, Daly, Davies, Davin, Davis, Dawson, De St. Georges, Desjardins, Dessaint, Dewdney, Dickinson, Edgar, Ferguson (Leeds and Grenville), Ferguson (Welland), Fisher, Foster, Geoffrion, Gillmor, Girouard, Goudbout, Gordon, Grandbois, Guay, Guillet, Haggart, Hale, Hall, Hesson, Hickey, Holton, Hudspeth, Innes, Ives, Joncas, Jones (Halifax), Kenny, Kirkpatrick, Landerkin, Landry, Lang, Langelier (Quebec), Langevin (Sir Hector), LaRivière, Laurie (Lieut.-Gen.), Laurier, Lavergne, Lépine, Lister, Livingston, Macdonald (Sir John), Mackenzie, McCarthy, McCulla, McDougald (Pictou), McDougall (Cape Breton), McGreevy, McIntyre, McKay, McKeen, McMillan (Vaudrenil), McMullen, Madill, Mara, Masson, Massue, 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, Tyrchitt, Vanasse, Waldie, 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.—166.*

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, Denison, Dickey, Dickinson, Edwards, Eisenhauer, Ellis, Geoffrion, Gillmor, Girouard, Hale, Hickey, Holton, Hudspeth, Ives, Jamieson, Joncas, Jones (Digby), Kenny, Labrosse, Landry, Langelier (Montmorency), Langelier (Quebec), Laurie (Lieut.-Gen.), Lavergne, Lépine, Lovitt, McCulla, McDougall (Cape Breton), McGreevy, McIntyre, McKay, McMillan (Huron), McMillan (Vaudreuil), Madill, Marshall, Massue, Moffat, Moncrieff, Montplaisir, Mulock, Robillard, Rowand, Scriver, 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, Macdowall, McKeen, Marshall, Meigs, Mills (Annapolis), Moffat, Montplaisir, O'Brien, Paterson (Brant), Patterson (Essex), Perry, Porter, Rinfret, 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, Bowell, Charlton, Davin, Desjardins, Ellis, Foster, Grandbois, Hickey, Innes, McMullen, Putnam, Somerville, Taylor, Tisdale, Trow, and Vanasse.*—19.

7. ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.—Messieurs *Bain (Soulanges), Baird, Béchard, Bergeron, Bergin, Blake, Bowell, Cameron, Carling, Caron (Sir Adolphe) Cartwright (Sir Richard), Chapleau, Charlton, Colby, Costigan, Davies, Ellis, Ferguson (Welland); 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, Rinfret, Riopel, Rykert, Scarth, Scriver, 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, Beausoleil, Béchard, Bernier, Blake, Borden, Bowell, Bowman, Boyle, Brown, Bryson, Burns, Cameron, Cargill, Cartwright (Sir Richard), Casgrain, Cimon, Cochrane, Cockburn, Colby, Colter, Cook, Curran, Davies, Dawson, Desjardins, Dickey, Dickinson, Dupont, Earle, Edgar, Edwards, Eisenhauer, Ellis, Fiset, Flynn, Foster, Freeman, Gigault, Girouard, Guillet, Haggart, Hall, Hesson, Holton, Ives, Jamieson, Joncas, Jones (Halifax), Kenny, Kirk, Kirkpatrick, Landerkin, Landry, Lang, Langelier (Quebec), Langevin (Sir Hector), Lister, Lovitt, Macdonald (Sir John), Macdonald (Huron), Macdowall, Mackenzie, McCarthy, McDonald (Victoria), McDougald (Pictou), McGreevy, McNeill, Mara, Masson, Massue, Meigs, Mills (Bothwell), Mitchell, Moncrieff, O'Brien, Paterson (Brant), Perley, Préfontaine, Purcell, Putnam, Riopel, Robillard, Rykert, Scarth, Scriver, Semple, Shanly, 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.*—110. 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), Béchard, Bell, Bernier, Boisvert, Bourassa, Bowman, Brien, Bryson, Burdett, Burns, Cameron, Carling, Carpenter, Chapleau, Chisholm, Choquette, Cimon, Cochrane, Coughlin, Coulombe, Couture, Daly, Daoust, Davin, Davis, Dawson, Desaulniers, Dessaint, Dewdney, Dickinson, Doyon, Earle, Edwards, 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), McCulla, McMillan (Huron), McMillan (Vaudreuil), McNeill, Mara, Marshall, Masson, Mitchell, Montplaisir, Neveux, Paterson (Brant), Perley, Perry, Platt, Pope, Putnam, Robertson, Roome, Ross, Rowand, Ste. Marie, Semple, Smith (Ontario), Sproule, Stevenson, Sutherland, Taylor, Trow, Tyruhitt, Watson, White (Renfrew), Wilson (Elgin), Wilson (Lennox), Wright, and Yeo.*—98. And that the Quorum of the said Committee do consist of Nine Members.

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*,  
Resolved, That this House doth concur in the said Report so far as it relates to the Select Standing Committees on Standing Orders and on Printing.

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*,  
Resolved, That a Select Committee composed of Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*, and Messieurs *Amyot, Blake, Chouinard, Cockburn, Colby, Davies, Davin, Desjardins, Kirkpatrick,*

*O'Brien, Sriver, 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.

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, Ellis, Foster, Grandbois, Hickey, 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.

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., Minister of Railways and Canals, the Honourable Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, K.C.M.G., Minister of Public Works, the Honourable *John Costigan*, Minister of Inland 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*, 21st January, 1890.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Taylor* have leave to bring in a Bill to prohibit the importation and migration of Foreigners and Aliens under contract or agreement, to perform labour in *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.

Sir *John Thompson*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Report of the Commissioner, *Dominion* Police, for the year 1889 (under Revised Statutes of *Canada*, Chapter 184, Section 5.) (*Sessional Papers*, No. 23.)

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*,

*Resolved*, That *John Fisher Wood*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of the Town of *Brockville*, be appointed Chairman of Committees of the Whole House.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Wednesday, 22nd January, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Lépine*,—Seven Petitions of Local Assembly No. 644, Knights of Labour; seven Petitions of *de Maison-neuve* Assembly, No. 7209; seven Petitions of Carriage-makers' Union; seven Petitions of Cigarmakers' Union; and seven Petitions of Local Assembly, Knights of Labour, No. 6023, all of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *McKay*,—Eight Petitions of *Hamilton* Typographical Union, No. 129.

By Mr. *Small*,—Seven Petitions of Cigarmakers' Union, No. 27, *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Curran*,—Seven Petitions of Horseshoe Local Assembly, No. 10511; and the Petition of *Milo M. Belding* and others, all of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Hudspeth*,—Seven Petitions of Assembly, No. 5402, Knights of Labour, *Lindsay, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Denison*,—Eight Petitions of Mayflower Assembly, No. 6564, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; and six Petitions of *Toronto* Pressmen's Union, No. 10.

By Mr. *Carpenter*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Wentworth*.

By Mr. *Ferguson (Welland)*,—The Petition of the Executive Council of the *Wentworth* Pioneer and Historical Society.

By Mr. *Hickey*,—The Petition of *Charles A. Myers*, of the Village of *Morrisburgh*, and others.

By Mr. *Guay*,—Seven Petitions of *Lévis* Assembly, No. 10123, Knights of Labour.

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

Of the *Port Arthur, Duluth* and Western Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act to extend the time for the completion of their undertaking, to empower them to lay out, construct, equip and operate certain branch lines of railway, and for other purposes.

Of *Samuel May*, of the City of *Toronto, Ontario*, Manufacturer; praying for the passing of an Act renewing and confirming certain Letters Patent of which he is the custodian and assignee.

Of *George W. Yarker* and others; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The *York* County Bank."

Of the Iron Moulders' Union, N.A., No. 136, *Oshawa, 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 the Iron Moulders' Union, N.A., No. 136, *Oshawa, Ontario*; praying for a certain amendment of the Act for the prevention and suppression of combinations formed in restraint of trade.

Of the Iron Moulders' Union, N.A., No. 136, *Oshawa, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act to provide for the examination and licensing of persons having charge of stationary steam engines, &c.

Of the Iron Moulders' Union, N.A., No. 136, *Oshawa, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act to provide that any stipulations or terms other than an equivalent for wages, demanded by employers of employees, be punishable by imprisonment, &c.

Of the Iron Moulders' Union, N.A., No. 136, *Oshawa, Ontario*; praying for a certain amendment of the Act respecting threats, intimidation and other offences.

Of the Iron Moulders' Union, N.A., No. 136, *Oshawa, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act for the protection of workmen engaged in the construction or repairs of railways.

Of the Municipal Council of the Counties of *Lennox* and *Addington*; praying the House to consider the advisability of providing for the appointment of such court, commission or person in each of the Provinces as may be necessary for the speedy and convenient hearing and determining of certain matters arising between the public and the railways.

Of *W McDowall* and others, of the City of *Toronto*; praying that no legislation may be passed to interfere with or prevent the shooting of birds from traps.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Statement of Expenditure on account of Miscellaneous Unforeseen Expenses from 12th July, 1889, to 4th January, 1890, authorized by Act 52 *Victoria*, Chapter 1. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 24.)

Mr. *Tupper*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 8th February, 1889, for 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. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 25.)

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, 1889. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 12.)

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 Public Accounts; on Banking and Commerce; and on Agriculture and Colonization.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Costigan* have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend the Adulteration Act, chapter one hundred and seven 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. *McCarthy* have leave to bring in a Bill to further amend the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, chapter fifty, 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.

On motion Mr. *Somerville*, seconded by Mr. *Holton*,

*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 officers of the Temperance Colonization Company and the officers of the *Saskatchewan* Land and Homestead Company and the Department of the Interior, or any Member of the Government; and all correspondence between Rev. *Alexander Sutherland* and *John T. Moore* and the Department of the Interior, or any Member of the Government, in relation to the location of lands and claims for placing immigrants on lands, and compensation for assisting immigration to the said lands, together with all Orders in Council relating to such claims.

*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 (Quebec)*, seconded by Mr. *Laurier*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence between the Government and the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, or between the Government and the Board of Trade of *Quebec*, or other public bodies or persons, as well as all other documents, respecting the debentures of the North Shore Railway Company.

On motion of Mr. *Langelier (Quebec)*, seconded by Mr. *Laurier*,

*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 documents respecting the superannuation of certain employees in the Post Office at *Quebec*, and in the Post Office Inspector's office at *Quebec*; and the filling up of the vacancies caused by their superannuation.

*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 (Quebec)*, seconded by Mr. *Laurier*,

*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 documents respecting the establishment of the Marine Hospital at *Quebec* and respecting the closing of 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. *Langelier (Quebec)*, seconded by Mr. *Laurier*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence and documents respecting the appointment of Mr. *Joseph Garneau* as Superintendent of Government works at *Quebec*; and respecting his removal and the substitution of a person named *L. P. Lépine*.

On motion of Mr. *Langelier (Quebec)*, seconded by Mr. *Laurier*,

*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 documents respecting the superannuation of certain employees in the Cullers' Office at *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 (Quebec)*, seconded by Mr. *Laurier*,

*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 documents respecting the falling down of a portion of the rock on which the Citadel of *Quebec* is built, which fall took place on the 19th of September last.

*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. *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 *Casgrain, Dever, Girard, Gowan, Guévremont, Haythorne, Kaulbach, Lougheed, McClellan, McKindsey, Macfarlane, Ogilvie, Perley, Pelletier, Power, Read, 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.

And also, the Senate acquaint this House, That they have appointed the Honourable Messieurs *Almon, Baillargeon, Bellerose, Botsford, de Boucherville, Drummond, Haythorne, Lacoste, MacInnes (Burlington), Miller, Odell, Poirier, Power, Scott, Sullivan* 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 then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Thursday, 23rd January, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Davis*,—The Petition of *Felix Laroque*, Chairman and *J. J. Tobin*, Secretary of a public meeting of the ratepayers of *Banff*; the Petition of *N. Chenier*, Chairman and *H. Meloche*, Secretary of a public meeting of the ratepayers of *Canmore*; the Petition of *M. E. Roy*, Chairman and *Christopher McRae*, Secretary of a public meeting of the ratepayers of *Lethbridge*; the Petition of *Leo Slattery*, Chairman and *Bernard McKeivitt*, Secretary of a public meeting of the ratepayers of *Fish Creek*; the Petition of *Edward Donohoe*, Chairman and *Siméon Cloutier*, Secretary of a public meeting of the ratepayers of *Anthracite*; and the Petition of *Alexander Gillies*, Chairman and *A. W. McDonald*, Secretary of a public meeting of the ratepayers of *Ghost River*, all of the District of *Alberta, North West Territories*.

By Mr. *Hudspeth*,—The Petition of *Mossom Martin Boyd*, Lumber Manufacturer, and others, of the Village of *Bobcaygeon* and other places; and the Petition of the Imperial Trusts Company of *Canada*.

By Mr. *Wilson (Elgin)*,—Five Petitions of *Elgin* Assembly, No. 3449, Knights of Labour.

By Mr. *Mara*,—The Petition of *Thomas Dunn* and others, of *Vancouver, British Columbia*.

By Mr. *Masson*,—The Petition of *Joseph Cozens* and others, promoters of the *Sault Ste. Marie and Hudson's Bay* Railway.

By Mr. *Wood (Westmoreland)*,—Seven Petitions of the Iron Moulders' Union, No. 140, *Sackville, New Brunswick*.

By Mr. *Cockburn*,—The Petition of the Board of Trade of the City of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Denison*,—Seven Petitions of Iron Moulders' Union, No. 28, *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Small*,—Ten Petitions of Wheat Sheaf Assembly, Knights of Labour No. 3,499; the Petition of the *Toronto Savings Bank Charitable Trust*; and the Petition of *James Douglas*, and others, all of *Toronto*.

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

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Wentworth, Ontario*; praying the House to consider the advisability of providing for the appointment of such court, commission or person in each of the Provinces as may be necessary for the speedy and convenient hearing and determining of certain matters arising between the public and the railways.

Of the Honourable *W. E. Sanford*, Senator, of *Hamilton*, and others; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the *Saskatchewan Colonization Railway Company*.

Of *Maple Leaf Assembly*, No. 2622; and of the *Toronto Trades and Labour Council*; severally praying for the passing of an Act for the protection of workmen engaged in the construction or repairs of railways.

Of *Maple Leaf Assembly*, No. 2622; and of the *Toronto Trades and Labour Council*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to provide, that any stipulations or terms other than an equivalent for wages, demanded by employers of employees, be punishable by imprisonment, &c.

Of *Maple Leaf Assembly*, No. 2622; and of the *Toronto Trades and Labour Council*; severally praying for the passing of an Act for the examination and licensing of persons having charge of stationary steam engines, &c.

Of *Maple Leaf Assembly*, No. 2622: and of the *Toronto Trades and Labour Council*; severally praying for an amendment of the *Seamen's Agreement Act*.

Of *Maple Leaf Assembly*, No. 2622; 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 *Maple Leaf Assembly*, No. 2622; and of the *Toronto Trades and Labour Council*; severally praying for a certain amendment of the Act respecting threats, intimidation and other offences.

Of *Maple Leaf Assembly*, No. 2,622; and of the *Toronto Trades and Labour Council*; severally praying for a certain amendment of the Act for the prevention and suppression of combinations formed in restraint of trade.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Choquette* 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 *Mr. Casgrain* have leave to bring in a Bill for further securing the Independence of Parliament.

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*, 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, 1889. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 15.)

On motion of *Mr. Denison*, scouted by *Mr. McCulla*

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing, by years, the cost of printing the Ordinances and other official papers and publications in the French Language from the time of the passage of the *North-West Territories Act* of 1877.

2. The number of copies of the Ordinances from time to time printed in said language.

3. The number distributed and the number remaining in stock.

On motion of *Mr. McMullen*, seconded by *Mr. Somerville*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the amount of money expended by the Dominion in each Province since Confederation to the 30th of June, 1889, under the following heads:—

1st. Subsidies to Railways in each Province, excepting the *Canadian Pacific* main line and *Sault* branch;

2nd. The several Railways built by the Dominion in each Province, including the Intercolonial branches and extensions, but not the main line as originally constructed ;

3rd. The buildings erected or purchased in each Province, their location and cost.

Mr. *McMullen* moved, seconded by Mr. *Somerville*, and the Question being proposed, That there be laid before this House, a Return giving :—

1st. The names of each Minister of the Crown, High Commissioner or other Foreign Plenipotentiary, from Confederation to the 30th of June, 1889.

2nd. The amount of money drawn by each under the following heads :

Salary, sessional allowance, travelling expenses, cab hire and all other sums drawn under any other head for each year during their term of office.

3rd. The total amount paid to each for all purposes during their term of office up to the 30th June, 1889 ;

Mr. *Taylor* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Joncas*, That the words “ A detailed statement showing the purposes to which the amount received by each Minister of the Crown, High Commissioner or other Foreign Plenipotentiary was applied or disposed of, together with a statement in detail showing :—1st. The names of all Members of the House of Commons since Confederation ; 2nd. The total amount received by each Member as sessional indemnity, travelling expenses or for any other purpose ; 3rd. The amount expended by each Member while living in *Ottawa* and attending to his Parliamentary duties, the names of the parties to whom any sum or sums were paid and the purposes for which paid ; 4th. The amount expended by each Member of the House of Commons in travelling to and from the Capital to attend to his Parliamentary duties ; 5th. The names of those who travelled on passes and the name of the Railway Company issuing the same ; 6th. The number of Returns moved for by each Member, the cost incurred in preparing each Return, including the printing of the same, and what was subsequently done in relation to each Return ; 7th. The number of times each Member addressed The House, the length of time occupied in speaking, the cost to the Country of each speech so made and the value thereof, computing the same on the basis of the length and cost of each Session ; 8th. The number of motions and the name of the Member making the same other than for Returns, and the disposition of such motion after being made ; 9th. The number of votes given by each Member, and the number of times each Member refrained from voting and the reasons therefor, showing the character and nature of each motion, the purposes for which made, and whether in each case that a Member refrained from voting he had the consent of The House for so absenting himself ; 10th. How the sum of \$500 extra sessional indemnity granted in 1885 was expended by each Member of The House for that year, and what proportion of it was paid to Agricultural Societies, subscription to Church funds or other charitable purposes, as promised by certain Members when accepting the same ;” be added at the end thereof, as clause 4 ;

And a Debate arising thereupon ;

Sir *John A. Macdonald* moved, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, That the Debate be adjourned ;

The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

The proposed amendment and the original Motion, were each, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

On motion of Mr. *Langelier* (*Quebec*), seconded by Mr. *Laurier*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House a statement, in detail, showing the expenditure made in connection with the Marine and Emigrant Hospital at *Quebec*. since the 30th June, 1886, the said statement giving :—

1. The sum voted each year by the Dominion Parliament.
2. The amount expended.

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3. The number of sailors and emigrants taken in each year, and the total number of days that each one of these passed in the hospital,
  4. The number of persons not being sailors or emigrants, taken into the said hospital, and the number of days that each one of this class passed there.
  5. The total cost day by day of each patient.
  6. The amount received by the Government for the patients who are neither emigrants nor sailors.
  7. The amount received from the Sick Mariners' Fund under the Act 49 *Victoria*, Chapter 76, section 16.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return giving the names of all the Chartered Banks in *Canada* that have suspended payment, gone into liquidation, or become insolvent since Confederation, showing the amount of capital stock authorized, the amount of stock subscribed, the amount of stock paid up, the assets and liabilities of said Banks at the time of such suspension or failure, the nature of such assets and liabilities, the dates of said charters and the dates of forfeiture or relinquishment of such charters, and dividend paid to bill holders and depositors.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return giving a detailed statement of receipts and expenditures to 1st January, 1890, together with statement of the same for the half year ending 1st January, 1889.

On motion of Mr. *Casgrain*, seconded by Mr. *Langelier (Quebec)*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of all the expenses generally incurred to this day for the making of the Electoral Lists for the Dominion of *Canada*.

On motion of Mr. *McMullen*, seconded by Mr. *Choquette*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the number of registered letters sent to the Dead Letter Office during the years 1887, 1888 and 1889, up to the 31st December last.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

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Friday, 24th January, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Rykert*,—The Petition of the *St. Catharines* and *Niagara* Central Railway Company; seven Petitions of *Welland* Canal Sailors' Assembly, No. 7025; ten Petitions of *Barry* Assembly, No. 827, Knights of Labour; and seven Petitions of Fidelity Assembly, No. 2056, Knights of Labour, all of *St. Catharines, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Ross*,—The Petition of *William Mackenzie* and others.

By Mr. *Madill*,—The Petition of the *Goderich* and Canadian Pacific Junction Railway Company.

By Mr. *Patterson (Essex)*,—The Petition of the *Canada* Southern Bridge Company.

By Mr. *Hickey*,—The Petition of the North-Western Coal and Navigation Company (Limited).

By Mr. Wallace.—The Petition of the Officers and Members of the Loyal Orange Association of *British America*.

By Mr. McKay.—Seven Petitions of the Bricklayers' and Masons' Union of *Hamilton, Ontario*.

By Mr. Weldon (*St. John*).—The Petition of the Peoples' Bank of *New Brunswick*; and the Petition of the President, Directors and Company of the *St. Stephen's* Bank, County of *Charlotte, New Brunswick*.

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

Of Local Assembly, No. 644, Knights of Labour; of *de Maison neuve* Assembly, No. 7209; of Carriage Makers' Union; of Cigar Makers' Union; of Local Assembly, No. 6023, Knights of Labour; of Horse Shoe Local Assembly, No. 10511, all of *Montreal*; of *Lévis* Assembly, No. 10123, Knights of Labour, *Quebec*; of *Toronto* Pressmen's Union, No. 10; of Cigar Makers' Union, No. 27; of Mayflower Assembly, No. 6564, Knights of Labour, all of *Toronto*; of Assembly, No. 5402, Knights of Labour, *Lindsay*; and of *Hamilton* Typographical Union, No. 129; severally praying for a certain amendment of the Act for the prevention and suppression of combinations formed in restraint of trade.

Of *Lévis* Assembly, No. 10123, Knights of Labour, *Quebec*; of Local Assembly, No. 644, Knights of Labour; of *de Maison neuve* Assembly, No. 7209; of Carriage Makers' Union; of Cigar Makers' Union; of Local Assembly, No. 6023, Knights of Labour; of Horse Shoe Local Assembly, No. 10511, all of *Montreal*; of *Toronto* Pressmen's Union, No. 10; of Cigar Makers' Union, No. 27; of Mayflower Assembly, No. 6564, Knights of Labour, all of *Toronto*; of Assembly, No. 5402, Knights of Labour, *Lindsay*; and of *Hamilton* Typographical Union, No. 129; severally praying for an amendment of the Seamen's Agreement Act.

Of *Lévis* Assembly, No. 10123, Knights of Labour, *Quebec*; of Local Assembly, No. 644, Knights of Labour; of *de Maison neuve* Assembly, No. 7209; of Carriage Makers' Union; of Cigar Makers' Union; of Local Assembly, No. 6023, Knights of Labour; of Horse Shoe Local Assembly, No. 10511, all of *Montreal*; of Cigar Makers' Union, No. 27; of Mayflower Assembly, No. 6564, Knights of Labour, all of *Toronto*; of Assembly, No. 5402, Knights of Labour, *Lindsay*; and of *Hamilton* Typographical Union, No. 129; severally praying for a certain amendment of the Act respecting threats, intimidation and other offences.

Of *Lévis* Assembly, No. 10123, Knights of Labour; of Local Assembly, No. 644, Knights of Labour; of *de Maison neuve* Assembly, No. 7209; of Carriage Makers' Union; of Cigar Makers' Union; of Local Assembly, No. 6023, Knights of Labour; of Horse Shoe Local Assembly, No. 10511, all of *Montreal*; of *Toronto* Pressmen's Union, No. 10; of Cigar Makers' Union, No. 27; of Mayflower Assembly, No. 6564, Knights of Labour, all of *Toronto*; of Assembly, No. 5402, Knights of Labour, *Lindsay*; and of *Hamilton* Typographical Union, No. 129; severally praying for the passing of an Act to provide for the examination and licensing of persons having charge of stationary steam engines, &c.

Of *Lévis* Assembly, No. 10123, Knights of Labour; of Local Assembly, No. 644, Knights of Labour; of *de Maison neuve* Assembly, No. 7209; of Carriage Makers' Union; of Cigar Makers' Union; of Local Assembly, No. 6023, Knights of Labour; of Horse Shoe Local Assembly, No. 10511, all of *Montreal*; of *Toronto* Pressmen's Union, No. 10; of Cigar Makers' Union, No. 27; of Mayflower Assembly, No. 6564, Knights of Labour, all of *Toronto*; of Assembly, No. 5402, Knights of Labour, *Lindsay*; and of *Hamilton* Typographical Union, No. 129; 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 *Lévis* Assembly, No. 10123, Knights of Labour; of Local Assembly, No. 644, Knights of Labour; of *de Maison neuve* Assembly, No. 7209; of Carriage Makers' Union; of Cigar Makers' Union; of Local Assembly, No. 6023, Knights of Labour;

of Horse Shoe Local Assembly, No. 10511, all of *Montreal*; of *Toronto* Pressmen's Union, No. 10; of Cigar Makers' Union, No. 27; of Mayflower Assembly, No. 6564, Knights of Labour, all of *Toronto*; of Assembly, No. 5402, Knights of Labour, *Lindsay*; and of *Hamilton* Typographical Union, No. 129; severally praying for the passing of an Act to provide that any stipulation or terms other than an equivalent for wages, demanded by employers of employees, be punished by imprisonment, &c.

Of *Lévis* Assembly, No. 10123, Knights of Labour; of Local Assembly, No. 644, Knights of Labour; of de *Maieon neuve* Assembly, No. 7209; of Carriage Makers' Union; of Cigar Makers' Union; of Local Assembly, No. 6023, Knights of Labour; of Horse Shoe Local Assembly, No. 10511, all of *Montreal*; of *Toronto* Pressmen's Union, No. 10; of Cigar Makers' Union, No. 27; of Mayflower Assembly, No. 6564, Knights of Labour, all of *Toronto*; of Assembly, No. 5402, Knights of Labour, *Lindsay*; and of *Hamilton* Typographical Union, No. 129; severally praying for the passing of an Act for the protection of workmen engaged in the construction or repairs of railways.

Of *Hamilton* Typographical Union, No. 129; praying for the passing of an Act constituting Boards of Arbitration for the adjustment of disputes arising between employers and employees, &c.

Of Mayflower Assembly, No. 6564, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; praying for the passing of an Act setting apart a day to be known as "Labour Day."

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Wentworth, Ontario*; praying the House to consider the advisability of providing for the appointment of such court, commission or person in each of the Provinces as may be necessary for the speedy and convenient hearing and determining of certain matters arising between the public and the railways.

Of the Executive Council of the *Wentworth* Pioneer and Historical Society; praying that such steps may be taken as will help to perpetuate the memory of the men who lost their lives in defending their country at the battle of *Stony Creek*, &c.

Of *Charles A. Myers*, of the Village of *Morrisburg*, and others; praying for the passing of an Act to empower them to build, equip and operate a line of railway between the City of *Ottawa* and the said Village of *Morrisburg*, in the County of *Dundas*.

Of *Milo M. Belding* and others, of the City of *Montreal*; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of *Belding, Paul & Company (Limited)*.

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 *Haldimand*.

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

#### HALDIMAND CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

*In the Supreme Court of Canada.*

WEDNESDAY, the twenty-second day of January, 1890.

PRESENT:

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

do *Mr. Justice Taschereau*,

do *Mr. Justice Gwynne*,

do *Mr. Justice Patterson*.

The Honourable *Mr. Justice Strong* being absent, his judgment was announced by the Honourable the Chief Justice, pursuant to the Statute in that behalf.

## THE DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT.

Election of a Member of the House of Commons for the Electoral District of *Haldimand*, holden on the thirtieth day of January, 1889.

Between

CHARLES WESLEY COLTER,  
(Respondent in the Court below), Appellant ;  
and

WILLIAM GLENN,  
(Petitioner in the Court below), Respondent.

The appeal of the above-named *Charles Wesley Colter* from the judgment of the Honourable Mr. Justice *Falconbridge*, delivered upon the trial of the election petition in the above matter on the tenth day of September, and the fourteenth day of October last past, having come on for hearing before this Court on the thirteenth and fourteenth days of December last past (1889), in the presence of Counsel, as well for the above-named Appellant as for the above-named Respondent: And the Appellant having, pursuant to section 51 of the Controverted Elections Act, in his notice of the setting down the appeal for hearing, limited the subject thereof to the charges following, viz. :—Charge No. 82, which is as follows :—

“ On or about the day of the election in question, at the Township of *Walpole*, *James Haslett*, of *Walpole*, an agent of the Respondent, offered and promised to pay and did pay to *Henry Bridges*, of the Township of *Walpole*, a voter in the said electoral district, the sum of five dollars, or other valuable consideration, to induce him, the said *Bridges*, to refrain from voting at the election in question, or to vote thereat for the said Respondent.”

And charge No. 8, which is as follows :—

“ On or about the day of the election in question at the village of *Selkirk*, Doctor *Thomas T. Harrison*, of *Selkirk*, aforesaid, President of the Reform Association; *Jose W. Holmes*, of *Selkirk*, aforesaid; *Albion C. Smith*, of *Rainham*; and *Edwin Hoover*, agents of the Respondent, did purchase and procure a number of kegs of lager beer and put or place them in the barber shop of one *Alexander Miller*, in the village of *Selkirk*, aforesaid; and the said *Harrison*, *Holmes* and *Smith*, took into the said barber shop and there treated a number of the electors or voters in the said electoral district—among others, *Frederick Bretzler*, of *Rainham*; *William Holty*, of *Rainham*; *Alfred Kingsley*, of *Rainham*; *John Kingsley*, of *Rainham*; *Isaac Boyer*, of *Rainham*; *Edmund Hoover*, of *Rainham*; *Moses Hoover*, of *Rainham*; *J. H. Yager*, of *Rainham*; *William Yager*, of *Rainham*; and many others whose names are unknown to the Petitioner, in order to induce said electors to vote for the said Respondent, or to refrain from voting against him, or on account of their having voted at the said election in question.”

With respect to which said charge No. 82, the learned Judge of the Court below found that the said *James Haslett*, an agent of the Respondent in the Court below, the said *Charles Wesley Colter*, committed the corrupt act charged without the knowledge or consent of the said Respondent in the Court below, the said *Charles Wesley Colter*; and with respect to the said charge No. 8, the said learned Judge of the Court below found, upon the facts, that the giving of the liquor was done in the interests of the Respondent in the Court below, the said *Charles Wesley Colter*, without the knowledge of the said Respondent in the Court below, the said *Charles Wesley Colter*, but with the knowledge, consent and sanction of the said Doctor *Thomas T. Harrison*, and the said *Moses Hoover*, agents of the said Respondent in the Court below, the said *Charles Wesley Colter*, and that a corrupt practice within the meaning of the Act had been committed by the said *Harrison* and *Hoover*, agents of the said Respondent in the Court below, the said *Charles Wesley Colter*, without his knowledge and consent; and that the said election must be declared void; and the said learned Judge did further, with reference to the question of costs,

order that the Petitioner should have the general costs of the petition and trial; that the Respondent in the Court below, the said *Charles Wesley Colter*, would be entitled to the costs occasioned by the charges or corrupt acts by agents on which he had succeeded, and of those which were abandoned, and that there would be no costs to either party of the personal charges; and the said Respondent, *William Glenn*, having filed a cross appeal from the said judgment; and the said appeal, so far as respects the said charge No 82, having been heard before this Court, 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, adjudge and determine as follows:—

1st. That the said appeal on the said charge No. 82 should be and the same was dismissed.

2nd. That the said *James Haslet*, an agent of the said Appellant, the said *Charles Wesley Colter*, committed the corrupt practice charged, without the knowledge or consent of the said Appellant, the said *Charles Wesley Colter*.

3rd. That the said Appellant, the said *Charles Wesley Colter*, was not duly elected and returned as a Member for the House of Commons of *Canada*, for the said Electoral District of *Haldimand*, at the said election holden on the said thirtieth day of January last past, and that the said election was and is a void election.

4th. 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 Respondent, *William Glenn*, to be applied by the said Respondent, *William Glenn*, on account of his costs hereinafter mentioned.

5th. That the said Appellant, *Charles Wesley Colter*, should pay to the said Respondent, *William Glenn*, the costs incurred by the said Respondent, *William Glenn*, in connection with said Appeal on said charge No. 82, as aforesaid.

And 6th. That this Court, with the consent of the parties, did not deal with the costs of the other charge on the said appeal or with the costs of the said cross-appeal.

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 Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery to make out a new Writ of Election for the said Electoral District.

Mr. *Bergeron*, 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 following Petitions and find them sufficient, viz.:—

Of the *Alberta Railway and Coal Company*, for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation; of the *Port Arthur, Duluth and Western Railway Company*, for an extension of time for the completion of their Railway; and of *Samuel May*, for the renewal of certain Letters Patent.

Your Committee have also examined the Notices given on the Petition of the *Saskatchewan Colonization Railway Company*, for an Act of Incorporation, and find them a little short of the required 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.

As the time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills will expire To-morrow, and that for presenting Private Bills on the 30th instant, your Committee recommend that the former be extended to Tuesday, the 11th February, and the latter to Tuesday, the 18th February.

On motion of Mr. *Bergeron*, seconded by Mr. *Ferguson (Welland)*,

*Ordered*, That the time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills be extended to Tuesday, the eleventh of February next, and that the time for presenting Private Bills be extended to Tuesday, the eighteenth of February next, in accordance with the recommendation of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *White (Cardwell)* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act 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. *Dawson* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Port Arthur, Duluth 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 Monday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *McMullen* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Saskatchewan Colonization 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. *Denison* have leave to bring in a Bill to confer on the Commissioner of Patents certain powers for the relief of *Samuel May*.

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 Mr. *Prior*, seconded by Mr. *Earle*,

*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 Imperial Government, and between the Dominion Government and the Canadian Pacific Railway Company in regard to the granting of a subsidy to the latter Company for lines of steamships to run between *Vancouver, British Columbia and Japan, and Australia*.

*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. *Gordon*, seconded by Mr. *Earle*,

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

1st. The total number of Chinese immigrants who have arrived in the Dominion of *Canada* from the 31st March, 1887, to the 31st December, 1889, specifying the ports at which such immigrants have arrived.

2nd. The amount of fees or duties collected from Chinese immigrants during the same period.

3rd. The number of certificates of residence that have been issued to Chinese as provided for under section 13 of the Act to restrict and regulate Chinese immigration into *Canada*, since the passage of the Act.

4th. The number of Chinese who have been detected in attempting to land in *Canada* upon fraudulent certificates and who were prevented by the courts from doing so.

5th. Copies of all correspondence having reference to the removal from office of Mr. *Vroman alias Mr. Gardner*, and also all correspondence having reference to the appointment of a Chinaman to the position of Interpreter at the Port of *Vancouver*, in the place of the said Mr. *Gardner*.

6th. The number of Chinese who have passed through *Canada* in bond for passage from *Vancouver* by steamer to *China*, and the regulations that have been prescribed for placing them securely on board said steamers to prevent their disembarkation into *Canada*.

7th. The total number of Chinese other than those in bond who have left *Canada* during the first mentioned period, and the number of return certificates that have been issued.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of all papers and correspondence between the *Ontario Manufacturers' Association* and the Dominion Government, during the years 1883, 1884 and 1885, on the subject of proposed legislation relating to factories.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the total amount of expenditure to date on the Government Printing Bureau building, the total expenditure to date on type, presses, and all other printing and binding machinery and material placed in the Bureau; also, the total amount paid in salaries and wages to officers and employees in the Bureau, from the 1st July, 1889, to 1st January, 1890.

Mr. *Wood* (*Westmoreland*) moved, seconded by Mr. *Moffat*, and the Question being proposed, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the quantity of fresh beef imported into *Canada* from the *United States* during the fiscal year ending 30th June last, and also, for six months ending 31st December last, distinguishing by Provinces; And a Debate arising thereupon:—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

And then The House adjourned till Monday next.

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Monday, 27th January, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Lister*,—The Petition of the *Erie and Huron Railway Company*.

By Mr. *Curran*,—The Petition of *Richard Reid Dobell*, Merchant, of the City of *Quebec*, and others.

By Mr. *Mills* (*Annapolis*),—The Petition of *E. Franklin Clements*, Merchant, of the Town of *Yarmouth, Nova Scotia*, and other places.

By Mr. *Denison*,—Seven Petitions of *Toronto Typographical Union*, No. 91; seven Petitions of *Local Assembly*, No. 2305, *Knights of Labour*; and seven Petitions of *United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America*, Union No. 27, all of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Small*,—The Petition of *Thomas Taylor*, and others; the Petition of *David Beaty* and others; and the Petition of *Charles Frederick Bunbury* and others, all of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Carling*,—Six Petitions of *Local Assembly*, No. 3558, *Knights of Labour*; and seven Petitions of *London Typographical Union* No. 133, all of *London, Ontario*.

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

Of *Iron Moulders' Union*, No. 28; of *Wheat Sheaf Assembly*, No. 3499, *Knights of Labour*, all of *Toronto*; of *Welland Canal Sailors' Assembly*, No. 7025; of *Barry*

Assembly, No. 827, Knights of Labour; of Fidelity Assembly, No. 2056, Knights of Labour, all of *St. Catharines*; of Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, *Hamilton*; of *Elgin* Assembly, No. 3449, Knights of Labour, all of *Ontario*; and of Iron Moulders' Union, No. 140, *Sackville, New Brunswick*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to provide for the examination and licensing of persons having charge of stationary steam engines.

Of Iron Moulders' Union, No. 28; of Wheat Sheaf Assembly, No. 3499, Knights of Labour, all of *Toronto*; of *Welland* Canal Sailors' Assembly, No. 7025; of *Barry* Assembly, No. 827, Knights of Labour; of Fidelity Assembly, No. 2056; Knights of Labour, all of *St. Catharines*; of Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, *Hamilton*; of *Elgin* Assembly, No. 3449, Knights of Labour, all of *Ontario*; and of Iron Moulders' Union, No. 140, *Sackville, New Brunswick*; 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 Iron Moulders' Union, No. 28; of Wheat Sheaf Assembly, No. 3499, Knights of Labour, all of *Toronto*; of *Welland* Canal Sailors' Assembly, No. 7025; of *Barry* Assembly, No. 827, Knights of Labour; of Fidelity Assembly, No. 2056, Knights of Labour, all of *St. Catharines*; of Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, *Hamilton*; of *Elgin* Assembly, No. 3449, Knights of Labour, all of *Ontario*; and of Iron Moulders' Union, No. 140, *Sackville, New Brunswick*; severally praying for the passing of an Act for the protection of workmen engaged in the construction or repairs of railways.

Of Iron Moulders' Union, No. 28; of Wheat Sheaf Assembly, No. 3499, Knights of Labour, all of *Toronto*; of *Welland* Canal Sailors' Assembly, No. 7025; of *Barry* Assembly, No. 827, Knights of Labour; of Fidelity Assembly, No. 2056, Knights of Labour, all of *St. Catharines*; of Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, *Hamilton*; of *Elgin* Assembly, No. 3449, Knights of Labour, all of *Ontario*; and of Iron Moulders' Union, No. 140, *Sackville, New Brunswick*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to provide, that any stipulations or terms, other than an equivalent for wages, demanded by employers of employees, be punishable by imprisonment, &c.

Of Iron Moulders' Union, No. 28; of Wheat Sheaf Assembly, No. 3499, Knights of Labour, all of *Toronto*; of *Welland* Canal Sailors' Assembly, No. 7025; of *Barry* Assembly, No. 827, Knights of Labour; of Fidelity Assembly, No. 2056, Knights of Labour, all of *St. Catharines*; of Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, *Hamilton*; of *Elgin* Assembly, No. 3449, Knights of Labour; and of Iron Moulders' Union, No. 140, *Sackville, New Brunswick*; severally praying for an amendment of the Seamen's Agreement Act.

Of Iron Moulders' Union, No. 28; of Wheat Sheaf Assembly, No. 3499, Knights of Labour, all of *Toronto*; of *Welland* Canal Sailors' Assembly, No. 7025; of *Barry* Assembly, No. 827, Knights of Labour; of Fidelity Assembly, No. 2056, Knights of Labour, all of *St. Catharines*; of Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, *Hamilton*; all of *Ontario*; and of Iron Moulders' Union, No. 140, *Sackville, New Brunswick*; severally praying for a certain amendment of the Act for the prevention and suppression of combinations formed in restraint of trade.

Of Iron Moulders' Union, No. 28; of Wheat Sheaf Assembly, No. 3499, Knights of Labour, all of *Toronto*; of *Welland* Canal Sailors' Assembly, No. 7024; of *Barry* Assembly, No. 827, Knights of Labour; of Fidelity Assembly, No. 2056, Knights of Labour, all of *St. Catharines*; of Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, *Hamilton*, all of *Ontario*; and of Iron Moulders' Union, No. 140, *Sackville, New Brunswick*; severally praying for a certain amendment of the Act respecting threats, intimidation and other offences.

Of Wheat Sheaf Assembly, No. 3499, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; and of *Barry* Assembly, No. 827, Knights of Labour, *St. Catharines*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act constituting Boards of Arbitration for the adjustment of disputes arising between employers and employees.

Of Wheat Sheaf Assembly, No. 3499, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; and of *Barry* Assembly, No. 827, Knights of Labour, *St. Catharines*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to compel cities, towns, &c., in *Ontario*, to publish their assessment rolls annually.

Of Wheat Sheaf Assembly, No. 3499, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; and of *Barry* Assembly, No. 827, Knights of Labour, *St. Catharines*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of a Workshop's Regulation Act.

Of *James Douglas* and others, *Toronto*; praying that no law may be passed to interfere with or prevent the shooting of birds from traps.

Of *Félix Laroque*, Chairman, and *J. J. Tobin*, Secretary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of *Banff*; of *N. Chenier*, Chairman, and *H. Meloche*, Secretary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of *Canmore*; of *M. E. Roy*, Chairman, and *Christopher McKae*, Secretary of a public meeting of the ratepayers of *Lethbridge*; of *Leo Slattery*, Chairman, and *Bernard McKevitt*, Secretary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of *Fish Creek*; of *Edward Donohoe*, Chairman, and *Siméon Cloutier*, Secretary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of *Anthracite*; and of *Alexander Gillies*, Chairman, and *A. W. McDonald*, Secretary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of *Ghost River*; all of the District of *Alberta, North-West Territories*; severally praying that no law may be passed to abolish or restrict the use of the French as an official Language.

Of the Board of Trade of the City of *Toronto*; praying for the passing of an Act to increase their powers of holding land and borrowing money, to confirm a certain agreement, and for other purposes.

Of the *St. Catharines* and *Niagara Central Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act to extend the time for the commencement and completion of their railway and branches, and for other purposes.

Of *Mossom Martin Boyd*, Lumber Manufacturer, and others of the Village of *Bobcaygeon* and other places; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of The *Lindsay, Bobcaygeon and Pontypool Railway Company*.

Of the Imperial Trusts Company of *Canada*; praying for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation.

Of *Joseph Cozens* and others, promoters of the *Sault Ste. Marie and Hudson's Bay Railway*; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the above name.

Of *William Mackenzie* and others; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of The *Calgary and Edmonton Railway Company*.

Of the *Toronto Savings Bank Charitable Trust*; praying for the passing of an Act empowering them to invest the proceeds of a certain mortgage in real estate.

Of the *Canada Southern Bridge Company*; praying for the passing of an Act to extend the time for the completion of their works in connection with the tunnel under the *Detroit River*.

Of the *Goderich* and *Canadian Pacific Junction Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act changing their corporate name to that of the *Goderich and Wingham Railway Company*, extending the time for the commencement and completion of their proposed railway, and for other purposes.

Of the *North-Western Coal and Navigation Company (Limited)*; praying for the passing of an Act to extend the time for the construction of their proposed extension line of railway between *Lethbridge* and *Fort McLeod*.

Of the *People's Bank of New Brunswick*: praying for the passing of an Act to extend its charter, and also to extend to said bank the provisions of Chapter 120 of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*.

Of the President, Directors and Company of the *St. Stephen's Bank*, County of *Charlotte, New Brunswick*; praying for the passing of an Act to change the corporate name of the said bank to that of "The *St. Stephen's Bank*," to extend its charter, and also to extend to it the provisions of Chapter 120 of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*.

Of *Thomas Dunn* and others, of *Vancouver, British Columbia*; praying the House to consider the advisability of imposing an additional tax upon Chinese immigration.

Of the Officers and Members of the Loyal Orange Association of *British America*; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The Grand Orange Lodge of *British America*."

Ordered, That Mr. *Carling* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend "The Patent 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. *Carling* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act respecting Trade Marks and Industrial Designs.

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. *Carling* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend "The Copyright 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. *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, 1889. (*Sessional Papers, No. 5.*)

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend the Act 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 *Port Arthur, Duluth* 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 *Saskatchewan* Colonization Railway Company;

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

Mr. *Kirk* moved, seconded by Mr. *Armstrong*, and the Question being proposed, That there be laid before this House, copies of all petitions and correspondence with the Postmaster-General or other officer of the Government relative to re-opening a post office at *Oyster Ponds*, in the County of *Guysborough*; and also, copy of a report or reports of the Post Office Inspector at *Halifax* thereon or in relation thereto; And a Debate arising thereupon:—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Mr. *Kirk* moved, seconded by Mr. *Armstrong*, and the Question being proposed, That there be laid before this House, a copy of all petitions and correspondence with the Postmaster-General or other officer of the Government relative to establishing a post office at *Little Dover*, in the County of *Guysborough*, and mail communication to connect it with *Cape Canso* and also, a copy of the report of the Inspector at *Halifax* thereon; And a Debate arising thereupon:—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

On motion of Mr. *O'Brien*, seconded by Mr. *Wallace*,

*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 reports or opinions of the Law Officers of the Crown relating to the Act passed by the Legislature of the Province of *Quebec* intituled: "An Act for the settlement of the Jesuits' Estates," and also, copies of the case or cases or other documents or reports submitted to the said Law Officers, or to Her Majesty's Secretary of State for the Colonies, in relation to the said Act, and upon which the said opinions were obtained, and also, all the despatches and correspondence in reference 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. *Perry*, seconded by Mr. *Semple*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a statement, in detail, showing the expenditure made in connection with repairs to *Tignish* breakwater, *Prince Edward Island*, during 1889; the date of commencement of work, and when completed; the name of party in charge of work.

On motion of Mr. *Dessaint*, seconded by Mr. *Doyon*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of the accounts connected with the building of a wharf at *Kamouraska*, in the Province of *Quebec*, made up in the course of the year 1889.

On motion of Mr. *Laurier*, seconded by Mr. *Mackenzie*,

*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 Resolutions of the Legislative Assembly of the *North-West Territories*, respecting the application of moneys voted by this House for the use of 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.

On motion of Mr. *Laurier*, seconded by Mr. *Mackenzie*,

*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 Departmental Orders prohibiting American vessels from carrying bonded freight from American ports to *Victoria*, *British Columbia*, or any other Canadian port; and copies of all Orders in Council or Departmental Orders revoking the same, and all correspondence connected therewith.

*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. *Laurier*, seconded by Mr. *Mackenzie*,

*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 Resolutions of the Legislative Assembly of the *North-West Territories*, respecting the settlement of the Half-breed claims.

*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. *White (Renfrew)*, seconded by Mr. *Kirkpatrick*,

*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, despatches, correspondence and documents relating to the resignation of the Advisory Council of the *North-West Territories*, and the appointment of their successors.

*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. *Armstrong*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the lands sold and prices realized for the same, as well as all sums of money realized from other sources by *Clark Gamble*, acting for the Crown in the case of the Bank of *Upper Canada*; also, all payments made by him in connection with said Bank, and to whom made.

On motion of Mr. *McMullen*, seconded by Mr. *Armstrong*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return giving the names of each Commissioner or other Agent appointed by the Canadian Government since Confederation to the 30th June, 1889, on missions to Foreign Countries; the salary paid per month or year; the total amount paid for salary, travelling expenses, living allowance, and all other expenses of any kind, during their term of office up to the 30th June, 1889.

Mr. *McMullen* moved, seconded by Mr. *Armstrong*, and the Question being put, That there be laid before this House a Return, showing the names of each Minister of the Crown from Confederation to 30th June, 1889; the amount of money drawn by each during each year of their term of office under the following heads: Salary, sessional allowance, travelling expenses, and all other sums drawn or paid under any other head, during their term of office until 30th June, 1889; the total amount paid to each up to the same date; the House divided:—and it passed in the Negative.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Tuesday, 28th January, 1890.

#### PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Sutherland*,—The Petition of *John Campbell Ross*, Merchant, and others, of the Town of *Tilsonburg*, County of *Oxford*, Ontario.

By Mr. *Davis*,—The Petition of *Gabriel Parenteau*, Chairman, and *Louis Régindel*, Secretary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of *St. Laurent*; the Petition of *Louis Schneider*, Chairman, and *Charles de la Gorgendière*, Secretary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of the Catholic School District of *Prince Albert*; the Petition of *Jean Baptiste Arcand*, Chairman, and *Louis Bourassa*, Secretary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of *St. Eugène de Carlton*; the Petition of *D. Arcand*, Chairman, and *N. Pomerleau*, Secretary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of *St. Vital, Battleford*, District of *Saskatchewan*, all of the *North-West Territories*; and the Petition of the *Qu'Appelle, Long Lake and Saskatchewan Railroad and Steamboat Company* and the *Canadian Pacific Railway Company*.

By Mr. *McMillan* (*Vaudreuil*),—The Petition of the *Vaudreuil and Prescott Railway Company*.

By Mr. *Denison*,—Four Petitions of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour; and the Petition of *John W. Cheeseworth*, Merchant, and others of the City of *Toronto* and other places.

By Mr. *Ives*,—The Petition of the *Hereford Railway Company*.

By Mr. *Hickey*,—The Petition of *R. C. Carter* and others.

By Mr. *White (Cardwell)*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Dufferin*.

By Mr. *Livingston*,—Seven Petitions of Iron Moulders' Union, No. 102, *Galt, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Wallace*,—The Petition of the *Manitoba* and North-Western Railway Company of *Canada*.

Mr. *Bergeron*, 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 *Belding, Paul & Company (Limited)*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *Ottawa, Morrisburg and New York Railway Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *Toronto* Board of Trade, for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation; of the *Lindsay, Bobcaygeon and Pontypool Railway Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *North-Western Coal and Navigation Company*, for power to extend their line of railway; of the *Sault Ste. Marie and Hudson's Bay Railway Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *Belleville and Lake Nipissing Railway Company*, for an Act to extend the time for the construction of their railway; of the *Goderich* and *Canadian Pacific Junction Railway Company*, for power to change the location of their railway; and of the *Loyal Orange Association of British America*, for an Act of Incorporation.

Your Committee have also examined the Notices given on the Petition of the *Canada* Southern Bridge Company, for an extension of time in which to complete the construction of their undertaking; and on that of the *St. Stephen's Bank*, for an extension of their Charter, and find that they are short in point of time, but as they will have fully matured within one week, your Committee recommend that they be deemed sufficient.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Porter* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Goderich* and *Canadian Pacific Junction Railway Company*, and to change the name of the Company to "*The Goderich and Wingham 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. *Hudspeth* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Lindsay, Bobcaygeon and Pontypool 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. *Corby* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the *Belleville and Lake Nipissing 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. *Curran* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate "*Belding, Paul and 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. *Weldon (St. John)* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *St. Stephen's Bank*.

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. *Shanly* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the North-Western Coal and Navigation 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. *Patterson (Essex)* have leave to bring in a Bill relating to the *Canada Southern 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. *Dawson* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Sault Ste. Marie and Hudson's 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. *Hickey* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Ottawa, Morrisburg and New York 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. *Dewdney*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, aid before the House, in compliance with Section 91 of the Dominion Lands Act, Chapter 54 of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, copies of the Regulations which have been sanctioned by the Privy Council since the close of last Session. (*Sessional Papers, No. 26.*)

Also, as required by Section 5 of the Act 50-51 Victoria, Chapter 32, a copy of the Regulations for the control and management of the *Rocky Mountains Park of Canada*, sanctioned by Order in Council of the 27th November, 1889. (*Sessional Papers, No. 27.*)

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill relating to Bills of Exchange, Cheques and Promisory Notes;

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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Wednesday, 29th January, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Waldie*,—The Petition of the Reverend *William Belt*, and others of *Burlington*.

By Mr. *Weldon (St. John)*,—The Petition of *Russell Sage* and others; the Petition of the *New Brunswick Railway Company*; and the Petition of the Northern and Western Railway Company.

By Mr. *Ward*,—The Petition of *George K. Morton*, and others.

By Mr. *Corby*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Hastings*.

By Mr. *Hudspeth*,—The Petition of *William Henry Veitch*, of the Town of *Lindsay*, County of *Victoria*; and the Petition of *John Dobson* and others, of the South Riding of the County of *Victoria, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Gordon*,—Seven Petitions of Local Assembly *Calving Ewing*, No. 3017, Knights of Labour, *Nanaimo, British Columbia*.

By Mr. *Taylor*,—The Petition of *James E. W. Currier* and others, of the City of *Ottawa*, and other places.

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

Of the *Erie and Huron Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act to empower them to construct and operate additional lines of Railway, and for other purposes.

Of *Richard Reid Dobell*, Merchant, of the City of *Quebec*, and others; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The *Canada Cable Company*."

Of *E. Franklin Clements*, Merchant, and others of the Town of *Yarmouth, Nova Scotia*, and other places; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The *National Construction Company (Limited)*."

Of *Charles Frederick Bunbury* and others, of *Toronto*; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the Home Benefit Life Association, for the legalizing and confirming the dealings and transactions of said Association since its organization under an Act of the Legislature of *Ontario*, and for other purposes.

Of *Toronto Typographical Union*, No. 91; of *United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, of America*, Union No. 27; of *Local Assembly*, No. 2305, Knights of Labour, all of *Toronto*; of *London Typographical Union*, No. 133; and of *Local Assembly*, No. 3558, Knights of Labour, *London*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for a certain amendment of the Act for the prevention and suppression of combinations formed in restraint of trade.

Of *Toronto Typographical Union*, No. 91; of *United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, of America*, Union No. 27; of *Local Assembly*, No. 2305, Knights of Labour, all of *Toronto*; of *London Typographical Union*, No. 133; and of *Local Assembly*, No. 3558, Knights of Labour, *London*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for an amendment of the *Seamen's Agreement Act*.

Of *Toronto Typographical Union*, No. 91; of *United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, of America*, Union No. 27; of *Local Assembly*, No. 2305, Knights of Labour, all of *Toronto*; of *London Typographical Union*, No. 133; and of *Local Assembly*, No. 3558, Knights of Labour, *London*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for a certain amendment of the Act respecting threats, intimidation and other offences.

Of *Toronto Typographical Union*, No. 91; of *United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, of America*, Union No. 27; of *Local Assembly*, No. 2305, Knights of

Labour, all of *Toronto*; of *London* Typographical Union, No. 133; and of Local Assembly, No. 3558, Knights of Labour, *London*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to provide, that any stipulations or terms, other than an equivalent for wages, demanded by employers of employees be punishable by imprisonment, &c.

Of *Toronto* Typographical Union, No. 91; of United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of *America*, Union No. 27; of Local Assembly, No. 2305, Knights of Labour, all of *Toronto*; of *London* Typographical Union, No. 133; and of Local Assembly, No. 3558, Knights of Labour, *London*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act for the protection of workmen engaged in the construction or repairs of railways.

Of *Toronto* Typographical Union, No. 91; of United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, of *America*, Union No. 27; of Local Assembly, No. 2305, Knights of Labour, all of *Toronto*; of *London* Typographical Union, No. 133; and of Local Assembly, No. 3558, Knights of Labour, *London*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to provide for the examination and licensing of persons having charge of stationary steam engines, &c.

Of *Toronto* Typographical Union, No. 91; of United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, of *America*, Union No. 27; of Local Assembly, No. 2305, Knights of Labour, all of *Toronto*; and of *London* Typographical Union, No. 133, 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 *David Beatty* and others; and of *Thomas Taylor* and others; severally praying that no law may be passed to interfere with or prevent the shooting of birds from traps.

Mr. *Chapleau*, 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, 1889—(*Sessional Papers*, No. 7.)

*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 a 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.

*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 or 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.

Mr. *Mulock* moved, seconded by Mr. *Amyot*, and the Question being put, That an humble Address be presented to the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in the following words:—

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, desire most earnestly in our own name and on behalf of the people whom we represent, to renew the expression of our unswerving loyalty and devotion to Your Majesty's person and Government.

We have learned with feelings of entire disapproval that various public statements have been made, calling in question the loyalty of the people of *Canada* to the political union now happily existing between this Dominion and the British Empire and representing it as the desire of the people of *Canada* to sever such connection.

We desire, therefore, to assure Your Majesty that such statements are wholly incorrect representations of the sentiments and aspirations of the people of *Canada*, who are among Your Majesty's most loyal subjects, devotedly attached to the political union existing between *Canada* and the mother country, and earnestly desire its continuance.

We feel assured that Your Majesty will not allow any such statements, emanating from any source whatever, to lessen Your Majesty's confidence in the loyalty of your Canadian subjects to Your Majesty's person and Government, and will accept our assurances of the contentment of Your Majesty's Canadian subjects with the political connection between *Canada* and the rest of the British Empire, and of their fixed resolve to aid in maintaining the same.

We pray that the blessings of Your Majesty's reign may, for your people's sake, be long continued; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down as follow:—

## YEAS :

## Messieurs

<i>Amyot,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Purcell,</i>
<i>Archibald (Sir Adams),</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec),</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Audet.</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>LaRivière,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Baird,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>McCarthy,</i>	<i>Scriven,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria)</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Gilmor,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd)</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Hicque,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Cook,</i>	<i>Ives,</i>	<i>Neveux,</i>	<i>Welsh,</i>

<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argentcuil),</i>
<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville),</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Pope,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'ld), and</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wright.—161.</i>
<i>Davis,</i>			

NAYS: None.

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

*Ordered,* That the said Address be engrossed.

On motion of Mr. *Mulock*, seconded by Mr. *Amyot*.

*Resolved,* That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying that His Excellency will be pleased to transmit the Address of this House to Her Most Gracious Majesty, on the subject of the loyalty and devotion of Her Canadian people to Her Majesty's person and Government, in such a way as His Excellency may deem fit, in order that the same may be laid at the foot of the Throne.

*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. *Laurier*, seconded by Mr. *Casgrain*,

*Resolved,* That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying His Excellency to cause to be laid before this House:—

(1) Copies of all petitions addressed to His Excellency the Governor General by settlers in the districts of *Cranberry, Cedar, Wellington, Nawoose, and Nainimo, British Columbia*, asking the privilege of obtaining the lands on which they had squatted on the Island Railway Reserve on ordinary terms allowed to settlers, viz., that their grant should include surface and minerals.

(2) For copies of all Orders in Council passed to authorize a Commission to enquire into the claims of the said settlers.

*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. *Campbell*, seconded by Mr. *Lovitt*,

*Ordered,* That there be laid before this House, copies of all petitions, reports of Engineers, and all correspondence in reference to the dredging of the bar at the mouth of the River *Thames*, in the County of *Kent, Ontario*.

On motion of Mr. *Barron*, seconded by Mr. *Mills (Bothwell)*,

*Ordered,* That there be laid before this House, a Return showing whether or not the island known as *Sultana Island*, in the Lake of the *Woods*, has been sold, and if sold, showing by what right or title the Government of *Canada* claimed to have the power to sell the same; showing also, all correspondence had between the Government of *Canada* and the purchaser or purchasers of said island, or the solicitors or other persons acting on behalf of such purchaser or purchasers (if any); showing also, the area of land contained in said island, and the value and extent of the pine timber thereupon, and the price or amount for which the said island was sold, and the names and addresses of the purchaser or purchasers thereof; also, any map showing locality of island.

On motion of Mr. *Barron*, seconded by Mr. *Mills (Bothwell)*,

*Ordered,* That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the date of the creation of the *Trent Valley Canal Commission*, the time and place of the first sitting,

the actual number of days it has actually been occupied in the work appertaining to the said Commission, and the number of days and of sittings held in taking and receiving evidence, and the places whereat thus far sittings of the Commission have been held.

On motion of Mr. *Dupont*, seconded by Mr. *Gigault*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all petitions, letters or other documents addressed to the Government, and complaining of the condition of the bridges on the branch lines of railway worked by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, within the County of *Bagot* and the neighbouring counties.

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 petitions, correspondence and documents of every nature respecting the Great Eastern Railway, or any other line of railway which it is proposed to lay between *Lévis* and *Montreal*, following the course of the River *St. Lawrence*.

*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. *Landerkin*, seconded by Mr. *Platt*,

*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 copy of the Quarantine Regulations of *Grosse Isle*, together with all Orders in Council and instructions given to the Medical Officers at said station.

*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. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—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, 1889. (*Sessional Papers, No. 28.*)

Mr. *Foster* also presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 23rd January, 1890, for a Return giving a detailed statement of receipts and expenditures to 1st January, 1890, together with statement of the same for the half year ending 1st January, 1889. (*Sessional Papers, No. 29.*)

And also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 20th January, 1890, for a Return showing the amounts of money deposited in the several Savings Banks in the Dominion, and in the several Post Office Savings Banks, the location of each, and the gross amount of deposits in each, on the 30th of June and December last. (*Sessional Papers, No. 30.*)

Mr. *Haggart*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 23rd January, 1890, for a Return showing the number of registered letters sent to the Dead Letter Office during the years 1887, 1888 and 1889, up to the 31st December last. (*Sessional Papers, No. 21c.*)

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Thursday, 30th January, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Corby*,—Two Petitions of Local Assembly, No. 2900, Knights of Labour, *Belleville, Ontario*.

By Mr. *McKay*,—The Petition of *Christiana Filman Glover*, of the Village of *Burlington*, in the County of *Halton*, in the Province of *Ontario*, the lawful wife of *Christopher Columbus Glover*, formerly of the City of *London*, in the County of *Middlesex*, and said Province, contractor, but now at or near *Pewamo*, in the State of *Michigan, United States*, farmer.

By Mr. *Ferguson (Welland)*,—The Petition of the River *Detroit* Winter Railway Bridge Company.

By Mr. *Ross*,—The Petition of *M. P. Davis* and others, Provisional Directors of the Lake *Manitoba* Railway and Canal Company.

By Mr. *Denison*,—Three Petitions of Local Assembly, No. 5743, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Smith (Ontario)*,—Seven Petitions of *Etna* Assembly, No. 2355, Knights of Labour, *Oshawa*.

By Mr. *Cockburn*,—Three Petitions of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour; and seven Petitions of the Brotherhood of Painters of *America*, Union No. 3, all of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Tisdale*,—The Petition of *David Philip Clapp*, of the Town of *Harriston*, in the County of *Wellington*, in the Province of *Ontario*, Public School Inspector, the lawful husband of *Alice Mae Clapp*, formerly of the said Town of *Harriston*, but now or lately of the City of *Detroit*, in the State of *Michigan*, one of the *United States of America*, dressmaker.

By Mr. *Brown*,—The Petition of *E. Sullivan* and others, of *Hamilton*; the Petition of the *Hamilton* Society for prevention of Cruelty to Animals; the Petition of *Emily Walker (née Herald)*, of the City of *Hamilton*, in the County of *Wentworth* and Province of *Ontario*, wife of *Alfred Percy Walker*, now living in the City of *Brooklyn*, in the State of *New York*, one of the *United States of America*; and the Petition of the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of *Niagara*, and others of *Hamilton, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Taylor*,—The Petition of *Hugh Forbes Keefer*, of the City of *Vancouver*, in the Province of *British Columbia*, contractor, the lawful husband of *Rebecca Ann Keefer*, now residing in the City of *Toronto*, in the Province of *Ontario*.

By Mr. *Sproule*,—The Petition *C. R. Sing* and others.

By Mr. *Hesson*,—Seven Petitions of Local Assembly, No. 4378, Knights of Labour, *Stratford, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Laurier*,—Seven Petitions of Typographical Union, No. 159; and seven Petitions of *Papineau* Assembly, No. 713, *Quebec*.

By Mr. *Small*,—The Petition of the Great *North-West* Central Railway Company.

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

Of *John Campbell Ross*, Merchant, and others, of the Town of *Tilsonburg*, County of *Oxford, Ontario*; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The *Tilsonburg, Lake Erie* and Pacific Railway Company."

Of the *Qu'Appelle, Long Lake* and *Saskatchewan* Railroad and Steamboat Company, and the Canadian Pacific Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act to confirm a certain agreement entered into by the Companies aforesaid.

Of the *Vaudreuil* and *Prescott* Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act to change their corporate name to that of "The *Montreal* and *Ottawa* Railway Company."

Of *John W. Cheeseworth*, Merchant, and others, of the City of *Toronto* and other places; praying for the passing of an Act amending the Act of Incorporation of the *Saskatchewan* Railway and Mining Company.

Of the *Hereford* Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act to amend certain existing Acts respecting their Railway.

Of *R. C. Carter*, and others; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "*The Thousand Islands Bridge and Railway Company*."

Of the *Manitoba* and North-Western Railway Company of *Canada*; praying for the passing of an Act empowering them to complete, during the present year, a certain portion of their Railway now partially constructed, and for other purposes.

Of *Gabriel Parenteau*, Chairman, and *Louis Rigindel*, Secretary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of *St. Laurent*; of *Louis Schneider*, Chairman, and *Charles de la Gorgendière*, Secretary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of the Catholic School District of *Prince Albert*; of *Jean Baptiste Arcand*, Chairman, and *Louis Bourassa*, Secretary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of *St. Eugène de Carlton*; and of *D. Arcand*, Chairman, and *N. Pomerleau*, Secretary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of *St. Vital, Battleford*, District of *Saskatchewan*, all of the *North-West Territories*; severally praying that no law may be passed to abolish or restrict the use of the French as an official language.

Of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; and of Iron Moulders' Union, No. 102, *Galt*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to provide for the examination and licensing of persons having charge of stationary steam engines, &c.

Of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; and of Iron Moulders' Union, No. 102, *Galt*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to provide that any stipulations or terms, other than an equivalent for wages, demanded by employers of employees, be punishable by imprisonment, &c.

Of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; and of Iron Moulders' Union, No. 102, *Galt*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for an amendment of the Seamen's Agreement Act.

Of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; and of Iron Moulders' Union, No. 102, *Galt*, 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 *Dufferin, Ontario*; praying the House to consider the advisability of providing for the appointment of such court, commissioner or person, in each of the Provinces, as may be necessary for the speedy and convenient hearing and determining of certain matters arising between the public and the railways.

Of Iron Moulders' Union, No. 102, *Galt, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act for the protection of workmen engaged in the construction or repairs of railways.

Of Iron Moulders' Union, No. 102, *Galt, Ontario*; praying for a certain amendment of the Act for the prevention and suppression of combinations formed in restraint of trade.

Of Iron Moulders' Union, No. 102, *Galt, Ontario*; praying for a certain amendment of the Act respecting threats, intimidation and other offences.

Ordered, That *Mr. Wallace* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the Grand Orange Lodge of *British America*.

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. *White (Renfrew)*, seconded by Mr. *Sproule*,  
*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.

Mr. *Dewdney*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Correspondence with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company covering a copy of list of all lands sold by that Company during the year ending first day of October last, in compliance with Section 8 of 49 *Victoria*, Chapter 9. (*Sessional Papers, No. 31.*)

Mr. *Dewdney* also presented,—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. 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. 31a.*)

Mr. *Costigan*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 22nd January, 1890, for copies of all Orders in Council, correspondence and documents respecting the superannuation of certain employes in the Cullers' Office at Quebec. (*Sessional Papers, No. 28a.*)

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, 1891, 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. 3a.*)

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

OTTAWA, 30th January, 1890.

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 (Quebec)*, seconded by Mr. *Casgrain*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence and documents respecting the passenger and mail train service on the Intercolonial Railway between *Lévis* and *Campbellton*.

On motion of Mr. *Perry*, seconded by Mr. *Robertson*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a statement showing the amount of dredging done during the season of 1889 in *Prince Edward Island* by the dredge

"*Prince Edward*," the names of harbours and other places dredged during said season, and the amount of work done in each harbour.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copy of report made and evidence taken by the Court of Enquiry ordered by the Department of Marine to investigate the loss of the steamer "*Quinté*," which was burned on Bay of *Quinté* in the autumn of 1889.

On motion of Mr. *Bain* (*Wentworth*), seconded by Mr. *Wilson* (*Elgin*),

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence, petitions, reports or other papers respecting the sale, ownership or condition of the *Dundas* and *Waterloo* Macadamized Road, since the close of the Session of 1889.

On motion of Mr. *Wilson* (*Elgin*), seconded by Mr. *Bain* (*Wentworth*),

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all letters to the Government asking that engineers be sent to examine *Kettle Creek*, between *St. Thomas* and *Port Stanley*, with a view to ascertaining the feasibility of building a canal; and all reports, maps and other documents sent in by such engineers.

On motion of Mr. *Wilson* (*Elgin*), seconded by Mr. *Bain* (*Wentworth*),

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a statement of all tolls and other receipts collected by the *London* and *Port Stanley* Railway and by the *Great Western* and *Grand Trunk* Railways at the port of *Port Stanley*, and of the disposition of all such revenues; and copies of all reports of engineers as to the state of such harbour not already laid before this House.

On motion of Mr. *White* (*Renfrew*), seconded by Mr. *Sproule*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all communications sent to the Post Office Department in relation to the robbery of the Post Office at *Pembroke*, on the night of 19th or morning of 20th April last, together with copies of all claims for reimbursement by the Department of moneys abstracted from registered letters lying in the said post office at the time of said robbery.

Mr. *Chapleau*, 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, 1889. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 7b.)

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

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Friday, 31st January, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Perley*,—The Petition of *John R. Booth*, Lumber Manufacturer, and others, of the City of *Ottawa*.

By Mr. *Corby*,—Four Petitions of Local Assembly, No. 2900, Knights of Labour, *Belleville, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Denison*,—Seven Petitions of United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of *America*, No. 279, *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Cockburn*,—Four Petitions of Local Assembly, No. 5743, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; and the Petition of the Confederation Life Association.

By Mr. *Mara*,—Seven Petitions of *Shaftsbury* Assembly, No. 5506, Knights of Labour, *Vancouver*, *British Columbia*.

By Mr. *Ferguson* (*Leeds*),—The Petition of *William Crawford*, and others.

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

Of the Reverend *William Belt* and others, of *Burlington*, County of *Halton*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, for the further prevention of cruelty to animals, may become law.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Hastings*; praying the House to consider the advisability of providing for the appointment of such court, commission or person in each of the Provinces as may be necessary for the speedy and convenient hearing and determining of certain matters arising between the public and the railways.

Of Local Assembly *Calving Ewing*, No. 3017, Knights of Labour, *Nanaimo*, *British Columbia*; praying for the passing of an Act for the protection of workmen engaged in the construction or repairs of railways.

Of Local Assembly *Calving Ewing*, No. 3017, Knights of Labour, *Nanaimo*, *British Columbia*; praying for a certain amendment of the Act respecting threats, intimidation and other offences.

Of Local Assembly *Calving Ewing*, No. 3017, Knights of Labour, *Nanaimo*, *British Columbia*; praying for the passing of an Act to provide for the examination and licensing of persons having charge of stationary steam engines, &c.

Of Local Assembly *Calving Ewing*, No. 3017, Knights of Labour, *Nanaimo*, *British Columbia*; praying for the passing of an Act to provide that any stipulations or terms, other than an equivalent for wages, demanded by employers of employees, be punishable by imprisonment, &c.

Of Local Assembly *Calving Ewing*, No. 3017, Knights of Labour, *Nanaimo*, *British Columbia*; praying for a certain amendment of the Act for the prevention and suppression of combinations formed in restraint of trade.

Of Local Assembly *Calving Ewing*, No. 3017, Knights of Labour, *Nanaimo*, *British Columbia*; praying for an amendment of the Seamen's Agreement Act.

Of Local Assembly *Calving Ewing*, No. 3017, Knights of Labour, *Nanaimo*, *British Columbia*; 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 *Russell Sage* and others; praying for the passing of an Act to authorize the construction of a Railway Bridge over the *St. Croix* River, from *St. Stephen*, *New Brunswick* to *Calais*, State of *Maine*.

Of the *New Brunswick* Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act empowering them to issue Consolidated Debenture Stock.

Of the Northern and Western Railway Company of *New Brunswick*; praying for the passing of an Act to change their corporate name to that of "The *Canada* Eastern Railway Company," to authorize them to amalgamate with the *Chatham* Branch Railway Company, and to issue debentures.

Of *George K. Morton* and others; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The Provincial Provident Institution of *Canada*."

Of *James E. W. Currier* and others, of the City of *Ottawa* and other places; praying for an Act of Incorporation, under the name of the *St. Lawrence* International Railway and Bridge Company.

The Petition of *William Henry Veitch*, of the Town of *Lindsay*, County of *Victoria*, *Ontario*, presented on Wednesday last; praying the House to grant him a Pension on account of ill health, occasioned by service as a private in Company "C," *Midland* Battalion, during the *North-West* Rebellion of 1885; and the Petition of *John Dobson* and others, of the South Riding of the County of *Victoria*, *Ontario*, presented on Wednesday last; praying that the aforesaid Petition of *William Henry*

*Veitch*, asking for a Pension in consideration of ill health, occasioned by service and exposure during the *North-West* Rebellion in 1885, may be granted, being read ;

Mr. Speaker said, that as the granting of the prayers of these Petitions would involve the expenditure of Public Money, they cannot be received.

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 beg leave to report the following Resolution as a recommendation :—

“Whereas complaints have been made to this Committee to the effect that the revised edition of the French version of the Debates is not correctly printed after being translated, your Committee would recommend, with a view of remedying such defects, both in the present and future issue of that edition, that as the work is now done at the Government Printing Bureau, the Head of that Department be requested to take the necessary steps to secure the services of a competent proof-reader.”

Your Committee would respectfully direct the attention of the House to the following letters, with the view of obviating the delay therein complained of.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PRINTING AND STATIONERY,  
OFFICE OF THE QUEEN'S PRINTER AND CONTROLLER OF STATIONERY,

Ottawa, 25th January, 1890.

SIR,—I am instructed by the Honourable the Secretary of State to inclose herewith copy of a letter from the Superintendent of Printing with reference to delays in the return of proofs for the authorized reports of Debates, and to say that it is obviously quite impossible for the printers to meet the requirements of the Committee or the House, if Members will not, on their side, furnish the proofs in time therefor.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

(Signed) B. CHAMBERLIN,  
*Queen's Printer and Controller of Stationery.*

A. *Desjardins*, Esq., M.P.,  
Chairman Debates Committee,  
House of Commons.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PRINTING AND STATIONERY,  
OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PRINTING,

Ottawa, January 23, 1890.

DEAR SIR,—According to the rules adopted by the Debates Committee of the House of Commons. for the printing of the Debates, Members are only allowed three (3) days wherein to correct their proofs. Up to the present time I have not received the proofs of the Debate of the 17th inst.—six days. Complaints will, no doubt, be made, and I desire that you should be fully informed.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

(Signed) A. SÉNÉCAL,  
*Superintendent of Printing.*

The Honourable J. A. *Chapleau*,  
Secretary of State.

Mr. *Bergeron*, 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 Imperial Trusts Company of *Canada*, for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation; of the *York County Bank*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the People's Bank of *New Brunswick*, for an extension of its Charter and for other purposes; of the *Calgary* and *Edmonton* Railway Company, for an Act of Incorporation; of the National Construction Company (Limited), for an Act of Incorporation; of the *Canada Cable Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *Saskatchewan Railway* and Mining Company, for power to extend their line of railway; and of the *Qu'Appelle*, *Long Lake* and *Saskatchewan* Railroad and Steamboat Company, for an Act to confirm a certain agreement entered into with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Weldon* (*St. John*), have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the People's Bank of *New Brunswick*.

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. *Wallace* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act 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 on Monday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Ross* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Calgary* 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 on Monday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Davis* have leave to bring in a Bill to confirm an agreement between the *Qu'Appelle*, *Long Lake* and *Saskatchewan* Railroad and Steamboat Company and 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. *Hudspeth* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the Imperial Trusts 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 Monday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Charlton* have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend the Dominion Elections 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 on Monday next.

On motion of Mr. *McCarthy*, seconded by Mr. *Kirkpatrick*,

*Ordered*, That the Order for the second reading of the Bill to further amend the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, chapter fifty, respecting the *North-West Territories*, be made the First Order of the Day, and to take precedence over all others, for Wednesday, the 12th February, next.

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

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and seventy-nine thousand nine hundred and two dollars and thirty-six 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 the Assistant Receiver General, *Toronto*, \$7,300; Office of the Assistant Receiver General, *Mont-*

*real*, \$5,600; Office of the Assistant Receiver General, *Halifax*, \$9,700; Office of the Assistant Receiver General, *St. John*, \$7,700; Office of the Dominion Auditor and Assistant Receiver General, *Winnipeg*, \$6,600; Office of the Dominion Auditor and Assistant Receiver General, *Victoria*, \$4,600; Office of the Dominion Auditor and Assistant Receiver General, *Charlottetown*, \$4,600; Country Savings Banks, *New Brunswick*, *Nova Scotia*, *Prince Edward Island* and *British Columbia*—Salaries, \$12,500; Contingencies, \$2,000; One-half of one per cent. commission on \$7,218,811.57, for payment of interest on Public Debt, \$36,094.05; Brokerage on purchases of Sinking Funds—Intercolonial Railway Loan, \$813.40; *Rupert's Land* Loan, \$81.11; *British Columbia* Loan, \$37.90; Brokerage and Commission on purchases for Sinking Funds, viz.:—Dominion Loans of 1874, 1875, 1876, 1878, 1879 and 1884, and *Canada* Reduced Loan, \$10,975.90; English bill stamps, postage, telegrams, &c., \$2,000; Expenses in connection with the issue and redemption of Dominion notes, \$5,000; Printing Dominion notes, \$50,000; Printing, advertising, inspection, expressage, miscellaneous charges, &c., including commutation of stamp duty, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand one 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, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-seven thousand four hundred and five dollars 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, 1891.

4. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand two hundred and thirty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Justice, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Justice, Penitentiaries Branch, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-three thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Militia, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-five 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, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-two thousand seven 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, 1891.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-seven thousand one hundred and eighty-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of the Interior, Dominion Lands Branch, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-seven thousand three hundred and thirty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of the Interior, Geological Survey Branch, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand and forty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Office of the Comptroller of the *North-West* Mounted Police, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-six thousand eight hundred and ninety dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Indian Affairs, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-four thousand five hundred and two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Office of the Auditor General, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-two thousand eight hundred and ninety dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Finance and Treasury Board, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-seven thousand eight hundred and eighty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Inland Revenue, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-six thousand seven hundred and thirty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Customs, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and ninety-one thousand two hundred and ten dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Post Office Department, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-five thousand nine hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Agriculture, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-nine thousand four hundred and seventeen dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Marine, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixteen thousand nine hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Fisheries, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-six thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Public Works, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand nine hundred and three dollars and fifty-seven cents be granted to Her Majesty, for the Office of the High Commissioner for *Canada* in *London*, to pay salaries, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

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

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 Monday next.

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Monday, 3rd February, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Bell*,—The Petition of the *Napanee, Tamworth and Quebec Railway Company*.

By Mr. *Brien*,—The Petition of *Forest H. C. Conover* and others, of *Leamington*.

By Mr. *McKay*,—Six Petitions of District Assembly, No. 61, Knights of Labour, *Hamilton, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Brown*,—The Petition of the Reverend *F. P. McEvay* and others; the Petition of *J. S. Ross* and others, all of *Hamilton*; the Petition of *H. McCausland* and others; the Petition of *David Kemp* and others; and the Petition of *W. D. Gillean* and others, all of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Small*,—The Petition of *James Nisbet* and others of *Goderich*; the Petition of Judge *Weller* and others, of *Peterborough*; the Petition of *H. Graham* and others, of *Hamilton*; the Petition of *George Pearsall* and others, of *Toronto*; and the Petition of *G. Chapleau* and others, of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *McNeill*,—The Petition of *D. E. Dunham* and others, of *Warton*.

By Mr. *Davis*,—Two Petitions of *Henry William McKenney*, Chairman, and *J. U. Prieur*, Secretary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of School District No. 3, *St. Albert*; two Petitions of *S. Harnois*, Chairman, and *A. A. Ringuette*, Secretary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of School District No. 4, of *St. Léon*; two Petitions of *Elzéar Poitras*, Chairman, and *Léon E. Paré*, Secretary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of *St. Thomas Duhamel, Alberta*; the Petition of *Louis Schneider*, Chairman, and *C. de Lagorgendière*, Secretary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of the Catholic School District of *Prince Albert*; the Petition of *Abroisem Fisher*, Chairman, and *Jules Dougal*, Secretary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of *Duck Lake*; and the Petition of *D. Arcand*, Chairman, and *N. Pomerleau*, Secretary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of *St. Vital, Battleford*, all of the *North-West Territories*.

By Mr. *Wilson (Elgin)*,—The Petition of *Edward Langan* and others, of *St. Thomas*; the Petition of *S. L. Buller* and others; and the Petition of *H. A. Mallory* and others, all of *Ridgetown*.

By Mr. *Jamieson*,—The Petition of *A. G. McFarlane* and others, of *Almonte*; the Petition of *John Cameron* and others; the Petition of *David Gillies* and others; and the Petition of the *Mississippi Gun Club* and others, all of *Carleton Place*.

By Mr. *Lovitt*,—The Petition of *Reuben Mossman* and others, of Upper and Lower *Kingsbury* and others of the County of *Lunenburg, Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. *Ross*,—The Petition of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

By Mr. *Landry*,—The Petition of *Louis G. de Bertram* and others.

By Mr. *Paterson (Brant)*,—The Petition of the *Brantford, Waterloo and Lake Erie Railway Company*.

By Mr. *Dawson*,—The Petition of *William Ryan Thistle*, of the City of *Ottawa*, and others of other places; and the Petition of *W. J. Clarke* and others of the Town of *Port Arthur*.

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

Of United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of *America*, No. 279; of Local Assembly, No. 5743, Knights of Labour; of the Brotherhood of Painters of *America*, Union No. 3; of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour, all of *Toronto*; of Local Assembly, No. 4378, Knights of Labour, *Stratford*; of Local Assembly, No. 2900, Knights of Labour, *Belleville*; of *Ætna* Assembly, No. 2355, Knights of Labour, *Oshawa*, all of *Ontario*; of *Shaftsbury* Assembly, No. 5506, Knights of Labour, *Vancouver, British Columbia*; of Typographical Union, No. 159; and of *Papineau* Assembly, No. 713, *Quebec*; severally praying for a certain amendment of the Act for the prevention and suppression of combinations formed in restraint of trade.

Of United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of *America*, No. 279; of Local Assembly, No. 5743, Knights of Labour; of the Brotherhood of Painters of *America*, Union No. 3; of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour, all of *Toronto*; of Local Assembly, No. 4378, Knights of Labour, *Stratford*; of Local Assembly, No. 2900, Knights of Labour, *Belleville*; of *Ætna* Assembly, No. 2355, Knights of Labour, *Oshawa*, all of *Ontario*; of *Shaftsbury* Assembly, No. 5506, Knights of Labour, *Vancouver, British Columbia*; of Typographical Union, No. 159; and of *Papineau*

Assembly, No. 713, *Quebec*; severally praying for a certain amendment of the Act respecting threats, intimidation and other offences.

Of United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of *America*, No. 279; of Local Assembly, No. 5743, Knights of Labour; of the Brotherhood of Painters of *America*, Union No. 3, all of *Toronto*; of Local Assembly, No. 4378, Knights of Labour, *Stratford*; of Local Assembly, No. 2900, Knights of Labour, *Belleville*; of *Aetna* Assembly, No. 2355, Knights of Labour, *Oshawa*, all of *Ontario*; of *Shaftsbury* Assembly, No. 5506, Knights of Labour, *Vancouver, British Columbia*; of Typographical Union, No. 159, and of *Papineau* Assembly, No. 713, *Quebec*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to provide, that any stipulations or terms, other than an equivalent for wages, demanded by employers of employees, be punishable by imprisonment, &c.

Of United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of *America*, No. 279; of Local Assembly, No. 5743, Knights of Labour; of the Brotherhood of Painters of *America*, Union No. 3; of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour, all of *Toronto*; of Local Assembly, No. 4378, Knights of Labour, *Stratford*; of Local Assembly, No. 2900, Knights of Labour, *Belleville*; of *Aetna* Assembly, No. 2355, Knights of Labour, *Oshawa* all of *Ontario*; of *Shaftsbury* Assembly, No. 5506, Knights of Labour, *Vancouver, British Columbia*; of Typographical Union, No. 159; and of *Papineau* Assembly, No. 713, *Quebec*; severally praying for the passing of an Act for the protection of workmen engaged in the construction or repairs of railways.

Of United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of *America*, No. 279; of Local Assembly, No. 5743, Knights of Labour; of the Brotherhood of Painters of *America*, Union No. 3, all of *Toronto*; of Local Assembly, No. 4378, Knights of Labour, *Stratford*; of *Aetna* Assembly, No. 2355, Knights of Labour, *Oshawa*, all of *Ontario*; of *Shaftsbury* Assembly, No. 5506, Knights of Labour, *Vancouver, British Columbia*; of Typographical Union, No. 159; and of *Papineau* Assembly, No. 713, *Quebec*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to provide for the examination and licensing of persons having charge of stationary steam engines, &c.

Of United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of *America*, No. 279; of Local Assembly, No. 5743, Knights of Labour; of the Brotherhood of Painters of *America*, Union No. 3, all of *Toronto*; of Local Assembly, No. 4378, Knights of Labour, *Stratford*; of Local Assembly, No. 2900, Knights of Labour, *Belleville*; of *Aetna* Assembly, No. 2355, Knights of Labour, *Oshawa*, all of *Ontario*; of *Shaftsbury* Assembly, No. 5506, Knights of Labour, *Vancouver, British Columbia*; of Typographical Union, No. 159; and of *Papineau* Assembly, No. 713, *Quebec*; 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 United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of *America*, No. 279; of Local Assembly, No. 5743, Knights of Labour; of the Brotherhood of Painters of *America*, Union No. 3, all of *Toronto*; of Local Assembly, No. 4378, Knights of Labour, *Stratford*; of Local Assembly, No. 2900, Knights of Labour, *Belleville*; of *Aetna* Assembly, No. 2355, Knights of Labour, *Oshawa*, all of *Ontario*; of *Shaftsbury* Assembly, No. 5506, Knights of Labour, *Vancouver, British Columbia*; of Typographical Union, No. 159; and of *Papineau* Assembly, No. 713, *Quebec*; severally praying for an amendment of the Scamen's Agreement Act.

Of the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of *Niagara* and others; of the *Hamilton* Society for the prevention of Cruelty to Animals; and of *E. Sullivan* and others, all of *Hamilton, Ontario*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, for the further prevention of cruelty to animals, may become law.

Of the River *Detroit* Winter Railway Bridge Company; praying for the passing of an Act to extend the time for the commencement and completion of their works, and for other amendments of their Act of Incorporation.

Of *M. P. Davis* and others, Provisional Directors of the Lake *Manitoba* Railway and Canal Company; praying for an amendment of their Act of Incorporation.

Of *C. R. Sing* and others; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The *Mount Forest, Markdale* and *Meaford* Railway Company."

Of the Great North-West Central Railway Company ; praying for the passing of an Act to amend their Charter and the Act confirming the same.

Of *John R. Booth*, lumber manufacturer and others, of the City of *Ottawa* ; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The Interprovincial Bridge Company."

Of the Confederation Life Association ; praying for a further amendment of their Act of Incorporation.

Of *William Crawford* and others ; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The *Portage la Prairie* and *Duck Mountain* Railway Company."

Of *Christiana Filman Glover*, of the Village of *Burlington*, in the County of *Halton*, in the Province of *Ontario*, the lawful wife of *Christopher Columbus Glover*, of the City of *London*, in the County of *Middlesex*, and said province, contractor, but now at or near *Pewamo*, in the State of *Michigan, United States*, farmer ; praying for the passing of an Act to declare her marriage with the said *Christopher Columbus Glover* to be dissolved, and that she be divorced from him.

Of *David Philip Clapp*, of the Town of *Harriston*, in the County of *Wellington*, in the Province of *Ontario*, public school inspector, the lawful husband of *Alice Mae Clapp*, formerly of the said Town of *Harriston*, but now or lately of the City of *Detroit*, in the State of *Michigan, one of the United States of America*, dressmaker ; praying for the passing of an Act to declare his marriage with the said *Alice Mae Clapp* to be dissolved, and that he be divorced from her.

Of *Emily Walker (née Herald)*, of the City of *Hamilton*, in the County of *Wentworth*, and Province of *Ontario*, wife of *Alfred Percy Walker*, now living in the City of *Brooklyn*, in the State of *New York, one of the United States of America* ; praying for the passing of an Act to declare her marriage with the said *Alfred Percy Walker* to be dissolved, and that she be divorced from him.

Of *Hugh Forbes Keefer*, of the City of *Vancouver*, in the Province of *British Columbia*, contractor, the lawful husband of *Rebecca Ann Keefer*, now residing in the City of *Toronto*, in the Province of *Ontario* ; praying for the passing of an Act to declare his marriage with the said *Rebecca Ann Keefer* to be dissolved, and that he be divorced from her.

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, 1889.

STATEMENT of Receipts and Disbursements of the Accountant of the House of Commons, for the year ending 30th June, 1889.

RECEIPTS.	\$	cts.	Disbursements.	\$	cts.
To Letters of Credit.....	240,000	00	By Mileage to Members, \$21,054.60; Indemnity, \$208,608.....	229,662	60
			<i>Contingencies.</i>		
To Letters of Credit.....	188,237	90	By Speaker's salary, \$4,000; Deputy Speaker's salary, \$2,000.....	6,000	00
			Special account, M.P.'s, \$2,185.40; Less—Refund by Mrs. White, \$50.....	2,135	40
			Salaries of Officers.....	67,578	48
			Supernumerary do.....	1,246	50
			Salaries of Messengers.....	10,370	12
			Supernumerary do.....	199	88
			Permanent Sessional Clerks, \$2,400; Extra Writers, \$10,102.60.....	10,570	00
			French Translators, Recess, \$2,424.50; Session, \$1,840.....	12,502	60
			Expenses of Committees.....	4,264	50
			Stationery account.....	1,366	13
			Postage and telegraph acct., \$1,704.71; newspapers and adv'tg., \$1,792.54.....	12,876	54
			Miscellaneous.....	3,497	25
			Tradesmen and others.....	4,290	47
			Unforeseen expenses.....	5,066	98
			Chief Messengers' account.....	2,131	50
			Messengers (Sessional).....	3,765	00
			Pages, \$2,256; Servants, \$920; Gasman, \$116.25.....	11,319	37
			Debates account, balance Session of 1888—	3,292	25
			By Binding.....	1,332	00
			Translation.....	440	00
			Miscellaneous.....	595	52
			Debates on account Session 1889—	2,367	52
			By Reporting.....	16,000	00
			Proof-reading, &c.....	1,000	00
			Manuscripts.....	1,344	00
			Translating.....	8,600	00
			Printing.....	6,396	65
			Miscellaneous.....	66	75
			By Balance, lapsed Indemnity.....	33,407	41
			do Contingencies.....	10,337	40
				50	00
				428,237	90

HENRY HARTNEY, Accountant, House of Commons.

*Joseph Aimé Massue*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of the County of *Richelieu*, having previously taken the Oath according to Law, and subscribed before the Commissioners the Roll containing the same, took his seat in the House.

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

*Ordered*, That the Public Accounts of the Dominion of Canada for the fiscal year ended 30th June, 1889; and the Report of the Auditor General on Appropriation Accounts for the same year, be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Public Accounts.

*Mr. Chapleau*, 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*, submitted to the Parliament of *Canada* under Section 23, Chapter 19, of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 32.)

Also laid before the House,—The Civil Service List of *Canada*, on 1st July, 1889, pursuant to the 59th Section of the Civil Service Act. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 7a.)

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Tisdale* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *York County Bank*.

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 (Annapolis)*, have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the National Construction 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. Hesson* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Canada Cable 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. Doyon* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Indian Advancement Act, chapter forty-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. Dewdney* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act fifty-second *Victoria*, intituled: "An Act 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; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Barron* 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.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the *Goderich* and Canadian Pacific Junction Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to "The *Goderich* and *Wingham* 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 *Lindsay, Bobcaygeon and Pontypool* 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 to incorporate the *Belleville and Lake Nipissing* 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 "*Belding, Paul and Company (Limited)*;"

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 *St. Stephen's* Bank;

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 North-Western Coal and Navigation Company (Limited);

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 *Sault Ste. Marie and Hudson's 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 *Ottawa, Morrisburg and New York* 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 People's Bank of *New Brunswick*;

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 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.

Mr. *Casey* moved, seconded by Mr. *Weldon* (*St. John*), and the Question being proposed, That the Government should issue, or guarantee the absolute soundness of all paper currency issued and circulated as money, taking adequate security in the latter case, and should make such guaranteed currency a legal tender, whether issued by the Government itself or by banks;

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

On motion of Mr. *Daly*, seconded by Mr. *Davis*,

*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 memorials, petitions and resolutions of the Legislative Assembly of the *North-West Territories* passed at its last Session, whether addressed to His Excellency the Governor General or to the Parliament of *Canada*.

*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. *Joncas*, seconded by Mr. *Jamieson*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all letters, reports and other correspondence now in the possession of the Postmaster General respecting the carriage of the mails between *Campbellton*, in the Province of *New Brunswick*, and *Gaspé Basin*, in the Province of *Quebec*.

Mr. *Landerkin* moved, seconded by Mr. *McMillan (Huron)*, and the Question being put, 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; the House divided; and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS:

## Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Bécharé,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Ste Marie,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Scrifer,</i>
<i>Bordon,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd)</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Neveux,</i>	<i>Welsh, and</i>
<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant)</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin).—54.</i>
<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>		

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Skiner,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dension,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Devdney,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria)</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Leeds &amp; Gren.)</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe)</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox),</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Granbois,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'd) and</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Wright.—70.</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>		

So it passed in the Negative.

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 1888-89, on the works under his control. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 18.)

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Tuesday, 4th February, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Desjardins*,—The Petition of *F. Wolferton Thomas* and others; and the Petition of the *Montreal* and Western Railway Company and the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

By Mr. *Ives*,—The Petition of *Edward C. Pratt* and others; and the Petition of *Archibald W. Campbell*, M. D., and others, of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Masson*,—Two Petitions of the Municipal Council of the County of *Grey, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Brown*,—The Petition of *F. Grasett* and others, of *Toronto*.

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

By Mr. *LaRivière*,—The Petition of the *Manitoba* and South-Eastern Railway Company.

By Mr. *Carling*,—Seven Petitions of Trades and Labour Council; and seven Petitions of Local Assembly, No. 3305, all of *London, Ontario*.

Mr. *Bergeron*, 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 *Manitoba* and North-Western Railway Company, for an extension of the time for the completion of the twenty miles of their railway required to be constructed during the year 1889; of the Northern and Western Railway Company of *New Brunswick*, for power to acquire the *Chatham Branch Railway* and to change their name to that of the *Canada Eastern Railway Company*; of the Interprovincial Bridge Company, for an Act of Incorporation; of the Great *North-West Central Railway Company*, for power to increase the number of their Directors; of *Hugh Forbes Keefer*, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with *Rebecca Ann Tisdale*, his wife; of *Christiana Filman Glover*, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with *Christopher Columbus Glover*, her husband; and of *David Philip Clapp*, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with *Alice Mae Macdonald*, his wife.

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

Of the *New Brunswick Railway Company*, for power to issue Consolidated Debenture Stock; of the *Tilsonburg, Lake Erie and Pacific Railway Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *Mount Forest, Markdale and Meaford Railway Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; and of the *Hereford Railway Company*, for certain

amendments to their Act of Incorporation, and find that the said Notices are all somewhat short of the required time, but as they will, in each case, have fully matured before the respective Bills can be considered by the Railway Committee, your Committee recommend that they be deemed sufficient.

Your Committee have also examined the Notice given on the Petition of the Shore Line Railway Bridge Company, for an Act to empower them to construct a combined Railway and general traffic Toll Bridge across the *Ste. Croix* River at the Town of *St. Stephen* in the Province of *New Brunswick*, and though the Notice was published for the full time required in the requisite number of newspapers, no mention was made therein of the proposed rates of Toll or other particulars in connection with the Bridge, as required by the 52nd Rule, but as provision can be made in the Bill whereby these particulars may be made, subject to the approval of the Governor General in Council, your Committee recommend that the 52nd Rule be suspended so far as it applies to this Petition.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Brown* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Tilsonburg, Lake Erie 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 To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Sproule* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Mount Forest, Markdale and Meaford 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. *Tupper* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend chapter ninety-one of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, intituled: "An Act respecting the protection of Navigable 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. *Weldon* (*St. John*), seconded by Mr. *Cook*,

*Ordered*, That the 52nd Rule of this House be suspended, in so far as it affects the Petition of *Russell Sage* and others; praying for an Act to authorize them to construct a combined Railway and general traffic Bridge over the *Ste. Croix* River, at the Town of *St. Stephen*, in the Province of *New Brunswick*, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Fourth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

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 meet amount required to provide for the contingent expenses of the High Commissioner, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, *London* Office, income tax, rent, fuel, light, stationery, &c., High Commissioner, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand six 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, 1890:—Post Office Department, \$2,490; Finance Department, \$1,110, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *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 under the Civil Service Act, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirteen thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Governor General's Secretary's Office, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eleven thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty for Contingencies, Privy Council, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)*, reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

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

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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, 5th February, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Perley*,—Four Petitions of Capital Assembly, No. 5222, Knights of Labour, *Ottawa*.

By Mr. *Lépine*,—Seven Petitions of *Montreal* Tailors' Union; seven Petitions of *Montreal* Upholsterers' Union; and the Petition of *F. McLean Walsh* and others, of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Desjardins*,—The Petition of *C. Glackmeyer, junr.*, and others, and the Petition of *J. R. Dougall* and others, all of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Tyrwhitt*,—Two Petitions of the Municipal Council of the County of *Simcoe*.

By Mr. *Mara*,—Two Petitions of *Joshua Davies* and others, of *Victoria, British Columbia*, and other places.

By Mr. *Rinfret*,—The Petition of Captain *Ludger Fournier*, and others, mariners, of the Parish of *St. Antoine de Tilly*, County of *Lotbinière*.

By Mr. *McKay*,—The Petition of the Wild Fowlers' Gun Club; and the Petition of *A. D. Stewart* and others, all of *Hamilton, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Moncrieff*,—The Petition of *George N. Matheson* and others, of *Sarnia*.

By Mr. *Davies*,—The Petition of the *Summerside Bank*.

By Mr. *Brown*,—The Petition of *E. P. Watson*, Mayor of *Sarnia*, and others; the Petition of *Oscar C. Bass* and others; and the Petition of *D. Graham* and others, all of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Daly*,—The Petition of the *Brandon and South-Western Railway Company*.

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

By Mr. *Carling*,—The Petition of *J. A. Thomas* and others.

By Mr. *Curran*,—The Petition of the Grand Trunk Railway Company of *Canada*.

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

Of *John Cameron* and others; of *David Gillies* and others; of the *Mississippi Gun Club* and others, all of *Carleton Place*; of *A. G. McFarlane* and others, of *Almonte*; of *S. L. Buller* and others; of *H. A. Mallory* and others, all of *Ridgetown*; of *Edward Langan* and others, of *St. Thomas*; of *D. E. Dunham* and others, of *Warton*; of *George Pearsall* and others, of *Toronto*; of *H. Graham* and others, of *Hamilton*; of Judge *Weller* and others, of *Peterborough*; of *Forest H. C. Conover* and other, of *Leamington*; of *James Nisbet* and others, of *Goderich*; of *W. J. Clarke* and others, of *Port Arthur*, all of *Ontario*; and of *G. Chapleau* and others, of *Montreal*; severally praying that no law may be passed to interfere with or prevent the shooting of birds from traps.

Of *H. McCausland* and others; of *David Kemp* and others; of *W. D. Gillean* and others, all of *Toronto*; of the Reverend *F. P. McEvay* and others; and of *J. S. Ross* and others, of *Hamilton*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, for the further prevention of cruelty to animals, may become law.

Of District Assembly, No. 61, Knights of Labour, *Hamilton, Ontario*; praying for a certain amendment of the Act respecting threats, intimidation and other offences.

Of District Assembly, No. 61, Knights of Labour, *Hamilton, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act to provide that any stipulations or terms, other than an equivalent for wages, demanded by employers of employees, be punishable by imprisonment, &c.

Of District Assembly, No. 61, Knights of Labour, *Hamilton, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act to provide for the examination and licensing of persons having charge of stationary steam engines, &c.

Of District Assembly, No. 61, Knights of Labour, *Hamilton, Ontario*; praying for an amendment of the Seamen's Agreement Act.

Of District Assembly, No. 61, Knights of Labour, *Hamilton, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act for the protection of workmen engaged in the construction or repairs of railways.

Of District Assembly, No. 61, Knights of Labour, *Hamilton, 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 *Ruben Mossman* and others, of *Upper and Lower Kingsbury*, and others of the County of *Lunenburg, Nova Scotia*; praying the House to consider the advisability of constructing a Breakwater at a suitable place to the westward of *Point Enragé* so as to afford proper shelter and protection for their fishing boats, stores, &c., now in a very unsafe and exposed condition.

Of *Henry William McKenney*, Chairman, and *J. U. Prieur*, Secretary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of School District No. 3, *St. Albert*; of *Louis Schneider*, Chairman, and *Charles de Lagorgendière*, Secretary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of the Catholic School District of *Prince Albert*; of *Elzéar Poitras*, Chairman, and *Léon E. Paré*, Secretary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of *St. Thomas Duhamel, Alberta*; of *S. Harnois*, Chairman, and *A. A. Riquette*, Secretary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of School District No. 4, *St. Léon*; of *Ambroise Fisher*, Chairman, and *Jules Dugas*, Secretary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of *Duck Lake*; and of *D. Arcand*, Chairman, and *N. Pomerleau*, Secretary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of *St. Vital, Battleford*; all of the *North-West Territories*; severally praying that no law may be passed affecting the liberty of conscience or the rights of the minority, in regard to Separate Schools in the said Territories.

Of *Henry William McKenney*, Chairman, and *J. U. Prieur*, Secretary of a public meeting of the ratepayers of School District No. 3, *St. Albert*; of *S. Harnois*, Chairman, and *A. A. Riquette*, Secretary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of School District No. 4, *St. Léon*; and of *Elzéar Poitras*, Chairman, and *Léon E. Paré*, Secre-

tary, of a public meeting of the ratepayers of *St. Thomas Duhamel, Alberta*, all of the *North-West Territories*; severally praying that no law may be passed to abolish or restrict the use of the French as an official language.

Of the *Napanee, Tamworth and Quebec Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act to amend their Act of Incorporation and the amendments thereto.

Of the *Canadian Pacific Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act to amend the Act 52 *Victoria*, chapter 73, relating to their railway, and for other purposes.

Of *Louis G. de Bertram* and others; praying for an act of Incorporation under the name of "The *Moncton and Prince Edward Island Railway and Ferry Company*."

Of the *Brantford, Waterloo and Lake Erie Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act to amend the several Acts relating to the said Company.

Of *William Ryan Thistle*, of the City of *Ottawa*, and others, of other places; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The *Rainy River Boom Company*."

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Weldon (St. John)* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the Northern and Western Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to "The *Canada 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 Friday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Weldon (St. John)* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *New Brunswick 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. *Wallace* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Manitoba and North-Western Railway 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. *Ives* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Hereford 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. *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 To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Sir *John Thompson* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend "The *Public Stores 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. *McIntyre*, seconded by Mr. *Gillmor*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all petitions from fishermen and others interested in the fisheries on the coast of *Prince Edward Island*, and all other correspondence with the Department of Marine and Fisheries having reference to the prevention of taking mackerel by means of purse seines and gill nets within the territorial waters of *Canada*.

On motion of Mr. *Weldon* (*St. John*), seconded by Mr. *Mills* (*Bothwell*),

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of a copy of the contract and specification for the erection of the Post Office and Custom House building at *Annapolis, Nova Scotia*; the several tenders and amounts thereof; also, any order or orders altering the quality and nature of the stone used in the construction.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of the original charters of the Bank of *British North America* and of the Bank of *British Columbia*, and of all amendments thereto.

Mr. *Wilson* (*Elgin*) moved, seconded by Mr. *Flynn*, and the Question being proposed, That, in the opinion of this House, the Electoral Franchise Act ought to be repealed, and that it is preferable to revert to the plan of utilizing for the Elections of this House the Provincial Franchises and Voters' Lists;

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 the second reading of the Bill relating to the *Canada Southern 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 *Calgary 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 confirm an agreement between the *Qu'Appelle, Long Lake and Saskatchewan Railroad and Steamboat Company* and 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 Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the *Imperial Trusts 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 *Tilsonburg, Lake Erie 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 to incorporate the *Mount Forest, Markdale and Meaford Railway Company*;

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

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Thursday, 6th February, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Small*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of *Toronto, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Hesson*,—The Petition of the Women's Humane Society of *Ottawa*; and the Petition of *Franklin Pratt* and others, of *Hamilton, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Brown*,—The Petition of *James N. McNeil* and others; and the Petition of *Robert F. George* and others, all of *Hamilton, Ontario*.

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

Of the *Montreal* and Western Railway Company, and the Canadian Pacific Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act to make valid and effectual a certain agreement entered into by the aforesaid companies.

Of the *Manitoba* and South-Eastern Railway Company; praying for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation.

Of *F. Wolferton Thomas*, and others; of *Edward C. Pratt*, and others; of *Archibald W. Campbell, M.D.*, and others, all of *Montreal*; and of *F. Grasett*, and others, of *Toronto*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, for the further prevention of cruelty to animals, may become law.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Grey*; and of the Municipal Council of the County of *Renfrew*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying the House to consider the advisability of providing for the appointment of such court, commission or person in each of the Provinces as may be necessary for the speedy and convenient hearing and determining of certain matters arising between the public and the railways.

Of Trades and Labour Council; and of Local Assembly, No. 3305, all of *London, Ontario*; severally praying for a certain amendment of the Act respecting threats, intimidation and other offences.

Of Trades and Labour Council; and of Local Assembly, No. 3305, all of *London, 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 Trades and Labour Council; and of Local Assembly, No. 3305, all of *London, Ontario*; severally praying for a certain amendment of the Act for the prevention and suppression of combinations formed in restraint of trade.

Of Trades and Labour Council; and of Local Assembly, No. 3305, all of *London, Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to provide that any stipulations or terms, other than an equivalent for wages, demanded by employers of employees, be punishable by imprisonment, &c.

Of Trades and Labour Council; and of Local Assembly, No. 3305, all of *London, Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to provide, for the examination and licensing of persons having charge of stationary steam engines, &c.

Of Trades and Labour Council; and of Local Assembly, No. 3305, all of *London, Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act for the protection of workmen engaged in the construction or repairs of railways.

Of Trades and Labour Council; and of Local Assembly, No. 3305, all of *London, Ontario*; severally praying for an amendment of the Seamen's Agreement Act.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Grey, Ontario*; praying the House to consider the advisability of providing a more adequate allowance for the militia volunteers while performing their annual drill.

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, Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the *Alberta* Railway and Coal Company, and have agreed to report the same amended.

Mr. *Taylor*, 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.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *White (Renfrew)* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the Interprovincial 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. *Weldon (St. John)* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the Shore Line Railway 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.

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

*Resolved*, That this House doth concur in the First Report of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament.

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 thank you for your loyal Address, and I rely on your wisdom and judgment to aid me in such measures as are necessary to promote the happiness and prosperity of the Dominion.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

February 4th, 1890.

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, 1889. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 11.)

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the Debate on the Question which was yesterday proposed, That, in the opinion of this House, the Electoral Franchise Act ought to be repealed, and that it is preferable to revert to the plan of utilizing for the Elections of this House the Provincial Franchises and Voters' Lists;

And the Question being again proposed :—The House resumed the said Debate.

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

*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Friday, 7th February, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Hickey*,—The Petition of the Calgary Water Power Company (Limited).

By Mr. *Taylor*,—The Petition of *D. W. Davis* and others.

By Mr. *Innes*,—The Petition of *H. L. Walker* and others, of *Guelph, Ontario*.

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

By Mr. *Madill*,—The Petition of *B. J. Laidlaw, LL.D.*, and others, of *Hamilton, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Scarth*,—The Petition of the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of *Rupert's Land* and others.

By Mr. *Brown*,—The Petition of *Benjamin E. Charlton*, manufacturer, and others, of *Hamilton, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Desjardins*,—Seven Petitions of Local Assembly, No. 5421, Knights of Labour, *St. Gabriel, Montreal*.

By Mr. *Cockburn*,—The Petition of *Wilmot D. Matthews* and others, of *Toronto* and other places.

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

Of *Joshua Davies* and others, of *Victoria, British Columbia*, and other places; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The South *Kootenay Railway Company*."

Of *Joshua Davies* and others, of *Victoria, British Columbia*, and other places; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The West *Kootenay Railway Company*."

Of the *Summerside Bank*; praying for the passing of an Act to extend their charter.

Of the *Brandon and South-Western Railway Company*; praying for an Act of Incorporation, granting them certain powers described in their petition.

Of the *Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada*; praying for the passing of an Act authorizing them to construct a certain line of railway to connect certain of their existing lines.

Of Captain *Ludger Fournier*, and other mariners, of the Parish of *St. Antoine de Tilly*, County of *Lotbinière*; praying the House to consider the advisability of placing a gas buoy on the shore of *Lake St. Peter*, opposite the Parish of *Yamachiche*, in lieu of the one known under the name of "Bouée caille," now in use there, for the guidance of vessels frequenting those waters.

Of Capital Assembly, No. 5222, Knights of Labour, *Ottawa*; of *Montreal Tailors' Union*; and of *Montreal Upholsterers' Union*; 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 Capital Assembly, No. 5222, Knights of Labour, *Ottawa*; of *Montreal Tailors' Union*; and of *Montreal Upholsterers' Union*; severally praying for an amendment of the *Seamen's Agreement Act*.

Of Capital Assembly, No. 5222, Knights of Labour, *Ottawa*; of *Montreal Tailors' Union*; and of *Montreal Upholsterers' Union*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to provide for the examination and licensing of persons having charge of stationary steam engines, and for other purposes.

Of *Montreal Tailors' Union*; and of *Montreal Upholsterers' Union*; severally praying for a certain amendment of the Act for the prevention and suppression of combinations formed in restraint of trade.

Of *Montreal Tailors' Union*; and of *Montreal Upholsterers' Union*; severally praying for a certain amendment of the Act respecting threats, intimidation and other offences.

Of *Montreal Tailors' Union*; and of *Montreal Upholsterers' Union*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to provide, that any stipulations or terms, other than an equivalent for wages, demanded by employers of employees, be punishable by imprisonment, &c.

Of *Montreal Tailors' Union*; and of *Montreal Upholsterers' Union*; severally praying for the passing of an Act for the protection of workmen engaged in the construction or repairs of railways.

Of *F. McLean Walsh* and others; of *C. Glackmeyer, junr*, and others; of *J. R. Dougall* and others; of *Oscar C. Bass* and others; of *D. Graham* and others, all of *Montreal*; of *George N. Matheson* and others; of *E. P. Watson* and others, all of *Sarnia, Ontario*; and of *J. A. Thomas* and others; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, for the further prevention of cruelty to animals, may become law.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Simcoe*; and of the Municipal Council of the County of *Kenfrew*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying the House to consider the advisability of providing for the appointment of such court, commission or person in each of the provinces, as may be necessary for the speedy and convenient hearing and determining of certain matters arising between the public and the railways.

Of *Wild Fowlers' Gun Club of Hamilton, Ontario*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament for the further prevention of cruelty to animals, may not become law.

Of *A. D. Stewart* and others, of *Hamilton*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, for the further prevention of cruelty to animals, may not become law in its present shape.

Of Capital Assembly, No. 5222, *Knights of Labour, Ottawa*; praying for the passing of an Act constituting Boards of Arbitration for the adjustment of disputes arising between employers and employees.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Simcoe*; praying the House to consider the advisability of appointing a permanent commission to take cognizance of disputes arising between railway companies and the public.

*Mr. Taylor*, 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.:—

8. Report of the Joint Librarians of Parliament, on the state of the Library of Parliament. (*Sessional Papers.*)

22. Statement of Governor General's Warrants issued since last Session of Parliament, and Expenditure incurred on account of same, in accordance with the Consolidated Revenue and Audit Act, Section 32, Clause *b.* (*Distribution.*)

27. Regulations for the control and management of the *Rocky Mountains Park of Canada*, sanctioned by Order in Council of the 27th November, 1889. (*Distribution.*)

28. 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, 1889. (*Sessional Papers.*)

29. Return to an Order of the House of the 23rd instant, for a Return giving a detailed statement of receipts and expenditures to 1st January, 1890, together with statement of the same for the half year ending 1st January, 1889. (*Distribution.*)

The Committee would also recommend that the following documents be not printed, viz. :—

21. Return to an Order of the House of the 20th March, 1889, for 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*.

21a. Return to an Order of the House of the 25th February, 1889, for 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.

21b. Return to an Order of the House of the 2nd March, 1888, for a return of all correspondence by letter or telegram, and all other papers, relative to the conveyance of extra Provincial mails in *Prince Edward Island* since the 1st of September last.

21c. Return to an Order of the House of the 23rd instant, for a Return showing the number of registered letters sent to the Dead Letter Office during the years 1887, 1888 and 1889, up to the 31st December last.

23. Report of the Commissioner, Dominion Police, under Revised Statutes of *Canada*, Chapter 184, Section 5.

24. Statement of Expenditure on account of Miscellaneous Expenses from 12th July, 1889, to 4th January, 1890, authorized by Act 52 *Victoria*, Chapter 1.

25. Return to an Order of the House of the 8th February, 1889, for 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.

26. Dominion Lands; copies of the Regulations which have been sanctioned by the Privy Council since the close of last Session.

28a. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 22nd instant, for copies of all Orders in Council, correspondence and documents respecting the superannuation of certain employees in the Cullers' Office at *Quebec*.

30. Return to an Order of the House of the 20th instant, for a Return showing the amounts of money deposited in the several Savings Banks in the Dominion, and in the several Post Office Savings Banks, the location of each, and the gross amounts of deposits in each on the 30th of June and December last.

32. 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*.

Mr. *Bergeron*, 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 *Erie and Huron Railway Company*, for power to construct and operate additional lines of railway; of *Emily Walker*, of the City of *Hamilton*, for an Act to declare her marriage with *Alfred Percy Walker*, her husband, to be dissolved; of the *Moncton and Prince Edward Island Railway and Ferry Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *Rainy River Boom Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; and of the *Canadian Pacific Railway Company*, for power to lease any line of railway that may be authorized by law to grant that power; also, to issue a limited amount of additional consolidated Debenture Stock.

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

Of the *Home Benefit Life Association*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *Vaudreuil and Prescott Railway Company*, for power to change their name to that of the *Montreal and Ottawa Railway Company*; and of the *Brantford, Waterloo and Lake*

*Erie* Railway Company, for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation, and find that they are all somewhat short of the required time, but as they will, in each case, have fully matured before the respective Bills can be considered by the Committee to which they may be referred, your Committee recommend that they be deemed sufficient.

On the Petition of the Lake *Manitoba* Railway and Canal Company, for power to construct a line of railway from some point on their present proposed line in a north-westerly direction to a point on the *Saskatchewan* River, notice was duly published in the Province of *Manitoba*, but not at all in the District of *Saskatchewan*, your Committee therefore recommend that the notice be deemed sufficient for the construction of a railway to the Northern boundary of *Manitoba* and no further.

Your Committee examined the notices given on the Petition of the Confederation Life Association, for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation, and find that though they are regular in every other respect they do not specify the intention of the Company to apply for power to limit the amount of Stock that may be held by any one person; but, as the granting of such power would not affect the rights of any but the Shareholders of the Company, your Committee recommend that the same be granted, conditional upon the exercise of such power being made subject to the approval of the Shareholders signified at a general meeting.

Your Committee also find that the notices given on the Petition of the Canadian Millers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company, for an extension of powers, are very short of the required time, but as the powers asked for do not appear likely to interfere with or prejudice any existing rights or privileges whatever, and as the notices will have been published for a period of six weeks before the Bill can come before the Committee on Banking and Commerce, your Committee recommend that they be considered sufficient.

Mr. *Haggart*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 3rd February, 1890, for copies of all letters, reports and other correspondence now in the possession of the Postmaster General respecting the carriage of the mails between *Campbellton*, in the Province of *New Brunswick*, and *Gaspé* Basin, in the Province of *Quebec*. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 21d.)

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Preliminary Abstract of the business of Canadian Life Insurance Companies, for the year ending 31st December, 1889. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 9a.)

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Kirkpatrick* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Canadian Pacific Railway Act, 1889, and for other purposes.

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. *Lister* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Erie* and *Huron* 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. *Paterson* (*Brant*) have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Brantford*, *Waterloo* and *Lake Erie* 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. *McMillan* (*Vaudreuil*) have leave to bring in a Bill to change the name of the *Vaudreuil* and *Prescott* Railway Company to "The *Montreal* 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 on Monday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Dawson* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate "The *Rainy River 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 on Monday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Ross* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act 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. *Brown* have leave to bring in a Bill for granting certain powers to the Canadian Millers' Mutual Fire Insurance 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 incorporate the Home Benefit Life Association.

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. *Landry* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Moncton and Prince Edward Island 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.

*Ordered*, That Sir *John Thompson* have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend the Criminal Law.

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 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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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.*)

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, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the *Alberta Railway and Coal 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 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 *York County Bank* ;

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 *Canada Cable 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 *Manitoba and North-Western Railway Company of Canada* ;

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

The Committee of Supply was then resumed.

*(In the Committee.)*

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Justice, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Justice (Penitentiaries branch), for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Militia and Defence, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of the Interior, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Indian Affairs, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Office of the Auditor General, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Finance and Treasury Board, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Customs, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Inland Revenue, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair ; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)*, reported that the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received on Monday next.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)*, 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.

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*, and the Question being put, That this House do resolve itself immediately into the Committee of Supply :—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

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 Mr. *Mills* (*Bothwell*), That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words, "in the opinion of this House, no rebate of duty should be allowed upon corn imported for use in the manufacture of spirits," inserted instead thereof;

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 Monday next.

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Monday, 10th February, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Fiset*,—The Petition of the Honourable *J. R. Thibaudeau*, Senator, and others; and the Petition of *Raymond Préfontaine*, Barrister, and others, of *Montreal*, and other places.

By Mr. *Innes*,—The Petition of *Jacob Fuller* and others, of *Theford*; and the Petition of *A. C. Chadwick* and others, of *Guelph, Ontario*.

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

By Mr. *Cockburn*,—Seven Petitions of *George Stevenson* Assembly, No. 9005, machinists, Knights of Labour; the Petition of *C. A. Walker* and others; the Petition of *Alexander Dey* and others; the Petition of *C. H. Riggs*, L.D.S., and others; the Petition of *George Scudds* and others; the Petition of *Hermann Simmers* and others; and the Petition of *John E. Winnett* and others, all of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Laurier*,—Six Petitions of *Jacques Cartier* Assembly, No. 10870, *Quebec*.

By Mr. *Curran*,—Seven Petitions of Dominion Assembly, No. 2436, Knights of Labour, *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Marshall*,—The Petition of Local Union, No. 342, United Brotherhood of Carpenters, *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Roome*,—The Petition of *C. Baker* and others, of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *La Rivière*,—The Petition of the *Manitoba* and South-Eastern Railway Company.

By Mr. *Small*,—Six Petitions of Local Union, No. 342, United Brotherhood of Carpenters, *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Ferguson* (*Leeds*),—The Petition of the Honourable *W. D. Perley*, Senator, and others.

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

Of the Municipal Council of the City of *Toronto, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act confirming as much of the Act of the Legislature of *Ontario*, 49th *Victoria*, chapter 66, as authorizes them to make certain improvements on the *Don River* and Esplanade, and secures to them the control thereof.

Of the *Calgary Water Power Company (Limited)*; praying for the passing of an Act confirming a certain Ordinance of the *North-West Territories* constituting them a body corporate, granting them further powers, and for other purposes.

Of *D. W. Davis* and others; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "*The Elbow River Water Power Company (Limited)*."

Of *Benjamin E. Charlton*, manufacturer, and others, of *Hamilton, Ontario*; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "*The Hamilton Junction Railway Company*."

Of *Wilmot D. Matthews* and others, of *Toronto* and other places; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "*The Bankers Safe Deposit, Warehousing and Loan Company of Canada (Limited)*."

Of *Franklin Pratt* and others; of *James N. McNeil* and others; of *Robert F. George* and others; of *R. J. Laidlaw, LL.D.* and others, all of *Hamilton*; of the *Women's Humane Society of Ottawa*; and of the Lord Bishop of *Rupert's Land* and others; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, for the further prevention of cruelty to animals, may become law.

Of *H. L. Walker* and others, of *Guelph, Ontario*; praying that no law may be passed to interfere with or prevent the shooting of birds from traps.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Huron, Ontario*; praying the House to consider the advisability of providing for the appointment of such court, commission or person in each of the Provinces as may be necessary for the speedy and convenient hearing and determining of certain matters arising between the public and the railways.

Of Local Assembly, No. 5421, Knights of Labour, *St. Gabriel, Montreal*; praying for an amendment of the Seamen's Agreement Act.

Of Local Assembly, No. 5421, Knights of Labour, *St. Gabriel, Montreal*; 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. 5421, Knights of Labour, *St. Gabriel, Montreal*; praying for the passing of an Act for the protection of workmen engaged in the construction or repairs of railways.

Of Local Assembly, No. 5421, Knights of Labour, *St. Gabriel, Montreal*; praying for a certain amendment of the Act for the prevention and suppression of combinations formed in restraint of trade.

Of Local Assembly, No. 5421, Knights of Labour, *St. Gabriel, Montreal*; praying for the passing of an Act to provide for the examination and licensing of persons having charge of stationary steam engines, &c.

Of Local Assembly, No. 5421, Knights of Labour, *St. Gabriel, Montreal*; praying for a certain amendment of the Act respecting threats, intimidation and other offences.

Of Local Assembly, No. 5421, Knights of Labour, *St. Gabriel, Montreal*; praying for the passing of an Act to provide that any stipulations or terms, other than an equivalent for wages, demanded by employers of employees, be punishable by imprisonment, &c.

*Mr. Wood (Westmoreland)*, 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 without amendment, viz.:—Bill respecting the *St. Stephen's Bank*; and Bill respecting the *People's Bank of New Brunswick*.

*Mr. Colby*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 27th January, 1890, for copies of all Resolutions of the Legislative Assembly of the *North-West Territories*, respecting the application of moneys voted by this House for the use of the said Territories. (*Sessional Papers, No. 33.*)

Also, Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 3rd February, 1890, for copies of all memorials, petitions and resolutions of the Legislative Assembly of the *North-West Territories* passed at its last Session, whether addressed to His Excellency the Governor General or to the Parliament of Canada. (*Sessional Papers, No. 33a.*)

Mr. *Carling*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,— Report on Canadian Archives by *Douglas Brymner*, Archivist, 1889, being an Appendix to Report of the Minister of Agriculture. (*Sessional Papers, No. 6b.*)

Mr. *Tupper*, 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 the Special Report of the delegates appointed in 1889, to enquire into the Herring Fishing Industry of *Great Britain and Holland*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 34.*)

#### GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

Ottawa, 10th February, 1890.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the Grand Orange Lodge of *British America* :

Mr. *Wallace* moved, seconded by Mr. *Hesson*, 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>Archibald (Sir Adams) Dawson,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria), Semple,</i>
<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>
<i>Baird,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou), Shanly,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Earle,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Leeds &amp; Gren.) Madill,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew), Mara,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland), Marshall,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby), Robertson,</i>
<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John) Roome,</i>
<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron), Ross,</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>McCarthy,</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>
	<i>Rowand,</i>
	<i>Rykert,</i>
	<i>Small,</i>
	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
	<i>Sproule,</i>
	<i>Sutherland,</i>
	<i>Taylor,</i>
	<i>Temple,</i>
	<i>Tisdale,</i>
	<i>Tupper,</i>
	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
	<i>Waldie,</i>
	<i>Wallace,</i>
	<i>Ward,</i>
	<i>Watson,</i>
	<i>Welsh,</i>
	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
	<i>Wilson (Lennox), and</i>
	<i>Wood (Brookville).—85.</i>

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

<i>Amyot,</i>	<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>
<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Neveux,</i>
<i>Bécharde,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin), and</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Massue,</i>	<i>Yeo.—69.</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>			

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

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 National Construction 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 Northern and Western Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to "The Canada 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 respecting the Hereford Railway 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. *Mackenzie*, and the Question being put, That a Select Committee composed of Messieurs *Paterson (Essex)*, *Kirkpatrick*, *Mills (Bothwell)*, *White (Renfrew)*, *McMullen*, *Weldon (Albert)*, *Somerville*, *Bryson* and the Mover be appointed to enquire:—

1. As to the extent of the alarming exodus of native-born Canadians and settlers in *Canada* of foreign birth to the *United States*.

2. As to the chief causes of such exodus.

3. As to the best means to be adopted to counteract the influences which have hitherto promoted such exodus, and for the purpose of suggesting means for diminishing the serious drain upon our numerical strength and our resources; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS:

## Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>Lavergne,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>

<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Scriven,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd),</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Neveux,</i>	<i>Wellon (St. John),</i>
<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin), and</i>
<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	<i>Yeo.—63.</i>
<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Baird,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria)</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Leeds &amp; Gren.),</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Girouard,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Massue,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Pope,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Ives,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox),</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville) and</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>	<i>Wood (Westland)—94.</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>		

So it passed in the Negative.

Sir John Thompson, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—A certified copy of a Report of the Honourable the Privy Council, approved by His Excellency in Council on the 17th August, 1889, on the subject of the Copyright Act of last Session, together with correspondence and other papers referring to the same subject. (*Sessional Papers, No. 35.*)

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Tuesday, 11th February, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Tisdale*,—The Petition of the Grand Trunk, *Georgian Bay* and Lake *Erie* Railway Company.

By Mr. *Corby*,—The Petition of the Central *Ontario* Railway.

By Mr. *McCarthy*,—The Petition of the *Collingwood* Board of Trade; the Petition of the *Collingwood* General and Marine Hospital; and the Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Simcoe, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Sutherland*,—The Petition of *J. G. Scott* and others.

By Mr. *Hudspeth*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Victoria, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Brown*,—The Petition of *William G. Murray* and others, of *Montreal*.

Mr. *Bergeron*, 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 *Calgary Water Power Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *Summerside Bank*, for an extension of their Charter; of the *St. Catharines and Niagara Central Railway Company*, for an extension of the time for the construction of their Railway, and for other purposes; and of the Bankers' Safe Deposit, Warehousing and Loan Company of *Canada (Limited)*, for an Act of Incorporation.

Your Committee have also examined the notices given on the following Petitions and find that though they are regular in every other respect, they are from one to three weeks short in point of time; but, as they will have fully matured in each case before the Bills can be endorsed by the Committee to which they may be respectively referred, your Committee recommend that the said notices be deemed sufficient, viz. :—

Of the *Elbow River Water Power Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *West Kootenay Railway Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *South Kootenay Railway Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *Brandon and South-Western Railway Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *St. Lawrence International Railway and Bridge Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *Toronto Savings Bank Charitable Trust*, for power to invest the proceeds of a certain mortgage in Real Estate; and of the *Hamilton Junction Railway Company*, for an Act of Incorporation.

On the Petition of the *Portage la Prairie and Duck Mountain Railway Company*, for power to construct a Railway from *Portage la Prairie* thence northerly on the east of *Riding Mountain* and *Duck Mountain* to the *Saskatchewan River*; also, a Branch from thence to connect with the *Hudson's Bay Railway*, your Committee find that notice was published in the requisite manner in the Province of *Manitoba*, but not at all in the District of *Saskatchewan*; they therefore recommend that the said notice be deemed sufficient for the construction of the said Railway within the limits of the Province of *Manitoba* and no further.

The time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills expires To-day, and that for presenting Private Bills on Tuesday next; your Committee therefore recommend that the same be further extended to the 18th and 25th instant, respectively.

On motion of Mr. *Bergeron*, seconded by Mr. *Wilson (Lennox)*,

*Ordered*, That the time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills be further extended to Tuesday, the eighteenth instant, and the time for presenting Private Bills to Tuesday, the twenty-fifth instant, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Sixth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Brown* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Hamilton 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 To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Mara* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *South Kootenay 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. *Mara* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *West Kootenay 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. *Rykert* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *St. Catharines and Niagara 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. *Taylor* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *St. Lawrence International 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. *Scrath* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Brandon and South-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.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Davies* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Summer-side Bank*.

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 incorporate the *Bankers' Safe Deposit, Warehousing and Loan Company of Canada (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. *Cockburn* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Confederation Life Association*.

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 respecting the *Calgary Water Power 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. *Davis* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Elbow River 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 To-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question, which was on Friday 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 the opinion of this House, no rebate of duty should be allowed upon corn imported for use in the manufacture of spirits," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question on the amendment being again proposed :—The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

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>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Langelier (Montmorency)</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Bécharé,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Lavergne,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Trou,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd),</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Neveux,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin),</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Wright, and</i>
<i>Cook,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	<i>Yeo.—69.</i>
<i>Couture,</i>			

## Nays :

## Messieurs

<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Baird,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John)</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>McCarthy,</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Scarth,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria)</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Leeds &amp; Gren.),</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Sproule</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Girouard,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Massue,</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>

<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Moncreeff,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Ives,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Pope,</i>	<i>Wilson, (Lennox),</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville), and</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wood (Westmead)—104.</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 Nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Secretary of State, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Printing and Stationery, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceed Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 30th June, 1881.

4. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Thirty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Post Office Department, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Agriculture, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Marine, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Fisheries, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Railways and Canals, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

9. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for care and cleaning of Departmental Buildings, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

10. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Three thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Printing Bureau, cleaning, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

11. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Sixty-five thousand and ninety dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the following expenses in connection with Administration of Justice:—Miscellaneous expenditure, including *North-West Territories*, \$21,500; Travelling expenses of Judges in the *North-West Territories*, \$4,000; Circuit allowances, *British Columbia*, \$9,000; Travelling allowances, Court of Queen's Bench, and County Court Judges, *Manitoba*, \$2,500; Circuit allowances to Judges *ad hoc*, \$500; To pay four Official Arbitrators, \$1,000 each, \$4,000; Travelling expenses of Official Arbitrators, \$1,500. Supreme Court of *Canada*—The Reporter, \$2,400; The Assistant Reporter, 2nd Class Clerk, \$1,300; Clerk in the office of the Registrar, 3rd Class Clerk, \$950; Second Clerk in the office of the

Registrar, 3rd Class Clerk, \$400; Caretaker of Library; \$700; 3 Messengers, 2 at \$500, 1 at \$490, \$1,490; Contingencies and disbursements, Judges' travelling expenses; also, salaries of officers (Sheriff, Registrar, as Editor and Publisher of Reports, Usher, &c.) in the Supreme Court of *Canada*, and \$150 for books for Judges, \$3,500; 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. The Exchequer Court of *Canada*—Second Clerk, \$1,150; 3rd Class Clerk, *John McDonald* (notwithstanding anything in the Civil Service Act), \$800; Messenger, *James O'Regan*, \$300; Contingencies, Exchequer Court of *Canada*, Judge's and Registrar's travelling expenses, salary of Sheriffs, &c., and \$50 for Judge's books, \$3,500; 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, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty for Dominion Police, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for care of Archives, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for expenses in connection with Patent Record, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for expenses in connection with the preparation of Criminal Statistics, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

16. *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, 1891.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported, That the Committee had come to several resolutions.

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

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Copies of the several Petitions presented to Council against the abolition of Separate Schools and the French language in the *North-West Territories*. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 33b.)

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Wednesday, 12th February, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Campbell*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Kent, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Corby*,—The Petition of *A. J. Somerville* and others, of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Moncrieff*,—The Petition of *Charles Smith* and others, of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Masson*,—The Petition of *Arthur Jones* and others, of *Toronto*; and the Petition of *S. J. Parker* and others.

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

By Mr. *Wallace*,—The Petition of *J. C. Atkinson* and others; and the Petition of *Daniel Blea* and others.

By Mr. *Brown*,—The Petition of *Thomas Winfield* and others; and the Petition of *James L. Hughes*, Public School Inspector, and others, all of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Small*,—Six Petitions of Energy Assembly, No. 5742, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*.

By Mr. *McCarthy*,—The Petition of *John Stocks* and others, of *Caumore*: the Petition of *John R. Thompson* and others of *Calgary*; the Petition of *D. J. Brue* and others, of *Cochrane*; the Petition of *John S. Lunn* and others, of *Gleichen*, all of the District of *Alberta*; the Petition of *J. Llewellyn Wilson* and others; the Petition of *William Grier* and others, of *Morley* and *Ghost River*, all of the *North-West Territories*.

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

Of the Honourable *J. R. Thibaudeau*, Senator, and others; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The *Montreal Bridge and Terminus Company*."

Of *Raymond Préfontaine*, Barrister, and others, of *Montreal*, and other places; praying for the passing of an Act confirming the Act of Incorporation of the *Chambly Manufacturing Company*, passed by the Legislature of *Quebec*.

Of the *Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway Company*; praying for certain amendments of the several Acts affecting said Company.

Of the *Manitoba and South-Eastern Railway Company*; praying the House to consider the advisability of making them a grant of land in aid of the construction of their railway and branches.

Of the Honourable *W. D. Perley*, Senator, and others; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The *Alberta Colonization Railway Company*."

Of *Jacob Fuller* and others, of *Theford*; of *A. C. Chadwick* and others, of *Guelph*; of *C. A. Walker* and others; of *Alexander Dey* and others; of *C. H. Riggs*, L.D.S., and others; of *George Scudds* and others; of *Hermann Simmers* and others; of *John E. Winnett* and others; and of *C. Baker* and others, all of *Toronto, Ontario*; severally praying that no law may be passed to interfere with or prevent the shooting of birds from traps.

Of *George Stevenson* Assembly, No. 9005, Knights of Labour, machinists; of Local Union, No. 342, United Brotherhood of Carpenters, all of *Toronto, Ontario*; of Dominion Assembly, No. 2436, Knights of Labour, *Montreal*; and of *Jacques Cartier* Assembly, No. 10870, *Quebec*; 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 Stevenson* Assembly, No. 9005, Knights of Labour, machinists; of Local Union, No. 342, United Brotherhood of Carpenters, all of *Toronto, Ontario*; of Dominion Assembly, No. 2436, Knights of Labour, *Montreal*; and of *Jacques Cartier* Assembly, No. 10870, *Quebec*; severally praying for a certain amendment of the Act for the prevention and suppression of combinations formed in restraint of trade.

Of *George Stevenson* Assembly, No. 9005, Knights of Labour, machinists; of Local Union, No. 342, United Brotherhood of Carpenters, all of *Toronto, Ontario*; of Dominion Assembly, No. 2436, Knights of Labour, *Montreal*; and of *Jacques Cartier* Assembly, No. 10870, *Quebec*; severally praying for a certain amendment of the Act respecting threats, intimidations and other offences.

Of *George Stevenson* Assembly, No. 9005, Knights of Labour, machinists; of Local Union, No. 342, United Brotherhood of Carpenters, all of *Toronto, Ontario*; of Dominion Assembly, No. 2436, Knights of Labour, *Montreal*; and of *Jacques Cartier* Assembly, No. 10870, *Quebec*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to provide for the examination and licensing of persons having charge of stationary steam engines, &c.

Of *George Stevenson* Assembly, No. 9005, Knights of Labour, machinists; of Local Union, No. 342, United Brotherhood of Carpenters, all of *Toronto, Ontario*; of Dominion Assembly, No. 2436, Knights of Labour, *Montreal*; and of *Jacques Cartier* Assembly, No. 10870, *Quebec*; severally praying for the passing of an Act for the protection of workmen engaged in the construction or repairs of railways.

Of *George Stevenson* Assembly, No. 9005, Knights of Labour, machinists; of Local Union, No. 342, United Brotherhood of Carpenters, all of *Toronto, Ontario*; of Dominion Assembly, No. 2436, Knights of Labour, *Montreal*; and of *Jacques Cartier* Assembly, No. 10870, *Quebec*; severally praying for an amendment of the Seamen's Agreement Act.

Of *George Stevenson* Assembly, No. 9005, Knights of Labour, machinists; of Local Union, No. 342, United Brotherhood of Carpenters, all of *Toronto, Ontario*; of Dominion Assembly, No. 2436, Knights of Labour, *Montreal*; and of *Jacques Cartier* Assembly, No. 10870, *Quebec*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to provide that any stipulation or terms, other than an equivalent for wages, demanded by employers of employees, be punishable by imprisonment, &c.

On motion of Mr. *McCarthy*, seconded by Mr. *White (Renfrew)*,

Ordered, That the Petition of *John Stocks* and others, of *Canmore*; the Petition of *John R. Thompson* and others, of *Calgary*; the Petition of *D. J. Bruce* and others, of *Cochrane*; the Petition of *John S. Lunn* and others, of *Gleichen*; the Petition of *J. Llewellyn Wilson* and others; the Petition of *William Grier* and others, of *Morley* and *Ghost River*, all of the *North-West Territories*, presented this day, be now read.

And the said Petitions were read and received; severally praying for the passing of an Act repealing Section 110 of the *North-West Territories* Act.

Ordered, That Mr. *Wallace* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act 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.

Mr. *McMullen* moved, seconded by Mr. *Scriver*, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn; And a Debate arising thereupon:—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

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

Ordered, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the names of the six Pagans returned for the Parish of *Ste. Elizabeth*, in the County of *Joliette* and Province of *Quebec*, in the Census returns of 1881, as appears from the original schedule of the enumerator for that parish.

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

Ordered, That there be laid before this House, a list of Indian Reserves within the Province of *Manitoba*, giving location and area of each one, number of Indians belonging to it at the time of location of such reserve, and number now actually living on same.

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

Ordered, That there be laid before this House, copies of all papers, correspondence and agreements between the Government and the proprietors of the extension of the *Derby* Branch Railway in relation to the said extension, the said extension having been built by the aid of Government subsidy, but never yet operated.

On motion of Mr. *Choquette*, seconded by Mr. *McMullen*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of the late Reports made by the Engineer of the Public Works Department respecting works to be carried out at *Rivière du Sud*, in the County of *Montmagny*.

Mr. *Landerkin* moved, seconded by Mr. *Kirk*, and the Question being put. That whereas distillers are allowed a rebate of duty upon malt 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; the House divided: and it passed in the Negative.

On motion of Mr. *Guay*, seconded by Mr. *Beausoleil*.

*Ordered*. That there be laid before this House, copies of all petitions and correspondence respecting the request for the construction of a siding, on the line of the Intercolonial Railway, at the Station of *St. Jean Chrysostôme*, in the County of *Lévis*.

On motion of Mr. *Guay*, seconded by Mr. *Beausoleil*.

*Ordered*. That there be laid before this House, a statement showing the names of all persons who sold to the Dominion Government since 1st January, 1886, property located in *St. Laurent* and *Lauzon* Wards in the Town of *Lévis*, with a view to widening the roadway of the Intercolonial Railway, and an extension of the station at *Lévis*; the amount paid to each proprietor: the amounts paid for commissions; the rate of percentage, and the persons to whom such amounts were paid.

Mr. *Bain* (*Soulanges*) moved, seconded by Mr. *Hesson*, and the Question being proposed, That there be laid before this House, a copy of the reports, estimates, &c., of *Thomas Munro*, Esquire, Civil Engineer, on the enlargement of the *Beauharnois* Canal, or the construction of a new canal, on the north shore of the *St. Lawrence*, between Lakes *St. Francis* and *St. Louis*; also, all papers, petitions, letters or other documents relating thereto since 1st February, 1889; And a Debate arising thereupon:—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

On motion of Mr. *Choquette*, seconded by Mr. *McMullen*,

*Ordered*. That there be laid before this House, copies of two enquiries made by Messieurs *Bourgeois*, *King* and *Bolduc*, respecting the Post office at *Pierreville, P.Q.*

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 wharfage dues collected at the Government pier or wharf at *Digby, Nova Scotia*, during the year 1889, specifying the several amounts paid by passenger steamers landing passengers and freight at the said wharf, and the names of such steamers.

On motion of Mr. *Perry*, seconded by Mr. *Yeo*,

*Ordered*. That there be laid before this House, copies of all petitions, letters, &c., to the Department at *Ottawa*, praying for a Post office at *Palmer Road, Prince Edward Island*; also, all correspondence to and from the Post Office Department at *Ottawa* and the Post Office Inspector at *Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island*, on the same subject.

On motion of Mr. *Flynn*, seconded by Mr. *Weldon* (*St. John*).

*Ordered*. That there be laid before this House, copies of correspondence in connection with a claim made by the District of *St. Peters*, in the County of *Richmond*, for medical attendance and board of *Kenneth Chisholm*, a sick mariner, belonging to the schooner "*Jeanie*."

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the annual losses of ships since 1868 in the Gulf of *St. Lawrence* and on the Atlantic coast and *Bay of Fundy*, owing to tides, currents and fogs, with the name and tonnage of each vessel, and such particulars in each case as to the causes and extent of damage, as may be in the possession of the Government.

On motion of Mr. *Beausoleil*, seconded by Mr. *Bourassa*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all petitions from the inhabitants of *St. Gabriel* and *St. Damien*, praying that their mails be sent them by railway; also, all letters forwarding these petitions, all reports from the Post Office Inspector, and all orders issued by the Postmaster General respecting the aforesaid petitions.

On motion of Mr. *Beausoleil*, seconded by Mr. *Bourassa*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all petitions praying for the closing of the Post office at *Fernetville*, in the County of *Berthier*, and the erection of a Post office at the *Berthier* Junction Station, on the line of the *Canadian Pacific* Railway; also, all petitions opposed to this proceeding; also, the letters forwarding these petitions; also, all documents bearing on this subject.

On motion of Mr. *Campbell*, seconded by Mr. *Lovitt*,

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

1. The total amount of money expended in dredging *McGregor's* Creek, in the Town of *Chatham, Ontario*.
2. The amount expended for piling and planking the same; the name of each contractor, and amount of their several contracts.
3. The amount of money paid property owners for damage done to their property in consequence of such dredging, with the name and amount paid each property owner.
4. The name and amount of all claimants whose claims have been rejected, or which are still under the consideration of the Government.

On motion of Mr. *Laurier*, seconded by Mr. *Weldon (St. John)*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence between the Government, or any of its Departments, and the Corporation known as the "Président et syndics de la commune de la seigneurie d'*Yamaska*," respecting damages occasioned to their lands by the dam erected in the *Yamaska* River.

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 *St. Stephen's* Bank, 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 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 People's Bank of *New Brunswick*, and, after some time spent therein,

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Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) 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 *New Brunswick* 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 Interprovincial 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 Shore Line Railway 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 amend the Canadian Pacific Railway Act, 1889, and for other purposes;

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 *Erie* and *Huron* 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 *Brantford*, *Waterloo* and Lake *Erie* 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 change the name of the *Vaudreuil* and *Prescott* Railway Company to "The *Montreal* 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 incorporate the *Rainy River* Boom 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 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 for granting certain powers to the Canadian Millers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company;

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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 Home Benefit Life Association;

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 *Moncton and Prince Edward Island 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.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to further amend the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, chapter fifty, respecting the *North-West Territories*;

Mr. *McCarthy* moved, seconded by Mr. *Denison*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time;

Mr. *Davin* moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Davis*, 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 that the Legislative Assembly of the *North-West Territories* be authorized to deal with the subject matter of this Bill by Ordinance or enactment "after the next general election for the said Territories," inserted instead thereof;

Mr. *Beausoleil* moved in amendment to the said proposed amendment, seconded by Mr. *Fiset*, That all the words after "Resolved" in the amendment be left out, and the words "That the official use of the French and English languages in the Legislature and the Courts of the *North-West Territories* was established by this Parliament in the well understood interests of the people of the said Territories, in order to promote the good understanding and the harmony that should exist between the different races, and with a view, by a liberal policy, to promote the colonization and settlement of those vast domains;

"That nothing has happened since to excuse or justify the withdrawal of the privileges granted only a few years ago;

"That the result of the proposed legislation would be to create uneasiness and discontent throughout the Dominion and to put in doubt the stability of our institutions, and thereby to hinder and delay for a long time the development of the immense resources of the Canadian *North-West*," inserted instead thereof;

And a Debate arising thereupon;

On motion of Mr. *Mulock*, seconded by Mr. *Holton*,  
Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*,

Ordered, That the Order of the Day, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the second reading of the Bill to further amend the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, chapter fifty, respecting the *North-West Territories*, and proposed amendments, be made the First Order on Public Bills and Orders for To-morrow.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

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Thursday, 13th February, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Madill*,—The Petition of *Newton D. Galbreath* and others, of *Hamilton, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Fisher*,—The Petition of *Ulverton Farmers' Club*; the Petition of the Farmers' Club of *Trenholmvile*; the Petition of *John Wadleigh*, President, and others, Directors of the Agricultural Society, all of the County of *Drummond*; the Petition of *Dugald McKenzie*, President, and others, Directors of the Agricultural Society of the County of *Megantic*, No. 1; the Petition of *Felix Gouin*, President, and others, Directors of the Agricultural Society of the County of *Yamaska*; and the Petition of *James Maws*, President, and others, Directors of the Agricultural Society of the County of *Richmond*, all of the Province of *Quebec*.

By Mr. *Scarth*,—Seven Petitions of Typographical Union, No. 191; and seven Petitions of Local Union, No. 343, Brotherhood of Carpenters, all of *Winnipeg, Manitoba*.

By Mr. *Brown*,—The Petition of the Reverend *A. Burns*, D.D., LL.D., and others, resident teachers, of the City of *Hamilton*.

By Mr. *Kirkpatrick*,—The Petition of the Bank of *British North America*.

By Mr. *Hudspeth*,—The Petition of *William S. Law* and others, of *Peterborough* and neighbourhood, *Ontario*.

By Mr. *Marshall*,—The Petition of *James Lumsden* and others, of *Toronto, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Bryson*,—The Petition of *E. P. Bender* and others.

By Mr. *Taylor*,—The Petition of Capital Assembly, No. 5222, Knights of Labour, *Ottawa*.

By Mr. *Casey*,—Two Petitions of the Municipal Council of the County of *Elgin, Ontario*.

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

Of the Grand Trunk, *Georgian Bay* and *Lake Erie Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act to extend the time for the construction of certain branch lines of their railway.

Of the Central *Ontario Railway*; praying for the passing of an Act granting them certain additional powers.

Of *J. G. Scott* and others; praying for an amendment of the Act of Incorporation of the *Victoria and Sault Ste. Marie Junction Railway Company*.

Of the *Collingwood Board of Trade*; and of the Municipal Council of the County of *Victoria, Ontario*; severally praying the House to consider the advisability of providing for the appointment of such court, commission or person in each of the Provinces as may be necessary for the speedy and convenient hearing and determining of certain matters arising between the public and the railways.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Simcoe, Ontario*; praying the House to consider the advisability of appointing a permanent commission to take cognizance of disputes arising between railway companies and the public.

Of *William G. Murray* and others, of *Montreal*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, for the further prevention of cruelty to animals, may become law.

Of the *Collingwood General and Marine Hospital*; praying the House to consider the advisability of granting them such aid as they may deem fit to enable them to carry on their work.

Ordered, That Mr. *Ferguson (Leeds)* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Portage la Prairie and Duck Mountain 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.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was yesterday proposed. That the Bill to further amend the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, chapter fifty, respecting the *North-West Territories*, be now read a second time:

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 it is expedient that the Legislative Assembly of the *North-West Territories* be authorized to deal with the subject matter of this Bill by Ordinance or enactment after the next general election for the said Territories," inserted instead thereof;

And proposed amendment to the said amendment thereto, That all the words after "Resolved" in the amendment be left out, and the words, "That the official use of the French and English languages in the Legislature and the Courts of the *North-West Territories* was established by this Parliament in the well understood interests of the people of the said Territories, in order to promote the good understanding and the harmony that should exist between the different races, and with a view, by a liberal policy, to promote the colonization and settlement of those vast domains:

"That nothing has happened since to excuse or justify the withdrawal of the privileges granted only a few years ago;

"That the result of the proposed legislation would be to create uneasiness and discontent throughout the Dominion and to put in doubt the stability of our institutions, and thereby to hinder and delay for a long time the development of the immense resources of the *Canadian North-West*," inserted instead thereof:

And the Question being again proposed:—The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

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

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*.

Ordered, That the Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned Debate on the second reading of the Bill to further amend the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, chapter fifty, respecting the *North-West Territories*, and proposed amendments, be made the first Order of the Day, for To-morrow.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Friday, 14th February, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Perley*.—The Petition of the Reverend *Aeneas McD. Dawson*, LL.D., and others: and the Petition of *R. J. Wicksteed* and others, all of *Ottawa*.

By Mr. *Lang*.—Two Petitions of the Municipal Council of the County of *Peterborough*, Ontario.

By Mr. *Dawson*.—The Petition of *David Blain* and others, of *Toronto*, Ontario.

By Mr. *McCarthy*.—The Petition of *John Cameron* and others, of *Sheep Creek*; the Petition of *Clark Standish* and others, of *Fish Creek*; the Petition of *E. Burke*

and others, of *Darvisburg*; the Petition of *James A. Bannerman* and others, of *Calgary*; the Petition of *John Owens* and others, of *Pine Creek*; the Petition of *George Ward* and others, of *High River*; and the Petition of *William John Neelin* and others, of *Banff*, all of the *North-West Territories*.

By Mr. *Cockburn*.—The Petition of *George Platt* and others, of *Toronto, Ontario*.

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

Of *S. J. Parker* and others, of *Owen Sound, County of Grey, Ontario*; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The *Owen Sound and Lake Huron Railway Company*."

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Kent, Ontario*; praying the House to consider the advisability of taking steps to secure the dredging of the *Thames River*, at its mouth, to remove obstructions to navigation.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Elgin, Ontario*; complaining of the dilapidated condition of *Port Stanley Harbour*; and praying the House to take such steps as will compel the *Grand Trunk Railway Company* to keep said harbour in proper repair.

Of *A. J. Somerville* and others; of *Charles Smith* and others; of *Arthur Jones* and others; of *Thomas Winfield* and others, all of *Toronto*; of *J. C. Atkinson* and others; and of *Daniel Blea* and others, all of *Ontario*; severally praying that no law may be passed to interfere with or prevent the shooting of birds from traps.

Of *James L. Hughes*, Public School Inspector, and others, of *Toronto*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament for the further prevention of cruelty to animals, may become law.

Of Energy Assembly, No. 5742, 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.

Of Energy Assembly, No. 5742, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; praying for an amendment of the *Seamen's Agreement Act*.

Of Energy Assembly, No. 5742, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; praying for a certain amendment of the Act respecting threats, intimidation and other offences.

Of Energy Assembly, No. 5742, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; praying for the passing of an Act for the protection of workmen engaged in the construction or repairs of railways.

Of Energy Assembly, No. 5742, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; praying for the passing of an Act to provide that any stipulations or terms, other than an equivalent for wages, demanded by employers of employees, be punishable by imprisonment, &c.

Of Energy Assembly, No. 5742, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; praying for a certain amendment of the Act for the prevention and suppression of combinations formed in restraint of trade.

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 respecting the *Port Arthur, Duluth and Western Railway Company*.

Bill respecting the *Goderich and Canadian Pacific Junction Railway Company*, and to change the name of the Company to "The *Goderich and Wingham Railway Company*."

Bill to incorporate the *Lindsay, Bobraygeon and Pontypool Railway Company*.

Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the *Belleville and Lake Nipissing Railway Company*.

Bill to incorporate the *Sault Ste. Marie and Hudson's Bay Railway Company*;—

and

Bill to incorporate the *Ottawa, Morrisburg and New York Railway Company*.

Mr. *Bergeron*, 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 examined the Notices given on the following Petitions, and find them sufficient, viz.:—

Of the *Montreal* and Western Railway Company, for an Act to confirm an agreement made with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company; of the Grand Trunk, *Georgian Bay* and Lake *Erie* Railway Company, for an extension of time for the construction of certain branch lines; of the Central *Ontario* Railway, for power to issue Bonds to the extent of \$30,000 per mile of their completed line; and of the *Victoria* and *Sault Ste. Marie* Railway Company, for an extension of the time for the construction of their railway.

Your Committee have also examined the Notices given on the following Petitions, and find that they are somewhat short of the full time required; but, as they will all mature before the Bills can be considered by the Railway Committee, your Committee recommend that the said Notices be deemed sufficient, viz.:—Of the Grand Trunk Railway Company, for power to build a branch line at *Hamilton*; of the Corporation of the City of *Toronto*, for an Act to confirm an Act of the Legislature, granting them power to make certain improvements on the *Don* River; and of the *Thousand Islands* Bridge and Railway Company, for an Act of Incorporation.

On the Petition of the Honourable *W. D. Perley* and others, for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the *Alberta* Colonization Railway Company, and for power to construct a Railway from *Cassils*, on the line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, to the *Crow's Nest Pass*, and thence to the Pacific Ocean, your Committee find that notice was published in *Calgary* only; they therefore recommend that the Petitioners be restricted in their operations to that portion of their line which is proposed to be constructed within the District of *Alberta*.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Curran* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the Grand Trunk Railway 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 Monday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Tisdale* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the Grand Trunk, *Georgian Bay* and Lake *Erie* 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 respecting the "Don Improvement," *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 on Monday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Desjardins* have leave to bring in a Bill to confirm an agreement between the *Montreal* and Western Railway Company and 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.

Sir *Richard J. Cartwright* moved, seconded by Mr. *Mackenzie*, and the Question being put, That whereas certain letters and documents published in the *Globe* newspaper, under date of February 8th instant, containing divers statements affecting certain Members of this House, together with certain other letters furnished by the Honourable Member for *Lincoln*, and included therein, be printed in the Votes and Proceedings for the use of Members:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Order of the Day being read for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was on Wednesday last proposed, That the Bill to further amend the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, chapter fifty, respecting the *North-West Territories*, be now read a second time;

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 it is expedient that the Legislative Assembly of the *North-West Territories* be authorized to deal with the subject matter of this Bill by Ordinance or enactment after the next general election for the said Territories," inserted instead thereof;

And proposed amendment to the said amendment thereto, That all the words after "Resolved" in the amendment be left out, and the words, "That the official use of the French and English languages in the Legislature and the Courts of the *North-West Territories* was established by this Parliament in the well understood interests of the people of the said Territories in order to promote the good understanding and the harmony that should exist between the different races, and with a view, by a liberal policy, to promote the colonization and settlement of those vast domains;

"That nothing has happened since to excuse or justify the withdrawal of the privileges granted only a few years ago;

"That the result of the proposed legislation would be to create uneasiness and discontent throughout the Dominion and to put in doubt the stability of our institutions, and thereby to hinder and delay for a long time the development of the immense resources of the Canadian *North-West*," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question 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 second reading of the Bill to incorporate the South *Kootenay* 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 West *Kootenay* 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 *St. Catharines* and *Niagara* 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 to incorporate the *St. Lawrence* International 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 *Brandon* and South-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 *Summerside Bank* ;

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 Bankers' Safe Deposit, Warehousing and Loan Company of *Canada* (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 Confederation Life Association ;

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 *Calgary Water Power Company* (Limited) ;

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 *Elbow River Water Power Company* ;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time ; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The House then resumed the Debate on the Question, That the Bill to further amend the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, chapter fifty, respecting the *North-West Territories*, be now read a second time and, proposed amendments thereto.

On motion of Mr. *Laurier*, seconded by Mr. *Mills* (*Bothwell*),

*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned.

On motion of Mr. *Laurier*, seconded by Mr. *Mills* (*Bothwell*),

*Ordered*, That the Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned Debate on the second reading of the Bill to further amend the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, chapter fifty, respecting the *North-West Territories* and proposed amendments, be made a special Order of the Day for Monday next, to be called next after Private Bills.

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, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Salaries (House of Commons) per Clerk's estimate, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

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., for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

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, 1891.

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 are 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, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-three thousand eight hundred and eighty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Salaries and Contingencies (House of Commons), per Sergeant-at-Arms' estimate, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-four thousand two hundred and sixty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz. :— Salaries of officers of the Library, \$16,265; 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 (re-vote), \$2,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for printing, binding and distributing the Laws, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

9. *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, 1891.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

Saturday, 15th February, 1890.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received on Monday next.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 a quarter of an hour after Twelve of the Clock on Saturday morning, adjourned till Monday next.

Monday, 17th February, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Robillard*,—The Petition of *Thomas Birkett* and others, of *Ottawa, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Rinfret*,—The Petition of *Hyacinthe Gagnon* and others, of the Parish of *St. Edouard*, County of *Lotbinière*.

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

Of *E. P. Bender* and others; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The North Canadian Atlantic Railway and Steamship Company."

Of *David Blain* and others, of *Toronto, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act authorizing them to construct a railway from a point at or near *Sault Ste. Marie* to *Hamilton Inlet* or other point on the *Labrador* coast.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Peterborough, Ontario*; praying for such legislation as will enable the Municipalities to compel railway companies to allow drains to be made across railway lines.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Elgin, Ontario*; praying for a certain amendment of the General Railway Act.

Of the Bank of *British North America*; praying that any Banking Act hereafter to be introduced into the Dominion Parliament, may contain provisions similar to those contained in Sections 86 and 87 of "The Bank Act," in so far as they relate to the aforesaid bank.

Of Capital Assembly, No. 5222, Knights of Labour, *Ottawa*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, to prohibit the importation and migration of foreigners and aliens under contract or agreement to perform labour in *Canada*, may become law.

Of *John Wadleigh*, President, and others, Directors of the Agricultural Society of the County of *Drummond*; of Farmers' Club, of *Trenholmvile*; of the *Ulverton* Farmers' Club, all of the County of *Drummond*; of *Dugald McKenzie*, President, and others, Directors of the Agricultural Society of the County of *Megantic*; of *Felix Gouin*, President, and others, Directors of the Agricultural Society of the County of *Yamaska*; and of *James Maws*, President, and others, Directors of the Agricultural Society of the County of *Richmond*, all of *Quebec*; severally praying that certain seeds and other articles of import be placed upon the free list.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Elgin*; and of the Municipal Council of the County of *Peterborough*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying the House to consider the advisability of providing for the appointment of such court, commission or person in each of the Provinces as may be necessary for the speedy and convenient hearing and determining of certain matters arising between the public and the railways.

Of Typographical Union, No. 191; and of Local Union, No. 343, Brotherhood of Carpenters, all of *Winnipeg, Manitoba*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to provide, that any stipulations or terms, other than an equivalent for wages, demanded by employers of employees, be punishable by imprisonment, &c.

Of Typographical Union, No. 191; and of Local Union, No. 343, Brotherhood of Carpenters, all of *Winnipeg, Manitoba*; 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 Typographical Union, No. 191; and of Local Union, No. 343, Brotherhood of Carpenters, all of *Winnipeg, Manitoba*; severally praying for an amendment of the Seamen's Agreement Act.

Of Typographical Union, No. 191; and of Local Union, No. 343, Brotherhood of Carpenters, all of *Winnipeg, Manitoba*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to provide for the examination and licensing of persons having charge of stationary steam engines, &c.

Of Typographical Union, No. 191; and of Local Union, No. 343, Brotherhood of Carpenters, all of *Winnipeg, Manitoba*; severally praying for a certain amendment of the Act for the prevention and suppression of combinations formed in restraint of trade.

Of Typographical Union, No. 191; and of Local Union, No. 343, Brotherhood of Carpenters, all of *Winnipeg, Manitoba*; severally praying for the passing of an Act for the protection of workmen engaged in the construction or repairs of railways.

Of Typographical Union, No. 191; and of Local Union, No. 343, Brotherhood of Carpenters, all of *Winnipeg, Manitoba*; severally praying for a certain amendment of the Act respecting threats, intimidation and other offences.

Of *James Lumsden* and others; and of *George Platt* and others, all of *Toronto, Ontario*: severally praying that no law may be passed to interfere with or prevent the shooting of birds from traps.

Of *Newton D. Galbreath* and others: of *A. Burns, D.D., LL.D.*, and others, resident teachers, all of *Hamilton*: of *William S. Law* and others, of *Peterborough* and neighbourhood; of the Reverend *Aneas McD. Dawson, LL.D.*, and of *R. J. Wicksteed* and others, of *Ottawa*, all of *Ontario*: severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, for the further prevention of cruelty to animals, may become law.

Of *James A. Bannerman* and others, of *Calgary*; of *John Owens*, and others, of *Pine Creek*: of *George Ward* and others, of *High River*: of *William John Neelin* and others, of *Banff*, all of the District of *Alberta*: of *John Cameron* and others, of *Sheep Creek*: of *Clark Standish* and others, of *Fish Creek*; and of *E. Burk* and others, of *Davisburg*, all of the *North-West Territories*: severally praying for the passing of an Act repealing Section 110 of the *North-West Territories Act*.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Davis* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Alberta Colonization 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. *Sutherland* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the *Victoria and Sault Ste. Marie 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 To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Tupper* have leave to bring in a Bill further 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 To-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the *Port Arthur, Duluth and Western Railway Company*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Scriven* 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 *Goderich and Canadian Pacific Junction Railway Company*, and to change the name of the Company to "The *Goderich and Wingham Railway Company*," and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Ives* 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 *Bellerive and Lake Nipissing 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.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Lindsay, Bobcaygeon and Pontypool* 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 *Sault Ste. Marie and Hudson's Bay* Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Somerville* 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 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 Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was on Wednesday last proposed, That the Bill to further amend the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, chapter fifty, respecting the *North-West Territories*, be now read a second time;

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 it is expedient that the Legislative Assembly of the *North-West Territories* be authorized to deal with the subject matter of this Bill by Ordinance or enactment after the next general election for the said Territories," inserted instead thereof;

And proposed amendment to the said amendment thereto, That all the words after "Resolved" in the amendment be left out, and the words, "That the official use of the French and English languages in the Legislature and the Courts of the *North-West Territories* was established by this Parliament in the well understood interests of the people of the said Territories, in order to pro-

“mote the good understanding and the harmony that should exist between the different races, and with a view, by a liberal policy, to promote the colonization and settlement of those vast domains;”

“That nothing has happened since to excuse or justify the withdrawal of the privileges granted only a few years ago;

“That the result of the proposed legislation would be to create uneasiness and discontent throughout the Dominion and to put in doubt the stability of our institutions, and thereby to hinder and delay for a long time the development of the immense resources of the Canadian *North-West*,” inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being again proposed :—The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

On motion of Mr. *Chapleau*, seconded by Mr. *Tupper*,  
Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*,  
Ordered, That the Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned Debate on the second reading of the Bill to further amend the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, chapter fifty, respecting the *North-West Territories* and proposed amendments, be made the First Order of the Day for To-morrow.

Sir *John A. Macdonald*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Copies of Reports of a Committee of the Honourable the Privy Council, with reference to the granting of a Timber License to Mr. *John Adams*. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 36.)

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Tuesday, 18th February, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Desaulniers*,—The Petition of *William Ebenezer Muir* and others, of *Montreal*, and other places.

By Mr. *McDougald (Pictou)*,—The Petition of *Henry N. Paint* and others.

By Mr. *Innes*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Wellington*; seven Petitions of Royal Assembly, No. 2980, Knights of Labour; the Petition of the Venerable Archdeacon *Dixon* and others; the Petition of *James M. Johnston* and others, of *Guelph*, and the Petition of *John Johnson* and others, of *Fergus*, all of the County of *Wellington, Ontario*.

By Mr. *McCarthy*,—The Petition of *W. R. Abbott* and others, of *Maple Creek*, District of *Assiniboia*; and the Petition of *Thomas Donald* and others, of *Calgary*, District of *Alberta*, all of the *North-West Territories*.

By Mr. *Wilson (Elgin)*,—The Petition of *George E. Sparham* and others, of *Ridgetown, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Campbell*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Kent, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Small*,—The Petition of the *George T. Smith* Middlings Purifier Company of *Canada*, Limited, and of *George T. Smith*.

By Mr. *La Rivière*,—The Petition of the Corporation of the Town of *St. Boniface*, *Manitoba*.

By Mr. *Hickey*,—The Petition of *Henry N. Paint* and others.

Mr. *Bowell*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an address to His Excellency, dated 27th January, 1890, for copies of all Orders in Council or Departmental Orders prohibiting American vessels from carrying bonded freight from American ports to *Victoria*, *British Columbia*, or any other Canadian port; and copies of all Orders in Council or Departmental Orders revoking the same, and all correspondence connected therewith. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 37.)

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 6th February, 1889, for 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 during the said period. (*Sessional Papers* No. 38.)

Also, Supplementary Return to an Order of this House, dated 20th January, 1890, for a Return showing the amounts of money deposited in the several Savings Banks in the Dominion, and in the several Post Office Savings Banks, the location of each, and the gross amounts of deposits in each on the 30th of June and December last. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 30a.)

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 relating to the *Canada* Southern Bridge Company, and have agreed to report the same without amendment; and the following Bills each, severally amended, viz. :—

Bill to incorporate the *Tilsonburg*, *Lake Erie* and *Pacific* Railway Company.

Bill to incorporate the *Canada* Cable Company.

Bill respecting the *Manitoba* and North-Western Railway Company of *Canada*.

Bill respecting the Northern and Western Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to “The *Canada* Eastern Railway Company;”—and

Bill respecting the *Hereford* Railway Company.

Mr. *Bergeron*, 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 Notices given on the following Petitions, and find them sufficient, viz. :—

Of the *Chambly* Manufacturing Company, for an Act of Incorporation; and of the *Manitoba* and South-Eastern Railway Company, for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation.

Your Committee have also examined the Notices given on the Petition of the *Pontiac* Pacific Junction Railway Company, for certain amendments to the Acts affecting the Company, and find them sufficient for all the objects mentioned in the Petition, except for the purpose of extending their line of Railway to the Canal Basin in the City of *Ottawa*, which was not mentioned in the notice.

On the Petition of the *Napanee*, *Tamworth* and *Quebec* Railway Company, for power to extend their line of Railway, to build branch lines in various Counties in *Ontario*, to construct a bridge over the *St. Lawrence* River at or near *Rockfort*, and for other purposes, your Committee find that notice was duly published with respect to the proposed extension and branch lines, except in the Counties of *Peterborough* and *Victoria*. They, therefore, recommend that, in the construction of Branch lines, the Company be restricted to the Counties in which notice was published. With regard to the notice for the construction of the proposed bridge, your Committee find it insufficient, inasmuch as it has only been published for a period of two weeks.

Your Committee have also examined the notices given on the following Petitions and find them somewhat short of the required time, viz.:—

Of the River *Detroit* Winter Railway Bridge Company, for an extension of time for the construction of the bridge; of the North Canadian Atlantic Railway and Steamship Company, for an Act of Incorporation: of the *Sault Ste. Marie* and Atlantic Railway Company, for an Act of Incorporation: and of the *Montreal* Bridge and Terminus Company, for an Act of Incorporation;—but as the said notices will mature before the Bills can be considered by the Railway Committee, it is recommended by your Committee that they be deemed sufficient.

With regard to the Petition of the *Montreal* Bridge and Terminus Company, your Committee find that the notice does not contain the particulars as to proposed rates of toll, &c., required by the 52nd Rule, but as provision can be made in the Bill requiring the said particulars to be subject to the approval of the Governor General in Council, before being carried into effect, they recommend that the said Rule be suspended, in so far as it relates to this Petition.

Mr. *Sproule*, 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 Bill to incorporate "*Belding Paul* and Company, Limited," and beg to report the same without any amendment.

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

*Ordered*, That the Petition of Henry N. Paint 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 *Loupsburg* and *Richmond* Railway Company.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Corby* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the Central *Ontario* 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 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.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Bryson* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the North Canadian Atlantic Railway and Steamship 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. *Ferguson* (*Welland*) have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the River *Detroit* Winter Railway Bridge Company, and to change the name of the company to the River *Detroit* Railway 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 Friday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *LaRivière* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act incorporating 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 Friday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Préfontaine* have leave to bring in a Bill to grant certain powers to the *Chambly* Manufacturing 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. *McDougald* (*Pictou*), seconded by Mr. *Cargill*,  
*Ordered*, That the Petition of *Henry N. Paint* 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 *Inverness Railway Company*.

On motion of Mr. *Préfontaine*, seconded by Mr. *Langelier* (*Quebec*),  
*Ordered*, That the 52nd Rule of this House be suspended, in so far as it affects the Petition of the Honourable *J. R. Thibaudeau*, Senator, and others; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The *Montreal Bridge and Terminus Company*," in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Eighth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

On motion of Mr. *Small*, seconded by Mr. *Ferguson* (*Welland*),  
*Ordered*, That the Petition of *George T. Smith* *Middlings Purifier Company* (Limited), and of *George T. Smith*, presented this day, be now read.

And the said Petition was read and received; praying for an extension of their Patent for a further term of five or ten years.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Mr. *Foster*,  
*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns this day, it do stand adjourned until Thursday next at Three o'Clock, P.M.

Mr. *Bowell* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, and the Question being put, "That whereas certain letters and documents published in the *Citizen* newspaper under date of 10th February instant, in explanation of certain letters published in the *Globe* newspaper under date of the 8th February instant, respecting the granting of a certain lease to cut timber to one *John Adams*, and it is expedient that the House should have an opportunity of examining the same, together with the statement made by the Honourable Member for *Lincoln* in the House of Commons on the 13th day of February instant, and the remarks made thereon by certain Members of the House of Commons as reported and printed in the official report of the debates of the House of Commons on the 13th February instant, and including copies of Orders in Council laid on the Table on the 17th instant, be printed in the Votes and Proceedings for the use of Members;—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was on Wednesday last proposed, That the Bill to further amend the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, chapter fifty, respecting the *North-West Territories*, be now read a second time;

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 it is expedient that" the Legislative Assembly of the *North-West Territories* be authorized to deal with "the subject matter of this Bill by Ordinance or enactment, after the next general election for the said Territories," inserted instead thereof;

And proposed amendment to the said amendment thereto, That all the words after "Resolved" in the amendment be left out, and the words, "That the official use of the French and English languages in the Legislature and the Courts of the *North-West Territories* was established by this Parliament in the well understood interests of the people of the said Territories, in order to promote the good understanding and the harmony that should exist between the different races, and with a view, by a liberal policy, to promote the colonization and settlement of those vast domains;

“That nothing has happened since to excuse or justify the withdrawal of the “privileges granted only a few years ago;

“That the result of the proposed legislation would be to create uneasiness and “discontent throughout the Dominion and to put in doubt the stability of our institutions, and thereby to hinder and delay for a long time the development of the immense resources of the Canadian *North-West*,” inserted instead thereof;

And the Question 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>Godbout,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>
<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Darson,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Neveux,</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>De St. Georges,</i>	<i>Ives,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Préfontaine,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Langelier (Montmorency),</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Cook,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McGreavy,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil) and</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Wright.—63.</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Girouard,</i>	<i>Massue,</i>	

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>McCarthy,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Leeds &amp; Gren.),</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd),</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Welsh,</i>

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<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin),</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox),</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville) and</i>
<i>Denison;</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Ross,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'd)—117.</i>
<i>Dewdney,</i>			

So it passed in the Negative.

And the Question being again proposed on the amendment;

And a Debate arising thereupon;

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

Wednesday, 19th February, 1890.

Sir *John Thompson* moved, in amendment to the said proposed amendment, seconded by Mr. *Chapleau*, That all the words after "Resolved" in the amendment be left out, and the words, "That this House, having regard to the long continued use of the French language in old *Canada*, and to the covenants on that subject embodied in the *British North America Act*, cannot agree to the declaration contained in the said Bill as the basis thereof, that it is expedient in the interest of the national unity of the Dominion that there should be community of language amongst the people of *Canada*;

"That on the contrary, this House declares its adherence to the said covenants and its determination to resist any attempt to impair the same;

"That, at the same time, this House deems it expedient and proper and not inconsistent with those covenants that the Legislative Assembly of the *North-West Territories* should receive from the Parliament of *Canada* power to regulate, after the next general election of the Assembly, the proceedings of the Assembly and the manner of recording and publishing such proceedings," inserted instead thereof;

And a Debate arising thereupon;

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

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*,

Ordered, That the Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned Debate on the second reading of the Bill to further amend the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, chapter fifty, respecting the *North-West Territories*, and proposed amendments, be made the First Order on Public Bills and Orders for Thursday next.

And then The House, having continued to sit till twenty-five minutes before One of the Clock on Wednesday morning, adjourned till Thursday next.

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Thursday, 20th February, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Scarth*.—Four Petitions of District Assembly, No. 204, Knights of Labour, *Winnipeg, Manitoba*.

By Mr. *Eisenhaner*.—The Petition of *Israel Zinck* and others, of the County of *Lunenburg, Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. *Prior*,—Four Petitions of the *Victoria* Typographical Union, No. 201, *British Columbia*.

By Mr. *Denison*,—The Petition of *W. Dill* and others, of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *McKay*,—The Petition of *Thomas Keen* and others, of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Marshall*,—The Petition of *J. W. Phillips* and others, of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Brown*,—The Petition of the Reverend *C. W. E. Body*, D.C.L., Provost of *Trinity College* and others, of *Toronto*; and the Petition of *W. H. Van Ingen* and others, of *Woodstock*, County of *Oxford*.

By Mr. *Small*,—The Petition of *J. B. Gordon* and others, of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *White (Cardwell)*,—The Petition of *E. Octave Champagne* and others, of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *McGreevy*,—The Petition of *J. Hamilton*, President, and *A. Robertson*, Secretary, of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, *Quebec*.

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

Of *William Ebenezer Muir* and others, of *Montreal* and other places; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of “The *Montreal* Coal Elevating and Warehousing Company.”

Of *Hyacinthe Gagnon* and others, of the Parish of *St. Edouard*, County of *Lotbinière*; praying for improved postal communication between *Quebec* and *St. Edouard* aforesaid.

Of the Corporation of the Town of *St. Boniface*, *Manitoba*; praying the House to consider the advisability of making a grant of land in aid of the construction of the *Manitoba* and South-Eastern Railway and branches.

Of the Venerable Archdeacon *Dixon* and others, of *Guelph*, County of *Wellington*, *Ontario*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, for the further prevention of cruelty to animals, may become law.

Of *James M. Johnston* and others, of *Guelph*; of *John Johnson* and others, of *Fergus*, all of the County of *Wellington*; of *Thomas Birkett* and others, of *Ottawa*; and of *George E. Sparham* and others, of *Ridgetown*, County of *Elgin*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying that no law may be passed to interfere with or prevent the shooting of birds from traps.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Wellington*, *Ontario*; praying the House to consider the advisability of providing for the appointment of such court, commission or person, in each of the Provinces, as may be necessary for the speedy and convenient hearing and determining of certain matters arising between the public and the railways.

Of Royal Assembly, No. 2980, Knights of Labour, *Guelph*, *Ontario*; praying for an amendment of the Seamen's Agreement Act.

Of Royal Assembly, No. 2980, Knights of Labour, *Guelph*, *Ontario*; praying for a certain amendment of the Act respecting threats, intimidation and other offences.

Of Royal Assembly, No. 2980, Knights of Labour, *Guelph*, *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 Royal Assembly, No. 2980, Knights of Labour, *Guelph*, *Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act for the protection of workmen engaged in the construction or repairs of railways.

Of Royal Assembly, No. 2980, Knights of Labour, *Guelph*, *Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act to provide for the examination and licensing of persons having charge of stationary steam engines, &c.

Of Royal Assembly, No. 2980, Knights of Labour, *Guelph*, *Ontario*; praying for a certain amendment of the Act for the prevention and suppression of combinations formed in restraint of trade.

Of Royal Assembly, No. 2980, Knights of Labour, *Guelph*, *Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act to provide that any stipulations or terms, other than an equi-

valent for wages, demanded by employers of employees, be punishable by imprisonment, &c.

Of *W. R. Abbott* and others, of *Maple Creek*, District of *Assiniboia*; and of *Thomas Donald* and others, of *Calgary*, District of *Alberta*, all of the *North-West Territories*; severally praying for the passing of an Act repealing Section 110 of the *North-West Territories Act*.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Kent*, *Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act for the better prevention and punishment of the stealing of live stock.

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

*Resolved*, That a Message be sent to the Senate requesting that their Honours grant leave to the officers in charge of the Stationery and Contingencies of the Senate, to attend before the Committee of this House on Public Accounts at their next meeting to give information respecting the distribution of such Stationery and the expenditure for Contingencies, as set out on pages D—17 and 18 of the Report of the Auditor General on Appropriation Accounts, for the year ended 30th June, 1889; and to bring with them all records relating to such items.

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

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Bell* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Napanee, Tamworth and Quebec Railway Company*, and to change the name of the Company to "The *Ontario 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.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Dawson* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Sault Ste. Marie and Atlantic 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 to incorporate the *Thousand Islands Bridge 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.

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

*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 copy of the Report of Mr. *A. F. Wood* upon the investigation which he has made into affairs connected with the *Welland Canal*.

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

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was on Wednesday, 12th instant, proposed, That the Bill to further amend the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, chapter fifty, respecting the *North-West Territories*, be now read a second time;

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 it is expedient that the Legislative Assembly of the *North-West Territories* be authorized to deal with the subject matter of this Bill by Ordinance or enactment after the next general election for the said Territories," inserted instead thereof;

And proposed amendment to the said amendment thereto, That all the words after "Resolved" in the amendment be left out, and the words, "That this House, having regard to the long continued use of the French language in old Canada, and to the covenants on that subject embodied in the *British North*

“ *America* Act, cannot agree to the declaration contained in the said Bill as the basis thereof, that it is expedient in the interest of the national unity of the Dominion that there should be community of language amongst the people of *Canada*;

“ That, on the contrary, this House declares its adherence to the said covenants and its determination to resist any attempt to impair the same;

“ That at the same time, this House deems it expedient and proper and not inconsistent with those covenants that the Legislative Assembly of the *North-West Territories* should receive from the Parliament of *Canada* power to regulate, after the next general election of the Assembly, the proceedings of the Assembly and the manner of recording and publishing such proceedings,” inserted instead thereof;

And the Question 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, 21st February, 1890.*

On motion of Mr. *Amyot*, seconded by Mr. *Labrosse*,  
Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*,  
*Ordered*, That the Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned Debate on the second reading of the Bill to further amend the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, chapter fifty, respecting the *North-West Territories*, and proposed amendments, be made the First Order of the Day for To-morrow.

And then The House, having continued to sit till One of the Clock on Friday morning, adjourned till this day.

Friday, 21st February, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *McCarthy*,—The Petition of *Thomas Tweed* and others of *Medicine Hat, North-West Territories*.

By Mr. *Small*,—The Petition of *Henry M. Stevenson* and others.

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 Agricultural Fertilizers,” to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

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.

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: “ An Act respecting Agricultural Fertilizers,” 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. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 5th February, 1890, for copies of the original charters of the Bank of *British North America* and of the Bank of *British Columbia*, and of all amendments thereto. (*Sessional Papers, No. 30b.*)

Mr. *Chapleau*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 27th January, 1890, for copies of all Resolutions of the Legislative Assembly of the *North-West Territories*, respecting the settlement of the Half-breed claims. (*Sessional Papers, No. 33c.*)

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was on Wednesday, 12th instant, proposed, That the Bill to further amend the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, chapter fifty, respecting the *North-West Territories*, be now read a second time;

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 it is expedient that the Legislative Assembly of the *North-West Territories* be authorized to deal with the subject matter of this Bill by Ordinance or enactment after the next general election for the said Territories," inserted instead thereof;

And proposed amendment to the said amendment thereto, That all the words after "Resolved" in the amendment be left out, and the words, "That this House, having regard to the long continued use of the French language in old *Canada*, and to the covenants on that subject embodied in the *British North America Act*, cannot agree to the declaration contained in the said Bill as the basis thereof, that it is expedient in the interest of the national unity of the Dominion that there should be community of language amongst the people of *Canada*;

"That, on the contrary, this House declares its adherence to the said covenants and its determination to resist any attempt to impair the same;

"That, at the same time, this House deems it expedient and proper and not inconsistent with those covenants that the Legislative Assembly of the *North-West Territories* should receive from the Parliament of *Canada* power to regulate, after the next general election of the Assembly, the proceedings of the Assembly and the manner of recording and publishing such proceedings," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question 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>Audet,</i>	<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Pope,</i>
<i>Bécharé,</i>	<i>De St. Georges,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Purcell,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Langelier (Montmorency),</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Blake.</i>	<i>Deudney,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec).</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Langévin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Gen.),</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Edgar.</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Scarth,</i>

<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Leeds &amp; Gren.)</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Smith (Sir Donald),</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria)</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton),</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McGreevy,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Girouard,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Chouinard,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil)</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Tupper,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cook,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Massue,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Ives,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville),</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'l'd) and</i>
<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Wright.—149.</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>			

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

<i>Amyot,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>Neveux,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Tyrchitt,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant)</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Préfontaine,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John)</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>	<i>Welsh,</i>
<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Davies,</i>	<i>McCarthy,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin),</i>
<i>Denison,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox), and</i>
<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>	<i>Yeo.—50.</i>
<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>		

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the Question being put on the amendment to the original Question as amended; the House divided as in the preceding division;—So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then the main Question, so amended being put,

*Resolved,* "That this House, having regard to the long continued use of the French language in old *Canada*, and to the covenants on that subject embodied in the *British North America Act*, cannot agree to the declaration contained in the said Bill as the basis thereof, that it is expedient in the interest of the national unity of the Dominion that there should be community of language amongst the people of *Canada*;

"That on the contrary, this House declares its adherence to the said covenants and its determination to resist any attempt to impair the same;

"That, at the same time, this House deems it expedient and proper and not inconsistent with those covenants that the Legislative Assembly of the *North-West*

“Territories should receive from the Parliament of Canada power to regulate, after the next general election of the Assembly, the proceedings of the Assembly and the manner of recording and publishing such proceedings;” the House divided as in the preceding division;—So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

And then The House adjourned till Monday next.

Monday, 24th February, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Denison*,—The Petition of *A. Oakley* and others, of *Toronto*,

By Mr. *Madill*,—The Petition of *K. McKenzie* and others; and the Petition of *M. E. Glassford* and others, all of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Perley*,—The Petition of *E. W. Bruce* and others, of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Edgar*,—The Petition of *W. J. Hendry* and others, of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Freeman*,—The Petition of *J. J. Kelson* and others; and the Petition of *William Harvey Grant* and others, all of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Innes*,—The Petition of *A. Morrison* and others, of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Bowman*,—The Petition of *J. E. Armstrong* and others, of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Davin*,—The Petition of *M. Drury* and others, of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Carpenter*,—The Petition of *J. W. Narraway* and others, of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Hesson*,—The Petition of *M. Woods* and others; and the Petition of *William Patterson* and others, all of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Coughlin*,—The Petition of *W. H. Hollands* and others; and the Petition of *W. C. Tudor* and others, all of *Park Hill*, County of *Middlesex*, *Ontario*.

By Mr. *Brown*,—The Petition of Messieurs *A. W. Ogilvie* and Company, *Montreal*; and the Petition of Messieurs *Hazell* and Son, and others, of *Hamilton*, *Ontario*.

By Mr. *Cockburn*,—The Petition of *A. McMillan* and others; and three Petitions of Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners, all of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *McKay*,—The Petition of *D. H. McLeod* and others, of *Park Hill*, County of *Middlesex*, *Ontario*.

By Mr. *Skinner*,—The Petition of *John Sears*, President, of the *New Brunswick* Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, and others.

By Mr. *Small*,—The Petition of *John Leys* and others; the Petition of *H. P. Davies* and others; and the Petition of *James W. Johnston* and others, all of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Rowand*,—The Petition of *Thomas Parker* and others, of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Ward*,—The Petition of the *Port Hope* Board of Trade.

By Mr. *Wilson (Lennox)*,—The Petition of *R. W. Hicks* and others, teachers, of *Toronto*.

By Mr. *Mulock*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *York*, *Ontario*.

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

Of District Assembly, No. 204, Knights of Labour, *Winnipeg*, *Manitoba*; and of *Victoria* Typographical Union, No. 201, *British Columbia*; severally praying for a certain amendment of the Act respecting threats, intimidation and other offences.

Of District Assembly, No. 204, Knights of Labour, *Winnipeg*, *Manitoba*; and of *Victoria* Typographical Union, No. 201, *British Columbia*; severally praying for an amendment of the Seamen's Agreement Act.

Of District Assembly, No. 204, Knights of Labour, *Winnipeg, Manitoba*; and of *Victoria Typographical Union, No. 201, British Columbia*; severally praying for a certain amendment of the Act for the prevention and suppression of combinations formed in restraint of trade.

Of District Assembly, No. 204, Knights of Labour, *Winnipeg, Manitoba*; 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 *Victoria Typographical Union, No. 201, British Columbia*; praying for the passing of an Act to provide for the examination and licensing of persons having charge of stationary steam engines, &c.

Of *Israel Zinck* and others, of the County of *Lunenburg Nova Scotia*; praying that no draw be placed in a certain bridge about to be erected at *Indian Path, County* aforesaid,

Of the Reverend *C. W. E. Body, D.C.L.*, Provost of Trinity College, and others, of *Toronto*; of *W. H. Van Ingen* and others, of *Woodstock, County of Oxford*, all of *Ontario*; and of *J. Hamilton*, President, and *A. Robertson*, Secretary, of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, *Quebec*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, for the further prevention of cruelty to animals, may become law.

Of *W. Dill* and others; of *Thomas Keen* and others; of *J. W. Phillips* and others; of *J. B. Gordon* and others, all of *Toronto, Ontario*; of *E. Octave Champagne* and others, of *Montreal*; and of *Henry M. Stevenson* and others; severally praying that no law may be passed to interfere with or prevent the shooting of birds from traps.

Of *Thomas Tweed* and others, of *Medicine Hat, North-West Territories*; praying for the passing of an Act repealing section 110 of the *North-West Territories Act*.

Ordered, That Mr. *Préfontaine* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Montreal Bridge and Terminus 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 Wednesday next.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,

Ordered, That the Order of the House of the 14th instant, referring Bill to incorporate the *Elbow River Water Power Company* to the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills be discharged, and the said Bill be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

Mr. *Dewdney*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 27th January, 1890, for copies of all Orders in Council, despatches, correspondence and documents relating to the resignation of the Advisory Council of the *North-West Territories*, and the appointment of their successors. (*Sessional Papers, No. 33d.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 23rd January, 1890, for a Return showing, by years, the cost of printing the Ordinances and other official papers and publications in the French language from the time of the passage of the *North-West Territories Act of 1877*.

2. The number of copies of the Ordinances from time to time printed in said language.

3. The number distributed and the number remaining in stock. (*Sessional Papers, No. 33e.*)

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Tilsonburg, Lake Erie and Pacific 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 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 *Canada Cable 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 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 "*Belding, Paul and Company, Limited.*" 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 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 Northern and Western Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to "*The Canada Eastern 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 taken into consideration on Wednesday next.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to confer on the Commissioner of Patents certain powers for the relief of *Samuel May*;

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 *Hamilton 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 *Portage la Prairie and Duck Mountain 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 Grand Trunk Railway Company of *Canada*;

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 the Grand Trunk, *Georgian Bay* and Lake *Erie* 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 "*Don* Improvement," *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 confirm an agreement between the *Montreal* and Western Railway Company and 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 Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the *Alberta* Colonization 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 to incorporate the *Victoria* and *Sault Ste. Marie* 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 Central *Ontario* 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 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 North Canadian Atlantic Railway and Steamship 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 River *Detroit* Winter Railway Bridge Company, and to change the name of the Company to the River *Detroit* Railway 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 amend the Act incorporating 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 grant certain powers to the *Chambly* Manufacturing 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 *Napanee, Tamworth and Quebec Railway Company*, and to change the name of the Company to "The *Ontario 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 *Sault Ste. Marie and Atlantic 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 *Thousand Islands Bridge and Railway Company*;

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

Mr. *Colby*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Twenty-second Annual Report of the Department of Marine, for the fiscal year ended 30th June, 1889. (*Sessional Papers, No. 16.*)

Mr. *Laurier* moved, seconded by Mr. *Casgrain*, and the Question being put, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence between the Government of *Canada*, or any of the Departments, and the Messrs. *Anderson*, or any other parties, respecting the Atlantic Mail Service; the House divided: and it passed in the Negative.

On motion of Mr. *Ferguson (Welland)*, seconded by Mr. *Small*,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the number of Reports of the Geological Survey published respectively for each year of the last ten years, the number sold each year, the number distributed gratuitously, and the number still on hand.

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

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

1. The number of marks for all subjects received by each cadet of the present first and second classes who have succeeded at examinations at Royal Military College, *Kingston*, from 1886 and 1887, respectively, up to 30th June, 1889.

2. The names of the cadets now serving as non-commissioned officers; together with a statement showing the total number of marks received by each.

3. Also, a statement showing the names of cadets who were permitted to have special examinations after June, 1889, and the subjects of examination in each case.

On motion of Mr. *Laurier*, seconded by Mr. *Casgrain*,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House, copies of all claims made by *Elphège Cardin*, *Jean Cardin*, *George Tonnancourt*, and *Bruno St. Germain*, to be compensated for damages occasioned to their lands by the dam erected in the *Yamaska River*; of all correspondence arising out of such claims; together with a statement of all sums allowed to each of them in settlement of their claims.

On motion of Mr. *Bryson*, seconded by Mr. *Mara*,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House, the report and plans of the Chief Engineer of the Department of Public Works employed to make a survey and examination, with a view to the construction of an interprovincial bridge across the *Ottawa River*, between the Village of *La Passe*, in the Province of *Ontario*, and the Village of *Fort Coulonge*, in the Province of *Quebec*.

On motion of Mr. *Somerville*, seconded by Mr. *Loritt*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the names of all parties in arrears for hydraulic and other rents up to the 1st instant, and the amounts respectively due by such parties.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a copy of the Report of *Sandford Fleming*, C. E., of the examination made by him as to sawdust, &c., put in the *Ottawa River* by the saw mills at the *Chaudière* and other mills on the *Ottawa River*.

On motion of Mr. *Laurier*, seconded by Mr. *Casgrain*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a statement showing, in detail, the population by origin, according to the census of 1885, of that part of the provisional district of *Saskatchewan* lying to the south of the line between Townships 47 and 48, and bounded on the west by the line between Ranges 11 and 12, west of the 3rd Initial Meridian, and on the east by the 3rd Initial Meridian, in the Dominion Lands system of survey, now the Electoral District of *Batoche*; also, of that part of the same provisional district lying to the east of the 3rd Initial Meridian in the Dominion Lands system of survey, and bounded on the north by the southern boundary of the Electoral District of *Prince Albert*, now the Electoral District of *Kinistino*.

On motion of Mr. *Weldon* (*St. John*), seconded by Mr. *Barron*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of the casualties to trains on the Intercolonial Railway, arising from collision, broken rails or otherwise, for the calendar year 1889, the respective causes and dates, the amount of damage (if any) in each case to property, the amount of compensation paid to owners of property destroyed or damaged, as well as amount of claims for loss or damage to property (if any) unsettled.

On motion of Mr. *Lister*, seconded by Mr. *Mills* (*Bothwell*),

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence between the Deputy Minister of Marine, or any other officer of the Marine Department, and the Auditor General, or any other official, in reference to unsettled returns of revenue from fishing licenses, or for any such receipts unaccounted for.

On motion of Mr. *Lister*, seconded by Mr. *Mills* (*Bothwell*),

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence which has passed between the Auditor General and the Minister of the Interior, or any other person, in reference to the allowance for travelling expenses of *William McGirr*, private secretary to the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

On motion of Mr. *Weldon* (*St. John*), seconded by Mr. *Mills* (*Bothwell*),

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of the number of cases entered in the Vice-Admiralty Court of *Quebec*, during the years 1885, 1886, 1887, 1888 and 1889; the number of cases entered during the same years in the Vice-Admiralty Court of *Nova Scotia*; and the number of cases entered during the same years in the Vice-Admiralty Court of *New Brunswick*.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing receipts and expenses of each *North-West Territories* Registry Office from 1887 to 1889.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a copy of the memorials sent by *Joseph Holden* and *John Shera* to the Honourable *Edgar Dewdney*, Minister of the Interior, respecting second Homesteads in the Territories.

On motion of Mr. *Paterson (Brant)*, seconded by Mr. *Scriver*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the number of self-binders, reapers and mowers exported from the Dominion during the past three years: giving the names of the exporters, the countries to which exported, and the amount of drawback allowed on each of the articles so exported.

On motion of Mr. *Davies*, seconded by Mr. *Gillmor*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of the Reports made by the Chief Engineer relating to the survey of *Cove Head Harbour*, in *Prince Edward Island*, four or five years ago.

On motion of Mr. *Davies*, seconded by Mr. *Gillmor*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of any Reports made by the Chief Engineer relating to survey of *Tracadie Harbour*, *Prince Edward Island*, some years ago.

Mr. *Dessaint* moved, seconded by Mr. *Doyon*, and the Question being proposed, That there be laid before this House, copies of all complaints, petitions, correspondence and reports of Engineers, respecting the resignation of Mr. *George Brocher*, as Postmaster of *St. Alexandre*, in the County of *Kamouraska*: And a Debate arising thereupon:—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Mr. *McMillan (Huron)* moved, seconded by Mr. *Rowand*, and the Question being put, That this House do resolve itself into a Committee to consider the following proposed Resolution:—That it is expedient to remove the duty on, and place on 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*; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS:

## Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>Lavergne,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Blake,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin), and</i>
<i>De St. Georges,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Neveux,</i>	<i>Yeo.—59.</i>
<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Berquin,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Langerin (Sir Hector) Rykert,</i>	

<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>LaRivière,</i>	<i>Scarth.</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Lépine.</i>	<i>Skinner.</i>
<i>Brown.</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Small.</i>
<i>Cameron.</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria)</i>	<i>Taylor.</i>
<i>Carling</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Thérien.</i>
<i>Chapleau.</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Costigan.</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Mara.</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Coulombe.</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis).</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville),</i>
<i>Daly.</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wood (Westward), and</i>
<i>Davin.</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wright.—84.</i>

So it passed in the Negative.

On motion of Mr. *Fiset*, seconded by Mr. *Dessaint*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence with the Government, or any officer thereof, respecting the departure and distribution of mails at *Rimouski*.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Tuesday, 25th February, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

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

By Mr. *Hickey*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the United Counties of *Stormont*, *Dundas* and *Glengarry*.

By Mr. *Smith (Ontario)*,—Three Petitions of District Assembly, No. 236, Knights of Labour, *Uxbridge*, County of *Ontario*.

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

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

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

By Mr. *Bergin*,—Seven Petitions of Local Assembly, Knights of Labour, *Cornwall*, *Ontario*.

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 North-Western Coal and Navigation Company (Limited).

Bill to incorporate the *Mount Forest, Markdale and Meaford Railway Company*.  
 Bill respecting the *New Brunswick Railway Company*.  
 Bill to amend the *Canadian Pacific Railway Act, 1889*, and for other purposes,  
 and  
 Bill respecting the *Erie and Huron Railway Company*.

Mr. *Bergeron*, 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 Notices given on the following Petitions, and find them sufficient, viz.:—

Of the *Owen Sound and Lake Huron Railway Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *Louisburg and Richmond Railway Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; and of the *Inverness Railway Company*, for an Act of Incorporation.

On the Petition of *George T. Smith Middlings Purifier Company, Limited*, for an extension of their Patent for a further term of five or ten years, your Committee find that only one week's notice has been published; but, as the necessity for the application has only arisen within the last three weeks, and as your Committee are satisfied, after careful enquiry, that any rights or privileges that might be prejudiced can be amply protected by a saving clause in the Bill, they recommend that the 51st Rule be suspended in relation to this Petition.

On motion of Mr. *Small*, seconded by Mr. *Ferguson (Welland)*,

Ordered, That the 51st Rule of this House be suspended in so far as it affects the Petition of *George T. Smith Middlings Purifier Company (Limited)*; praying for an extension of their Patent for a further term of five or ten years, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Ninth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

Ordered, That Mr. *Small* have leave to bring in a Bill to confer on the Commissioner of Patents certain powers for the relief of *George T. Smith*.

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. *Masson* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Owen Sound and Lake Huron 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. *Small* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Inverness 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. *Small* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Louisburg and Richmond 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. *Chapleau*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 23rd January, 1890, for a Return of all the expenses generally incurred to this day for the making of the Electoral Lists for the Dominion of Canada. (*Sessional Papers, No. 39.*)

Mr. *Colby*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 24th January, 1890, for copies of all correspondence between the Dominion Government and the Imperial Government, and between

the Dominion Government and the Canadian Pacific Railway Company in regard to the granting of a subsidy to the latter Company for lines of steamships to run between *Vancouver, B.C.*, and *Japan and Australia*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 31b.*)

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*,

*Resolved*, That Government business shall take precedence every Thursday, on and after Thursday the 6th March next, during the present Session, after Questions put by Members.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill further to amend the Adulteration Act, chapter one hundred and seven 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. *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 taken into consideration To-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend "The Patent 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. *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 read the third time To-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend the Act respecting Trade Marks and Industrial Designs;

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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 amend "The Copyright 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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 amend the Act fifty-second *Victoria*, chapter four, intituled "An Act to authorize the granting of subsidies in land to certain Railway Companies;"

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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 amend "The Public Stores 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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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, again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for construction of *Port Arthur* Harbour, \$40,000, to complete; and

*Kaministiquia* River, \$25,000, to complete dredging, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and sixty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Kingston* Graving Dock, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Cape Tormentine* Harbour, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for improvement of Ship Channel between *Quebec* and *Montreal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Esquimalt* Graving Dock, Iron Gates, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *New Brunswick*, as follow, viz.:—*Dalhousie* Post Office, to complete, \$5,000; *St. John* Dominion Buildings, Improvements, &c., \$1,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-one thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Quebec*, viz.:—*Grosse Isle* Quarantine Station, \$3,000; *Hull* Post Office and Inland Revenue Office, to complete, \$450; *Joliette* Post Office, to complete, \$500; *Lachine* Post Office, &c., \$8,000; *Laprairie* Post Office—Site to be furnished by local authorities free of cost, \$5,000; *Montreal* Dominion Buildings—Improvements and repairs, \$1,500; *Montreal* Custom House—Renewals, &c., \$9,000; *Montreal* Post Office—Improvements, renewals, &c., \$3,000; *Montreal* Post Office—Electric lighting, extensions, alterations, &c., \$1,250; *Quebec* Custom House—Improvements, \$3,000; *Quebec* Dominion Buildings—Improvements, &c., \$1,500; *Rivière du Loup* (*Fraserville*) Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$8,000; *St. Henri* Post Office, &c., \$8,000; *St. Hyacinthe* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$8,000; *Three Rivers* Dominion Buildings—Improvements, &c., \$600; *St. Vincent de Paul* Penitentiary, \$30,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

Wednesday, 26th February, 1890.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood* (*Brockville*) 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. *Wood* (*Brockville*) 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 before One of the Clock on Wednesday morning, adjourned till this day.

Wednesday, 26th February, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Somerville*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Brant*, Ontario.

By Mr. *Masson*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Grey*; and the Petition of *W. A. McClean*, Mayor, and others, of *Owen Sound*, all of Ontario.

By Mr. *Sproule*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Dufferin*, Ontario.

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

By Mr. *Perley*,—The Petition of *R. J. Devlin* and others; the Petition of *William Hamilton* and others; the Petition of *Charles Mayee* and others; the Petition of *A. Maria Harmon* and others; the Petition of *James E. Wallace* and others, and the Petition of *Thomas Swift* and others, all of *Ottawa*, Ontario.

By Mr. *Brown*,—The Petition of *A. V. R. Young* and others, of *Peterborough*, Ontario.

By Mr. *Denison*,—The Petition of *Frank H. Gough* and others; and the Petition of *George Fletcher* and others, all of *Toronto*, Ontario.

By Mr. *Jamieson*,—The Petition of *M. Sheppard* and others, of *Toronto*, Ontario.

By Mr. *Guillet*,—The Petition of *H. M. Jones* and others, of *Toronto*, Ontario.

By Mr. *Small*,—The Petition of *James Baird* and others; the Petition of *Eldon Knights* and others; and the Petition of *Alfred Sanders* and others, all of *Toronto*, Ontario.

By Mr. *Mulock*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *York*, Ontario.

By Mr. *Bergin*,—The Petition of the *Ontario Pacific Railway Company*.

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

Of *A. Oakley* and others; of *John Leys* and others; of *H. P. Davies* and others; of *James W. Johnston* and others, all of *Toronto*, Ontario; of *W. H. Hollands* and others; of *W. C. Tudor* and others; and of *D. H. McLeod* and others, all of *Parkhill*, County of *Middlesex*, Ontario; severally praying that no law may be passed to interfere with or prevent the shooting of birds from traps.

Of *K. McKenzie* and others; of *M. Glassford* and others; of *E. W. Bruce* and others; of *W. J. Hendry* and others; of *J. J. Kelson* and others; of *W. Harvey Grant* and others; of *A. Morrison* and others; of *J. E. Armstrong* and others; of *M. Drury* and others; of *J. W. Narraway* and others; of *M. Woods* and others; of *William Patterson* and others; of *A. McMullan* and others; of *Thomas Parker* and others; of *R. W. Hicks* and others: all of *Toronto*; of Messrs. *Hazell & Son* and others, of *Hamilton*, all of Ontario; and of *John Sears*, President of the *New Brunswick Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals*, and others; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, for the further prevention of cruelty to animals, may become law.

Of Messrs. *A. W. Ogilvie & Co.*, *Montreal*; praying that the prayer of the *Canadian Millers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company's* petition, may be granted.

Of the *Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners*, of *Toronto*; praying for the passing of an Act to provide, that any stipulations or terms, other than an equivalent for wages, demanded by employers of employees, be punishable by imprisonment, &c.

Of the Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners, of *Toronto*; praying for a certain amendment of the Act for the prevention and suppression of combinations formed in restraint of trade.

Of the *Port Hope* Board of Trade; praying the House to take such steps as it may deem best for the abolition or reduction of tolls imposed on cargoes of coal passing through the *Welland* Canal.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *York, Ontario*; praying the House to consider the advisability of providing for the appointment of such court, commission or person in each of the Provinces, as may be necessary for the speedy and convenient hearing and determining of matters arising between the public and the railways.

Mr. *Hesson*, 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 Grand Orange Lodge of *British America*, And

Bill respecting the *Summerside* Bank.

Your Committee have also had under consideration Bill for granting certain powers to the Canadian Millers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company, and have agreed to report the preamble thereof not proven, because the Bill, as drafted, contravenes section seven of "The Insurance Act," which requires every company carrying on the business of fire insurance in *Canada* to deposit \$50,000 with the Minister of Finance and Receiver-General.

On motion of Mr. *Small*, seconded by Mr. *Ferguson (Welland)*,  
*Ordered*, That the Petition of the *Ontario Pacific 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 their Petition for the passing of an Act amending their Act of Incorporation, 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, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 12th February, 1890, for copies of all papers, correspondence and agreements between the Government and the proprietors of the extension of the *Derby* Branch Railway in relation to the said extension, the said extension having been built by the aid of Government subsidy, but never yet operated. (*Sessional Papers, No. 40.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 12th February, 1890, for copies of all petitions and correspondence respecting the request for the construction of a siding, on the line of the Intercolonial Railway, at the Station of *St. Jean Chrysotôme*, in the County of *Lévis*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 41.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 29th January, 1890, for copies of all petitions, letters or other documents addressed to the Government, and complaining of the condition of the bridges on the branch lines of railway worked by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, within the County of *Bagot* and the neighbouring counties. (*Sessional Papers, No. 31c.*)

And also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 23rd January, 1890, for a Return showing the amount of money expended by the Dominion in each Province since Confederation to the 30th June, 1889, under the following heads:—

1st. Subsidies to Railways in each Province, excepting the *Canadian Pacific* main line and *Sault* branch:

2nd. The several Railways built by the Dominion in each Province, including the Intercolonial branches and extensions, but not the main line as originally constructed ;

3rd. The buildings erected or purchased in each Province, their location and cost. (*Sessional Papers, No. 42.*)

Mr. *Dewdney*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 12th February, 1890, for a list of Indian Reserves within the Province of *Manitoba*, giving location and area of each one, number of Indians belonging to it at the time of location of such reserve, and number now actually living on same. (*Sessional Papers, No. 43.*)

Mr. *Bergin* moved, seconded by Mr. *Hickey*, and the Question being proposed.

1. That on Wednesday, the 17th day of April, 1889, the Right Hon. Sir *John A. Macdonald* presented to the House, a Return to an Order of the House of the 18th March last past, for plans and surveys of the then proposed *Cornwall Canal*, by *J. B. Mills* and *Benjamin Wright*, Esquires, Civil Engineers, and by Captain *P. Cole*, Royal Engineers, in the years 1832, 1833 and 1834; also, for surveys and report of *Colin Carman*, Esquire, C.E., of a proposed change of location of *Cornwall Canal*, from *Sand Bridge* through *Hoople's Creek* to *Archibald's Point*, with plans, profile and estimates; also, reports, plans and surveys made by Mr. *Clemas*, C.E., in 1826.

2. That embodied in said Return, under the signature of *John Page*, Chief Engineer, and addressed to the Secretary of Railways and Canals, is a letter, which said letter is in the words following:—

“*Ottawa*, 28th March, 1889.

“*SIR*,—It is considered proper to state that the survey of what is called *Hoople's Creek* and *Sand Bridge Gully, Feeder Line*, was made a number of years ago, at the request of Dr. *Bergin*, M.P. for *Cornwall*.

“When the plan was sent in, it was, I believe, accompanied by an estimate of the probable cost of carrying out the scheme; but, the estimate having been mislaid, the resident officer, Mr. *Tom S. Rubidge*, was requested to furnish a copy, which he did, along with the accompanying letters.

“Relative to this matter, it may be stated that the project appears to have been thoroughly investigated and discussed prior to the works of the *Cornwall Canal* having been undertaken, fully fifty-five years ago; and, judging from existing circumstances, it does not appear to have been looked upon favourably—a result that very few, if any, of those persons whose aim is solely in the interests of canal navigation will be at all likely to regret. For its resuscitation now, so far as access to or egress from the canal is concerned, no reason worthy of the slightest consideration can be assigned, beyond that of allowing more water to enter the canal at about two miles below its upper end, consequently affording the means of drawing from a larger surface area; but, it should be borne in mind that the canal under any circumstances for a considerable distance above lock No. 20 and for the whole distance— $4\frac{3}{4}$  miles—below it, is and must continue of the ordinary width so long as economy continues to be an object.

“2. The question of ‘frazil,’ however interesting in itself, or its effects upon the admission of water at certain times during winter, has nothing whatever to do with canal navigation, which, it is well known, does not begin until the season for such accumulation is passed and closed before it occurs. The question, therefore, seems in a great measure, to resolve itself into whether it is better to spend nearly a million of dollars for the purpose of pleasing the Member for *Stormont* and *Cornwall*, or reserve the money for a purpose where it is certain to be productive of a really serviceable and useful effect.

“This gentleman, I am credibly informed, in a far-fetched, elaborate oration, specially remarkable for length and want of point, occupied the House of Commons

for several hours recently in talking about the *Cornwall Canal* and its projectors, leaving it to be inferred what a very different state of matters would now exist had they possessed a capacity of foresight, having even a very small share of the keen penetration claimed for his long range backsight.

“Moreover, that defects in my humble self—intensified by obstinacy—have perpetuated and are continuing to eternize the evils past, present and future, which he looks back upon in such a way as impels him to bring the matter before Parliament, and although of a different nature to the study of the human frame and system, he feels himself no less capable of fixing definitely the proper course that should be adopted by the Government, irrespective of what others may advise.

“It is truly surprising how some men possess facilities for getting at all kinds of knowledge which others, apparently of fully as large individual capacity, are unable to reach satisfactorily, although assisted by training and experience; still, one occasionally meets a phenomenon of this kind that does not wholly collapse when probed. However, such instances are rare.

“From the worthy Doctor’s elevated standpoint and far-searching vision, he perceives that nothing has been done right, and indeed never can be done satisfactorily on the *Cornwall Canal*, until the whole management has been taken out of the hands of the Government and placed solely under his enlightened control or that of a person like him, who can at once deal with valves, roller plates in the bottom, the whole condition of the gates, working of crabs, effects of chain-winding upon the systems of lockmen, the position or location of the line, entrances, or whatever is necessary to get the whole into shape and keep everything in the best condition.

“I am at a loss to understand in what way I have had the misfortune to incur the ire, or rather to sink so low in the estimation of a person who appears to possess such unusual views of justice, honour and the characteristics indicated in the speech previously mentioned.

“It may, however, be stated that it is not generally looked upon as a prominent mark of bravery for even a non-combatant officer to attack a person whose hands are tied, or even for a gentleman of the lancet to assail, in the most prominent place possible, the character, professional or otherwise, of one who is absent, or not in a position to answer the charges; still, in all such cases it is presumed that a great deal depends on the sense of justice, honour and object of the attacking party.

“Before closing this letter it may be stated that the vast array of ancient records exhumed for the occasion, and the use made of them and kindred all-but-forgotten matters, have a strong resemblance to juggling with the subject for the supposed entertainment of those who had sufficient patience to listen to such a bitter, far-fetched onslaught upon an absent person, who had no more to do with them than the worthy Doctor had to do with framing the original Bill for the reform of Parliament, or with the settlement of the question of the Clergy Reserves.

“It therefore seems as if the statements were made under the impression that the declaimer possessed the proverbial advantage enjoyed by the chimney sweep, of being fully secure from retaliation in kind.

“I have the honour to be, Sir,

“Your obedient servant,

“JOHN PAGE,

“*Chief Engineer.*”

“The Secretary of Railways and Canals.”

3. That the said *John Page*, the writer of the said letter, is a salaried officer of the Department of Railways and Canals, has been many years in the public service, and therefore not ignorant of what is due to the dignity of this House and to the consideration and respect due to its Members.

4. That the said letter of the said *John Page*, so presented to this House on the said 17th day of April, 1889, is a scandalous, false and malicious libel upon a Member of this House, and a high contempt of the privileges and of the constitutional authority of Parliament;

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

Mr. *Platt* moved, seconded by Mr. *Innes*, and the Question being proposed, That machinery designed for use in mining operations should not be subject to Customs duty when imported into *Canada* for mining purposes ;

Mr. *Mulock* moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Charlton*, That the words “ of kinds not manufactured in *Canada*.” be inserted after the word “ machinery ;”

Mr. *Mara* moved in amendment to the said proposed amendment, seconded by Sir *Donald A. Smith*, That all the words after “ That ” in the main Motion, and all the words of the proposed amendment be left out, and the words “ the discussion on “ the subject of admitting machinery used for mining operations in *Canada* free of “ Customs duty shall not be taken up until after the proposed tariff changes are laid “ before the House by the Government,” inserted instead 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>Archibald</i> (Sir <i>Adams</i> )	<i>Denison</i> ,	<i>Laurie</i> ( <i>Lieut.-Gen.</i> ),	<i>Robillard</i> ,
<i>Audet</i> ,	<i>Desaulniers</i> ,	<i>Lépine</i> ,	<i>Roome</i> ,
<i>Bain</i> ( <i>Soulanges</i> ).	<i>Dewdney</i> ,	<i>Macdonald</i> (Sir <i>John</i> ),	<i>Ross</i> ,
<i>Barnard</i> ,	<i>Dickey</i> ,	<i>Macdowall</i> ,	<i>Scarth</i> ,
<i>Bell</i> ,	<i>Dickinson</i> ,	<i>McCulla</i> ,	<i>Shanly</i> ,
<i>Bergeron</i> ,	<i>Dupont</i> ,	<i>McDonald</i> ( <i>Victoria</i> )	<i>Skinner</i> ,
<i>Boisvert</i> ,	<i>Earle</i> ,	<i>McDougald</i> ( <i>Pictou</i> ),	<i>Small</i> .
<i>Bowell</i> ,	<i>Ferguson</i> ( <i>Leeds &amp; Gren.</i> )	<i>McKay</i> ,	<i>Smith</i> (Sir <i>Donald</i> ),
<i>Brown</i> ,	<i>Ferguson</i> ( <i>Renfrew</i> ),	<i>McKeen</i> ,	<i>Smith</i> ( <i>Ontario</i> ),
<i>Bryson</i> ,	<i>Ferguson</i> ( <i>Welland</i> ),	<i>McMillan</i> ( <i>Vaudreuil</i> ),	<i>Sproule</i> .
<i>Cameron</i> ,	<i>Foster</i> ,	<i>McNeill</i> ,	<i>Stevenson</i> ,
<i>Cargill</i> ,	<i>Freeman</i> ,	<i>Madill</i> ,	<i>Taylor</i> .
<i>Carling</i> ,	<i>Gordon</i> ,	<i>Mara</i> ,	<i>Temple</i> .
<i>Carpenter</i> ,	<i>Grandbois</i> ,	<i>Marshall</i> ,	<i>Thérien</i> .
<i>Chapleau</i> ,	<i>Guillet</i> ,	<i>Masson</i> ,	<i>Thompson</i> (Sir <i>John</i> ),
<i>Cimon</i> ,	<i>Haggart</i> ,	<i>Massue</i> ,	<i>Tisdale</i> .
<i>Cochrane</i> ,	<i>Hesson</i> ,	<i>Mills</i> ( <i>Annapolis</i> ),	<i>Vanasse</i> .
<i>Cockburn</i> ,	<i>Hickey</i> ,	<i>Moffat</i> ,	<i>Wallace</i> ,
<i>Colby</i> ,	<i>Hudspeth</i> ,	<i>Montplaisir</i> ,	<i>Ward</i> ,
<i>Corby</i> ,	<i>Jamieson</i> ,	<i>O'Brien</i> ,	<i>Weldon</i> ( <i>Albert</i> ).
<i>Costigan</i> ,	<i>Joncas</i> ,	<i>Patterson</i> ( <i>Essex</i> ),	<i>White</i> ( <i>Cardwell</i> ),
<i>Coulombe</i> ,	<i>Jones</i> ( <i>Digby</i> ),	<i>Perley</i> ,	<i>White</i> ( <i>Renfrew</i> ),
<i>Curran</i> ,	<i>Kenny</i> ,	<i>Pope</i> ,	<i>Wilmot</i> ,
<i>Daly</i> ,	<i>Kirkpatrick</i> ,	<i>Porter</i> ,	<i>Wilson</i> ( <i>Argenteuil</i> ),
<i>Dagust</i> ,	<i>Landry</i> ,	<i>Prior</i> ,	<i>Wilson</i> ( <i>Lennox</i> ),
<i>Davin</i> ,	<i>Languevin</i> (Sir <i>Hector</i> )	<i>Putnam</i> ,	<i>Wood</i> ( <i>Brockville</i> ) and
<i>Davis</i> ,	<i>LaRivière</i> ,	<i>Riopel</i> ,	<i>Wood</i> ( <i>Westmead</i> )—109
<i>Darson</i> ,			

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Amyot</i> ,	<i>Couture</i> ,	<i>Jones</i> ( <i>Halifax</i> ),	<i>Perry</i> ,
<i>Armstrong</i> ,	<i>Davies</i> ,	<i>Kirk</i> ,	<i>Platt</i> ,
<i>Bain</i> ( <i>Wentworth</i> ).	<i>De St. Georges</i> ,	<i>Lang</i> ,	<i>Purcell</i> ,
<i>Barron</i> ,	<i>Dessaint</i> ,	<i>Langelier</i> ( <i>Quebec</i> ),	<i>Rinfret</i> ,

<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>Lavergne,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Blake,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Seriver,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Richard),</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Welton (St. John),</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Welsh,</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Nevoux,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin), and</i>
<i>Chouinard,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Yeo.—77.</i>
<i>Cook,</i>			

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then the main Question, so amended, "That the discussion on the subject of admitting machinery used for mining operations in *Canada* free of Customs duty shall not be taken up until after the proposed tariff changes are laid before the House by the Government," being put:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

On motion of Mr. *Rinfret*, seconded by Mr. *Lister*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all petitions and correspondence respecting the change made in the carrying of the mail from *Craig's Road Station*, on the Grand Trunk Railway, to *Leeds*, County of *Megantic*; also, of all petitions and correspondence respecting the carrying of the mail from *Tiggen's Post office* to *Wilson's Mills*, *Lower Leeds*, County of *Megantic*.

On motion of Mr. *Perry*, seconded by Mr. *Yeo*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a statement showing the number of Government wharves, piers and breakwaters repaired in *Prince Edward Island* during the year 1889, and the amount expended on each of said wharves, piers and breakwaters.

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 taking into consideration the Bill respecting the Northern and Western Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to "The *Canada Eastern Railway Company*," as amended in the Committee of the Whole House.

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 relating to the *Canada Southern Bridge 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 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 *Manitoba* and North-Western Railway Company of *Canada*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Shanly* 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 *Hereford* Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Fisher* 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 North-Western Coal and Navigation Company (Limited), and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Skinner* 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 *Mount Forest*, *Markdale* and *Meaford* Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Jones (Digby)* 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* Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Béchar*d 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 Canadian Pacific Railway Act, 1889, and for other purposes, 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 respecting the *Erie and Huron Railway Company*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wilson (Elgin)* 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 resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was on 5th February, instant, proposed, That, in the opinion of this House, the Electoral Franchise Act ought to be repealed, and that it is preferable to revert to the plan of utilizing for the Elections of this House the Provincial Franchises and Voters' Lists;

And the Question being again proposed:—The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

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

*Thursday, 27th February, 1890.*

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>De St. Georges.</i>	<i>Labrosse.</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Doyon.</i>	<i>Lang.</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Barron.</i>	<i>Dupont.</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec),</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Bécharé,</i>	<i>Edwards.</i>	<i>Laurier.</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Laverque,</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Lister.</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Brien.</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Somerville.</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McIntyre.</i>	<i>Thérien.</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Meigs.</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>

<i>Chouinard,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John).</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Welsh,</i>
<i>Cook,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin), and</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	<i>Yeo.—78.</i>
<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>		

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Denison.</i>	<i>La Rivière.</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Gen.),</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John)</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Boiscert,</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Scarth,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Leeds &amp; Gren.)</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Carling.</i>	<i>Girouard.</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Hésson,</i>	<i>Massue,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox),</i>
<i>Dacin,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick.</i>	<i>Pope,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville) and</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Porter.</i>	<i>Wood (Westmead)—99.</i>
<i>Darson,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	

So it passed in the Negative.

And then The House, having continued to sit till five minutes before One of the Clock on Thursday morning, adjourned till this day.

Thursday, 27th February, 1890.

## PRAYERS.

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

By Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,—The Petition of Messieurs *William A. Marsh* and Company and others, Boot and Shoe Manufacturers, of *Quebec*.

By Mr. *Smith (Ontario)*,—The Petition of *Amos O. Guy* and others, of *Oshawa*; and the Petition of *D. Galbraith* and others, of *Whitby*, all of *Ontario*.

By Mr. *Stevenson*,—Two Petitions of District Assembly, No. 236, Knights of Labour, *Uxbridge, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Livingston*,—The Petition of *R. McIntyre, M.D.*, and others; and the Petition of *A. W. Brodie* and others, of *Hespeler*, all of *Ontario*.

By Mr. *Kirkpatrick*,—The Petition of Captain *George Sherwood* and others, of *Brighton*; and the Petition of Captain *A. Eccles* and others, of *Belleville*, all of *Ontario*.

By Mr. *Ward*,—The Petition of *A. W. Hepburn* and others, of *Picton* and other places; the Petition of *William Muir* and others, of *Port Dalhousie*; the Petition of *D. Ross*, Mayor, and others, of *Welland*; the Petition of *John Ellison* and others, of *Port Stanley*; the Petition of *George Ross* and others, of *Port Robinson*; the Petition of *L. Dorland* and others, of *Bronte*; the Petition of *A. Campbell* and others, of *Lakeport* and other places; the Petition of *De W. Carter* and others, of *Port Colborne*; the Petition of Messieurs *McClellan* and Company and others, of *Bozemanville*; and the Petition of *William Craig*, junr., and others, of *Port Hope* and other places, all of *Ontario*.

By Mr. *Denison*,—Two Petitions of the Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners, *Toronto, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Paterson* (*Brant*),—Two Petitions of the Municipal Council of the County of *Brant, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Brown*,—The Petition of *John J. B. Shaw* and others; and the Petition of *W. Stuart Hunter* and others, of *Belleville*, all of *Ontario*.

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

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Renfrew*; of the Municipal Council of the County of *Grey*; of the Municipal Council of the County of *Carleton*; and of the Municipal Council of the County of *Halton*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying that any Bill introduced, having for its object the amendment of the Railway Act, in the matter of drainage across railways, may become law.

Of District Assembly, No. 236, Knights of Labour, *Uxbridge*; and of Local Assembly, Knights of Labour, *Cornwall*, 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 District Assembly, No. 236, Knights of Labour, *Uxbridge*; and of Local Assembly, Knights of Labour, *Cornwall*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act for the protection of workmen engaged in the construction or repairs of railways.

Of District Assembly, No. 236, Knights of Labour, *Uxbridge*; and of Local Assembly, Knights of Labour, *Cornwall*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to provide that any stipulations or terms, other than an equivalent for wages, demanded by employers of employees, be punishable by imprisonment, &c.

Of Local Assembly, Knights of Labour, *Cornwall, Ontario*; praying for an amendment of the Seamen's Agreement Act.

Of Local Assembly, Knights of Labour, *Cornwall, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act to provide for the examination and licensing of persons having charge of stationary steam engines, &c.

Of Local Assembly, Knights of Labour, *Cornwall, Ontario*; praying for a certain amendment of the Act for the prevention and suppression of combinations formed in restraint of trade.

Of Local Assembly, Knights of Labour, *Cornwall, Ontario*; praying for a certain amendment of the Act respecting threats, intimidation and other offences.

Of the Municipal Council of the United Counties of *Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry*; praying for such amendment of the Railway Act as will enable Municipalities to construct drains or ditches across the lands and lines of railway companies, without the intervention of the Railway Committee of the Privy Council.

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 Bill to change the name of the *Vaudreuil* and *Prescott* Railway Company to "The *Montreal* and *Ottawa* Railway Company," and have agreed to report the same without amendment.

They have also considered the following Bills, and have agreed to report the same with Amendments, viz. :—

Bill to confirm an agreement between the *Qu'Appelle*, *Long Lake* and *Saskatchewan* Railroad and Steamboat Company and the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

Bill respecting the *St. Catharines* and *Niagara* Central Railway Company,—  
and

Bill to incorporate the *Brandon* and South-Western Railway Company.

Your Committee would recommend that as the time for presenting Reports from Committees on Private Bills expires this day, the same be extended until Thursday, the 27th day of March next.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,  
*Ordered*, That as the time for presenting Reports from Committees on Private Bills expires this day, the same be extended until Thursday, the 27th day of March next, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Fifth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

On motion of Mr. *Jones (Halifax)*, seconded by Mr. *Casey*,  
*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.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Dickey* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the *Canada* Temperance 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. *Lavergne* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the *Canada* Temperance 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 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*;

Mr. *Brown* moved, seconded by Mr. *Mulock*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time;

Mr. *Tisdale* moved in amendment to the Question, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*, 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 the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS :

## Messieurs

<i>Amyot</i> ,	<i>Coughlin</i> ,	<i>Jones (Halifax)</i> ,	<i>Patterson (Essex)</i> ,
<i>Audet</i> ,	<i>Coulombe</i> ,	<i>Labrosse</i> ,	<i>Perry</i> ,
<i>Bain (Soulanges)</i> ,	<i>Couture</i> ,	<i>Landerkin</i> ,	<i>Pope</i> ,
<i>Barnard</i> .	<i>Daoust</i> ,	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Rinfret</i> ,
<i>Bell</i> ,	<i>Davis</i> ,	<i>Lépine</i> ,	<i>Robillard</i> ,
<i>Bergeron</i> ,	<i>Denison</i> ,	<i>Livingston</i> ,	<i>Roome</i> ,

<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Macdowell,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Massuc,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Chouinard,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin),</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville) and</i>
<i>Cook,</i>	<i>Ives,</i>	<i>Nereux,</i>	<i>Yeo.—82.</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>		

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

<i>Archibald (Sir Adams) Dawson,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Purcell,</i>
<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>De St. Georges,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.) Robertson,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>
<i>Bécharde,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Lavergne,</i>
<i>Blake,</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John) Somerville,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron), Stevenson,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria), Temple,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou), Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McGreevy,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Girouard,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Richard),</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>
<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>

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.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill further to amend the Dominion Elections Act, chapter eight of the Revised Statues 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 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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 prohibit the Importation and Migration of Foreigners and Aliens under contract or agreement to perform Labour in *Canada* ;

Mr. *Taylor* moved, seconded by Mr. *Hickey*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time ;

And a Debate arising thereupon ;

Mr. *Wallace* moved, seconded by Mr. *McKay*, and the Question being put, That the House do now adjourn :—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

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.

Friday, 28th February, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Mills* (*Annapolis*),—The Petition of *B. W. Shafner* and others, of the Counties of *Annapolis* and *Digby, Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. *Joncas*,—The Petition of *John Baker* and others, of *Little River East*, County of *Gaspé, Quebec*.

By Mr. *Semple*,—The Petition of *Joseph Foster* and others, of *Orangeville, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Rykert*,—The Petition of the *Ontario Pacific Railway Company*.

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

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Dufferin* ; of the Municipal Council of the County of *Wentworth* ; and of the Municipal Council of the County of *York*, all of *Ontario* ; severally praying that any Bill to be introduced, having for its object the amendment of the Railway Act, in the matter of drainage across Railways, may become law.

Of *R. J. Devlin* and others ; of *William Hamilton* and others ; of *Charles Magee* and others ; of *A. Maria Harmon* and others ; of *James E. Wallace* and others ; of *Thomas Swift* and others, all of *Ottawa* ; of *M. Sheppard* and others ; of *H. M. Jones* and others, all of *Toronto* ; and of *A. V. R. Young* and others, of *Peterborough*, all of *Ontario* ; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, for the further prevention of cruelty to animals, may become law.

Of *Frank H. Gough* and others ; of *George Fletcher* and others ; of *James Baird* and others ; of *Eldon Knights* and others ; and of *Alfred Sanders* and others ; all of *Toronto, Ontario* ; severally praying that no law may be passed to interfere with or prevent the shooting of birds from traps.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Brant, Ontario* ; praying the House to consider the advisability of providing for the appointment of such court, commis-

sion or person in each of the Provinces, as may be necessary for the speedy and convenient hearing and determining of matters arising between the public and the railways.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Grey, Ontario*; praying for the issue of Government notes of all denominations required for commercial and other purposes.

Of *W. A. McClean*, Mayor, and others, of *Owen Sound, Ontario*; praying for the making of Regulations providing that none but British subjects shall be entitled to certificates as masters, mates or engineers, in the Inland Marine of *Canada*, and that aliens be prohibited from coming, under contract, to engage in said Inland Marine.

*Mr. Bergeron*, 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 had under consideration the Petition of the *Ontario Pacific Railway Company*, for leave to present a Petition for a Private Bill, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for receiving such Petitions, and the reasons assigned by the Petitioners for the delay in presenting their Petition justify your Committee in recommending that the necessary leave be granted.

Your Committee have examined the notices given on the Petition of the Provincial Provident Institution of *St. Thomas, Ontario*, for an Act of Incorporation, and find them sufficient. The time for presenting Private Bills has expired; but, as the Petitioners have assigned satisfactory reasons for not submitting their Petition at an earlier stage of the Session, your Committee recommend that the 49th Rule be suspended in this case.

On the Petition of the *Montreal Coal Elevating and Warehousing Company*, for an Act of Incorporation, your Committee find that notice has been published in the *Canada Gazette* only, and as the Petitioners have not shown any good reason why they should be exempt from the requirements of the 51st Rule, your Committee recommend that the said Rule be not suspended in this case.

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

*Ordered*, That the Petition of the *Ontario Pacific Railway Company*, presented this day, be now read.

And the said Petition was read and received; praying for the passing of an Act to authorize and empower them to cancel their six per cent. bonds, and to issue, in lieu thereof, others bearing a lower rate of interest.

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

(*In the Committee.*)

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, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *Mrs. Delaney*, wife of Indian Agent, killed at *Frog Lake*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand and thirty-eight dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay pensions, payable on account of Fenian Raid, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand three hundred and ten dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet probable amount required for Veterans of War of 1812, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, as compensation to Pensioners in lieu of land, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Pensions, payable on account of Rebellion of 1885, to Mounted Police, *Prince Albert* Volunteers and Police Scouts, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *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, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and forty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, as extra superannuation allowance to *Robert W. Wallace*, ex-Post-master at *Victoria, B. C.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

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.

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*Half-past Seven o'Clock, P. M.*

Private Bills under Rule 19.

The Order of the Day being read, for the House in Committee on the Bill to incorporate the Grand Orange Lodge of *British America*;

Mr. *Wallace* moved, seconded by Mr. *McKay*, and the Question being put, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee; 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. *Wood (Brockville)* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

Mr. *Wallace* moved, seconded by Mr. *McKay*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Mr. *Curran* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Bain (Soulanges)*, 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 this Association shall not hold public processions in any Province where Party Procession Acts are now or may be hereafter enacted," inserted instead thereof;

The attention of Mr. Speaker having been directed to the fact that the hour set apart for Private Bills, under Rule 19, had expired.

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The Committee of Supply was then resumed.

*(In the Committee.)*

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Salaries—Militia Branch and District Staff, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Brigade Majors, Salaries, transport expenses, &c. for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, 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, 1891.

12. *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, 1891.

13. *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, 1891.

14. *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, 1891.

15. *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, 1891.

16. *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, 1891.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for improved Rifled Ordnance, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

18. *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, 1891.

19. *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, 1891.

20. *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. Johns, P. Q., Toronto, London and Winnipeg*, \$304,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

*Saturday, 1st March, 1890.*

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)*, reported that the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received on Monday next.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)*, 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.

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 Resolution:—

*Resolved*, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to inform that House, in answer to its Message requesting the Senate to grant leave to the Officers in charge of the Stationery and Contingencies of the Senate to attend before the Select Standing Committee of the House of Commons on Public Accounts, at their next meeting, to give information respecting the distribution of such Stationery and the expenditure for Contingencies, as set out on pages 1-17 and 18 of the Report of the Auditor General on Appropriation Accounts, for the year ended 30th June, 1889; and to bring with them all records relating to such items;—that all matters in relation to the internal economy of this House are under the control and supervision of

its Committee on Contingent Accounts, subject to approval of the Senate; that the said Committee is now engaged in examining the accounts and vouchers of the Clerk, including the distribution of Stationery and expenditure referred to in the said Message, and that as soon as the Report is submitted by the said Committee to this House it will be transmitted to the House of Commons for the use of its Select Standing Committee on Public Accounts.

*Ordered*, That the said Resolution be communicated to the House of Commons by one of the Masters in Chancery.

Also, another Message, That the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the *Alberta* Railway and Coal Company," without any amendment.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the *St. Stephen's* Bank," with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the People's Bank of *New Brunswick*," with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Railway Act,'" to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

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.

And also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the Great *North-West* Central Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And then The House, having continued to sit till twenty-five minutes before One of the Clock on Saturday morning, adjourned till Monday next.

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Monday, 3rd March, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Charlton*,—The Petition of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*; the Petition of the Synod of *Toronto* and *Kingston* of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*; and the Petition of the Synod of *Montreal* and *Ottawa* of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*.

By Mr. *Brown*,—The Petition of *E. P. Crawford* and others, of *Hamilton, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Small*,—The Petition of *Richard Matthews* and others, of *Toronto, Ontario*.

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

Of *Amos O. Guy* and others, of *Oshawa*; of *D. Galbraith* and others, of *Whitby*; of Captain *George Sherwood* and others, of *Brighton*; of Captain *A. Eccles* and others, of *Belleville*; of *A. W. Hepburn* and others of *Picton* and other places; of *William Muir* and others, of *Port Dalhousie*; of *D. Ross*, Mayor, and others, of *Welland*; of *John Ellison* and others, of *Port Stanley*; of *George Ross* and others, of *Port Robinson*; of *L. Dorland* and others, of *Bronte*; of *A. Campbell* and others, of *Lakeport* and other places; of *De W. Carter* and others, of *Port Colborne*; of Messieurs.

*McClellan & Co.*, and others, of *Bowmanville*; and of *William Craig, junr.*, and others, of *Port Hope* and other places, all of *Ontario*; severally praying the House to take such steps as it may deem best for the abolition or reduction of tolls imposed on cargoes of coal passing through the *Welland Canal*.

Of *R. McIntyre, M.D.*, and others; of *A. W. Brodie* and others, all of *Hespeler*; of *John B. Shaw* and others; and of *W. Stuart Hunter* and others, of *Belleville*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, for the further prevention of cruelty to animals, may become law.

Of *Joseph Foster* and others, of *Orangeville, Ontario*; praying that no law may be passed to interfere with or prevent the shooting of birds from traps.

Of District Assembly, No. 236, Knights of Labour, *Uxbridge, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act to provide for the examination and licensing of persons having charge of stationary steam engines, &c.

Of District Assembly, No. 236, Knights of Labour, *Uxbridge, Ontario*; praying for an amendment of the Seamen's Agreement Act.

Of the Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners, of *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.

Of the Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners, of *Toronto*; praying for the passing of an Act for the protection of workmen engaged in the construction or repairs of railways.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Brant, Ontario*; praying that any Bill to be introduced, having for its object the amendment of the Railway Act in the matter of drainage across Railways, may become law.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Brant, Ontario*; praying the House to consider the advisability of providing for the appointment of such court, commission or person in each of the Provinces as may be necessary for the speedy and convenient hearing and determining of matters arising between the public and the railways.

Of Messieurs. *William Marsh & Co.* and others, Boot and Shoe Manufacturers, of *Quebec*; praying for an amendment of the General Inspection Act, as regards the marking or stamping of leather.

Of *John Baker* and others, of *Little River East, County of Gaspé, Quebec*; praying the House to adopt such measures as it may deem necessary for the establishment of a faster and more effective mail service between *Campbellton* and *Gaspé*.

Of *B. W. Shafner* and others, of the Counties of *Annapolis* and *Digby, Nova Scotia*; praying that lobster trap-fishing be abolished in the *Bay of Fundy* and *Annapolis Basin*, for the distance of ten miles each side of *Digby Gut*.

*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 Committee carefully examined the following documents, and recommend that they be printed, viz:—

33e. Return to an Order of the House of the 23rd ultimo, for a Return showing, by years, the cost of printing the Ordinances and other official papers and publications in the French language from the time of the passage of the *North-West Territories Act of 1877*.

2. The number of copies of the Ordinances from time to time printed in said language.

3. The number distributed and the number remaining in stock.

35. Certified copy of a Report of the Honourable the Privy Council, approved by His Excellency in Council on the 17th August, 1889, on the subject of the Copyright Act of last Session, together with correspondence and other papers referring to the same subject.

42. Return to an Order of the House of the 23rd ultimo, for a Return showing the amount of money expended by the Dominion in each Province since Confederation to the 30th of June, 1889, under the following heads:—

1st. Subsidies to Railways in each Province, excepting the *Canadian Pacific* main line and *Sault* branch.

2nd. The several Railways built by the Dominion in each Province, including the Intercolonial branches and extensions, but not the main line as originally constructed.

3rd. The buildings erected or purchased in each Province, their location and cost.

43. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th instant, for a list of Indian Reserves within the Province of *Manitoba*, giving location and area of each one, number of Indians belonging to it at the time of location of such reserve, and number now actually living on same.

Professor *Saunders*' Report on Experimental Farms, being an appendix to the Report of the Minister of Agriculture.

Also, Bulletin No. 6 of the *Ottawa* Experimental Farm, on Barley. (*To be printed in pamphlet form, in one volume, 100,000 copies in the English and French languages in the usual ratio; to be wrapped up singly, ready for addressing and mailing; and to be forwarded to each Senator and Member of the House of Commons.*)

The Committee, also, recommended that the following documents be not printed, viz. :—

21d. Return to an Order of the House of the 3rd instant, for copies of all letters, reports and other correspondence now in the possession of the Postmaster General respecting the carriage of the mails between *Campbellton*, in the Province of *New Brunswick*, and *Gaspé Basin*, in the Province of *Quebec*.

30a. Supplementary Return to an Order of the House of the 20th ultimo, for a Return showing the amounts of money deposited in the several Savings Banks in the Dominion, and in the several Post Office Savings Banks, the location of each, and the gross amounts of deposits in each on the 30th June and December last.

30b. Return to an Order of the House of the 5th instant, for copies of the original charters of the Bank of *British North America* and of the Bank of *British Columbia*, and of all amendments thereto.

31b. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 24th ultimo, for copies of all correspondence between the Dominion Government and the Imperial Government, and between the Dominion Government and the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, in regard to the granting of a subsidy to the latter Company for lines of steamships to run between *Vancouver, B.C.*, and *Japan* and *Australia*.

31c. Return to an Order of the House of the 29th ultimo, for copies of all petitions, letters or other documents addressed to the Government, and complaining of the condition of the bridges on the branch lines of railway worked by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, within the County of *Bagot* and the neighbouring counties.

33. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 27th ultimo, for copies of all Resolutions of the Legislative Assembly of the *North-West Territories*, respecting the application of moneys voted by this House for the use of the said Territories.

33a. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 3rd instant, for copies of all Memorials, Petitions and Resolutions of the Legislative Assembly of the *North-West Territories* passed at its last Session, whether addressed to His Excellency the Governor General or to the Parliament of *Canada*.

33b. Copies of the several Petitions presented to Council against the abolition of Separate Schools and the French language in the *North-West Territories*.

33c. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 27th ultimo, for copies of all Resolutions of the Legislative Assembly of the *North-West Territories*, respecting the settlement of the Half-breed claims.

33*d*. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 27th ultimo, for copies of all Orders in Council, despatches, correspondence and documents relating to the resignation of the Advisory Council of the *North-West Territories*, and the appointment of their successors.

34. Special Report of the delegates appointed in 1889 to enquire into the Herring Fishing Industry of *Great Britain* and *Holland*.

36. Copies of Reports of a Committee of the Honourable the Privy Council, with reference to the granting a Timber License to Mr. *John Adams*.

37. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 27th ultimo, for copies of all Orders in Council or Departmental Orders prohibiting American vessels from carrying bonded freight from American ports to *Victoria*, *British Columbia*, or any other Canadian port; and copies of all Orders in Council or Departmental Orders revoking the same, and all correspondence connected therewith.

38. Return to an Order of the House of the 6th February, 1889, for 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 during said period.

39. Return to an Order of the House of the 23rd ultimo, for a Return of all the expenses generally incurred to this day for the making of the Electoral Lists for the Dominion of *Canada*.

40. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th instant, for copies of all papers, correspondence and agreements between the Government and the proprietors of the extension of the *Derby Branch Railway* in relation to the said extension, the said extension having been built by the aid of Government subsidy, but never yet operated.

41. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th instant, for copies of all petitions and correspondence respecting the request for the construction of a siding, on the line of the Intercolonial Railway, at the Station of *St. Jean Chrysostôme*, in the County of *Lévis*.

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

*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 To-morrow.

On motion of Mr. *Ward*, seconded by Mr. *Davis*,

*Ordered*, That the 49th Rule of this House be suspended, as regards a Bill respecting the Provincial Provident Institution of *St. Thomas, Ontario*, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Tenth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Ward* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the Provincial Provident Institution of *St. Thomas, 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 on Wednesday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Davis* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend "The Electoral Franchise 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.

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, 1888, to 30th June, 1889, on the works under his control. (*Sessional Papers, No. 19.*)

The Order of the Day being read, for the further consideration of the Question which was on Friday, 28th February last proposed, That the Bill to incorporate the Grand Orange Lodge of *British America*, be now read the third time;

And proposed amendment thereto, 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 this Association shall not hold public processions in any Province where Party Procession "Acts are now or may be hereafter enacted," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question on the amendment being again proposed:—The House resumed the said Debate.

Mr. *Lavergne* moved, in amendment to the said proposed amendment, seconded by Mr. *Ste. Marie*. That all the words after "be" in the main Motion, and all the words of the proposed amendment be left out; and the words "read a third time "this day six months," inserted instead 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>Amyot,</i>	<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Mc Millan (Vaudreuil)</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Massue,</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Daoust</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>
<i>Blake,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Neveux,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Langerin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Lavergne,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John) and</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Trow.—63.</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Archibald (Sir Adams)</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>Mc Kay,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Mc Keen,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Leeds &amp; Gren.),</i>	<i>Mc Millan (Huron),</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Pertey,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>	<i>Welsh,</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.)</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>

<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Ross,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Scarth,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox),</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville).—86.</i>
<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>		

So it passed in the Negative.

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>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>
<i>Boiscert,</i>	<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>	<i>Thérien, and</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John).—23</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Massue,</i>	

NAYS :

Messieurs

<i>Amyot,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.)</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Archibald (Sir Adams)</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>Lavergne,</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Bécharé,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Locitt,</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Leeds &amp; Gren.)</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Scarth,</i>
<i>Blake,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Tisdale.</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Gundy,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Moneriff,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Neveux,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Welsh,</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant)</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Perley,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox), and</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville).—121.</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>Archibald (Sir Adams)</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Leeds &amp; Gren.)</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
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<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>	<i>Welsh,</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.)</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Ross,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Darson,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Scarth,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox), and</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville).—86.</i>
<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>		

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

<i>Amyot,</i>	<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>
<i>Bécharé,</i>	<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Massue,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothereil),</i>
<i>Blake,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Neveux,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant)</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>Laverque,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe)</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John), and</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Trow.—61.</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>			

So 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 as in the last preceding division.

So 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, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendment made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the *St. Stephen's* "Bank," 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 People's Bank of *New Brunswick*," 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 respecting the *Summerside* Bank, 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 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 change the name of the *Vaudreuil* and *Prescott* Railway Company to "The *Montreal* and *Ottawa* 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 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 confirm an agreement between the *Qu'Appelle*, *Long Lake* and *Saskatchewan* Railroad and Steamboat Company and the Canadian Pacific 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 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 *Brandon* and South-Western 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 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 *Owen Sound* and *Lake Huron* 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 *Inverness* 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 *Louisburg* and *Richmond* Railway Company;

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

Mr. *Colby*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 1st April, 1889, for 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. (*Sessional Papers, No. 45.*)

On motion of Mr. *Préfontaine*, seconded by Mr. *Guay*,

*Ordered.* That there be laid before this House, a Statement showing, for each year since 1878:—

1. The number of vessels which have passed through the *Chambly* Canal, and their tonnage;

2. The amount of and the description of freight carried by these vessels;

3. The amount of tolls collected in the said several years on the said canal.

Mr. *Lister* moved, seconded by Mr. *Guay*, and the Question being proposed, That a Select Committee be appointed to enquire into the claims of the *Bresaylor* Half-breeds for losses sustained during the Rebellion in the *North-West*; and also, in reference to furs taken from *Charles Bremner*, a Half-breed residing at *Battleford*. That the said Committee consist of Messieurs. *Barron*, *Watson*, *Denison*, *Landry*, *Macdowall*, and the Mover, and that they have power to send for persons and papers, and employ a stenographer, and report from time to time to this House.

Sir *Richard J. Cartwright*, moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Jones (Hali-fax)*, That the words "claims of the *Bresaylor* Half-breeds for losses sustained during "the rebellion in the *North-West*, and also" be left out, and the words "Statements "made," inserted instead thereof;

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.

Tuesday, 4th March, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Lépine*.—The Petition of *W. J. S. McCormick*, and others, of *Taylor* Presbyterian Church, *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Perley*.—The Petition of *Samuel Day* and others, of *Western Methodist* Church, *Ottawa*.

By Mr. *Imes*.—The Petition of the Reverend *Thomas Wardrope*, D. D., and others, of *Chalmers* Presbyterian Church, *Guelph, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Paterson (Brant)*.—The Petition of *Edward Cockburn* and others, of *Dumfries* Street Presbyterian Church; and the Petition of *S. Sheldon* and others, of the *Paris* Baptist Church, all of *Paris, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Somerville*.—The Petition of *B. Bristol* and others, officers and members of the *Jerseyville* Circuit of the *Niagara* Conference of the Methodist Church.

By Mr. *Rowand*.—The Petition of *Alexander Grant* and others, of the Presbyterian congregation of *Lucknow, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Carling*.—The Petition of *S. J. Johnson* and others, of *London, Ontario*.

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*, 4th March, 1890.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the Thirty-first day of January last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *Peter E. Reichheldt*, Esquire, Grain Merchant, of *Fisherville, 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 *Charles W. Colter*, Esquire, whose election has been declared void; *Walter Humphries Montague*, Esquire, of *Dunnville, Ontario*, Physician, 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, C.M.G., LL.D.,  
Clerk of the House of Commons of *Canada*.

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 with Amendments, viz:—

Bill to incorporate the Interprovincial Bridge Company.

Bill to incorporate the Shore Line Railway Bridge Company, and

Bill to incorporate the *Moncton* and *Prince Edward Island* Railway and Ferry Company.

Your Committee have also considered Bill to incorporate the South *Kootenay* Railway Company, and Bill to incorporate the West *Kootenay* Railway Company, and have agreed to report the preambles thereof *not proven*—because, in the opinion of Your Committee it is inexpedient to proceed further with these Bills, as the promoters decline to accept the restrictions proposed to be inserted therein at the request of the Government of the Province of *British Columbia*.

On motion of Mr. *Haggart*, seconded by Sir *John Thompson*,

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting Agricultural Fertilizers.

A Bill to amend "The Patent Act," 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, again resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill relating to Bills of Exchange, Cheques and Promissory Notes, and, after some time spent there, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported, That the Committee had made some progress, and directed him to move for leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

*Walter Humphries Montague*, 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.

The House, then 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. *Wood (Brockville)* reported, That the Committee had made some progress, and directed him to move for leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, on Thursday 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 following Bills, without any amendment:—

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Belleville* and *Lake Nipissing* Railway Company."

Bill intituled. "An Act to incorporate the *Sault Ste. Marie* and *Hudson's Bay* Railway Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Lindsay*, *Bobcaygeon* and *Pontypool* Railway Company."

Bill intituled, "An Act respecting the *Port Arthur*, *Duluth* and *Western* Railway Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the *Goderich* and Canadian Pacific Junction "Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to 'The *Goderich* and " "*Wingham* Railway Company.'"

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Tilsonburg*, Lake *Eric* and Pacific "Railway Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Canada* Cable Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Canadian Pacific Railway Act, 1889. and "for other purposes."

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the Board of "Trade of the City of *Toronto*," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

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

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act respecting the Board "of Trade of the City of *Toronto*," 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 Eight hundred and eighty-nine thousand four hundred and twenty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following expenses in connection with Customs, viz.:—Salaries and Contingent Expenses of the several Ports in the Province of *Nova Scotia*, \$115,160; In the Province of *New Brunswick*, \$91,135; In the Province of *Prince Edward Island*, \$19,885; In the Province of *Quebec*, \$225,795; In the Province of *Ontario*, \$285,930; In the Province of *Manitoba*, \$35,250; In the Province of the *North-West Territories*, \$5,000; In the Province of *British Columbia*, \$45,665; 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, \$21,200; 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, \$16,400; Customs Laboratory—To meet expenditure in connection with the testing of sugars, &c., including pay of officers appointed or employed for that purpose, \$6,000; Miscellaneous—Contingencies of head office, covering 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, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and two thousand eight hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings:—*Ontario*, viz.:—*Almonte* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$15,000; *Brampton* Public Building, \$6,500; *Brantford* Battalion Drill Shed, \$10,000; *Carleton Place* Post Office, &c., \$10,000; *Cobourg* Post Office, Custom House, &c., to complete, \$1,625; *Gananoque* Post Office, Custom House, &c., to complete, \$750; *Goderich* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$7,500; Government Printing Bureau, including electric light plant, \$32,000; *Guelph* Post Office—Improvements, &c., \$800; *Hamilton* Dominion Buildings—Improvements, &c., \$1,000; *Lindsay* Post Office, Custom House, &c., to complete, \$600; *London* Custom House—Improvements, \$1,800; *London* Military Buildings, \$8,800; *Orillia* Public Buildings—The Town contributing the *Wheeler* lot free of cost, \$6,000; *Pembroke* Post Office, Custom House, &c., to complete, \$10,000; *Peterborough* Custom House, &c., \$10,000; *Port Arthur* Post Office, Custom House, &c.—On proper site being given, \$7,000; Public Building, *Ottawa*—Addition to Supreme Court Building, \$5,000; *Prescott* Post Office and Custom House Buildings to complete, \$17,000; *Strathroy* Post Office, Custom House, &c., to complete,

\$12,000; *Toronto* Dominion Buildings—Improvements, &c., \$1,500; *Toronto* Drill Hall—For the construction of, on condition that the City of *Toronto* provide a plot of land as agreed upon, \$30,000; *Walkerton* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$8,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings:—*Manitoba*, viz.:—*Brandon* Post Office, &c., \$21,000; *Winnipeg* Immigrant Buildings, \$15,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and thirty-four thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings:—*North-West Territories*, as follow:—*Calgary* Court House, Jail, &c., to complete, \$11,500; Crown Lands and Timber Agents' Offices at *Regina*, *Prince Albert* and *Edmonton*, \$15,000; Public Buildings generally, \$5,000; Residence for Lieutenant-Governor, *Regina*, to complete, \$18,000; Court House, Lock-up and Police Accommodation, \$10,000; *Calgary* Post Office, Custom House and Inland Revenue, Dominion Lands and Crown Timber Offices, \$10,000; *Regina* Court House and Jail—Water supply, fittings, &c., to complete, \$8,500; *Regina* Jail—Cottages for Officers, to complete, \$6,500; *North-West* Mounted Police Buildings, \$50,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings:—*British Columbia*, as follow:—General Repairs and Improvements, Public Buildings, \$3,000; *Victoria* Military Buildings, \$15,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings generally, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Public Buildings:—*Nova Scotia*—*Annapolis* Post Office, Custom House, &c., to complete, \$12,500; *Halifax*—Dominion Buildings—Repairs, &c., \$1,500; *Sydney* (South)—Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$9,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and ninety-eight thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the following purposes, viz.:—Repairs, Furniture, Heating, &c.—Repairs, Furniture, &c., \$170,000; Grounds, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$7,000; Removal of snow, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$3,000; Heating, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$60,000; Gas and electric light, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, including roads and bridges, \$27,000; Water, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$20,000; Allowance for fuel and light, *Rideau Hall*, \$8,000; Telephone service, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$3,200; Major's Hill Park, *Ottawa*, \$6,000; Salaries of Engineers, Firemen, Caretakers, &c., of Dominion Public Buildings, \$62,000; Heating Dominion Public Buildings—Fuel, &c., \$60,000; Lighting Dominion Public Buildings, \$36,000; Water for Dominion Public Buildings, \$18,000; Sundry supplies for Caretakers, Engineers, Firemen, &c., Dominion Buildings, \$5,000; To meet disbursements for petty repairs, &c., in connection with Dominion Buildings, hitherto made directly by the various Departments occupying the offices, \$5,000; Dominion Immigration Buildings—Repairs, furniture, &c., \$2,000; Materials for repairs, &c., in connection with ventilation and lighting Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$6,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

Wednesday, 5th March, 1890.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) 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. Wood (*Brockville*) 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 half an hour after One of the Clock on Wednesday morning, adjourned till this day.

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Wednesday, 5th March, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. Macdonald (*Huron*).—The Petition of Daniel Stewart and others, members and adherents of Melville Church, Brussels, Ontario, in connection with the Presbyterian Church in Canada.

By Mr. Perley.—The Petition of the Presbytery of Ottawa of the Synod of Montreal and Ottawa.

By Mr. Carling.—The Petition of the Reverend S. Bond and others, members of the King Street Methodist Church, London, Ontario.

By Mr. Innes.—The Petition of Samuel Powell and others, members of the Baptist Church, Guelph, Ontario.

By Mr. Joncas.—The Petition of Messieurs John and E. Collas & Company and others, of Point St. Peter; the Petition of the Reverend J. A. Chalifour and others, of Cape Cove; the Petition of Alfred F. Carter and others; the Petition of Edward Quigley and others, all of Gaspé Basin; and the Petition of Messieurs Charles Robin & Company, and others, of Percé, all of the County of Gaspé, Quebec.

By Mr. Porter.—The Petition of John McMurray and others, of the Town of Clinton, Ontario; and the Petition of George Richardson, Chairman, and others, of the Goderich District Meeting of the Methodist Church.

By Mr. Tisdale.—The Petition of C. McGilven and others, of Port Dover Methodist Church, and vicinity.

By Mr. Somerville.—The Petition of William Patterson and others, of Stanley Street Presbyterian Church, Ayr, Ontario.

By Mr. Jones (*Halifax*).—The Petition of the Reverend H. H. Macpherson, Pastor, and others, members and adherents of St. John's Presbyterian Church, Halifax, Nova Scotia.

By Mr. Ferguson (*Welland*).—The Petition of John Mordy, M.D., and others, of the Town of Niagara Falls, Ontario.

By Mr. Edgar.—Two Petitions of District Assembly, No. 236, Knights of Labour, Uxbridge, Ontario.

By Mr. McDougald (*Pictou*).—The Petition of the Reverend N. Mackay, Moderator, and Thomas Sedgwick, Clerk, of the Synod of the Maritime Provinces, in connection with the Presbyterian Church in Canada.

By Mr. Rowand.—The Petition of the Reverend James Gourlay, M.A., Moderator, and others, of the Port Elgin congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Canada; and the Petition of the Reverend A. R. Linton, B.A., B.D., Moderator, and the Reverend James Gourlay, M.A., Clerk, of the Presbytery of Bruce, of the Presbyterian Church in Canada.

By Mr. *Scriver*,—The Petition of the Reverend *Hugh McLean* and others, of *Calvin Presbyterian Church, Laquerre, Quebec.*

By Mr. *Lister*,—The Petition of *Robert Mitchell* and others, of *Walford, County of Lambton, Ontario.*

By Mr. *Charlton*,—The Petition of *James Laird* and others, of the Townships of *Townsend and Windham, County of Norfolk, Ontario.*

By Mr. *Paterson (Brant)*,—The Petition of *J. K. Unsworth* and others, members of the *Congregational Church, Paris, Ontario.*

By Mr. *McMillan (Huron)*,—The Petition of the Reverend *Angus Mackay*, Moderator, and *John MacNabb*, Clerk, of the *Presbytery of Maitland, of the Presbyterian Church in Canada.*

By Mr. *Dickinson*,—The Petition of the Reverend *S. Quin* and others, of the *Methodist Church, Nepean Circuit.*

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

Of the *General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada*; of the *Synod of Toronto and Kingston of the Presbyterian Church in Canada*; and of the *Synod of Montreal and Ottawa of the Presbyterian Church in Canada*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to secure the better observance of the Lord's day.

Of *E. P. Crawford* and others, of *Hamilton, Ontario*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, for the further prevention of cruelty to animals, may become law.

Of *Richard Matthews* and others, of *Toronto, Ontario*; praying that no law may be passed to interfere with or prevent the shooting of birds from traps.

*Mr. Sproule*, 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 had under consideration the following Bills, and beg to report the same with Amendments, viz.:—

Bill to confer on the Commissioner of Patents certain powers for the relief of *Samuel May*, and

Bill respecting the *Calgary Water Power Company (Limited).*

With regard to the first mentioned Bill, your Committee have deemed it advisable to amend the preamble, so as to state more clearly the facts upon which the Bill is founded.

Your Committee recommend that both the said Bills be reprinted, as amended.

*Mr. Bergeron*, 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 Notices given on the Petition of the *Ontario Pacific Railway Company*, for a certain amendment 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.

*Mr. Colby*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 24th February, 1890, for a Return of the number of cases entered in the Vice-Admiralty Court of *Quebec*, during the years 1885, 1886, 1887, 1888 and 1889; the number of cases entered during the same years in the Vice-Admiralty Court of *Nova Scotia*; and the number of cases entered during the same years in the Vice-Admiralty Court of *New Brunswick.* (*Sessional Papers, No. 47.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 23rd January, 1890, for a statement, in detail, showing the expenditure made in connection with the Marine and Emigrant Hospital at *Quebec*, since the 30th June, 1886, the said statement giving:—

1. The sum voted this year by the Dominion Parliament.

2. The amount expended.
3. The number of sailors and emigrants taken in each year, and the total number of days that each one of these passed in the hospital.
4. The number of persons, not being sailors or emigrants, taken into the said hospital, and the number of days that each one of this class passed there:
5. The total cost day by day of each patient.
6. The amount received by the Government for the patients who are neither emigrants nor sailors.
7. The amount received from the Sick Mariners' Fund under the Act 49 *Victoria*, chapter 76, section 16. (*Sessional Papers, No. 48.*)

Mr. *Dewdney*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 29th January, 1889, for a Return showing whether or not the Island known as *Sultana Island*, in the *Lake of the Woods*, has been sold, if sold, showing by what right or title the Government of *Canada* claimed to have the power to sell the same; showing also, all correspondence had between the Government of *Canada* and the purchaser or purchasers of said Island, or the solicitors or other persons acting on behalf of such purchaser or purchasers (if any); showing also, the area of land contained in said Island, the value and extent of the pine timber thereupon, the price or amount for which the said Island was sold, and the names and addresses of the purchaser or purchasers thereof; also, any map showing locality of Island. (*Sessional Papers, No. 49.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 17th April, 1889, for 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 by the said Department in the same service. (*Sessional Papers, No. 50.*)

Sir *John A. Macdonald*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 29th January, 1890, for a Return showing the date of the creation of the *Trent Valley Canal Commission*, the time and place of the first sitting, the actual number of days it has actually been occupied in the work appertaining to the said Commission, the number of days and of sittings held in taking and receiving evidence, and the places whereat thus far sittings of the Commission have been held. (*Sessional Papers, No. 46a.*)

Mr. *Haggart*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 22nd January, 1890, for copies of all Orders in Council, correspondence and documents respecting the superannuation of certain employees in the Post Office at *Quebec*, and in the Post Office Inspector's office at *Quebec*; and the filling up of the vacancies caused by their superannuation. (*Sessional Papers, No. 28b.*)

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Charlton* have leave to bring in a Bill to secure the better observance of the Lord's Day, commonly called Sunday.

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. *Burdett*, seconded by Mr. *Charlton*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of all advertisements, contracts, petitions and correspondence touching or relating to the carriage of Her Majesty's mail from *Read* to *Shannonville*.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of all claims made by the Government since Confederation against individuals, companies or corporations for damages done to Government property by steamers, vessels or other craft; giv-

ing the names of vessels. &c., their owners, dates and items of each claim, distinguishing those paid and unpaid.

Mr. *Charlton* moved, seconded by Mr. *Paterson (Brant)*, and the Question being put, That in the opinion of this House, in all cases where an election is held in any riding in *Canada* for the return of a Member to the House of Commons, if the voters' list for such riding, prepared under the Dominion Franchise Law, has not been prepared, revised and published within twelve months of the time of holding such election, that then and in such case the said election shall be held upon the last Provincial voters' list, provided the same is a more recent list than the latest Dominion voters' list; the House divided: and it passed in the Negative.

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 *Belding Paul and Company (Limited)*."

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Public Stores Act.'"

Bill intituled: "An Act relating to the *Canada Southern Bridge Company*."

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Mount Forest, Markdale and Meaford "Railway Company*."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the North-Western Coal and Navigation "Company (Limited)."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the *Hereford Railway Company*."

Bill intituled: An Act to change the name of the *Vaudreuil and Prescott Rail-way Company* to 'The *Montreal and Ottawa Railway Company*.'

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act further to amend the "Acts respecting the *Quebec Harbour Commissioners*," 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 *St. Catharines and Niagara Central 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 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 *Interprovincial Bridge 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 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 Shore Line Railway Bridge 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 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 *Moncton* and *Prince Edward Island* Railway and Ferry 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 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 *Montreal* 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 confer on the Commissioner of Patents certain powers for the relief of *George T. Smith*;

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 Provincial Provident Institution of *St. Thomas, Ontario*;

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 from the Senate, intituled: "An Act respecting the Board of Trade of the City of *Toronto*;"

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

On motion of Mr. *Small*, seconded by Mr. *Masson*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled, "An Act respecting the Great "North-West Central Railway Company," 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; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act further to amend "the Acts respecting the *Quebec* Harbour Commissioners," 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 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.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for better securing the safety of certain Fishermen;"

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, 6th March 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Cockburn*,—The Petition of the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of *Toronto, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Wilson (Elgin)*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the Village of *Port Stanley*; and the Petition of the *St. Thomas* Board of Trade, *Ontario*.

By Mr. *Dickinson*,—The Petition of *John A. Nesbitt* and others, of the Methodist Church, *Nepean* Circuit.

By Mr. *Joncas*,—The Petition of *Edward Mabe* and others, of the Corner of the Beach, County of *Gaspé, Quebec*.

By Mr. *Somerville*,—The Petition of *James Masson* and others, of *Washington, Township of Blenheim, County of Oxford*.

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

Of *Edward Cockburn* and others, of *Dunfries* Street Presbyterian Church; of *S. Sheldon* and others, of the *Paris* Baptist Church, all of *Paris, County of Brant*; of *Samuel Day* and others, of Western Methodist Church, *Ottawa*; of the Reverend *Thomas Wardrope, D.D.*, and others, of *Chalmers'* Presbyterian Church, *Guelph*; of *B. Bristol* and others, official members of the *Jerseyville* Circuit, *Niagara* Conference of the Methodist Church; of *Alexander Grant* and others, of the Presbyterian congregation of *Lucknow*; of *S. J. Johnson* and others, of *London, all of Ontario*; and of *W. J. S. McCormick* and others, of *Taylor* Presbyterian Church, *Montreal*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to secure the better observance of the Lord's Day.

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 Bill respecting the Grand Trunk, *Georgian Bay* and *Lake Erie* Railway Company, and have agreed to report the same without amendment.

Your Committee have also had under consideration the following Bills and have agreed to report the same severally amended, viz.:—

Bill to incorporate the *Rainy River Boom* Company.

Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the *Lake Manitoba* Railway and Canal Company.

Bill respecting the *Brantford, Waterloo and Lake Erie* Railway Company.

Bill to confirm an agreement between the *Montreal and Western* Railway Company and the *Canadian Pacific* Railway Company.

Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the *Victoria and Sault Ste. Marie* Junction Railway Company, and

Bill to incorporate the *North Canadian Atlantic* Railway and Steamship Company.

Your Committee would recommend that the fees paid on Bill to incorporate the *South Kootenay* Railway Company, and on Bill to incorporate the *West Kootenay* Railway Company, be refunded, less the cost of printing and translation, as the preambles thereof were reported *not proven* on the 4th instant.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)*, 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 for the first time in the Chambers of the Speaker of the Senate, on Thursday, 27th ultimo, at 11 A.M.

The Report of the Librarians for the year 1889 was read and approved.

A Sub-Committee was appointed to audit the Library Accounts.

A Sub-Committee was appointed to consider the purchase of Library exchanges.

The Librarians were instructed to collect the books that have been retained for an undue time, in the hands of Members.

The Committee then adjourned.

SPEAKER'S CHAMBERS,  
THE SENATE.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langerin*, seconded by Mr. *Mara*,

*Ordered*, That the fees and charges paid on the Bill to incorporate the *South Kootenay* Railway Company; and on Bill to incorporate the *West Kootenay* Railway Company, be refunded, less the cost of printing and translation, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Seventh Report of the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

*Ordered*, That Sir *John Thompson* have leave to bring in a Bill authorizing the transfer of certain Public Property to the Provincial Governments.

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, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 20th February, 1890, for a copy of the Report of Mr. *A. F. Wood* upon the investigation which he has made into affairs connected with the *Welland* Canal. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 46.)

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into 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. *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 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 incorporate the *Ottawa, Morrisburg and New York* Railway Company," with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the Northern and Western Railway Company of *New Brunswick*, and to change the name of the Company to "The *Canada 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 respecting the *Manitoba and North-Western Railway Company of Canada*," with several Amendments to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act to authorize the *Toronto Savings Bank Charitable Trust* to invest certain Funds." to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act further to amend the Acts respecting the *Quebec Harbour Commissioners*."

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. *Masson* 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.

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. *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 measure introduced last Session by the Government for the construction of a railway between *Harvey* and *Salisbury* was rejected by Parliament; and after the said measure had been so rejected, the Honourable Mr. *Abbott* stated in the Senate, speaking on behalf of the Government, that 'no expenditure of any kind would be made on the road until it was sanctioned by Parliament; that since last Session the Government have expended for surveys on the said projected railway a total sum of \$22,322.28, in connection with which special warrants have been issued to the amount of \$13,782.28; that the expenditure of the said sums of money under the above circumstances is a wilful breach of the pledge given by the Administration to Parliament as above set forth and constitutes a designed violation, by the said Administration, of the undoubted powers of Parliament, and deserves the severe censure of this House," 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>Doyon</i> ,	<i>Landerkin</i> ,	<i>Rinfret</i> ,
<i>Armstrong</i> ,	<i>Edgar</i> ,	<i>Langelier (Quebec)</i> ,	<i>Robertson</i> ,
<i>Bain (Wentworth)</i> ,	<i>Edwards</i> ,	<i>Laurier</i> ,	<i>Rowand</i> ,
<i>Béchar</i> ,	<i>Eisenhauer</i> ,	<i>Livingston</i> ,	<i>Ste. Marie</i> ,
<i>Bernier</i> ,	<i>Ellis</i> ,	<i>Lovitt</i> ,	<i>Scriven</i> ,
<i>Borden</i> ,	<i>Fiset</i> ,	<i>McIntyre</i> ,	<i>Semple</i> ,
<i>Bowman</i> ,	<i>Fisher</i> ,	<i>McMillan (Huron)</i> ,	<i>Somerville</i> ,
<i>Brien</i> ,	<i>Flynn</i> ,	<i>McMullen</i> ,	<i>Sutherland</i> ,
<i>Campbell</i> ,	<i>Gauthier</i> ,	<i>Mills (Bothwell)</i> ,	<i>Thérien</i> ,
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd)</i> ,	<i>Geoffrion</i> ,	<i>Mitchell</i> ,	<i>Trow</i> ,

Casey,	Godbout,	Mulock,	Turcot,
Casgrain,	Holton,	Necoux,	Waldie,
Charlton,	Innes,	Paterson (Brant),	Watson,
Choquette,	Jones (Halifax),	Perry,	Weldon (St. John) and
Couture,	Kirk,	Platt,	Wilson (Elgin)—61.
Davies,			

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

Audet,	Davis,	Lépine.	Putnam,
Bain (Soulanges),	Dawson,	Macdonald (Sir John),	Riopel.
Baird,	Denison.	Maddowall,	Robillard,
Barnard,	Desjardins,	McCulla.	Roome,
Bell,	Dewdney,	McDonald (Victoria)	Ross,
Bergeron,	Dickey,	McDougald (Pictou),	Skinner,
Bergin,	Dickinson,	McDougall (C. Brton),	Small,
Boisvert,	Dupont,	McGreery,	Smith (Sir Donald),
Bowell,	Earle,	McKay,	Smith (Ontario),
Brown,	Ferguson (Leads & Gren.)	McKeen,	Sproule,
Bryson,	Foster,	McMillan (Vaudreuil),	Taylor,
Burns,	Freeman,	McNeill,	Temple,
Cameron,	Gigault,	Madill,	Thompson (Sir John),
Cargill,	Grandbois,	Mara,	Tyrwhitt,
Carling,	Guillet,	Marshall,	Vanasse,
Carpenter,	Haggart,	Masson,	Wallace,
Caron (Sir Adolphe)	Hesson,	Moncrieff,	Weldon (Albert),
Cimon,	Hickey,	Montague,	White (Cardwell),
Cochrane,	Jamieson,	Montplaisir,	White (Renfrew),
Colby,	Jones (Digby),	O'Brien,	Wilson (Argenteuil),
Coughlin,	Kenny,	Patterson (Essex),	Wilson (Lennox),
Coulombe,	Kirkpatrick,	Pope,	Wood (Brockville),
Curran,	Langevin (Sir Hector)	Porter,	Wood (West'm'land) and
Daly,	La Rivière,	Prior,	Wright.—98.
Davin,	Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.),		

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 thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers—*Nova Scotia*—*Cow Bay*—Repairs, \$3,500; *Economy*, \$2,500; *Margaree*, extension of Breakwater, to complete, \$1,800; *Port George*, heavy repairs to Pier, to complete, \$5,000; *Port Hood*, to complete, \$6,300; *Port Maitland* or *Green Cove*, to complete, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Prince Edward Island*—*Cascumpeque*—Removal of rock, \$2,000; *China Point*, \$200; Repairs to Piers and Breakwaters, \$6,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

*Friday, 7th March, 1890.*

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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.

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

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to authorize the "*Toronto Savings Bank Charitable Trust* to invest certain Funds," be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time at the next sitting of the House this day.

And then The House, having continued to sit till ten minutes before One of the Clock on Friday morning, adjourned till this day.

Friday, 7th March, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Lovitt*,—The Petition of *Anderson Rogers* and others, of *Yarmouth, Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. *Porter*,—The Petition of *John Gordon* and others, of *St. Helen's* congregation of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*; and the Petition of *Joseph M. Smith* and others, of *Erskine* Presbyterian Church, *Dungannon, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Armstrong*,—The Petition of *Robert J. Beattie* and others, of *Guelph*; and the Petition of *Alexander McLean* and others, of the Presbyterian congregation of *Lobo*, all of *Ontario*.

By Mr. *McMillan (Huron)*,—The Petition of the Reverend *Alexander Stewart*, Moderator, and *Archibald McLean*, Clerk, of the Presbytery of *Huron*, of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*.

By Mr. *Dickinson*,—The Petition of *Samuel Shibley* and others, of *Billing's Bridge*, County of *Carleton, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Perley*,—The Petition of the Reverend *Joseph White* and others, of *Erskine* Presbyterian Church, *Ottawa*.

By Mr. *Rowand*,—The Petition of *Duncan Campbell* and others, of *Chalmer's* Church, *Kincardine*, Presbytery of *Maitland* of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*.

By Mr. *Ward*,—The Petition of *E. H. Osler* and others of *Cobourg, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Jones (Halifax)*,—The Petition of *Alexander McCarty* and others of *Sheet Harbour, Nova Scotia*.

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

Of *Daniel Stewart* and others, members and adherents of *Melville Church, Brussels, Ontario*, in connection with the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*; of the Reverend *S. Bond* and others, members of the *King Street Methodist Church, London*; of *Samuel Powell* and others, members of the Baptist Church, *Guelph*; of *George Richardson*, Chairman, and others, of the *Goderich District Meeting of the Methodist Church*; of *C. McGilven* and others, of *Port Dover Methodist Church and vicinity*; of *William Patterson* and others, members of *Stanley Street Presbyterian Church, Ayr*; of *John Mordy, M.A.*, and others, of the *Town of Niagara Falls*; of the Reverend *James Gourlay, M.A.*, Moderator, and others, of the *Port Elgin congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Canada*; of the Reverend *A. R. Linton, B.A., B.D.*, Moderator, and the Reverend *James Gourlay, M.A.*, Clerk, of the *Presbytery of Bruce*, of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*; of *Robert Mitchell* and others, of *Watford, County of Lambton*; of *James Laird* and others, of the *Townships of Townsend and Windham, County of Norfolk*; of *J. K. Unsworth* and others, members of the *Congregational Church, Paris*; of the Reverend *Angus McKay*, Moderator, and *John McNabb*, Clerk, of the *Presbytery of Maitland*, of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*; of the Reverend *S. Quin* and others, members of the *Methodist Church, Nepean Circuit*, all of *Ontario*; of the Reverend *H. H. Macpherson*, pastor, and others, members and adherents of *St. John's Presbyterian Church Halifax, Nova Scotia*; of the Reverend *N. Mackay*, Moderator, and *Thomas Sedgwick*, Clerk, of the *Synod of the Maritime Provinces*, in connection with the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*; of the Reverend *Hugh McLean* and others, members of *Calvin Presbyterian Church Laguerre, Quebec*; and of the *Presbytery of Ottawa*, of the *Synod of Montreal and Ottawa*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to secure the better observance of the Lord's Day.

Of Messieurs. *John and E. Collas & Company*, and others, of *Point St. Peter*; of the Reverend *J. A. Chalifour* and others, of *Cape Cove*; of *Alfred F. Carter* and others; of *Edward Quigley* and others, all of *Gaspé Basin*; and of Messieurs. *Charles Robin & Company (Limited)* and others, of *Percé*, all of the *County of Gaspé, Quebec*; severally praying the House to adopt such measures as it may deem necessary for the establishment of a faster and more effective mail service between *Campbellton and Gaspé*.

Of *John McMurray* and others, of the *Town of Clinton and vicinity, Ontario*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, for the further prevention of cruelty to animals, may not become law.

Of *District Assembly, No. 236, Knights of Labour, Uxbridge, Ontario*; praying for a certain amendment of the Act for the prevention and suppression of combinations formed in restraint of trade.

Of *District Assembly, No. 236, Knights of Labour, Uxbridge, Ontario*; praying for a certain amendment of the Act respecting threats, intimidation and other offences.

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 Bill to amend the Act incorporating the *Manitoba and South-Eastern Railway Company*, and Bill to grant certain powers to the *Chambly Manufacturing Company*, and have agreed to report the same with Amendments.

Your Committee have also had under consideration Bill to incorporate the *Sault Ste. Marie and Atlantic Railway Company*, and have agreed to report the preamble thereof *not proven*—because, in the opinion of your Committee, it would be inexpedient to proceed further with the consideration of the proposed measure this Session.

Your Committee would recommend that the fee paid on the last mentioned Bill be refunded, less the cost of printing and translation.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,  
*Ordered*, That the fee and charges paid on the Bill to incorporate the *Sault Ste. Marie* and Atlantic Railway Company, be refunded, less the cost of printing and translation, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Eighth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Brien* have leave to bring in a Bill in further amendment of 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 on Monday next.

Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Official correspondence in the matter of Private *C. J. Hurrell*, applying for further compensation as a wounded volunteer. (*Sessional Papers, No. 51.*)

Also, Official correspondence in the matter of *Valiquette's Pension*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 51a.*)

A Bill relating to Bills of Exchange, Cheques and Promissory Notes, 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 from the Senate, intituled: "An Act further to amend the Acts respecting the *Quebec Harbour Commissioners* ;"

Sir *John Thompson* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Mr. *Langelier (Quebec)* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Laurier*, 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 power to amend the same" by making it obligatory on the Harbour Commissioners to lease at public auction "and in convenient lots the wharves and warehouses belonging to the said Harbour Commissioners," inserted instead thereof;

And a Debate arising thereupon;

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*,

*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned.

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. *Fisher* 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 "it be Resolved, "That in the opinion of this House corn should be put on the Free List," 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 *Ottawa, Morrisburg and New York 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 Northern and Western Railway Company of *New Brunswick*, and to change the name of the "Company to The "*Canada Eastern 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 *Manitoba and North-Western Railway 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, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to confer on the Commissioner of Patents certain powers for the relief of *Samuel May*, 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 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 *Calgary Water Power Company (Limited)*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Cimon* 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 Grand Trunk, *Georgian Bay and Lake Erie Railway Company*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Jones (Digby)* 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 *Rainy River Boom Company*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Kirk* 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 *Lake Manitoba Railway and Canal 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 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 confirm an agreement between the *Montreal and Western Railway Company* and the *Canadian Pacific 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 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 *Victoria and Sault Ste. Marie Junction 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 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 *North Canadian Atlantic Railway and Steamship 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 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 to authorize the *Toronto Savings Bank Charitable Trust* "to invest certain Funds;"

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

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 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.)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *New Brunswick*:—*Campbellton*—Ballast wharf and landing, to complete, \$5,000; *Edgett's Landing*—Ballast wharf, to complete, \$2,000; *Kingston*—Wharf on *Richibucto* River, to complete, \$2,500; *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, \$1,000; *Shippegan* Breakwater, to complete, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and improvements, Harbours and Rivers—Maritime Provinces generally, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and thirty-one thousand one hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Quebec*:—*Chicoutimi*, *St. Alphonse* and *Anse St. Jean*, \$3,800; *Rivière du Lièvre*, to complete, \$40,000; *River Nicolet*, to complete, \$5,000; *River St. Francis*, \$4,000; *Anse à l'Eau* or *Tadoussac* Pier, to complete repairs, \$1,250; *New Carlisle*, to complete, \$1,800; *Sorel* ice piers, \$1,500; *Three Rivers* pier, to complete, \$4,300; *Baie St. Paul* pier—Wing to pier, \$5,000; *Port Daniel*—Addition to pier, to complete, \$5,500; *St. Siméon*—Pier, \$3,400; *Rimouski* Pier—Repairs, \$10,000; *Lévis* Graving Dock, \$4,000; *St. Laurent*, Island of *Orleans*—Urgent works of renewal and repair, \$5,000; *Rivière l'Assomption*, to complete, \$900; *Rivière des Prairies*—Improvements at *Pointe à la Carrière*, *Ile Bizard* and *Ste. Geneviève*, Island of *Montreal*, \$5,000; *Grande Rivière*—Breakwater, to complete, \$9,500; *Longueuil* Pier—Approach from the shore, to complete, \$8,500; *River St. Maurice*—West channel, mouth of river, to complete, \$1,500; *Boucherville* Pier—Local authorities furnishing \$1,000, to complete, \$1,200; General repairs and improvements, Harbours and Rivers, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-five thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Ontario*:—*Cobourg* Harbour, *Lake Ontario*, \$4,000; *Kincardine*—Repairs, \$1,500; *Kingston* Harbour, *Lake Ontario*, \$6,000; *Owen Sound*, \$20,000; *Port Elgin*, \$1,000; *Port Hope*—Repairs, \$2,500; *Portsmouth*—Repairs to pier, to complete, \$2,000; *River Ottawa*—Improvement of steamboat channel through *Narrows of Petawawa*, above *Pembroke*, \$1,500; *Belleville*, to complete harbour works, the local authorities protecting the island with cribwork to the extent of \$6,000, \$4,000; *Toronto* Harbour—Works at eastern entrance, the City of *Toronto* having contributed \$100,000, \$50,000; *Little Current*, \$5,000; *Southampton*, to complete, \$8,500; *Midland* Harbour—The local authorities having provided \$10,000, to complete, \$6,000; *Meaford*—Harbour works.—The Town having contributed \$3,000, \$3,500; General repairs and improvements, Harbours and Rivers, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for general repairs and improvements, Harbours and Rivers, *Manitoba*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for general repairs and improvements, Harbours and Rivers, *North-West Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Forty-six thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, viz.:—*British Columbia*—*Victoria Harbour*, \$6,000; *Nanaimo*—Removal of *Nicol Rock*, \$5,000; General repairs and improvements, \$3,000; *Cowichan River*, \$1,000; *Fraser River*, \$20,000; *Columbia River*—Improvements above *Golden*, \$5,000; *River Coquitlan*, \$500; *Columbia River*—Improvements between *Revelstoke* and *Arrow Lake*, \$6,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

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, 1891.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dredging, as follow:—Dredge vessels—Repairs, \$30,000; Dredging—*Nova Scotia*; dredging—*Prince Edward Island*; dredging—*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, 1891.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Slides and Booms, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand nine hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Telegraph Lines, as follow:—Land and cable telegraph lines for the sea coasts and islands of the Lower River and Gulf of *St. Lawrence* and the Maritime Provinces:—Land line on north shore of *St. Lawrence*, extension to *Pointe aux Esquimaux*, to complete, \$3,000; Cable connection between *Anticosti Island* and north shore, Gulf of *St. Lawrence*, \$15,000; Telegraph Lines, *North-West Territories*:—Additions and improvements, \$560; Telegraph Lines, *British Columbia*:—To connect *Bonilla Point* and *Cape Beale* with *Victoria, B. C.*—Additional amount required, to complete, \$3,400, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

12. *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; Bridge across the *Battle River* at *Battleford*, to complete, \$12,000; Bridge over the *Belly River*, at *Lethbridge, N.W.T.*, to complete, \$25,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following Miscellaneous items, viz.:—Miscellaneous works not otherwise provided for, \$10,000; Surveys and inspections, \$15,000; National Art Gallery, \$1,000; Surveys and plans of Government properties in connection with public works, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

*Saturday, 8th March, 1890.*

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)*, 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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 the following Bills without any amendment :—

Bill intituled : “ An Act to amend the Act respecting Trade Marks and Industrial Designs.”

Bill intituled : “ An Act to amend the Act fifty-second *Victoria*, chapter four, intituled : ‘ An Act to authorize the granting of subsidies in land to certain Railway Companies.’ ”

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled : “ An Act to amend ‘The Copyright Act,’ ” with an Amendment to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And then The House, having continued to sit till ten minutes before One of the Clock on Saturday morning, adjourned till Monday next.

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Monday, 10th March, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *White (Cardwell)*.—The Petition of *Richard Allen* and others, of *Mono East Presbyterian Church*; and the Petition of *Hugh Potter* and others; of the congregation of *Mono Mills Presbyterian Church*, all of the County of *Cardwell, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Paterson (Brant)*.—The Petition of *J. S. Williamson* and others, of the Methodist Church, *Paris, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Cargill*.—The Petition of the Reverend *John James, D.D.*, and others, of the Presbyterian congregation of *Walkerton, County of Bruce, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Charlton*.—The Petition of the Reverend *T. B. Trimble* and others, of *Delhi, County of Norfolk, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Montague*.—The Petition of *J. H. Robinson* and others, of *Hagersville Circuit, County of Haldimand, Ontario*.

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

Of *Anderson Rogers* and others, of *Yarmouth*; of *Alexander McCarty* and others, of *Sheet Harbour*, all of *Nova Scotia*; of the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of *Toronto*; of *John A. Nesbitt* and others, of the Methodist Church, *Nepean Circuit*; of *James Masson* and others, of *Washington, Township of Blenheim, County of Oxford*; of *John Gordon* and others, of *St. Helen's* congregation of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*; of *Joseph M. Smith* and others, of *Erskine Presbyterian Church, Dungannon*; of *Robert J. Beattie* and others, of *Guelph*; of *Alexander McLean* and others, of the Presbyterian congregation of *Lobo*; of the Reverend *Alexander Stewart*, Moderator, and *Archibald McLean*, Clerk, of the Presbytery of *Huron*, of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*; of *Samuel Shibley* and others, of *Billing's Bridge, County of Carleton*; of the Reverend *Joseph White* and others, of *Erskine Presbyterian Church, Ottawa*; and of *Duncan Campbell* and others, of *Chalmer's Church, Kincardine, Presbytery of Maitland*, of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to secure the better observance of the Lord's day.

Of the Municipal Council of the Village of *Port Stanley, Ontario*; praying for an amendment of the Railway Act so as to make it compulsory on all Railways in *Canada* to accept freight from vessels, pay vessels' charges and forward same to destination.

Of the *St. Thomas* Board of Trade, *Ontario*; praying that steps may be taken to secure the establishment of a uniform penny postage rate for the whole British Empire.

Of *Edward Mabe* and others, of the *Corner of the Beach, County of Gaspé, Quebec*; praying the House to adopt such measures as it may deem necessary for the establishment of a faster and more effective mail service between *Campbellton* and *Gaspé*.

Of *E. H. Oster* and others, of *Cobourg, Ontario*; praying the House to take such steps as it may deem best for the abolition or reduction of tolls imposed on cargoes of coal passing through the *Welland Canal*.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 30th January, 1890, for copies of all letters to the Government asking that engineers be sent to examine *Kettle Creek*, between *St. Thomas* and *Port Stanley*, with a view to ascertaining the feasibility of building a canal; and all reports, maps and other documents sent in by such engineers. (*Sessional Papers, No. 52.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 12th February, 1890, for copies of all correspondence between the Government, or any of its Departments, and the Corporation known as the "Président et syndics de la commune de la seigneurie d'*Yamaska*," respecting damages occasioned to their lands by the dam erected in the *Yamaska River*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 53.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 30th January, 1890, for a Return of all correspondence, petitions, reports or other papers respecting the sale, ownership or condition of the *Dundas* and *Waterloo* Macadamized Road, since the close of the Session of 1889. (*Sessional Papers, No. 54.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 22nd January, 1890, for copies of all correspondence and documents respecting the appointment of Mr. *Joseph Garneau* as Superintendent of Government works at *Quebec*; and respecting his removal and the substitution of a person named *L. P. Lépine*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 55.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 5th February, 1890, for a Return of a copy of the contract and specification for the erection of the Post office and Custom House building at *Annapolis, Nova Scotia*; the several tenders and amounts thereof; also, any order or orders altering the quality and nature of the stone used in the construction. (*Sessional Papers, No. 56.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 11th March, 1889, for 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. (*Sessional Papers, No. 57.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 29th January, 1890, for copies of all petitions, reports of Engineers, and all correspondence in reference to the dredging of the bar at the mouth of the River *Thames*, in the County of *Kent, Ontario*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 53a.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 27th January, 1890, for a statement, in detail, showing the expenditure made in connection with repairs to *Tignish* breakwater, *Prince Edward Island*, during 1889; the date of commencement of work, and when completed; the name of the party in charge of work. (*Sessional Papers, No. 58.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 24th February, 1890, for copies of the Reports made by the Chief Engineer relating to the survey of *Cove Head Harbour*, in *Prince Edward Island*, four or five years ago. (*Sessional Papers, No. 59.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 20th January, 1890, for a copy of Government Engineer's report of survey of Harbours of *Pinette* and *Wood's Island*; and also, copy of report of survey of *New London* Harbour and Breakwater, in the Province of *Prince Edward Island*. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 59a.)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 30th January, 1890, for a statement showing the amount of dredging done during the season of 1889 in *Prince Edward Island* by the dredge "*Prince Edward*," the names of harbours and other places dredged during said season, and the amount of work done in each harbour. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 60.)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 4th March, 1889, for 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. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 56a.)

And also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 27th January, 1890, for copies of the accounts connected with the building of a wharf at *Kamouraska*, in the Province of *Quebec*, made up in the course of the year 1889. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 57a.)

Mr. *Dewdney*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 20th January, 1890, for a Return giving the names of all persons who were tried before a Magistrate for selling intoxicating liquors to Indians in the County of *Grey* or *Bruce*, in the year 1888–89, together with all papers, documents and letters on the subject; also, the name of the party who laid the information, the name of the Magistrate before whom it was tried, the name of the constable employed and the name of the Lawyer retained in each case, together with the decisions of the Magistrate, stating the fines imposed, if any; also, if any appeals were made from the decisions of the Magistrate, stating before what Judge the appeals were tried and what was the result; giving the cost of each trial before the Magistrate, and of each appeal before the Judge, together with the name, occupation and Post office address of every person who received money for any service whatever, either at the trial at the Magistrate's court or at the appeal before the Judge; the total cost of all the trials, the total fines imposed and collected. If costs were refused at any trial, giving the reason for such refusal; also, showing whether any of the Indians who received whiskey were electors of *Bruce*, under the Electoral Franchise Act of *Canada*. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 43a.)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 24th February, 1890, for copies of all correspondence which has passed between the Auditor General and the Minister of the Interior, or any other person, in reference to the allowance for travelling expenses of *William McGirr*, private secretary to the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 61.)

Mr. *Carling*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 29th January, 1890, for a copy of the Quarantine Regulations of *Grosse Isle*, together with all Orders in Council and instructions given to the Medical Officers at said station. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 62.)

Mr. *Colby*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 12th February, 1890, for copies of correspondence in connection with a claim made by the District of *St. Peters*, in the County of *Richmond*, for medical attendance and board of *Kenneth Chisholm*, a sick mariner, belonging to the schooner "*Jeanie*." (*Sessional Papers*, No. 63.)

Mr. *Bowell*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 24th January, 1890, for a Return showing:—

1st. The total number of Chinese immigrants who have arrived in the Dominion of *Canada* from the 31st March, 1887, to the 31st December, 1889, specifying the ports at which such immigrants have arrived.

2nd. The amount of fees or duties collected from Chinese immigrants during the same period.

3rd. The number of certificates of residence that have been issued to Chinese, as provided for under section 13 of the Act to restrict and regulate Chinese immigration into *Canada*, since the passage of the Act.

4th. The number of Chinese who have been detected in attempting to land in *Canada* upon fraudulent certificates and who were prevented by the courts from doing so.

5th. Copies of all correspondence having reference to the removal from office of Mr. *Vroman*, alias Mr. *Gardner*; and also, all correspondence having reference to the appointment of a Chinaman to the position of Interpreter at the Port of *Vancouver*, in the place of the said Mr. *Gardner*.

6th. The number of Chinese who have passed through *Canada* in bond for passage from *Vancouver* by steamer to *China*, and the regulations that have been prescribed for placing them securely on board said steamers to prevent their disembarkation into *Canada*.

7th. The total number of Chinese other than those in bond who have left *Canada* during the first mentioned period, and the number of return certificates that have been issued. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 64.)

Mr. *Colby*, 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*, 1889. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 17b.)

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,  
*Ordered*, That the name of Mr. *Montague* be added to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, and to the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,  
*Ordered*, That the name of Mr. *Chapleau* be substituted for that of Mr. *Bowell* on the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament.

*Ordered*, 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.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Choquette* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend chapter one hundred and twenty-two of the Revised Statutes, intituled: "An Act respecting certain Savings Banks in the Provinces 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 To-morrow.

Mr. *Bowell* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, and the Question being put, That certain letters affecting certain Members of this House be printed in the Votes and Proceedings for the use of Members:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Mr. *Laurier* moved, seconded by Mr. *Blake*, and the Question being put, That precedence be given over all other business to the Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was, on Monday, 3rd instant, proposed, That a Select Committee be appointed to enquire into the claims of the *Bresaylor* Half-breeds for losses sustained during the Rebellion in the *North-West*; and also, in reference to furs taken from *Charles Bremner*, a Half-breed residing at *Battleford*;

And proposed amendment thereto, That the words "claims of the *Bresaylor* Half-breeds for losses sustained during the Rebellion in the *North-West*, and also," be left out, and the words "statements made," inserted instead thereof:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The House, accordingly, then resumed the adjourned Debate on the Question, That a Select Committee be appointed to enquire into the claims of the *Bresaylor* Half-breeds for losses sustained during the Rebellion in the *North-West*; and also, in reference to furs taken from *Charles Bremner*, a Half-breed residing at *Battleford*. That the said Committee consist of Messieurs *Barron*, *Watson*, *Denison*, *Landry*, *Maddowall* and *Lister*, and that they have power to send for persons and papers, and employ a stenographer, and report from time to time to this House;

And proposed amendment thereto, That the words "claims of the *Bresaylor* Half-breeds for losses sustained during the Rebellion in the *North-West*, and also," be left out, and the words "statements made," inserted instead thereof;

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

And the Question on the main Motion, as amended, being proposed;

Mr. *Laurier* moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Blake*, That all the words in the main Motion, as amended, after the word "Messieurs" be left out, and the words "*McNeill*, *Tisdale*, *Wood* (*Westmoreland*), *Girouard*, *Weldon* (*St. John*), *Casgrain*, *Holton*, and Messieurs *Lister* and *Kirkpatrick*—the two last mentioned without the power of voting, and that the Committee have power to send for persons and papers, and to employ a short-hand writer to take down evidence, and that it is desirable that any witness to be examined by the Committee should be examined "on oath," inserted instead thereof;

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

Then the main Question, as further amended, being put, That a Select Committee be appointed to enquire into the statements made in reference to furs taken from *Charles Bremner*, a Half-breed, residing at *Battleford*. That the said Committee consist of Messieurs *McNeill*, *Tisdale*, *Wood* (*Westmoreland*), *Girouard*, *Weldon* (*St. John*), *Casgrain*, *Holton*, and Messieurs *Lister* and *Kirkpatrick*—the two last mentioned without the power of voting, and that the Committee have power to send for persons and papers, and to employ a short-hand writer to take down evidence, and that it is desirable that any witness to be examined by the Committee should be examined on oath:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the *Brantford*, *Waterloo* and *Lake Erie* 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 amend the Act incorporating the *Manitoba* and *South-Eastern* 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 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. *Rykert* moved, seconded by Mr. *Scarth*, and the Question being put, That certain letters affecting certain Members of this House be printed in the Votes and Proceedings for the use of Members :—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Mr. *Roome* moved, seconded by *Lieut.-Genl. Laurie*, and the Question being proposed, That, in the opinion of this House, the time has come when the Federal Government should establish a Health Department with a responsible head, presided over by a Minister or Deputy Minister, for the purpose of preventing the spread of disease, collecting mortuary statistics, and educating the people as far as possible in all health and sanitary matters ; And a Debate arising thereupon :—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

On motion of Mr. *Rinfret*, seconded by Mr. *Guay*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all petitions, correspondence, &c., asking for a daily mail service for the Parish of *St. Edouard* (Post office, "River *Boisclair*"), in the County of *Lotbinière*.

On motion of Mr. *Jones (Halifax)*, seconded by Mr. *Barron*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of all correspondence between the Minister of Justice and the late Mr. *Justice Smith*, of the Supreme Court of *Nova Scotia*, relating to his application for leave of absence on account of ill-health.

On motion of Mr. *Barron*, seconded by Mr. *Béchar*d,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the number of tenders made or put in for the public work at the Eastern Gap of the *Toronto* Harbour Works ; the name or names of each person or company tendering for the work and the amount of each tender and the terms thereof, with a statement of the approximate quantities upon which each tender was calculated ; and of all letters and correspondence, statements, documents and papers pertaining to the letting of the contract and to any and all of the tenders.

On motion of Mr. *Charlton*, seconded by Mr. *Jones (Halifax)*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all papers connected with the seizure of the tug "Rooth" at *Amherstburg*, in July or August last, having a raft in tow, and bound from *French River* to *Fort Erie*.

On motion of Mr. *Rinfret*, seconded by Mr. *Chouinard*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all petitions and correspondence respecting the placing of a floating light opposite *Yamachiche*, in Lake *St. Peter*, River *St. Lawrence*.

On motion of Mr. *Doyon*, seconded by Mr. *Bourassa*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence between the Indian Department and the Agent or Chiefs of the *Caughnawaga* Reserve, in relation to any indemnity obtained by the Indians of the Reserve, on the ground that the extent of their Reserve has been considerably diminished by encroachments.

On motion of Mr. *Fiset*, seconded by Mr. *Geoffrion*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all petitions forwarded to the Government by Messieurs. *Nazaire Ouellet*, *George Voyer*, *Alfred Ouellet*, *F. Côté* and others, in relation to damages caused to their properties by the Inter-colonial Railway.

On motion of Mr. *Trow*, seconded by Mr. *Béchar*d,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of forms of advertisement and of tender, of tenders received of the contract entered into in connection with a

steam service between any ports in the Maritime Provinces and any West India ports; also, all correspondence connected therewith between any of the Public Departments and any persons interested in the establishment of the said service.

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

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

1. A Return, in detail, of all expenses attending the passage and enforcement of the "Liquor License Act" of 1883 up to date.
2. The amount of all law costs *re* its constitutionality.
3. The names of all the legal firm or firms employed by the Government, and the amount paid said firm or firms.

On motion of Mr. *Davies*, seconded by Mr. *Laurier*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the past operation of the Intercolonial Railway employees insurance scheme, and specially, (a) the annual receipts and expenditure, including salaries of officials for each year the scheme has been in operation; (b) the amounts paid each year out of the fund to the employees or their representatives, and whether for death or injury; (c) the surplus (if any) now on hand of such fund.

On motion of Mr. *Davies*, seconded by Mr. *Laurier*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing (a) the names and number of officials' cars on the Intercolonial Railway and its branches; (b) the original cost, date, and place of building of each car, or name of person or company from whom purchased; (c) the cost of repairs to, or expenditure in, each of such cars since acquired; (d) the names and salaries and expenses of each employee on such official cars; (e) the annual expenses of providing the supplies to each such car.

On motion of Mr. *Davies*, seconded by Mr. *Laurier*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the original cost of the Marine Hospital at *Sackville*, including cost of the site; the number of patients received each year into such hospital; the annual cost of such hospital.

On motion of Mr. *Davies*, seconded by Mr. *Laurier*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all petitions to the Minister of Railways since 1st January, 1889, from employees of the Intercolonial Railway workshops at *Moncton* and the *Prince Edward Island* Railway, asking for an increase of wages; and also, for copies of all answers to the same from the Department of Railways or any official thereof.

On motion of Mr. *Mulock*, seconded by Mr. *Béchar*,

*Ordered*. That there be laid before this House, copies of all instructions issued by the Director of the Geological Survey to officers in charge of all surveying parties sent into the field within the last five years.

On motion of Mr. *Perry*, seconded by Mr. *Yeo*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the date of commencing the works of blasting the rock in *Cascumpeque* Harbour, in *Prince Edward Island*, in the summer of 1889, the date at which the work stopped, the names of workmen employed, the amount of wages paid to each diver and to each labourer; also, the whole amount expended in blasting said rock up to December, 1889.

On motion of Mr. *Doyon*, seconded by Mr. *Bourassa*,

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

- 1st. All moneys in the hands of the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs, belonging to the Indians of the *Caughnawaga* Reserve;
- 2nd. All the several sources from which the said moneys were derived.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Tuesday, 11th March, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Perley*,—The Petition of *Ina Hay* and others, of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church of *Ottawa, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Roome*,—The Petition of the Reverend *D. Currie*, B. D., and others, of *Glencoe, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Dickinson*,—The Petition of the Reverend *J. E. Richardson* and others, of the congregation of the Methodist Church, *Carp*, County of *Carleton, Ontario*.

By Mr. *McMillan (Huron)*,—The Petition of the Reverend *A. Y. Hartley* and others, of *Bluevale* congregation of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*.

By Mr. *Rowand*,—The Petition of *William Muir* and others, of *North Bruce* and *St. Andrew's* Presbyterian Church, *Saugeen, Ontario*; and the Petition of *Alexander Ross* and others, of the Presbyterian congregation of *Huron*, Presbytery of *Maitland*, of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*.

By Mr. *Kirkpatrick*,—The Petition of the Dominion Mineral Company.

By Mr. *Bowell*,—The Petition of the Reverend *Charles Mearing* and others, of the *St. Ola* Methodist Mission, Bay of *Quinté* Conference, *Ontario*.

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 from the Senate, intituled: "An Act respecting the Great *North-West* "Central Railway Company;" and

Bill to incorporate the *Owen Sound* and *Lake Huron* Railway Company.

On motion of Mr. *Kirkpatrick*, seconded by Mr. *White (Renfrew)*,

*Ordered*, That the Petition of the Dominion Mineral Company, 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 empowering them to increase their Capital Stock, 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 *Richard J. Cartwright* moved, seconded by Mr. *Jones (Halifax)*, and the Question being proposed, That whereas it appears from certain documents and letters published in the Votes and Proceedings of this House, that *John Charles Rykert*, Member for the County of *Lincoln*, did, in or about the beginning of the month of April, A.D. 1882, apply to the Government of *Canada* for a grant of certain Timber Limits in the *North-West Territories*, at or near *Cypress Hills*, in the name of one *John Adams*, and that, at or about the time of such application, he procured an agreement to be signed by the said *John Adams*, whereby, in consideration of the services of the said *John C. Rykert*, alleged to be voluntarily given, in obtaining the grant of such limits, the said *Adams* agreed to assign to the wife of the said *John C. Rykert* one-half interest in the limits so applied for, and to pay over to her one-half of all the net proceeds of the sale of all timber thereon or the purchase money derived therefrom, which agreement is in the words and figures following:—

“Memorandum of agreement made this third day of April, A.D. 1882 :—Between *John Adams*, of the City of *Winnipeg*, of the first part; and *Nannie Marie Rykert*, of the City of *St. Catharines*, of the second part.

“Whereas the above named *John Adams* has, through the intervention of *John Charles Rykert*, obtained certain limits in the *North-West Territories*, at or near *Cypress Hills*, and has, in consideration of the services of the said *Rykert*, voluntarily given him, agreed to and with the said party hereto of the second part, to give to her one-half the proceeds of the said limit, after deducting all expenses connected therewith :

“Witnesseth, that the said party of the first part, in consideration of the sum of one dollar to him in hand, paid by the party of the second part, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, and in further consideration of the premises, hath agreed, and by these presents doth agree, to assign and transfer to the said party of the second part one-half interest in the limits applied for and to be granted by the Government at or near the *Cypress Hills*, in the *North-West Territory*, and to pay over and account to her for one-half of all the net proceeds of the sale of all timber thereon or for the purchase money derived therefrom, after deducting all expenses and charges in connection therewith.”

“Witness the hands and seals of the parties hereto the day and year above written.

“(Signed) JOHN ADAMS.

“Witness : (Signed) J. C. RYKERT.”

That, whereas it further appears from such documents that the application of the said *John C. Rykert* was successful, and that an Order in Council was, on the 17th April, A.D. 1882, approved, granting to the said *Adams* such limits, and that the said *J. C. Rykert* in such correspondence claimed and insisted that he was successful in procuring such Order in Council owing to the extraordinary influence he, the said *Rykert*, possessed with the Department of the Interior and with the Government, as appears from the following extracts from the letters of the said *Rykert* to the said *Adams*, contained in such Votes and Proceedings, viz., on the 11th April, 1882 :

“I to-day saw *McCarthy*, and he was terribly surprised to hear that I had got the limit, as he was refused point-blank. He is willing to join with us in the survey, and I go to *Hamilton* to get *Laidlaw* to say where he wants the limit. He has written me he will do almost anything if I will assist him in getting his. I will write you from home on Thursday. The Order in Council went before the Government to-day, and it is likely it will pass at once. Instructions will then be given to the surveyor. We are awfully lucky, as the Deputy told me that no other man could have forced them to yield.”

And, again on the 16th April, 1882 :

“The Order was passed several days ago. *Laidlaw* is to meet me in *Hamilton* to-morrow. He has not yet got his Order, and is now of opinion that I have more influence than *McCarthy* who told me he was refused by the Government.”

And, again on the 21st April :

“The Order in Council has been finally passed, and this although every effort was made to induce the Government to alter their minds.”

And, again on the 24th April :

“*Laidlaw* offered to bet me \$1,000 I could not get the Order passed for you, as he had been refused in January and again in February.”

And, again on the 10th May :

“*Laidlaw* only got his Order passed this week, and he had to get me to help him, so you see who had the influence with the Government after all.”

And, again on the 1st August, 1882 :

“It will be satisfactory to know, after my hard fight with the Government, that I did get what you anticipated. I would not go through the same difficulty again for twice the amount. I never spent such six weeks before as I did while endeav-

ouring to force the Department to do justice. The fact of their having refused *McCarthy* before had a great deal to do with the delay and refusal. Poor *Laidlaw*. I am pleased he did not get the start of this child. He thought he was very smart and had all the influence of the country at his back. I think another time they will recognize the fact that *J. C. R.* is not very easily defeated at anything."

And, whereas it further appears that the said limits were subsequently sold by and on behalf of said *Adams* and *Rykert* to one *Louis Sands*, at and for the sum of \$200,000, and that the said *John C. Rykert* did, on the 16th day of January, A.D. 1883, receive from the said *John Adams* the sum of \$74,200 out of the said purchase money, and which sum was payable under the said agreement as and for the share of the said *John C. Rykert*, or his wife, in the said limits, and that he signed a receipt therefor in the following terms:—

"Winnipeg, Manitoba, 16th January, 1883.

"Received from *John Adams* \$35,000 in cash by drafts on the Bank of *Montreal*, and four notes of *Louis Sands* for \$39,200, payable in one and two years. All payable to the order of Mrs. *N. M. Rykert*, and in full of the moneys payable to her under agreement.

"(Signed) J. C. RYKERT,  
"Her Attorney."

That, whereas it appears from the *Hansard* report of the proceedings of the House that, on the 2nd day of May, A.D. 1883, Mr. *Charlton*, the then and present Member for *North Norfolk*, did in his place ask: "If the said *John C. Rykert* did not negotiate the transaction in connection with the timber limits in the *Cypress Hills*, and if he did not, as agent for other parties, get a timber limit there at \$5 a square mile and sell it at \$2,000 a square mile, and if he did not get such limit on behalf of one *Adams*, and if he did not go to *Winnipeg* in person and sell it to *Louis Sands*, of *Michigan*, for \$200,000, of which \$90,000 was paid in cash, one-third of which he, the said *John C. Rykert*, put in his pocket?" to all of which questions the said *J. C. Rykert* categorically replied in the negative, and at once proceeded to make, and did make, the following statement from his place in the House:—

"The honourable gentleman has asked me several questions, and I propose now to answer them. I neither directly nor indirectly drew the money he spoke of, nor put any sum in my pocket except professional fees, and professional fees only. I deny that I negotiated any timber lease for Mr. *Adams*, or any other person. On the contrary, Mr. *Adams* had his own agents to negotiate for him; he made his own bargain, and I had nothing to do with it, and did not pocket the money the honourable gentleman has spoken of. On the contrary, I advised Mr. *Adams* not to dispose of the limit, but to work it. The honourable gentleman on several occasions has made remarks outside of the House to the same effect, and I am glad now to have an opportunity to give it an emphatic denial."

That, whereas it further appears from the said correspondence published in the said Votes and Proceedings, that certain difficulties having arisen with respect to the said limits, owing to their being claimed in whole or in part by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company as being within the Railway Belt, the said *John C. Rykert* did agree with the said *Adams* to use, and did inform the said *Adams* by letters signed with his own hand, that he was using corrupt influences with certain Members of the Government of *Canada* and of the Parliament thereof, and with other officials thereof, in order to defeat the claim of the said Canadian Pacific Railway Company and to secure to himself and the said *Adams* or their assignee the said timber limits, and did further inform the said *Adams* that he had eventually successfully arranged the matter; all of which appears in the following extracts from the letters written by the said *J. C. Rykert* to the said *Adams* published in the said Votes and Proceedings, viz.:—

In the letter of 28th January, 1883 :

"I have to go to Ottawa to-morrow night to fight the matter out, which I do not like. I seem to have all the hardest part of it to do. I have *Bowell* working

for me. And if we succeed in beating the railway, we will have to pay the amount we agreed to pay, as you recollect, when we two were in the Queen's Hotel. I have not slept for a week on account of this. We must keep perfectly quiet."

And, in the same letter, further on :

"I am engaging all I can to assist me at *Ottawa*, and we will have to pay them well for it, as we cannot afford to lose this."

And, in the letter of the 12th February, 1883 :

"I have not yet succeeded in doing anything, but I am pulling wires in every direction. *John A.*'s son from *Winnipeg*, *McArthur*'s partner, is here, and I intend employing him to go for his father. I think if you had young *Tupper* here, and paid him pretty well, he would help us materially. The Canadian Pacific Railway has a great hold on the Government, and we must counteract this in some way."

And, in the same letter :

"I am completely sick of it, as it is something I had no right to expect, and which I should not be called upon to undertake. If it costs all we spoke of, we had better do it than let it go."

And, in another letter, dated 5th March, 1883, he says :

"I have not yet succeeded in getting anything done in the limit matter. I have brought *Macdonald* and *Tupper* from *Winnipeg*, and hope they will be able to induce their fathers to act promptly in the matter.

"I am almost discouraged at the delay. *Sands* is writing me daily about it. He knows all about it. Some persons sent him the papers containing the statements. Will make any effort this week, and must do something, if we have to let a note apiece go."

And, in the letter of the 8th March :

"I find difficulties surrounding us in every way in reference to the limit, and I find that the Canadian Pacific Railway have certain Ministers working for them. I am afraid it will cost us each six or seven thousand dollars to get this made all right. I have five or six at work with me, and have agreed to pay them well if they succeed. *Muckle* was here and told me the limit was all within the belt. I am afraid they will do their very utmost to defeat me. I want to be satisfied that you are sure I am doing what is right, and also, that you will back me out in all that I do in the way of payment."

Again, on the 28th March, 1883 :

"I am having a hard time with the limit matter. It will cost us each at least \$5,500 to get this through. I have laid my ropes so that I expect to have it settled in a few days. I have a dozen at work for us. You must be prepared to pay the amount of your share at any time, as it will have to be all cash. When this is settled we must get rid of all the notes and have an end of it. It has completely used me up. The excitement and strain is too much for me. I had *Tupper* and *Macdonald* brought from *Winnipeg*, and they have been working hard for me."

That, whereas it is apparent from the said documents and correspondence that the said *Rykert* did make use of his position and influence as a Member of this House, in the matter of the said limits, for his own pecuniary advantage; and that he did afterwards make a statement, from his place in this House, with regard to his connection with and the obtaining the said limits, entirely at variance with the facts, and calculated to mislead the House and the country; and that he made further statements in his correspondence with the said *Adams* to the effect that he was obliged to resort to corrupt practices with Members of the Cabinet, and Members of Parliament, and other Government officials, in order to perfect the title to the said grant of such limits (which statements have been challenged as false by Members of the Cabinet from their places in this House, and admitted by the said *Rykert* in his place in the House, so far as Members of the Cabinet are concerned, to be untrue).

That the conduct of the said *John C. Rykert* in the premises is, and has been, discreditable, corrupt and scandalous;

And a Debate arising thereupon;

Sir John Thompson moved, seconded by Mr. Chapleau, and the Question being put, That the Debate be adjourned; the House divided: and the names being called, for they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS :

## Messieurs

<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Baird,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector) Ross,</i>	
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Denison.</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Scarth,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.),</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Devdney,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John) Sproule,</i>	
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Leeds &amp; Gren.)</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Carling.</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Giqualt,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Girouard,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Montague,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Pope,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wilson, (Lennox),</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Ives.</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville),</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>	<i>Wood (Westn'land) and</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>	<i>Wright.—94.</i>
<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>		

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Amyot,</i>	<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>
<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>Béchar,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Langelier (Montmorency)</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec),</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Lavergne,</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd),</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Gilmor,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John).</i>
<i>Chouinard,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin), and</i>
<i>Cook,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Yeo.—72.</i>

So 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 have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act further to amend the Dominion Election Act, chapter eight of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*," without any amendment.

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the Department of the Geological Survey," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act further to amend 'The General Inspection Act,' chapter ninety-nine of the Revised Statutes," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Steamboat Inspection Act, chapter seventy-eight of the Revised Statutes,'" to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

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Wednesday, 12th March, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Wilson (Argenteuil)*,—The Petition of *James Stewart* and others, of the Presbyterian congregation of *Arundel* and *Harrington*, Presbytery of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Denison*,—The Petition of Local Assembly, No. 2305, Knights of Labour, *Toronto, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Moncrieff*,—The Petition of the Reverend *A. L. Russell* and others, of the Town of *Petrolea*, County of *Lambton Ontario*.

By Mr. *Barron*,—The Petition of *George W. Mills* and others, members and adherents of *Saint Andrew's* Presbyterian Church, *Lindsay, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Mara*,—The Petition of the Municipality of *Richmond, British Columbia*.

By Mr. *White (Cardwell)*,—The Petition of *Neil Drummond* and others, of *Adjala* Presbyterian Church, County of *Cardwell, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Taylor*,—The Petition of the Reverend *D. L. Brethour* and others, of the Town of *Thorold, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Kirk*,—The Petition of *George Rudolph* and others, of the County of *Guysborough, Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. *Joncas*,—The Petition of Messieurs *William Fruing & Company* and others, of *Grand Grève*; the Petition of the Reverend *J. B. A. Bélanger*, and others, of *Barachois de Malbaie*; and the Petition of the Reverend *James P. Laurent* and others, of *Newport*, all of the County of *Gaspé, Quebec*.

By Sir *John A. Macdonald*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the City of *Kingston, Ontario*.

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

Of *Richard Allen* and others, of *Mono* East Presbyterian Church; of *Hugh Potter* and others, of the congregation of *Mono Mills* Presbyterian Church, all of the County of *Cardwell*; of *J. S. Williamson* and others, of the Methodist Church, *Paris*; of the Reverend *John James, D. D.*, and others, of the Presbyterian congregation of

*Walkerton, County of Bruce*; of the Reverend *T. B. Trimble* and others, of *Delhi, County of Norfolk*; and of *J. H. Robinson* and others, of *Hagersville Circuit, County of Haldimand*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to secure the better observance of the Lord's day.

Mr. *Wood (Westmoreland)*, 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 without amendment, viz. :—

Bill from the Senate, intituled : “ An Act respecting the Board of Trade of the “ City of *Toronto*,” and

Bill from the Senate, intituled : “ An Act to authorize the *Toronto Savings Bank* “ Charitable Trust to invest certain Funds.”

Your Committee have also considered Bill respecting the Confederation Life Association, and have agreed to report the same with Amendments.

Your Committee recommend that the fee and charges paid on Bill for granting certain powers to the Canadian Millers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company be refunded, less the cost of printing and translation, as the preamble of the said Bill was reported *not proven* on the 26th February last.

On motion Mr. *Wood (Westmoreland)*, seconded by Mr. *Small*,

*Ordered*, That the fee and charges paid on the Bill for granting certain powers to the Canadian Millers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company, be refunded, less the cost of printing and translation, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Third Report of the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

On motion of Mr. *Dewdney*, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled : “ An Act respecting the “ Department of the Geological Survey,” 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 Mr. *Costigan*, seconded by Mr. *Carling*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled : “ An Act further to amend “ The General Inspection Act,” chapter ninety-nine of the Revised Statutes, 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 Mr. *Colby*, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*.

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled : “ An Act to amend ‘ The “ Steamboat Inspection Act,’ ” chapter seventy-eight of the Revised Statutes, 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. *Ferguson (Welland)* moved, seconded by Mr. *Denison*, and the Question being proposed, That, in the opinion of this House, it is expedient that the Government of the Dominion should take steps as soon as possible to enquire how best 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 at *Niagara Falls*, in accordance with the prayer of the petitions presented to this House;

Sir *Adolphe P. Caron* moved, in amendment, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, That all the words after “ Country ” to the end of the Question be left out, and the words “ during the war of 1812, and to preserve from desecration the last resting-

“places of those brave men, on the battle-fields where they gave their lives for *Canada*,” 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,

*Resolved*, That, in the opinion of this House, it is expedient that the Government of the Dominion should take steps as soon as possible to enquire how best to honour and perpetuate the memory of the men who lost their lives in defending their Country during the war of 1812, and to preserve from desecration the last-resting-places of those brave men, on the battle fields where they gave their lives for *Canada*.

Mr. *Eisenhauer* moved, seconded by Mr. *Flynn*, and the Question being proposed, That whereas the Dominion of *Canada* in 1878 received four and a-half millions of dollars from the *United States* for the use of our fisheries, the interest on which from 1878 to 1889 amounts to about two millions; and whereas the Dominion has paid as bounty to the fishermen since 1882 \$1,050,000, leaving about \$1,000,000 in the Treasury of the interest on said four and a half millions; and whereas the manufacturers of pig iron were allowed a bounty of \$1.50 per ton in 1883, and a further protection of \$4 per ton on imported pig iron in 1887; and whereas our fish are subject to heavy duties in the *West Indies* and *United States*, to which countries the largest portion of our fish is exported; in view of the foregoing facts, it is, in the opinion of this House, expedient that the Government should increase the bounty now allowed our fishermen in the proportion to the increase allowed on pig iron, and thereby, to some extent, compensate them for the heavy duties on their fish in foreign markets;

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 from the Senate, intituled: “An Act respecting the Great *North-West* Central Rail-“way Company,” and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Tyrwhitt* 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 House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Owen Sound* and *Lake Huron* Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Riopel* 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.

Sir *John A. Macdonald*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 29th January, 1890, for copies of all petitions, correspondence and documents of every nature respecting the Great Eastern Railway, or any other line of Railway which it is proposed to lay between *Lévis* and *Montreal*, following the course of the River *St. Lawrence*. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 67.)

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*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was, on Thursday, 27th February last, proposed, That the Bill to prohibit the Importation and Migration of Foreigners and Aliens under contract or agreement to perform labour in *Canada*, be now read a second time;

And the Question being again proposed;—The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

On motion of Mr. *McMullen*, seconded by Mr. *Holton*,  
Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

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Thursday, 13th March, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Macdonald* (*Huron*).—The Petition of *Thomas Davidson* and others, of *Wroxeter* congregation, of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*; the Petition of *H. McQuarrie* and others, of the *Wingham* Presbyterian Church; and the Petition of the Reverend *W. K. Shortt* and others, of the *Wingham* Congregational Church, *Ontario*.

By Mr. *Foster*.—The Petition of *S. Fenwick Fowler* and others, of the Reformed Episcopal Church, *Upham, New Brunswick*.

By Mr. *Dawson*.—The Petition of *Alexander Ferguson*, Solicitor, and others, acting on behalf of the *H. H. Vivan & Company* (Limited), of *England*.

By Mr. *Armstrong*.—The Petition of *George J. Kerr* and others, of *Kerwood*; and the Petition of the Reverend *William S. Ball* and others, of *Vanneck* and *Ilderton*, all of the County of *Middlesex, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Kirkpatrick*.—The Petition of the Dominion Mineral Company.

By Sir *Donald A. Smith*.—The Petition of the Reverend *A. Rowat*, Moderator, and *James Patterson*, Clerk, of the Presbytery of *Montreal*, of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*; and the Petition of the Reverend *Alfred McCann* and others, of the East End Methodist Church, and *Taylor* Presbyterian Church, *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Sproule*.—The Petition of *James Gibson* and others, of the Township of *Sydenham*, County of *Grey*, Ontario.

By Mr. *Mills* (*Bothwell*).—The Petition of *John C. Smith* and others, of the *Ridgetown* Methodist Church, Ontario.

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

Of *Ina Hay* and others, of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church, *Ottawa*; of the Reverend *D. Currie*, B.D., and others, of *Glencoe*; of the Reverend *J. E. Richardson* and others, of the congregation of the Methodist Church, *Carp*, County of *Carleton*; of the Reverend *A. Y. Hartley* and others, of *Bluevale* congregation, of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*; of *William Muir* and others, of *North Bruce* and *St. Andrews* Presbyterian Church, *Saugeen*; of *Alexander Ross* and others, of the Presbyterian congregation of *Huron*, Presbytery of *Maritland*, of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*; and of the Reverend *Charles Mearing* and others, of the *St. Ola* Methodist Mission, *Bay of Quinté* Conference, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to secure the better observance of the Lord's day.

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 have had under consideration the following Bills, and have agreed to report the same with Amendments, viz.:—

- Bill respecting the Grand Trunk Railway Company of *Canada*, and
- Bill respecting the Central *Ontario* Railway.

Mr. *Sproule*, 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 considered the Bill to confer on the Commissioner of Patents certain powers for the relief of *George T. Smith*, and beg to report the same with Amendments.

Mr. *Landerkin*, 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 Petition of the Dominion Mineral Company, for leave to present a Petition for an Act to increase their Capital Stock, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills, and the reasons assigned by the promoters for the delay in presenting their Petition, justify your Committee in recommending that the 49th Rule of the House be suspended in regard to the said Petition.

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

Ordered, That the Petition of *Alexander Ferguson*, Solicitor, and others, acting on behalf of the *H. H. Vivian & Company* (Limited) of *England*, 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 an Act of Incorporation empowering the said Company to carry on mining, smelting and refining operations in *Canada*, 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.

On motion of Mr. *Kirkpatrick*, seconded by Mr. *White* (*Renfrew*),

Ordered, That the Petition of the Dominion Mineral 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 increase their Capital Stock.

Mr. *Brown* moved, seconded by Mr. *Madill*, and the Question being proposed, That 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*, be placed on the Orders of the Day for Monday next, for further consideration in Committee of the Whole;

Mr. *Small* 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 a Debate arising thereupon:—The said Motion and proposed amendment were, severally, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House:—Report in relation to the appointment of non-commissioned officers in Royal Military College. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 68.)

On motion of Mr. *Bergin*, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*,  
Resolved, That this House doth concur in the Second and Third Reports of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament

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. *Mills* (*Bothwell*) moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Weldon* (*St. John*), That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "it be Resolved, That in the expenditure of public money, the public interest and not party favouritism should control; and, in the choice of places for the erection of public buildings for Post office, Custom House and Inland Revenue purposes, regard should be had to the amount of revenue collected and of public business done," 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.

Resolved, That in the expenditure of public money, the public interest and not party favouritism should control; and, in the choice of places for the erection of public buildings for Post office, Custom House and Inland Revenue purposes, regard should be had to the amount of revenue collected and of public business done.

Sir *John A. Macdonald* moved, seconded Mr. *Foster*, and the Question being put, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the Committee of Supply:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The House accordingly again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(*In the Committee.*)

1. Resolved. That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty-seven thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Intercolonial Railway:—Increased accommodation at *Halifax*, \$150,000; Stairs from *Halifax* Station to North Street, \$600; Increased accommodation at *Moncton*, \$2,000; Rolling stock, \$10,000; Extension along city front at *St. John*, subject to such terms and conditions as the Governor in Council authorizes and imposes, \$17,000; Foot bridge at *Truro* Station, \$7,500. for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. Resolved. That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to complete road and rolling stock, *Cape Breton* Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to complete road and rolling stock, *Oxford and New Glasgow Railway*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for increased accommodation at *Mulgrave*, Eastern Extension Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

*Friday, 14th March, 1890.*

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) 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. Wood (*Brockville*) 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 to incorporate the *Brandon* and South-Western Railway Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act to confirm an agreement between the *Qu'Appelle, Long Lake and Saskatchewan* Railroad and Steamboat Company and the Canadian Pacific Railway Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the *New Brunswick* Railway Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Moncton* and *Prince Edward Island* Railway and Ferry Company."

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the *Erie* and *Huron* Railway Company," 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 *Hugh Forbes Keefer*," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *Christiana Filman Glover*," 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 *Hugh Forbes Keefer*," and the papers referred to them," and request that the same be returned to the Senate.

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 *Christiana Filman Glover*," and the papers referred to them, and request that the same be returned to the Senate.

And then The House, having continued to sit till ten minutes before One of the Clock on Friday morning, adjourned till this day.

Friday, 14th March, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Bourassa*,—The Petition of *G. M. Vanvliet*, Mayor, and others, of *Lacolle*, County of *St. Johns*, *Quebec*.

By Mr. *Préfontaine*,—The Petition of *P. B. Lamane*, Mayor, and others, members of the Council of the Parish of *Longueuil*; the Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Chambly*; and the Petition of the Municipal Council of the Town of *Longueuil*, County of *Chambly*, all of the Province of *Quebec*.

By Mr. *Wilson* (*Elgin*),—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the City of *St. Thomas*, *Ontario*.

By Mr. *Taylor*,—The Petition of *James McGowan* and others; the Petition of *James Rutledge* and others, all of the County of *Addington*; and the Petition of *H. C. Mulvaugh* and others, of the County of *Leeds*, *Ontario*.

By Mr. *Curran*,—The Petition of the Board of Harbour Commissioners of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Foster*,—The Petition of the members of the Reformed Episcopal Church, *Sussex*, *New Brunswick*.

By Sir *Donald A. Smith*,—The Petition of *F. C. Frith* and others, of *Point St. Charles*; and the Petition of *S. J. Carter* and others, of the *Mountain Street Methodist Church*, all of *Montreal*.

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

Of the Reverend *A. L. Russell* and others, of the Town of *Petrolea*, County of *Lambton*; of *George W. Mills* and others, members and adherents of *St. Andrews* Presbyterian Church, *Lindsay*; of *Neil Drummond* and others, of *Adjala* Presbyterian Church, County of *Cardwell*; of the Reverend *D. L. Brethour* and others, of the Town of *Thorold*, all of *Ontario*; of *James Stewart* and others, of the Presbyterian congregation of *Arundel* and *Harrington*, Presbytery of *Montreal*; and of the Municipality of *Richmond*, *British Columbia*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to secure the better observance of the Lord's day.

Of Messieurs, *William Fruing & Company*, and others, of *Grand Grève*; of the Reverend *J. B. A. Bélanger* and others, of *Barachois de Malbaie*; and of the Reverend *James P. Laurent* and others, of *Newport*, all of the County of *Gaspé*, *Quebec*; severally praying the House to adopt such measures as it may deem necessary for the establishment of a faster and more effective mail service between *Campbellton* and *Gaspé*.

Of Local Assembly, No. 2305, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*, *Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act to compel all chartered banks to accept the notes of other chartered banks at par, and for other purposes.

Of *George Rudolph* and others, of the County of *Guysborough*, *Nova Scotia*; praying for a change in the existing law respecting the close season for lobster fishing.

Of the Municipal Council of the City of *Kingston*, *Ontario*; praying that no Act may be passed authorizing the construction of a bridge across the River *St. Lawrence* at any point west of the Town of *Cornwall*.

*Mr. Landerkin*, from the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented to the House the Thirteenth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have examined the Petition of the Dominion Mineral Company, for an Act to increase their Capital Stock, and find that no notices have been published; but, as the proposed measure can only affect the interests of the Shareholders

of the Company, your Committee recommend that the 51st Rule be suspended in relation to this Petition, provided that the proposed increase of Capital be made subject, by the Act, to the unanimous consent of the Shareholders, at a special general meeting called for the purpose.

As the time for presenting Private Bills has expired, your Committee also recommend that the 49th Rule be suspended in regard to this case.

Your Committee have also examined the Petition of the *H. H. Vivian & Company (Limited)*, for permission to present a Petition for a Private Bill, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting such Petitions, and the reasons assigned by the promoters justify your Committee in recommending that the necessary leave be granted.

As the time for receiving Reports from Committees on Private Bills will expire on the 27th inst., your Committee recommend that the notice required by the 60th Rule, to be given by Committees, prior to the consideration of Private Bills, be reduced from one week to three days for the remainder of the Session.

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

*Ordered*, That the notice required by the 60th Rule, to be given by Committees prior to the consideration of Private Bills, be reduced from one week to three days, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Thirteenth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

On motion of Mr. *Kirkpatrick*, seconded by Mr. *Hickey*,

*Ordered*, That the 49th and 51st Rules of this House be suspended, as regards the Petition of the Dominion Mineral Company, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Thirteenth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Kirkpatrick* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act to incorporate 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 on Monday next.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*.

*Ordered*, That the Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was, on Tuesday, 11th instant, proposed, respecting the conduct of *John Charles Rykert*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of *Lincoln and Niagara*, be made a special order on Monday evening next at Eight o'clock, and to have then precedence over all other business.

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 to prevent the Disclosure of Official Documents and Information," 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. *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 failure of the Government to bring down the budget, several departmental reports, all the important measures announced in the Speech of His Excellency at the opening of the Session, and to discharge the duties which they owe to Parliament, is highly prejudicial to public interests," 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>Doyon,</i>	<i>Lavergne,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Blake,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich<sup>d</sup>),</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Neveux,</i>	<i>Welsh,</i>
<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin), and</i>
<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	<i>Yeo.—57.</i>
<i>Dessaint,</i>			

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Archibald (Sir Adams) Davin,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Baird,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Scarth,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Gen.),</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Smith (Sir Donald),</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton),</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Tyrchitt,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Massue,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville),</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm<sup>rd</sup>), and</i>
<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wright.—95.</i>
<i>Daoust,</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 Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication with the *Magdalen Islands*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *Grand Manan, N.B.*, and mainland, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for 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, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for subsidy to steamer between *Campbellton* and *Gaspé* and intermediate ports, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *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, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *Prince Edward Island* and the mainland, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *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, 1891.

8. *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, 1891.

9. *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, 1891.

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 respecting the *Erie* and "*Huron* 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, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act respecting the Board of Trade of the City "of *Toronto*," 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 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 House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to authorize the *Toronto Savings Bank Charitable Trust* to invest certain Funds," 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 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 House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the Confederation Life Association, 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 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 Grand Trunk Railway Company of *Canada*, 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 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 Central *Ontario* Railway, 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 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.*)

10. *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, 1891.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eleven thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *St. John, Digby* and *Annapolis*, for the following service, viz.:—Five trips a week during the months of June, July, August and September, and three trips a week during the remaining eight months of the year, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for three lines of steamers running between the Ports of *Halifax* and *St. John, N.B.*, or either, and the *West Indies* and *South America*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *Halifax* and *St. John, via Yarmouth* and *Port Medway*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighteen thousand five hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for maintenance and repairs of Government Steamers, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for examination of Masters and Mates, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay rewards for saving life, and lifeboat service, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

17. *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, 1891.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty for Canadian Registration of Shipping, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Quebec* River Police, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five 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, 1891.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for winter mail service, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salaries and allowances, &c., of lighthouse keepers, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighteen thousand three hundred and thirty-three dollars and eighty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Agencies, rents and contingencies—"Lighthouse and Coast Service," for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

24. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and seventy-five thousand five hundred 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, 1891.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the completion and construction of Lighthouses and Fog-alarms, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

26. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for "Signal Service," for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for erection of Pier and Lighthouse in the *Lower Traverse* River (on account), estimated cost \$100,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-two thousand three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Scientific

Institutions:—Observatory, *Toronto*, \$5,250; Observatory, *Kingston*, \$500; Observatory, *Montreal*, \$500; Grant for Meteorological service, including instruments and cost of telegraphing weather warnings, \$56,100, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

29. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Thirty-six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz:—Marine and Immigrant Hospital, *Quebec*, \$5,000; *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, 1891.

30. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for shipwrecked and distressed seamen, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

31. *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, 1891.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

*Saturday, 15th March, 1890.*

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 five minutes before One of the Clock on Saturday morning, adjourned till Monday next.

Monday, 17th March, 1890.

#### PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Weldon (Albert)*.—The Petition *M. A. Ferguson* and others, of the Reformed Episcopal Church, *Shepody Road*; and the Petition of *William A. Hannah* and others of the Reformed Episcopal Church, *Plumweseep*, all of *New Brunswick*.

By Mr. *Taylor*.—The Petition of *C. W. Taylor* and others; the Petition of *Joseph Cook* and others; and the Petition of the Corporation of the Town of *Deseronto*.

By Mr. *Cockburn*.—Three Petitions of *Toronto* Trades and Labour Council; the Petition of the Synod of the Church of *England* of the Diocese of *Montreal*; the Petition of the Reverend Canon *Henderson*, D.D., Principal of the *Montreal* Diocesan Theological College; and the Petition of the Reverend *J. Douglas Borthwick*, LL.D., Chaplain of Jails in the City of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Smith (Ontario)*,—The Petition of the Reverend *Jesse Whitlock* and others, of the County of *Ontario*.

By Mr. *Jones (Halifax)*,—The Petition of the Reverend *John Valentine* and others, of *Upper Musquodoboit*, County of *Halifax, Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. *Charlton*,—The Petition of *O. S. Collamore* and others, of *Lynedoch* and vicinity, County of *Norfolk, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Bergin*,—The Petition of the Grand Trunk Railway Company of *Canada*.

By Sir *John A. Macdonald*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the City of *Kingston*; the Petition of the Board of Trade of the City of *Kingston*; and the Petition of the *Calvin Company (Limited)* and others, of the City of *Kingston, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Dawson*,—The Petition of the *H. H. Vivian & Company (Limited)*.

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

Of *S. Fenwick Fowler* and others, of the Reformed Episcopal Church, *Upham*; of *A. M. Hubly* and others members of the Reformed Episcopal Church, *Sussex*, all of *New Brunswick*; of the Reverend *A. Rowat*, Moderator, and *James Patterson*, clerk, of the Presbytery of *Montreal*, of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*; of *F. C. Frith* and others of *Point St. Charles*; of *S. J. Carter* and others, of *Mountain Street Methodist Church*; of the Reverend *Alfred McCann* and others, of the East End Methodist Church and *Taylor Presbyterian Church*, all of *Montreal*; of *G. M. Vanvliet*, Mayor, and others, of *Lacolle*, County of *St. Johns*, all of *Quebec*; of *Thomas Davidson* and others, of *Wroxeter* congregation, of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*; of *H. McQuarrie* and others, of the *Wingham Presbyterian Church*; of the Reverend *W. K. Shortt* and others, of the *Wingham Congregational Church*, all of the County of *Huron*; of *George J. Kerr* and others, of *Kerwood*; of the Reverend *William S. Ball* and others, of *Vanneck and Ilderton*, all of the County of *Middlesex*; of *James Gibson* and others, of the Township of *Sydenham*, County of *Grey*; and of *John C. Smith* and others, of the *Ridgetown Methodist Church*, County of *Elgin*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to secure the better observance of the Lord's day.

Of the Municipal Council of the Town of *Longueuil*; of the Municipal Council of the County of *Chambly*; and of *P. B. Lamane*, Mayor, and others, Members of the Council of the Parish of *Longueuil*, all of the County of *Chambly, Quebec*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, to incorporate the *Montreal Bridge Company*, may become law.

Of *James McGowan* and others; of *James Rutledge* and others, all of the County of *Addington*; and of *H. C. Mulvaugh* and others, of the County of *Leeds*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, respecting the *Napanee, Tamworth and Quebec Railway Company*, may become law.

Of the Municipal Council of the City of *St. Thomas, Ontario*; praying the House to consider the advisability of providing for the proper dredging and repairing of *Port Stanley Harbour and Docks*.

Of the Board of Harbour Commissioners of *Montreal*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, to incorporate the *Montreal Bridge Company*, may not become law.

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

Ordered, That the Petitions of *C. W. Taylor* and others; of *Joseph Cook* and others; and of the Corporation of the Town of *Deseronto*, presented this day, be now read.

And the said Petitions were read and received; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament respecting the *Napanee, Tamworth and Quebec Railway Company*, may become law.

Ordered, That the Petitions of the Municipal Council of the City of *Kingston*; and of the Board of Trade of the City of *Kingston*, presented this day, be now read.

And the said Petitions were read and received ; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament respecting the *Napanee, Tamworth and Quebec Railway Company*, may not become law in its present shape.

*Ordered*, That the Petition of the *Calvin Company (Limited)* and others of the City of *Kingston, Ontario*, presented this day, be now read.

And the said Petition was read and received ; praying that no Act may be passed permitting the construction of a bridge across the River *St. Lawrence* at any point west of *Cornwall*.

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

*Ordered*, That the Petition of the *Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada*, 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 to enable them to aid the *St. Clair Tunnel Company* in the completion of their work and for other purposes, 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.

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

*Ordered*, That the Petition of the *H. H. Vivian & Company (Limited)*, presented this day, be now read.

And the said Petition was read and received ; praying for an Act of Incorporation empowering them to carry on mining, smelting and refining operations in *Canada*.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented Return to an Order of this House, dated 12th February, 1890, for copies of the late Reports made by the Engineer of the Public Works Department respecting works to be carried out at *Rivière du Sud*, in the County of *Montmagny*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 53b.*)

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, also laid before the House,—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 11th January, 1885, respecting the settlement of certain matters between the Government and the Corporation of the City of *Ottawa*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 69.*)

Sir *John A. Macdonald*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 27th January, 1890, for copies of the reports or opinions of the Law Officers of the Crown relating to the Act passed by the Legislature of the Province of *Quebec*, intituled: "An Act for the settlement of "the Jesuits' Estates," and also, copies of the case or cases or other documents or reports submitted to the said Law Officers, or to Her Majesty's Secretary of State for the Colonies, in relation to the said Act, and upon which the said opinions were obtained, and also, all the despatches and correspondence in reference thereto. (*Sessional Papers, No. 70.*)

Mr. *Dewdney*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 24th February, 1890, for a statement showing in detail, the population by origin, according to the census of 1885, of that part of the provisional district of *Saskatchewan* lying to the south of the line between Townships 47 and 48, and bounded on the west by the line between Ranges 11 and 12, west of the 3rd Initial Meridian, and on the east by the 3rd Initial Meridian, in the Dominion Lands system of survey, now the Electoral District of *Batoche* ; also, of that part of the same provisional district lying to the east of the 3rd Initial Meridian

in the Dominion Lands system of survey, and bounded on the north by the southern boundary of the Electoral District of *Prince Albert*, now the Electoral District of *Kinistino*. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 71.)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 24th February, 1890, for a Return showing the number of Reports of the Geological Survey published, respectively, for each year of the last ten years, the number sold each year, the number distributed gratuitously, and the number still on hand. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 73.)

Mr. *Colby*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 12th February, 1890, for a Return showing the annual losses of ships since 1868 in the *Gulf of St. Lawrence* and on the Atlantic coast and *Bay of Fundy*, owing to tides, currents and fogs, with the name and tonnage of each vessel, and such particulars in each case as to the causes and extent of damage, as may be in the possession of the Government. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 72.)

Also, Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 22nd January, 1890, for copies of all Orders in Council, correspondence and documents respecting the establishment of the Marine Hospital at *Quebec*, and respecting the closing of the same. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 48a.)

And also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 3rd March, 1890, for a statement showing, for each year since 1878:—

1. The number of vessels which have passed through the *Chambly Canal*, and their tonnage.

2. The amount of, and the description of freight carried by these vessels.

3. The amount of tolls collected in the said several years on the said canal. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 46b.)

On motion of Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to prevent the Disclosure of Official Documents and Information," 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 Mr. *Bergin*, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*,

*Ordered*, That the 49th Rule of this House be suspended, in so far as it affects the Petition of the *Ontario Pacific Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act to authorize and empower them to cancel their six per cent. Bonds, and to issue, in lieu thereof, others bearing a lower rate of interest, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Eleventh Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Bergin* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *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 Wednesday next.

Mr. *McMillan (Huron)* moved, seconded by Mr. *Semple*, and the Question being put, That it is expedient to remove the duty on Artificial Fertilizers and to place them on the Free List; the House divided: and it passed in the Negative.

On motion of Mr. *Borden*, seconded by Mr. *Kirk*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all reports of the Chief Engineer on the pier at *Hall's Harbour, Nova Scotia*, since the year 1882; and for copies of all correspondence relating to said pier.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of all correspondence, memorials and agreements between the Government and the Temperance Coloniza-

tion Company, together with correspondence of settlers, employees and members of the company, relative to the operations of the said company.

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 1889. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 13.)

The House resumed the Debate on the Question which was, on Wednesday, the 12th March, instant, proposed, That whereas the Dominion of *Canada* in 1878 received four and a half millions of dollars from the *United States* for the use of our fisheries, the interest on which from 1878 to 1889 amounts to about two millions; and whereas the Dominion has paid as bounty to the fishermen since 1882, \$1,050,000, leaving about \$1,000,000 in the Treasury of the interest on said four and a-half millions; and whereas the manufacturers of pig iron were allowed a bounty of \$1.50 per ton in 1883, and a further protection of \$4 per ton on imported pig iron in 1887; and whereas our fish are subject to heavy duties in the *West Indies* and *United States*, to which countries the largest portion of our fish is exported: in view of the foregoing facts, it is, in the opinion of this House, expedient that the Government should increase the bounty now allowed our fishermen in proportion to the increase allowed on pig iron, and thereby, to some extent, compensate them for the heavy duties on their fish in foreign markets.

And it being Six o'Clock, P.M., Mr. Speaker left the Chair, to resume the same at Eight o'Clock, P.M.

*Eight o'Clock, P. M.*

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was, on Tuesday, the 11th March, instant, proposed, That, whereas it appears from certain documents and letters published in the Votes and Proceedings of this House, that *John Charles Rykert*, Member for the County of *Lincoln*, did, in or about the beginning of the month of April, A.D. 1882, apply to the Government of *Canada* for a grant of certain Timber Limits in the *North-West Territories*, at or near *Cypress Hills*, in the name of one *John Adams*, and that, at or about the time of such application, he procured an agreement to be signed by the said *John Adams*, whereby, in consideration of the services of the said *John C. Rykert*, alleged to be voluntarily given, in obtaining the grant of such limits, the said *Adams* agreed to assign to the wife of the said *John C. Rykert* one-half interest in the limits so applied for, and to pay over to her one-half of all the net proceeds of the sale of all timber thereon or the purchase money derived therefrom, which agreement is in the words and figures following:—

“Memorandum of agreement made this third day of April, A.D. 1882:—Between *John Adams*, of the City of *Winnipeg*, of the first part: and *Nannie Marie Rykert*, of the City of *St. Catharines*, of the second part.

“Whereas the above named *John Adams* has, through the intervention of *John Charles Rykert*, obtained certain limits in the *North-West Territories*, at or near *Cypress Hills*, and has, in consideration of the services of the said *Rykert*, voluntarily given him, agreed to and with the said party hereto of the second part, to give to her one-half the proceeds of the said limit, after deducting all expenses connected therewith:

“Witnesseth, that the said party of the first part, in consideration of the sum of one dollar to him in hand, paid by the party of the second part, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, and in further consideration of the premises, hath agreed, and by these presents doth agree, to assign and transfer to the said party of the second part one-half interest in the limits applied for and to be granted by the Government at or near the *Cypress Hills*, in the *North-West Territory*, and to pay over and account to her for one-half of all the net proceeds of the sale of all timber

thereon or for the purchase money derived therefrom, after deducting all expenses and charges in connection therewith."

"Witness the hands and seals of the parties hereto the day and year above written.

"(Signed) JOHN ADAMS.

"Witness : (Signed) J. C. RYKERT."

That, whereas it further appears from such documents that the application of the said *John C. Rykert* was successful, and that an Order in Council was, on the 17th April, A.D. 1882, approved, granting to the said *Adams* such limits, and that the said *J. C. Rykert* in such correspondence claimed and insisted that he was successful in procuring such Order in Council owing to the extraordinary influence he, the said *Rykert*, possessed with the Department of the Interior and with the Government, as appears from the following extracts from the letters of the said *Rykert* to the said *Adams*, contained in such Votes and Proceedings, viz., on the 11th April, 1882 :

"I to-day saw *McCarthy*, and he was terribly surprised to hear that I had got the limit, as he was refused point-blank. He is willing to join with us in the survey, and I go to *Hamilton* to get *Laidlaw* to say where he wants the limit. He has written me he will do almost anything if I will assist him in getting his. I will write you from home on Thursday. The Order in Council went before the Government to-day, and it is likely it will pass at once. Instructions will then be given to the surveyor. We are awfully lucky, as the Deputy told me that no other man could have forced them to yield."

And, again on the 16th April, 1882 :

"The Order was passed several days ago. *Laidlaw* is to meet me in *Hamilton* to-morrow. He has not yet got his Order, and is now of opinion that I have more influence than *McCarthy* who told me he was refused by the Government."

And, again on the 21st April :

"The Order in Council has been finally passed, and this although every effort was made to induce the Government to alter their minds."

And, again on the 24th April :

"*Laidlaw* offered to bet me \$1,000 I could not get the Order passed for you, as he had been refused in January and again in February."

And, again on the 10th May :

"*Laidlaw* only got his Order passed this week, and he had to get me to help him, so you see who had the influence with the Government after all."

And, again on the 1st August, 1882 :

"It will be satisfactory to know, after my hard fight with the Government, that I did get what you anticipated. I would not go through the same difficulty again for twice the amount. I never spent such six weeks before as I did while endeavouring to force the Department to do justice. The fact of their having refused *McCarthy* before had a great deal to do with the delay and refusal. Poor *Laidlaw*. I am pleased he did not get the start of this child. He thought he was very smart and had all the influence of the country at his back. I think another time they will recognize the fact that *J. C. R.* is not very easily defeated at anything."

And, whereas it further appears that the said limits were subsequently sold by and on behalf of said *Adams* and *Rykert* to one *Louis Sands*, at and for the sum of \$200,000, and that the said *John C. Rykert* did, on the 16th day of January, A.D. 1883, receive from the said *John Adams* the sum of \$74,200 out of the said purchase money, and which sum was payable under the said agreement as and for the share of the said *John C. Rykert*, or his wife, in the said limits, and that he signed a receipt therefor in the following terms:—

“Winnipeg, Manitoba, 16th January, 1883.

“Received from *John Adams* \$35,000 in cash by drafts on the Bank of *Montreal*, and four notes of *Louis Sands* for \$39,200, payable in one and two years. All payable to the order of *Mrs. N. M. Rykert*, and in full of the money's payable to her under agreement.

“(Signed) J. C. RYKERT,  
“Her Attorney.”

That, whereas it appears from the *Hansard* report of the proceedings of the House that, on the 2nd day of May, A.D. 1883, *Mr. Charlton*, the then and present Member for *North Norfolk*, did in his place ask: “If the said *John C. Rykert* did not negotiate the transaction in connection with the timber limits in the *Cypress Hills*, and if he did not, as agent for other parties, get a timber limit there at \$5 a square mile and sell it at \$2,000 a square mile, and if he did not get such limit on behalf of one *Adams*, and if he did not go to *Winnipeg* in person and sell it to *Louis Sands*, of *Michigan*, for \$200,000, of which \$90,000 was paid in cash, one-third of which he, the said *John C. Rykert*, put in his pocket?” to all of which questions the said *J. C. Rykert* categorically replied in the negative, and at once proceeded to make, and did make, the following statement from his place in the House:—

“The honourable gentleman has asked me several questions, and I propose now to answer them. I neither directly nor indirectly drew the money he spoke of, nor put any sum in my pocket except professional fees, and professional fees only. I deny that I negotiated any timber lease for *Mr. Adams*, or any other person. On the contrary, *Mr. Adams* had his own agents to negotiate for him; he made his own bargain, and I had nothing to do with it, and did not pocket the money the honourable gentleman has spoken of. On the contrary, I advised *Mr. Adams* not to dispose of the limit, but to work it. The honourable gentleman on several occasions has made remarks outside of the House to the same effect, and I am glad now to have an opportunity to give it an emphatic denial.”

That, whereas it further appears from the said correspondence published in the said Votes and Proceedings, that certain difficulties having arisen with respect to the said limits, owing to their being claimed in whole or in part by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company as being within the Railway Belt, the said *John C. Rykert* did agree with the said *Adams* to use, and did inform the said *Adams* by letters signed with his own hand, that he was using corrupt influences with certain Members of the Government of *Canada* and of the Parliament thereof, and with other officials thereof, in order to defeat the claim of the said Canadian Pacific Railway Company and to secure to himself and the said *Adams* or their assignee the said timber limits, and did further inform the said *Adams* that he had eventually successfully arranged the matter; all of which appears in the following extracts from the letters written by the said *J. C. Rykert* to the said *Adams* published in the said Votes and Proceedings, viz. :—

In the letter of 28th January, 1883 :

“I have to go to *Ottawa* to-morrow night to fight the matter out, which I do not like. I seem to have all the hardest part of it to do. I have *Bowell* working for me. And if we succeed in beating the railway, we will have to pay the amount we agreed to pay, as you recollect, when we two were in the *Queen's Hotel*. I have not slept for a week on account of this. We must keep perfectly quiet.”

And, in the same letter, further on :

“I am engaging all I can to assist me at *Ottawa*, and we will have to pay them well for it, as we cannot afford to lose this.”

And, in the letter of the 12th February, 1883 :

“I have not yet succeeded in doing anything, but I am pulling wires in every direction. *John A.'s* son from *Winnipeg*, *McArthur's* partner, is here, and I intend employing him to go for his father. I think if you had young *Tupper* here, and paid him pretty well, he would help us materially. The Canadian Pacific Railway has a great hold on the Government, and we must counteract this in some way.”

And, in the same letter :

"I am completely sick of it, as it is something I had no right to expect, and which I should not be called upon to undertake. If it costs all we spoke of, we had better do it than let it go."

And, in another letter, dated 5th March, 1883, he says :

"I have not yet succeeded in getting anything done in the limit matter. I have brought *Macdonald* and *Tupper* from *Winnipeg*, and hope they will be able to induce their fathers to act promptly in the matter.

"I am almost discouraged at the delay. *Sands* is writing me daily about it. He knows all about it. Some persons sent him the papers containing the statements. Will make any effort this week, and must do something, if we have to let a note apiece go."

And, in the letter of the 8th March :

"I find difficulties surrounding us in every way in reference to the limit, and I find that the Canadian Pacific Railway have certain Ministers working for them. I am afraid it will cost us each six or seven thousand dollars to get this made all right. I have five or six at work with me, and have agreed to pay them well if they succeed. *Muckle* was here and told me the limit was all within the belt. I am afraid they will do their very utmost to defeat me. I want to be satisfied that you are sure I am doing what is right, and also, that you will back me out in all that I do in the way of payment."

Again, on the 28th March, 1883 :

"I am having a hard time with the limit matter. It will cost us each at least \$5,500 to get this through. I have laid my ropes so that I expect to have it settled in a few days. I have a dozen at work for us. You must be prepared to pay the amount of your share at any time, as it will have to be all cash. When this is settled we must get rid of all the notes and have an end of it. It has completely used me up. The excitement and strain is too much for me. I had *Tupper* and *Macdonald* brought from *Winnipeg*, and they have been working hard for me."

That, whereas it is apparent from the said documents and correspondence that the said *Rykert* did make use of his position and influence as a Member of this House, in the matter of the said limits, for his own pecuniary advantage; and that he did afterwards make a statement, from his place in this House, with regard to his connection with and the obtaining the said limits, entirely at variance with the facts, and calculated to mislead the House and the country; and that he made further statements in his correspondence with the said *Adams* to the effect that he was obliged to resort to corrupt practices with Members of the Cabinet, and Members of Parliament, and other Government officials, in order to perfect the title to the said grant of such limits (which statements have been challenged as false by Members of the Cabinet from their places in this House, and admitted by the said *Rykert* in his place in the House, so far as Members of the Cabinet are concerned, to be untrue).

That the conduct of the said *John C. Rykert* in the premises is, and has been, discreditable, corrupt and scandalous ;

And the Question being again proposed :—The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

Mr. *Kirkpatrick* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Mitchell*, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out and the words "the attention of this House having been called to certain documents, letters and statements, published during the present Session in the Votes and Proceedings of this House, under the dates of the 14th February, the 18th February and the 10th March, relating to the connection of *John Charles Rykert*, Esquire, Member for the County of *Lincoln* and *Niagara*, with a grant of certain Timber Limits in the *North-West Territories*, all the questions involved in the said papers be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Privileges and Elections, and that they be directed to enquire into all the facts and merits of the case, and into the conduct of the said *John Charles Rykert* in relation thereto, and to report the result of their enquiries,

“at the earliest practicable moment, and that the said Committee have power to “examine witnesses on oath or affirmation where affirmation is allowed by law,” inserted instead thereof;

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

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

Then the main Question, so amended, being put, That the attention of this House having been called to certain documents, letters and statements, published during the present Session in the Votes and Proceedings of this House, under the dates of the 14th February, the 18th February and 10th March, relating to the connection of *John Charles Rykert*, Esquire, Member for the County of *Lincoln and Niagara*, with a grant of certain Timber Limits in the *North-West Territories*, all the questions involved in the said papers be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Privileges and Elections, and that they be directed to enquire into all the facts and merits of the case, and into the conduct of the said *John Charles Rykert* in relation thereto, and to report the result of their enquiries, at the earliest practicable moment, and that the said Committee have power to examine witnesses on oath or affirmation where affirmation is allowed by law:—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 have passed the following Bills without any amendment:—

Bill intituled: “An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the Lake *Manitoba* “Railway and Canal Company.”

Bill intituled: “An Act respecting the Grand Trunk, *Georgian Bay* and Lake “*Erie* Railway Company.”

Bill intituled: “An Act to incorporate the Shore Line Railway Bridge Company.”

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: “An Act respecting the *St. Catharines* and *Niagara* Central Railway Company,” with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And also, the Senate have agreed to the Amendment made by this House to the Bill, intituled: “An Act respecting the Great *North-West* Central Railway Company,” without any amendment.

And then The House, having continued to sit till five minutes after Twelve of the Clock on Tuesday morning, adjourned till this day.

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Tuesday, 18th March, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Porter*.—The Petition of *Robert Thompson*, senr, and others, of the United congregations of *White Church* and *East Wawanosh*, of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*.

By Mr. *Macdonald (Huron)*,—The Petition of *John Abram* and others, of *Wroxeter Village, County of Huron, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Bergin*,—The Petition of the *Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada*.

By Mr. *Desjardins*,—The Petition of *Isabella Reekie* and others, of *Côte St. Antoine, Quebec*.

By Mr. *Montague*,—The Petition of the Reverend *J. G. Shearer, B.A.*, and others, of *Caledonia, Ontario*.

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 to amend the Act to incorporate the *River Detroit Winter Railway Bridge Company*, and to change the name of the Company to the *River Detroit Railway Bridge Company*, and have agreed to report the same with Amendments:—

Your Committee have also had under consideration Bill to incorporate the *St. Lawrence International Railway and Bridge Company*, and Bill to incorporate the *Thousand Islands Bridge and Railway Company*, and, after hearing the views of the promoters and opponents of the measures, have agreed to report the preambles thereof *not proven*—because, in the opinion of your Committee, the construction of these bridges would injuriously affect the navigation of the *River St. Lawrence*.

Your Committee recommend that Bill to incorporate the *Hamilton Junction Railway Company* be withdrawn, as the promoters have expressed their intention of not proceeding further with the measure.

Your Committee also recommend that the fees and charges paid on the three last mentioned Bills be refunded, less the cost of printing and translation.

Mr. *Bergeron*, 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 Petition of the *Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada*, for leave to present a Petition for a Private Bill, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for receiving such Petitions, and the reasons assigned by the promoters for the delay in presenting their Petition, justify your Committee in recommending that the necessary leave be granted.

Your Committee have also examined the Petition of the *H. H. Vivan & Company (Limited)*, for an Act to confirm their Act of Incorporation and to enable them to carry on mining, smelting and refining operations in *Canada*, and find that notice has been published for two weeks only; but, as the proposed measure, should it become law, will not interfere with any existing rights, but will greatly assist in opening up and developing the section of country in which the proposed operations will be carried on, your Committee recommend that the 51st Rule be also suspended in this case.

As the time for presenting Private Bills has expired, your Committee recommend that the 49th Rule be also suspended in relation to the last mentioned Petition.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,

Ordered, That the Bill to incorporate the *Hamilton Junction Railway Company* be withdrawn, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Eleventh Report of the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,

Ordered, That the fee and charges paid on the Bill to incorporate the *St. Lawrence International Railway and Bridge Company*; on Bill to incorporate the *Thousand Islands Bridge and Railway Company*; and on Bill to incorporate the *Hamilton Junction Railway 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.

On motion of Mr. *Dawson*, seconded by Mr. *Davin*,  
*Ordered*, That the 49th and 51st Rules of this House be suspended, in so far as they relate to the Petition of the *H. H. Vivian & Company (Limited)*; praying for an Act of Incorporation empowering them to carry on mining, smelting and refining operations in *Canada*, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Fourteenth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Dawson* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting *H. H. Vivian and 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.

On motion of Mr. *Bergin*, seconded by Mr. *Joncas*.

*Ordered*, That the Petition of the Grand Trunk Railway Company of *Canada*, presented this day, be now read.

And the said Petition was read and received; praying for the passing of an Act to enable them to aid the *St. Clair Tunnel Company* in the completion of their work, and for other purposes.

On motion of Mr. *Girouard*, seconded by Mr. *Joncas*,

*Ordered*, That leave be granted the Select Standing Committee on Privileges and Elections to employ a short-hand writer to take down such evidence as the Committee deem necessary.

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 Copyright Act,'" 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 had agreed to their Amendment.

The Order of the Day being read, for taking into consideration the Bill further to amend the Adulteration Act, chapter one hundred and seven of the Revised Statutes, as amended in the Committee of the Whole House.

*Ordered*, That the said Order be discharged.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now re-committed to a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of amending Section nine.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act respecting the Department of the Geological Survey."

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 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. Amyot 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 "in the opinion of this House, it is the exclusive right of the Local Legislature and the Executive of each Province to appoint Queen's Counsel for all Courts established, maintained and managed by such Province, and to settle the rules and rights of precedence or preaudience of the Bar in proceedings in such Courts," inserted instead thereof;

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

Then the main Question being put;

*Ordered*, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly again resolved itself into the said Committee.

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet expenses in connection with Superintendence of Insurance, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *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, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-three thousand two hundred and thirty-five dollars and twenty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, as follow, viz.:—Amount required to supplement 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*, \$24,077.50; For payment of annuities under the *Robinson Treaty*, \$16,806; To provide a salary for Chief *Angus Cook*, of the *Gibson Reserve*, and Chief *William McGregor*, of *Cape Crocker Band*, \$50 each, \$100; Removal of the residue of the Lake of *Two Mountains* Indians from *Oka* to Township of *Gibson*, \$4,912.73; To provide for the survey of Indian Reserves, \$639.02; To provide travelling allowance for *L. F. Boucher*, Indian Superintendent, for the north shore of the River *St. Lawrence*, \$600; To enable the Department to relieve cases of distress among the Indians in *Ontario* who have no funds of their own, \$300, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand four hundred and ninety-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Nova Scotia*, as follow:—Salaries, \$1,175; Relief and seed grain, \$3,045; Medical attendance and medicine, \$1,200; Miscellaneous, \$75, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand eight hundred and fifty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *New Brunswick*, as follow:—Salaries, \$2,055; Relief and seed grain, \$2,700; Medical attendance and medicine, \$800; Miscellaneous, \$200; Travelling expenses, \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Prince Edward Island*, as follow:—Salaries, \$500; Relief and seed grain, \$1,125; Medical attendance and medicines, \$300; Miscellaneous, \$75, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-eight thousand two hundred and forty-seven dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *British Columbia*, viz.:—For Indians, *British Columbia* generally, \$66,910; For surveys, \$11,837; For Reserve Commission, \$9,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine hundred and ten thousand and eighty-nine dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Manitoba* and *North-West Territories*, as follow:—Annuities, \$130,000; Implements and tools, \$12,000; Seed grain, \$3,000; Cattle and pigs, \$6,266; Supplies for destitute, \$330,000; Triennial clothing, \$2,745; Day and boarding schools, \$68,905; Industrial schools, \$139,214; Surveys, \$5,000; Farm wages, \$29,430; Supplies for farmers, \$14,834;

Sioux, \$3,730; Buildings, \$14,702; General expenses, \$147,163; Grist and saw mills, \$3,100, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

Wednesday, 19th March, 1890.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) 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. Wood (*Brockville*) 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 Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Inter-provincial Bridge Company," with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And then The House, having continued to sit till a quarter of an hour after One of the Clock on Wednesday morning, adjourned till this day.

Wednesday, 19th March, 1890.

#### PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Armstrong*.—The Petition of *F. B. Stacey* and others, of the Townships of *Ekfrid* and *Metcalfe*, County of *Middlesex*, Ontario.

By Mr. *Smith* (*Ontario*).—The Petition of *Edward Barrass* and others, of the Methodist Church, *Pickering*, Ontario.

By Mr. *Brown*.—Four Petitions of the Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, No. 1, *Hamilton*, Ontario.

By Mr. *Taylor*.—The Petition of *Charles Whelan* and others, of *Centreville*; the the Petition of Messieurs *P. & P. Murphy* and others, of *Stoco*; the Petition of *S. Hicks* and others, of *Moscow*; the Petition of the Corporation of the Village of *Gananoque*; the Petition of *J. D. Wagar* and others, of *Enterprise*; the Petition of *M. S. Murphy* and others, of *Erinsville*; the Petition of *Hamilton Armstrong* and others, of *Napanee Mills*; the Petition of *Robert Gordon*, and others, of *Tweed*; the Petition of *E. H. Douglas* and others, of *Tamworth*; the Petition of *E. W. Benjamin* and others, of *Yarker*; the Petition of *John Sigsworth* and others, of *Portland*, *Parham* and *Verona*; the Petition of *J. B. Aylesworth*, *Reeve*, and others, of *Newburgh*; the Petition of *Joseph S. Crothers* and others, of *Marlbank*; and the Petition of *James S. Haydon* and others, of *Camden East*, all of Ontario.

By Mr. *Stevenson*.—Six Petitions of Local Assembly, No. 6952, Knights of Labour, *Peterborough*, Ontario.

By Mr. *Ferguson (Welland)*,—The Petition of *Johnston Stewart* and others, of the Town of *Niagara Falls*, County of *Welland*, Ontario.

By Mr. *Watson*,—The Petition of *George Foster* and others, of *Cypress River* and *Glenboro'*; and the Petition of *James Hoskin* and others, of *South Dufferin*, all of *Manitoba*.

By Mr. *Préfontaine*,—The Petition of *D. T. Martel*, Mayor, and others, members of the Municipal Council of the Village of *Chambly Basin*; and the Petition of *Toussaint Bachard*, Mayor, and others of *St. Bruno*, County of *Chambly*, *Quebec*.

By Mr. *Rowand*,—The Petition of the Reverend *David Carscaden* and others, of *Knox Church*, *Ripley*, Presbytery of *Maitland*, of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*.

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

Of *M. A. Ferguson* and others, of the Reformed Episcopal Church, *Shepody Road*; of *William A. Hannah* and others, of the Reformed Episcopal Church, *Plum-wescap*, all of *New Brunswick*; of the Reverend *John Valentine* and others, of *Upper Musquodoboit*, County of *Halifax*, *Nova Scotia*; of the Synod of the Church of *England*, of the Diocese of *Montreal*; of the Reverend Canon *Henderson*, D.D., Principal of the *Montreal Diocesan Theological College*; of the Reverend *J. Douglas Borthwick*, LL.D., Chaplain of Jails in the City of *Montreal*, all of *Quebec*; of the Reverend *Jesse Whitlock* and others, of the County of *Ontario*; and of *O. G. Collamore* and others, of *Lynedoch* and vicinity, County of *Norfolk*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to secure the better observance of the Lord's Day.

Of *Toronto Trades and Labour Council*; praying for an amendment of the Act respecting Trades Unions.

Of *Toronto Trades and Labour Council*; praying for certain amendments to the Bill now before Parliament, intituled: "An Act to prohibit the importation and migration of foreigners and aliens under contract or agreement to perform labour in Canada," before the same becomes law.

Of *Toronto Trades and Labour Council*; praying for a certain amendment of the Act respecting threats, intimidation and other offences.

Mr. *Bergeron*, from the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented to the House the Fifteenth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have examined the Petition of the Grand Trunk Railway Company of *Canada* for power to aid the *St. Clair Tunnel Company* and the *Midland Railway*, and for other purposes, and find that no notices have been published; but, as the necessity for the application has arisen too recently to admit of the required notice being given, and as the proposed measure will greatly tend to promote the public welfare and convenience, and as no private rights would appear to be affected other than those of the Shareholders, which can be duly guarded by a clause in the Bill, your Committee recommend that the 51st Rule be suspended, in so far as it applies to the said Petition.

As the time for presenting Private Bills has expired, your Committee recommend that the 49th Rule be also suspended in relation thereto.

Sir *John Thompson*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Correspondence of the Governments of *Ontario* and *Quebec* in reference to the ownership of the beds of Harbours, Rivers, &c. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 74.)

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

Ordered, That the 49th and 51st Rules of this House be suspended, in so far as they relate to the Petition of the Grand Trunk Railway Company of *Canada*; praying for the passing of an Act to enable them to aid the *St. Clair Tunnel Company* in the completion of their work, and for other purposes, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Fifteenth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Curran* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the Grand Trunk Railway 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.

On motion of *Girouard*, seconded by Mr. *Macdowall*,

*Ordered*, That the Letters, Documents and Papers relating to the charges made against *John Charles Rykert*, Esquire, Member for *Lincoln* and *Niagara*, in connection with a grant of certain Timber Limits in the *North-West Territories*, as referred to the Select Standing Committee on Privileges and Elections, be reprinted in pamphlet form, for the use of the Members of the Committee; and that Rule 94 be suspended in relation thereto.

On motion of Mr. *Neveux*, seconded by Mr. *Dessaint*,

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do lay on the Table, a Return showing salary and remuneration paid to Mr. *Arthur Prieur*, employe of this House, as translator or otherwise, and the whole amount received by him since his employment in any capacity.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copy of correspondence between the Post office Inspector and other parties at *Quebec*, and the Post office Department at *Ottawa* (and other Departments or officials at *Ottawa*, if any), respecting the discharge of Miss *Maybee*, a shorthand writer and type-writer in the Post office at *Quebec*.

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

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

1. The actual cost of first construction of the *Montreal* Court House, 1851-57.
2. The amount spent for repairs since, each year down to Confederation.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a list of timber limits granted by the Dominion Government since March 1st, 1885; the names of the parties to whom granted, with date of grant; the area of each limit granted; whether granted to highest bidder at public competition, and the amount of bonus, if any, in each case received.

On motion of *Rinfret*, seconded by Mr. *Guay*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all petitions, correspondence and documents whatsoever respecting the placing of a floating light on the *St. Lawrence*, opposite the Church of *Ste. Croix*, in the County of *Lotbinière*, in place of the buoy now located there.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of all correspondence, petitions, memorials, reports of the Chief Engineer of the Department relative to the necessity and expediency of dredging and otherwise improving the harbour at *Picton*, Bay of *Quinté*, since 1st January, 1883; and also, containing all correspondence, petitions, memorials and reports concerning the desirability or expediency of construction of public buildings at the said Town of *Picton* for the accommodation of Post office, Customs and Inland Revenue offices in that town, since 1st January, 1886.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was, on Thursday, 27th February last proposed, That the Bill to prohibit the Importation and Migration of Foreigners and Aliens under contract or agreement to perform labour in *Canada*, be now read a second time;

And the Question being put; the House divided: and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time.

Mr. *Taylor* moved, seconded by Mr. *McKay*, and the Question being put, That the Bill be referred to a Select Committee composed of Messieurs *Brien, Colby, Daly, Davin, Earle, Ferguson (Welland), Gillmor, Girouard, Lépine, Lister, McDougald (Pictou), McKay, Mills (Annapolis), Mulock, Weldon (Albert), Welsh, Wilson (Elgin)* and the Mover, with power to send for persons and papers, and that Rule 78 be suspended in relation thereto; the House divided: and 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 have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Patent Act,'" without any amendment.

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend an Act concerning Marriage with a Deceased Wife's Sister," 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, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendment made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the *St. Catharines* and *Niagara* Central 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 incorporate the Inter-provincial Bridge 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, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to grant certain powers to the *Chambly* Manufacturing 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 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 River *Detroit* Winter Railway Bridge Company, and to change the name of the Company to the River *Detroit* Railway Bridge 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 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 amend the Act to incorporate 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 for further securing the Independence of Parliament;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Privileges and Elections.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill further to amend "The Dominion Elections Act," chapter eight of the Revised Statutes;

Mr. *Charlton* moved, seconded by Mr. *Mitchell*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time;

Sir *John A. Macdonald* moved, in amendment to the Question, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, That the word "now" be left out, and the words "this day six months" added at the end thereof;

And a Debate arising thereupon;

Mr. *Scriver* moved, seconded by Mr. *Somerville*, and the Question being proposed, That the Debate be adjourned:—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

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>Labrosse</i> ,	<i>Purcell</i> ,
<i>Audet</i> ,	<i>Dawson</i> ,	<i>Landry</i> ,	<i>Putnam</i> ,
<i>Bain (Soulanges)</i> ,	<i>Denison</i> ,	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Riopel</i> ,
<i>Barnard</i> ,	<i>Desaulniers</i> ,	<i>La Rivière</i> ,	<i>Robillard</i> ,
<i>Bell</i> ,	<i>Desjardins</i> ,	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.)</i>	<i>Roome</i> ,
<i>Bergeron</i> ,	<i>Dewdney</i> ,	<i>Lovitt</i> ,	<i>Ross</i> ,
<i>Bergin</i> ,	<i>Dickey</i> ,	<i>Macdonald (Sir John)</i>	<i>Rykert</i> ,
<i>Boisvert</i> ,	<i>Dickinson</i> ,	<i>Macdowall</i> ,	<i>Shanly</i> ,
<i>Bowell</i> ,	<i>Dupont</i> ,	<i>McCulla</i> ,	<i>Small</i> ,
<i>Boyle</i> ,	<i>Earle</i> ,	<i>McDonald (Victoria)</i> ,	<i>Smith (Ontario)</i> ,
<i>Brown</i> ,	<i>Ferguson (Leeds &amp; Gren.)</i> ,	<i>McDougald (Pictou)</i> ,	<i>Stevenson</i> ,
<i>Bryson</i> ,	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew)</i> ,	<i>McGreevy</i> ,	<i>Taylor</i> ,
<i>Cameron</i> ,	<i>Ferguson (Welland)</i> ,	<i>McKay</i> ,	<i>Temple</i> ,
<i>Cargill</i> ,	<i>Foster</i> ,	<i>McKeen</i> ,	<i>Tisdale</i> ,
<i>Carling</i> ,	<i>Freeman</i> ,	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil)</i> ,	<i>Tyrwhitt</i> ,
<i>Carpenter</i> ,	<i>Gigault</i> ,	<i>McNeill</i> ,	<i>Vanasse</i> ,
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe)</i> ,	<i>Gordon</i> ,	<i>Madill</i> ,	<i>Wallace</i> ,
<i>Cimon</i> ,	<i>Grandbois</i> ,	<i>Mara</i> ,	<i>Ward</i> ,
<i>Cochrane</i> ,	<i>Guillet</i> ,	<i>Masson</i> ,	<i>Weldon (Albert)</i> ,
<i>Cockburn</i> ,	<i>Haggart</i> ,	<i>Moffat</i> ,	<i>White (Cardwell)</i> ,
<i>Colby</i> ,	<i>Hale</i> ,	<i>Moncrieff</i> ,	<i>Wilmot</i> ,
<i>Corby</i> ,	<i>Hesson</i> ,	<i>Montplaisir</i> ,	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil)</i> ,
<i>Coughlin</i> ,	<i>Hickey</i> ,	<i>Patterson (Essex)</i> ,	<i>Wilson (Lennox)</i> ,
<i>Coulombe</i> ,	<i>Jamieson</i> ,	<i>Pope</i> ,	<i>Wood (Brockville) and</i>
<i>Curran</i> ,	<i>Jones (Digby)</i> ,	<i>Porter</i> ,	<i>Wood (Westmead)—103.</i>
<i>Daly</i> ,	<i>Kenny</i> ,	<i>Prior</i> ,	

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>De St. Georges,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec),</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Bécharé,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Semple.</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Burdett,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Richard),</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Neveu,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	<i>Welsh,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin), and</i>
<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Langelier (Montmorency),</i>	<i>Préfontaine,</i>	<i>Yeo.—60.</i>

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then the main Question, so amended, being put ;

*Ordered,* That the Bill be read a second time this day six months.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Thursday, 20th March, 1890.

## PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Cockburn*,—The Petition of the President and Members of the Canadian Institute, the Mayor and Corporation, the Board of Trade, the Harbour Commissioners and others, of the City of *Toronto* ; the Petition of the Reverend *J. G. Norton*, D.D., Rector, and others, of *Montreal* ; the Petition of the Reverend *Charles Bancroft*, M.A., Rector, and others, of *Sutton* ; the Petition of the Reverend *Jervois A. Newnham*, Rector, and others, of the Parish of *St. Matthias* ; and the Petition of the Reverend *John Edgecumbe* and others, of the Parish of *St. Mary's*, County of *Hochelega*, *Quebec*.

By Mr. *Joncas*,—The Petition of *William Fauvet*, Mayor, and others, of *New Carlisle* and *Paspebiac*, *Quebec*.

By Mr. *Mara*,—The Petition of *Harry Abbott* and others, of the City of *Vancouver*, *British Columbia*.

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

Of *Robert Thomson*, senr., and others, of the United congregations of *Whitechurch* and *East Wawanosh*, of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada* ; of *John Abram* and others, of *Wroxeter Village*, County of *Huron* ; of the Reverend *J. G. Shearer*, B. A., and others, of *Caledonia*, all of *Ontario* : and of *Isabella Reekie* and others, of *Côte St. Antoine*, *Quebec* : severally praying for the passing of an Act to secure the better observance of the Lord's Day.

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 following Bills, and have agreed to report the same with Amendments, viz. :—

Bill respecting the *Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway Company*.

Bill to incorporate the *Elbow River Water Power Company*.

Bill to incorporate the *Saskatchewan Colonization Railway Company*.

Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the *Saskatchewan Railway and Mining Company*, and

Bill to incorporate the *Portage la Prairie and Duck Mountain Railway Company*.

Your Committee recommend that Bill to incorporate the *Alberta Colonization Railway Company* be withdrawn, as the promoters have signified their intention of not proceeding further with the measure; also, that the fee and charges paid thereon be refunded less the cost of printing and translation.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 24th February, 1890, for copies of all claims made by *Elphège Cardin*, *Jean Cardin*, *George Tonnancourt* and *Bruno St. Germain*, to be compensated for damages occasioned to their lands by the dam erected in the *Yamaska River*; of all correspondence arising out of such claims; together with a statement of all sums allowed to each of them in settlement of their claims. (*Sessional Papers, No. 53c.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 26th February, 1890, for a statement showing the number of Government wharves, piers and breakwaters repaired in *Prince Edward Island* during the year 1889, the amount expended on each of said wharves, piers and breakwaters. (*Sessional Papers, No. 58a.*)

And also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 24th February, 1890, for a copy of the report of *Sandford Fleming, C.E.*, of the examination made by him as to sawdust, &c., put in the *Ottawa* by the saw mills at the *Chaudière* and other mills on the *Ottawa River*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 65a.*)

Mr. *Colby*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 24th February, 1890, for copies of any reports made by the Chief Engineer relating to survey of *Tracadie Harbour, Prince Edward Island*, some years ago. (*Sessional Papers, No. 59b.*)

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,  
Ordered, That the Bill to incorporate the *Alberta Colonization Railway Company* be withdrawn, and that the fee and charges paid thereon be refunded, less the cost of printing and translation, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Twelfth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

On motion of Mr. *Mara*, seconded by Mr. *Hickey*,

Ordered, That the Petition of *Harry Abbott* and others, of the City of *Vancouver, British Columbia*, 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 an Act incorporating them under the name of the *Columbia and Kootenay Railway and Navigation Company*, and for other purposes, 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.

On motion of Mr. *Taylor*, seconded by Mr. *McDougald (Pictou)*,

Ordered, That leave be granted the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill to prohibit the Importation and Migration of Foreigners and Aliens under con-

tract or agreement, to perform labour in *Canada*, to employ a short-hand writer to take down such evidence as the Committee deem necessary.

On motion of Mr. *Chapleau*, seconded by Sir *John Thompson*,  
*Ordered*, That a Select Committee composed of Messieurs *Brown, Choquette, Edgar, Girouard, Kenny, Langelier (Quebec), Madill, Perley, Sutherland, Ward, Watson, White (Cardwell)* and the Mover, be appointed to examine and report upon newly invented ballot papers and ballot boxes, to be used in Parliamentary elections; and also, on the best means of securing the secrecy of the vote.

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting Banks and Banking.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

(*In the Committee.*)

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to extend the Charter of the several Banks in *Canada*, and to amend the laws relating to Banking.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported the Resolution accordingly, and the same was read, as followeth:—

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to extend the Charter of the several Banks in *Canada*, and to amend the laws relating to Banking.

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

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Foster* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting Banks and Banking.

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 Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,

*Resolved*, That for the remainder of the Session, Government measures shall have precedence on Wednesdays, commencing with Wednesday, the 26th instant, after Questions put by Members, and that the Order of Business for Mondays henceforth shall be the Order of Business for Wednesdays, as in Rule 19.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Statement, in detail, of Receipts and Payments of *Canada*, for the eight months ending 28th February, for the years 1889 and 1890, respectively. (*Sessional Papers, No. 75.*)

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 Agriculture for the Dominion of *Canada*, for the calendar year 1889. (*Sessional Papers, No. 6.*)

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 *Brantford, Waterloo and Lake Erie Railway Company.*"

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Rainy River Boom Company*."

Bill intituled: "An Act to confirm the agreement between the *Montreal and Western Railway Company* and the *Canadian Pacific Railway Company*."

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Victoria and Sault Ste. Marie Junction Railway Company*."

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act incorporating the *Manitoba and South-Eastern Railway Company*."

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Owen Sound and Lake Huron Railway Company*."

Also, the senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the *Calgary Water Power Company (Limited)*;" with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

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

(In the Committee.)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One million six hundred and forty-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Sault Ste. Marie Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Lachine Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One million dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Cornwall Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Farran's Point Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Rapide Plat Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and forty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the *Galops Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One million dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. Laurence River and Canals, Lake St. Louis and Canals between Lakes St. Louis and St. Francis*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. Laurence River and Canals*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Murray Canal* towards completing the present works, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty-four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—*Welland Canal*, \$80,000; Deepening to 14 feet throughout, \$92,000; Land, damages, &c., Grand River, \$12,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Trent River navigation*, construction of locks and the improvement of navigation between *Lakefield and Balsam Lake*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Grenville Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eleven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Tay Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two 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, 1891.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the following expenses, viz.:—*Lachine Canal*, construc-

tion of a bridge over the Canal, *Wellington* street, *Montreal*, \$45,000; For drainage of land and leakage of banks from *Lachine* to *Côte St. Paul*, \$8,400; For purchase or erection of a telephone line, \$1,600, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-seven thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the following expenses, viz.:—*Welland* Canal—Bridge over old Lock No. 2 and road, \$5,700; Overhauling the superstructure of the pier at *Port Dalhousie*; removal of shoal; also, construction of piers for bridge at *Thorold*, \$25,000; Reconstructing culvert under feeder above junction, \$3,000; Repairing piers, *Port Colborne* and *Port Maitland*, and canal bank summit level, \$10,000; To repair banks damaged by high water and storm of 9th January, 1889, \$3,600, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-three thousand two hundred and forty-six dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the following expenses, viz.:—*Chambly* Canal—Raising banks, lowering bottom of canal, rebuilding lock walls, &c., \$15,000; Dredging, building dry rubble walls, rebuilding lock walls, raising banks, &c., \$28,246, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards overhauling foundation of *St. Ours* Lock, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for strengthening old pier below *St. Ann's* Lock, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the following purposes in connection with *Carillon* and *Grenville* Canals:—To provide for two sets of stop-logs and supports, \$2,000; To pay land damages and services of valuers, \$1,000; Toward telephone communication on *Carillon* and *Grenville* Canals, \$1,700, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

21. *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, *Cornwall* Canal, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to build a landing pier at *Lakefield*, and repair the roads at *Buckhorn* in connection with *Trent* River navigation, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following expenses in connection with *Rideau* Canal, viz.:—For works necessary to complete the supply to the canal and the *Gananoque* River, \$11,000; Construction of a dredge, \$15,000; Construction of bridge over the canal between Concessions C and D, *Nepean* Front, \$9,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand one hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay for cleaning bottom of *Beauharnois* Canal, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Canals, viz.:—Miscellaneous works not otherwise provided for, \$15,000; Arbitrations and awards, \$5,000; Surveys and inspections, \$10,000; General dredging, canals, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Railway surveys and inspections, \$20,000; Railway statistics, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three millions and eighty-three thousand one hundred and forty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Post office, as follow, viz.:—Mail Service, \$1,776,000; Salaries and allowances, \$1,110,940; Miscellaneous, \$206,200, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty-six thousand nine hundred and ten dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for expenses in connection with the Government of the *North-West Territories*, viz.:—Travelling expenses of officials, \$2,000; Probable cost of elections, \$1,000; Printing and advertising, including translation of Ordinances, \$7,000; Stationery, telegrams, postage and telephone, \$2,000; Schools, \$86,500; Roads and bridges, \$35,000; Legal expenses, including Legal Adviser's salary, \$1,500; Clerical assistance, \$9,000; Library books and subscription to newspapers, \$2,000; Caretakers and messengers for Legislative Hall and Government House, \$2,000; Maintenance of insane patients in *Manitoba Penitentiary*, \$6,000; Light and fuel for Legislative Hall and Government House, \$1,500; Cost of managing four boring machines, \$3,000; Miscellaneous Justice, including light, fuel and stationery for Sheriff's office, \$800; Rent for court rooms, Sheriff's office, \$500; Stationery for Judges of Supreme Court, \$200; Salaries for caretakers of Court Houses, *Regina, Prince Albert and Calgary*, \$2,000; Proceedings in matters of lunacy, \$300; Costs of publication of Magistrates' returns and clerk fees, under sec. 103, chap. 178, 49 *Vic.*, \$1,500; Advertising sittings of court, \$700; Reporting and printing proceedings and judgments of Supreme Court in Banc, \$500; Incidental justice, \$500; Judge *Richardson's* claim, \$500; Contingencies, \$5,750; For salaries of Inspectors, Registrar and Clerks, contingencies, &c., in the *North-West Territories*, \$15,160, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

*Friday, 21st March, 1890.*

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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. *Trow* moved, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*, and the Question being put, That when this House adjourns on Friday, the 21st instant, it do stand adjourned until Wednesday next, at Three o'Clock, P. M.; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

YEAS :

Messieurs

<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Girouard,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Moffat,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Montague,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Pope,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin),</i>
<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>	<i>Small,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville) and</i>
<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Smith (Sir Donald),</i>	<i>Wood (Westm't'd)—59.</i>
<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>	

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd)</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Watson, and</i>
<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.)</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John)—24.</i>

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

And then The House, having continued to sit till five minutes after One of the Clock on Friday morning, adjourned till this day.

Friday, 21st March, 1890.

## PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *O'Brien*,—The Petition of the Reverend *George Johnson*, Rector, and others, of the Parish of *Dunkam*, County of *Missisquoi*; the Petition of the Reverend *C. Boyd*, B.A., LL.D., and others, of North *Wakefield*, County of *Ottawa*; the Petition of the Reverend *J. Gilbert Baylis*, B.D., Rector, and others, of the Parish of *Longueuil*, County of *Chambly*; the Petition of the Reverend *James Carmichael*, Junr, Rector, and others, of the Parish of *Berthier en haut*, County of *Berthier*; the Petition of the Reverend *John Ker*, B.D., Rector, and others, of *Grace Church*, *Montreal*; and the Petition of the Reverend *David Lindsay*, M.A., Rector and Archdeacon of *Bedford*, of the Parish of *St. Luke*, *Waterloo*, County of *Shefford*, all of *Quebec*.

By Mr. *Robillard*,—The Petition of the Reverend *F. W. Farries* and others, of *Knox Church*, *Ottawa*.

By Mr. *Macdonald (Huron)*,—The Petition of *D. B. McRae* and others, of *Cranbrook* congregation, Presbytery of *Maitland*, of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*.

By Mr. *Denison*,—Two Petitions of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour, *Toronto, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Rowand*,—The Petition of *F. A. MacLennan* and others, of South *Kinloss* Presbytery of *Maitland*, of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*.

By Sir *Richard J. Cartwright*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Oxford, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Mara*,—The Petition of *Harry Abbott* and others, of the City of *Vancouver, British Columbia*.

By Mr. *Cockburn*,—The Petition of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; the Petition of *William J. Dart*, Rector, and others, of the Parish of *St. Lambert*; the Petition of the Reverend *E. McManus*, Rector, and others, of the Parish of *Chambly*, County of *Chambly*; the Petition of the Reverend *J. Ellegood*, Rector, and others, of the Parish of *St. James the Apostle*; the Petition of the Reverend *G. Osborne Troop*, Rector, and others, of the Parish of *St. Martin*; the Petition of the Reverend *William L. Mills*, B. D., Rector, and others, of the Parish of *Trinity*; the Petition of the Reverend *R. Lindsay*, Rector, and others, of the Parish of *St.*

*Thomas*; the Petition of the Reverend *James Carmichael*, Rector, and others, of the Parish of *St. George*, all of *Montreal*; the Petition of the Reverend *L. V. Larivière*, Incumbent, and others, of the Parish of *St. Hyacinthe*; and the Petition of the Reverend *F. R. Smith*, Rector of *St. James' Church*, and others, of the Parish of *Hull*, County of *Ottawa*, all of *Quebec*.

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

Of *Charles Whelan* and others of *Centreville*; of Messieurs. *P. & P. Murphy* and others, of *Stoco*; of *S. Hicks* and others, of *Moscow*; of the Corporation of the Village of *Gananoque*; of *J. D. Wagar* and others, of *Enterprise*; of *M. S. Murphy* and others, of *Erinsville*; of *Hamilton Armstrong* and others, of *Napanee Mills*; of *Robert Gordon* and others, of *Tweed*; of *E. H. Douglas* and others, of *Tamworth*; of *E. W. Benjamin* and others, of *Yarker*; of *John Sigsworth* and others, of *Portland*, *Parham* and *Verona*; of *J. B. Aylesworth*, *Reeve*, and others, of *Newburgh*; of *Joseph S. Crothers* and others, of *Marlbank*; and of *James S. Haydon* and others, of *Camden East*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, respecting the *Napanee, Tamworth and Quebec Railway Company*, may become law.

Of *F. B. Stacey* and others, of the Townships of *Ekfrid* and *Metcalfe*, County of *Middlesex*; of *Edward Barrass* and others, of the Methodist Church, *Pickering*; of *Johnston Stewart* and others, of the Town of *Niagara Falls*, County of *Welland*; of the Reverend *David Carscaden* and others, of *Knox Church, Ripley*, Presbytery of *Maitland*, of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*, all of *Ontario*; of *James Hoskin* and others, of *South Dufferin*; and of *George Foster* and others, of *Cypress River* and *Glenboro'*, all of *Manitoba*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to secure the better observance of the Lord's Day.

Of Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, No. 1, *Hamilton*; and of Local Assembly, No. 6952, Knights of Labour, *Peterborough*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to provide for the examination and licensing of persons having charge of stationary steam engines, &c.

Of Brickmakers' and Masons' Union, No. 1, *Hamilton*; and of Local Assembly, No. 6952, Knights of Labour, *Peterborough*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act for the protection of workmen engaged in the construction or repairs of railways.

Of Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, No. 1, *Hamilton*; and of Local Assembly, No. 6952, Knights of Labour, *Peterborough*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for a certain amendment of the Act for the prevention and suppression of combinations formed in restraint of trade.

Of *D. T. Martel*, Mayor, and others, members of the Municipal Council of the Village of *Chambly Basin*; and of *Toussaint Bachard*, Mayor, and others, of *St. Bruno*, all of the County of *Chambly, Quebec*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, to incorporate the *Montréal Bridge Company*, may become law.

Of Local Assembly, No. 6952, Knights of Labour, *Peterborough, Ontario*; praying for a certain amendment of the Act respecting threats, intimidation and other offences.

Of Local Assembly, No. 6952, Knights of Labour, *Peterborough, Ontario*; praying for an amendment of the Seamen's Agreement Act.

Of Local Assembly, No. 6952, Knights of Labour, *Peterborough, 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 Brickmakers' and Masons' Union, No. 1, *Hamilton, Ontario*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, to amend the Civil Service Act, may become law.

Mr. *Taylor*, 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:—

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The Report of their Sub-Committee appointed to audit the Printing Accounts for the Printing Services of Parliament for the past year, together with the Parliamentary Printing Account, Annual Statement, from the 1st July, 1888, to the 30th June, 1889, all thereto annexed ; which, having adopted, they respectfully recommend for the consideration of both Houses.

REPORT OF THE SUB-COMMITTEE.

COMMITTEE ROOM,  
FRIDAY, 7th March, 1890.

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 the Annual Statement of the Parliamentary Printing Account for the past fiscal year, from the 1st July, 1888, to the 30th June, 1889, was examined, and shows the total cost of the Parliamentary Printing, for that year, to have been \$65,686.02 ; this sum includes all expenses of management, salaries, &c., in connection with the Printing of Parliament.

The expenditure was examined and compared, item by item, with the accounts as submitted, which being receipted, and also accompanied by the cheques by which they were paid, thus forming complete vouchers, have satisfied the Sub-Committee of their correctness ; and they have so certified under their signatures.

All which is respectfully submitted.

D. BERGIN, *Chairman.*  
JAMES A. LOUGHEED,  
ROBERT READ,  
JAMES TROW,  
ALPH. DESJARDINS.

DR. PARLIAMENTARY PRINTING ACCOUNT, Annual Statement from 1st July, 1888, to 30th June, 1889. Cr.

Receipts.	Amount.	Vouchers, No	Expenditure.	Amount.
1888-89.				\$ cts.
Letters of Credit—Appropriation Account.....	80,000 00	1888-89.	Printing Account to 30th June, 1889 : \$50,029.64, less paper refunded, \$3,066.62.....	46,973 02
REFUNDS :—		1	Binding.....	7,872 13
Account, Printing Private Bills.....	469 65	2	Printing Paper (included in the Printing Account).....	2,219 60
		3	Lithographing.....	107 50
		4	Insurance.....	5,800 00
		5	Salaries..... ( Amount paid.....\$5,700 00 )	348 42
		6	Postage..... ( Rebate, Sup. Pre. .... 100 00 )	202 50
		7	Miscellaneous.....	2,636 50
		8	Geological Survey, Extra Copies of Report.....	66,159 67
		9	Total Expenditure.....	14,309 98
	\$80,469 65		Undrawn and unused, including cost of Printing Private Bills.....	80,469 65
			Expenditure, as above.....	\$66,159 67
			REFUNDS :—	
			Account Miscellaneous, balance of cash deposited by <i>L. Dubé</i> .....	\$ 4 00
			Account, Private Bills Printing.....	469 65
			Total cost, Parliamentary Printing.....	473 65
				\$65,686 02

Audited and found correct.  
 D. BERGIN, *Chairman*  
 ROBERT READ,  
 ALPH. DESJARDINS,  
 JAMES TROW,  
 JAMES A. LOUGHEED.

HENRY HARTNEY,  
*Clerk, Printing of Parliament.*

COMMITTEE ROOM,  
 30th June, 1889.

Ottawa, 19th December, 1889.

J. L. McDougall,  
*Auditor General.*

Mr. *Bergeron*, from the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented to the House the Sixteenth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have examined the Petition of the *Columbia and Kootenay Railway and Navigation Company*, for leave 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.

On motion of Mr. *Mara*, seconded by Mr. *Barnard*.

*Ordered*, That the Petition of *Harry Abbott* and others, of the City of *Vancouver, British Columbia*, presented this day, be now read.

And the said Petition was read and received; praying for an Act incorporating them under the name of “*The Columbia and Kootenay Railway and Navigation Company*,” and for other purposes.

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

*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 Wednesday next.

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

*Resolved*, That a Message be sent to the Senate requesting that their Honours will give leave to the Honourable Sir *David Lewis Macpherson*, K.C.M.G., one of their Members, to attend and give evidence before the Select Standing Committee on Privileges and Elections in the enquiry relating to the connection of *John Charles Rykert*, Esquire, Member for *Lincoln and Niagara*, with a grant of certain Timber Limits in the *North-West Territories*.

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

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

*Ordered*, That the evidence taken before the Select Standing Committee on Privileges and Elections; and also, any Letters, Documents or Papers which may be filed with the Chairman by Mr. *Rykert*, be printed from day to day for the use of Members of the Committee; and that Rule 94 of this House be suspended in relation thereto.

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

(*In the Committee.*)

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 respecting the *Calgary Water Power Company, Limited*,” 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 respecting the *Pontiac Pacific Junction 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 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 *Elbow River Water Power 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 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 *Saskatchewan Railway and Mining 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 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 *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.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting *H. H. Vivian and Company (Limited)*;

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 *Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada*;

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

The Committee of Supply was then resumed.

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and eighty-five thousand two hundred and seventy-six dollars and twenty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, for expenses connected with Excise, viz. :—Salaries of Officers and Inspectors of Excise, \$277,881.25; To provide for the appointment of eight 3rd class Excisemen, \$4,800; To increase the salaries of Excise Officers in *Manitoba*, in lieu of board allowance, \$695; Preventive service, \$15,800; To provide for increases dependent

upon the result of Excise examinations, \$2,000; To provide for extra duty, 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 *A. Fréchette* for translation of circulars, Orders in Council, &c., \$150; To pay Collectors of Customs, allowance on duties collected by them, \$3,500; Commission to sellers of stamps for *Canada Twist Tobacco*, \$250; To increase the salary of *Patrick Cullen*, Messenger and Cartaker, *Montreal*, Inland Revenue Office, \$200; Special—To enable the Department to supply methylated spirits to manufactories, the cost of which will be recouped by the manufacturers to whom they are supplied, \$5,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-nine thousand one hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for expenses of Culling Timber, viz.:—*Montreal*—Deputy Supervisor, \$900; *Quebec*—Salaries, \$5,550; *Three Rivers*—Deputy Supervisor, \$300; Clerk, \$500; Contingencies, \$5,000; Pay of Cullers, \$8,300; Superannuated Cullers, \$8,600, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-two thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay expenses connected with Weights and Measures and Gas:—Salaries of Inspectors and Assistant Inspectors of Weights and Measures; To pay the salaries of the following Assistant Inspectors of Weights and Measures:—*Robert Magnes*, *W. J. McDonell*, Assistant Inspector at *Pictou, N.S.*; Salary of the Chief Inspector of Standards, \$52,800; Salaries of Inspectors of Gas, \$12,700; Rent, fuel, travelling expenses, postage, stationery, &c., for Weights and Measures, \$18,000; Rent, fuel, travelling expenses, postage, stationery, &c., for Gas, \$8,000; Fitting up 5 new gas offices, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *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 expenditure under the Act for the Inspection of Staples, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *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, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand one hundred and five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Minor Revenues, viz.:—Minor Revenues, \$800; Ordnance Lands, \$3,305, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and nine thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *North-West Mounted Police*:—Pay of Force, \$320,000; Subsistence, \$91,250; Forage, \$82,000; Fuel and light, \$35,000; Clothing, \$60,000; Repairs, renewals, replacement of horses, arms and ammunition, \$45,000; Medicines, medical comforts and hospital expenses, \$4,000; Books, stationery and printed forms, \$4,000; Scouts, guides, billeting charges, travelling allowances, transport of men and horses, \$60,000; Contingencies, \$8,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and thirty-six thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Salaries and Disbursements of Fishery Overseers and Wardens—*Ontario*, \$20,000; *Quebec*, \$14,000; *Nova Scotia*, \$20,000; *New Brunswick*, \$20,000; *Prince Edward Island*, \$3,500; *Manitoba*, *Kewatin* and *North-West Territories*, \$3,000; *British Columbia*, \$6,000; Maintenance and building of fish-breeding establishments, fish-ways 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 and *Ottawa Hatchery*, \$2,000; 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, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

*Saturday, 22nd March, 1890.*

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair ; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported that the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received on Wednesday next.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)*, 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 Wednesday next, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

And then The House, having continued to sit till a quarter of an hour after Twelve of the Clock on Saturday morning, adjourned till Wednesday next at Three o'Clock, P.M.,

Wednesday, 26th March, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *McKay*,—The Petition of the *Hamilton* Trades and Labour Council.

By Sir *John A. Macdonald*,—The Petition of the *Winnipeg* Board of Trade.

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

Of the Reverend *J. G. Norton*, D.D., Rector, and others ; of the Reverend *Jervois A. Newnham*, Rector, and others, of the Parish of *St. Matthias* ; of the Reverend *John Edgecumbe*, Rector, and others, of the Parish of *St. Mary's* ; of the Reverend *John Ker*, B.D., Rector, and others, of the Parish of *Grace Church* ; of the Reverend *J. Ellegood*, Rector, and others, of the Parish of *St. James the Apostle* ; of the Reverend *G. Osborne Troop*, Rector, and others, of the Parish of *St. Martin* ; of the Reverend *William L. Mills*, B.D., Rector, and others, of the Parish of *Trinity* ; of the Reverend *R. Lindsay*, Rector, and others, of the Parish of *St. Thomas* ; of the Reverend *James Carmichael*, Rector, and others, of the Parish of *St. George*, all of the City of *Montreal* ; of the Reverend *J. Gilbert Baylis*, B.D., Rector, and others, of the Parish of *Longueuil* ; of the Reverend *William J. Dart*, Rector, and others, of the Parish of *St. Lambert* ; of the Reverend *E. McManus*, Rector, and others, of the Parish of *Chambly*, all of the County of *Chambly* ; of the Reverend *C. Boyd*, B.A., LL.D., and others, of *North Wakefield* ; of the Reverend *F. R. Smith*, Rector of *St. James' Church*, and others, of the Parish of *Hull*, all of the County of *Ottawa* ; of the Reverend *Charles Bancroft*, M.A., Rector, and others, of the Parish of *Sutton*, County of *Brome* ; of the Reverend *George Johnson*, Rector, and others, of the Parish of *Dunham*, County of *Missisquoi* ; of the Reverend *James Carmichael*, Junr., Rector, and others, of the Parish of *Berthier en haut*, County of *Berthier* ; of the Reverend *David Lindsay*, M.A., Rector, and Archdeacon of *Bedford*, of the Parish of *St. Luke, Waterloo*, County of *Shefford* ; of the Reverend *L. V. Larivière*, Incumbent, and others, of the Parish of *St. Hyacinthe*, all of *Quebec* ; of the Reverend *F. W. Farries*, and others, of *Knox Church, Ottawa* ; of *D. B. McRae* and others, of *Cranbrook*

congregation, Presbytery of *Maitland*, of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*; and of *F. A. MacLennan* and others, of South *Kinloss*, Presbytery of *Maitland*, of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to secure the better observance of the Lord's Day.

Of the President and Members of the Canadian Institute, the Mayor and Corporation, the Board of Trade, the Harbour Commissioners, and others, of the City of *Toronto*; praying that the 24-hour notation of time and the hour zone system of reckoning may be sanctioned by law in the Dominion of *Canada*.

Of *William Fauvet*, Mayor, and others of *New Carlisle* and *Paspébiac*, *Quebec*; praying the House to adopt such measures as it may deem necessary for the establishment of a faster and more effective mail service between *Campbellton* and *Gaspé*.

Of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; praying for an amendment of the Act respecting Trades' Unions.

Of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; praying for a certain amendment of the Act respecting threats, intimidations and other offences.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Oxford*, *Ontario*; praying that any Bill that may be introduced, having for its object the amendment of the Railway Act, in the matter of drainage across railways, may become law.

Of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; praying for certain amendments to the Bill now before Parliament, intitled: "An Act to prohibit the importation and migration of foreigners and aliens under contract or agreement to perform labour in *Canada*," before the same becomes law.

Mr. Speaker communicated to the House the following letter:—

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S SECRETARY,  
OTTAWA, 24th March, 1890.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that the Honourable Sir *William Ritchie*, acting as Deputy to His Excellency the Governor General, will proceed to the Senate Chamber on Wednesday, the 26th instant, at 4 o'clock, P.M., 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.

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

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

1. The date when Private *C. T. Hurrell* was notified by the Government of the passing of the Order in Council of the 13th November, 1888, granting him a pension.
2. The amounts paid him by way of gratuity or pension, and the dates of such payments.

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

*Ordered*, That the Return to an Order of the House of Commons, dated the 26th February, 1889, showing public buildings erected in various places throughout the Dominion, from 1st July, 1867, to 1st January, 1889, giving date of the first appropriation made for same, locality in which erected and total cost to date of 1st January, 1889, be referred to the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament.

Mr. *Dewdney*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 24th February, 1890, for a copy of the memorials sent by

*Joseph Holden* and *John Shera* to the Honourable *Edgar Dewdney*, Minister of the Interior, respecting second Homesteads in the Territories. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 33f.)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 10th March, 1890, for a statement showing:—

1st. All moneys in the hands of the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs, belonging to the Indians of the *Caughnawaga* Reserve;

2nd. All the several sources from which the said moneys were derived. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 43b.)

Also, Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 29th January, 1890:—

(1.) For copies of all petitions addressed to His Excellency the Governor General by settlers in the districts of *Cranberry*, *Cedar*, *Wellington*, *Nanoose*, and *Nanaimo*, *British Columbia*, asking the privilege of obtaining the lands on which they had squatted on the Island Railway Reserve on ordinary terms allowed to settlers, viz., that their grant should include surface and minerals.

(2.) For copies of all Orders in Council passed to authorize a Commission to enquire into the claims of the said settlers. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 76.)

And also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 24th February, 1890, for a Return showing receipts and expenses of each *North-West Territories* Registry office from 1887 to 1889. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 33g.)

Sir *John A. Macdonald*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,— Return to an Order of this House, dated 12th February, 1890, for a statement showing the names of all persons who sold to the Dominion Government since 1st January, 1886, property located in *St. Laurent* and *Lauzon* Wards in the Town of *Lévis*, with a view to widening the roadway of the Intercolonial Railway, and an extension of the station at *Lévis*; the amount paid to each proprietor; the amounts paid for commissions; the rate of percentage, and the persons to whom such amounts were paid. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 41a.)

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

(*In the Committee.*)

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

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

MR. SPEAKER,

Sir *William Johnstone Ritchie*, 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 amend the Act to incorporate the *Alberta* Railway and Coal Company.

An Act to incorporate the *Sault Ste. Marie* and *Hudson's Bay* Railway Company.

An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the *Belleville* and *Lake Nipissing* Railway Company.

An Act to incorporate the *Lindsay*, *Bobcaygeon* and *Pontypool* Railway Company.

An Act respecting the *Port Arthur*, *Duluth* and *Western* Railway Company.

An Act respecting the *Goderich* and *Canadian Pacific Junction* Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to "The *Goderich* and *Wingham* Railway Company."

An Act to incorporate the *Tilsonburg*, *Lake Erie* and *Pacific* Railway Company.

- An Act to incorporate the *Canada Cable Company*.  
 An Act to amend the *Canadian Pacific Railway Act, 1889*, and for other purposes.  
 An Act respecting the *People's Bank of New Brunswick*.  
 An Act respecting the *St. Stephen's Bank*.  
 An Act to incorporate "*Belding, Paul Company (Limited)*."  
 An Act to amend "*The Public Stores Act*."  
 An Act to incorporate the *Mount Forest, Markdale and Meaford Railway Company*.  
 An Act relating to the *Canada Southern Bridge Company*.  
 An Act respecting the *North-Western Coal and Navigation Company (Limited)*.  
 An Act respecting the *Hereford Railway Company*.  
 An Act to change the name of the *Vaudreuil and Prescott Railway Company* to "*The Montreal and Ottawa Railway Company*."  
 An Act to amend the Act fifty-second *Victoria*, chapter four, intituled: "*An Act to authorize the granting of subsidies in land to certain Railway Companies*."  
 An Act to amend the Act respecting *Trade Marks and Industrial Designs*.  
 An Act further to amend the *Dominion Elections Act*, chapter eight of the *Revised Statutes of Canada*.  
 An Act to incorporate the *Ottawa, Morrisburg and New York Railway Company*.  
 An Act respecting the *Manitoba and North-Western Railway Company of Canada*.  
 An Act respecting the *Northern and Western Railway Company of New Brunswick*, and to change the name of the Company to "*The Canada Eastern Railway Company*."  
 An Act to incorporate the *Brandon and South-Western Railway Company*.  
 An Act to confirm an agreement between the *Qu'Appelle, Long Lake and Saskatchewan Railroad and Steamboat Company* and the *Canadian Pacific Railway Company*.  
 An Act respecting the *New Brunswick Railway Company*.  
 An Act to incorporate the *Moncton and Prince Edward Island Railway and Ferry Company*.  
 An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the *Lake Manitoba Railway and Canal Company*.  
 An Act respecting the *Grand Trunk, Georgian Bay and Lake Erie Railway Company*.  
 An Act to incorporate the *Shore Line Railway Bridge Company*.  
 An Act respecting the *Great North-West Central Railway Company*.

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The Committee of Supply was then resumed.

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *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, 1891.
2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with *Census and Statistics*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.
3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to aid the further extension and development of the *dairying interests* in *Canada*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.
4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-six thousand five hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Immigration*, as follow, viz. :—*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 and Interpreter, *Winnipeg*, \$800; Agent, *Brandon*, \$1,400; Agent, *Calgary*, \$1,200; Agent, *Port Arthur*, \$1,000; Agent, *Victoria, B. C.*, \$1,000; Agent, *Vancouver*, \$1,200; Salaries, Agents, *Europe*, \$5,900; Contingencies, Canadian agencies, \$16,000; Aid to Women's Protective Immigration Society, *Montreal*, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

Thursday, 27th March, 1890.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) 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. Wood (*Brockville*) 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 given leave to the Honourable Sir *David Lewis Macpherson*, K.C.M.G., to attend and give evidence before the Select Standing Committee on Privileges and Elections in the enquiry relating to the connection of *John Charles Rykert*, Esquire, Member for *Lincoln* and *Niagara*, with a grant of certain Timber Limits in the *North-West Territories*, as desired by this House in their Message received on Monday last, if he thinks fit.

Also, the Senate have passed the following Bills without any amendment.

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Grand Orange Lodge of *British America*"

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the *Summerside Bank*."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the *Confederation Life Association*."

And then The House, having continued to sit till a quarter of an hour before One of the Clock on Thursday afternoon, adjourned till Three o'Clock, P.M., this day.

Thursday, 27th March, 1890.

#### PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Lépine*,—The Petition of *A. A. Taillon*, Mayor, and Corporation of the City of *Sorel, Quebec*.

By Mr. *Préfontaine*,—The Petition of *Edmund Laque*, Mayor, and others, of the Parish of *Chambly*; and the Petition of *Wilfrid Tremblay*, Mayor, and others, of the Parish of *St. Hubert*, all of the County of *Chambly, Quebec*.

By Mr. *Daly*,—The Petition of *J. E. Gemmel*, M. D., and others, of the Town of *Virden*; the Petition of *Andrew Kelly*, Mayor, and Council of the City of *Brandon*; and the Petition of the *Brandon Board of Trade*.

By Mr. Curran.—The Petition of the Council of the *Montreal* Board of Trade.

By Mr. Ross.—The Petition of *Alfred Pearson*, Mayor, and Council of the City of *Winnipeg*; the Petition of the Municipality of *St. Laurent*, County of *Fairford*; and the Petition of the Board of Trade of the Town of *Minnedosa*, all of *Manitoba*.

By Mr. Cockburn.—The Petition of *Samuel Latham* and others, of *Toronto*, *Ontario*.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,  
*Resolved*, That as the time for the reception of Reports from Committees on Private Bills expires To-day, the same be extended until Thursday, 17th April 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 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. 3.)

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,  
*Ottawa*, 26th March, 1890.

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.

Sir *John A. Macdonald* moved, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, and the Question being put, That the Orders of the Day be now called:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Order of the Day being read, for the House in Committee of Ways and Means;

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*, and the Question being put, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee.

(*In the Committee.*)

**1.** *Resolved*, That it is expedient to amend the Act 49 *Victoria*, Chapter 33—Revised Statutes—intituled "An Act respecting the Duties of Customs," as follow:—

1. By repealing section one of said Act, and substituting the following in lieu thereof:—

In this Act or in any other Act relating to the Customs, unless the context otherwise requires:—

(a) The expression or contraction "*ad val.*" represents and has the meaning of the words "*ad valorem.*"

(b) The initials N.E.S. represent and have the meaning of the words "not elsewhere specified."

(c) The initials N.O.P. represent and have the meaning of the words "not otherwise provided for."

(d) The initials F.O.B. represent and have the meaning of the words "free on board."

(e) The expression "gallon" means an Imperial gallon.

(f) The expression "ton" means two thousand pounds avoirdupois.

(g) The expressions "proof" or "proof spirits" when applied to wines or spirits of any kind, mean spirits of the strength of proof as ascertained by *Sykes' Hydrometer*.

(h) The expression "gauge" when applied to metal sheets or plates or to wire, means the thickness as determined by *Stubbs' Standard Gauge*.

(i) The expression "in diameter" when applied to tubing, means the actual inside diameter measurement.

(j) The expressions "sheet" or "sheets" when applied to metals, mean sheets or plates of not exceeding three-sixteenths of an inch in thickness.

(k) The expressions "plate" or "plates" when applied to metals, mean plates or sheets of more than three-sixteenths of an inch in thickness.

2. By enacting that the interpretation clauses comprised in section 2 of the "Customs Act," 49 *Victoria*, Chapter 32—(Revised Statutes)—as amended, shall, unless the context otherwise requires, apply to, and form a part of this Act; and, that any power conferred upon the Governor in Council by the said "Customs Act" to transfer dutiable goods to the list of goods which may be imported free of duty, shall not be by this Act abrogated or impaired.

3. By repealing sub-section 1 of section 5 of said Act (Revised Statutes), and substituting the following in lieu thereof:

The importation of any goods enumerated in Schedule "D" is hereby prohibited, and any such goods if imported shall thereby become forfeited to the Crown, and shall be forthwith destroyed,—and any person importing any such goods shall in each case incur a penalty of Two hundred dollars.

4. By enacting that all medicinal or toilet preparations imported for completing the manufacture thereof, or for the manufacture of any other article by the addition of any ingredient or ingredients, or by mixing such preparations, or by putting up or labelling the same alone or with other articles or compounds under any proprietary or trade name, shall be, irrespective of cost, valued for duty and duty paid thereon at the ordinary market value in the country from whence imported of the completed preparation when put up and labelled under such proprietary or trade name, less the actual cost of labour and material used or expended in *Canada* in completing the manufacture thereof or of putting up or of labelling the same.

5. By enacting that regulations respecting the manner in which molasses and syrups shall be sampled and tested for the purpose of determining the classes to which they shall belong with reference to the duty chargeable thereon shall be made by the Minister of Customs, and the instruments and appliances necessary for such determination shall be designated by him and supplied to such officers as shall be by him charged with the duty of sampling and testing such molasses and syrups; and the decision of any officer (to whom is so assigned the testing of such articles) as to the duties to which they are subject under the tariff, shall be final and conclusive, unless upon appeal to the Commissioner of Customs within thirty days from the rendering of such decision, such decision is, with the approval of the Minister, changed, and the decision of the Commissioner with such approval shall be final.

6. By enacting that any goods or packages being the growth, produce or manufacture of *Canada*, and, having been exported therefrom and intended to be returned, may be admitted free of duty on being re-imported to *Canada*, provided such goods or packages were entered for exportation, and branded or marked by a Collector or proper officer of Customs, and fully identified by the Collector or proper officer at the port or place where they are so re-imported; and further, provided that the property in such goods or packages has continued in the same person or persons by whom they were exported, and that such re-importation takes place within one year of the exportation thereof.

7. By enacting that any person who sends or brings into *Canada*, or who, being in *Canada*, has in his possession any bill-heading or other paper appearing to be a heading or blank capable of being filled up and used as an invoice, and bearing any certificate purporting to show, or which may be used to show that the invoice which

may be made from such bill-heading or blank is correct or authentic, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and liable to a penalty of Five hundred dollars or to imprisonment to a term not exceeding Twelve months, or both, in the discretion of the court, and the goods which may be entered under any invoice made from any such bill-heading or blank shall be forfeited.

8. By striking out from the Schedule "A" to said Act the following headings, viz. :—

The words "Agricultural Implements, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 7 in said schedule.

The words "Books, etc." which immediately precede item 33 in said schedule.

The words "Breadstuffs, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 52 in said schedule.

The word "Carriages" which immediately precedes item 83 in said schedule.

The words "Cotton, manufactures of, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 121 in said schedule.

The words "Fruits (dried) viz. :—" which immediately precede item 162 in said schedule.

The words "Fruit (green) viz. :—" which immediately precede item 165 in said schedule.

The words "Furs, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 174 in said schedule.

The words "Glass and manufactures of, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 181 in said schedule.

The words "Gunpowder and other explosives, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 193 in said schedule.

The words "Iron and manufactures of, viz. :—" which precede item 213 in said schedule.

The words "Pianofortes, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 344 in said schedule.

The words "Steel and manufactures of, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 403 in said schedule.

The words "Stone, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 414 in said schedule.

The words "Sugars, syrups and molasses," which immediately precede item 419 in said schedule.

The word "Tobacco," which immediately precedes item 438 in said schedule.

The words "Trees—fruit trees, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 441 in said schedule.

The words "Vegetables, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 455 in said schedule.

The words "Wools and Woollens, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 473 in said schedule.

**2. Resolved,** That it is expedient to repeal the following items in Schedules "A," "B" and "C" to the Act 49 Victoria, Chapter 33—Revised Statutes—intituled : "An Act respecting the Duties of Customs," viz. :—

Schedule "A," items numbered, 2, 5, 6, 15, 17, 21, 22, 23, 40, 45, 47, 49, 58, 67, 81, 87, 98, 99, 100, 109, 110, 115, 117, 118, 119, 123, 134, 149, 153, 157, 166, 177, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 193, 205, 206, 208, 209, 258, 262, 264, 265, 268, 269, 271, 274, 277, 283, 286, 288, 294, 295, 297, 298, 301, 305, 311, 312, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 335, 336, 340, 341, 342, 358, 361, 363, 370, 372, 376, 379, 385, 387, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 402, 408, 412, 413, 415, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 432, 435, 437, 438, 448, 451, 452, 457, 459, 460, 461, 463, 467, 468, 473, 476, 481, 482.

Schedule "B," items numbered, 489, 490.

Schedule "C," items numbered, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 512, 513, 515, 518, 522, 523, 524, 526, 527, 529, 538, 539, 542, 544, 545, 550, 553, 554, 555, 564, 566, 568, 570,

571, 576, 577, 580, 581, 586, 587, 591, 594, 597, 601, 603, 604, 605, 608, 612, 613, 616, 620, 624, 628, 630, 632, 637, 643, 658, 665, 674, 677, 681, 682, 684, 686, 688, 697, 698, 699, 700, 703, 709, 710, 711, 712, 714, 725, 726, 728, 734, 737, 738, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 751, 756, 760, 762, 763, 764, 765, 769, 774, 778, 782, 793, 796, 801, 803, 804, 809, 810, and to make other provisions in lieu thereof by adding to such respective schedules, as follow :—

## SCHEDULE "A."

1. Acid, acetic and pyroligneous, N.E.S., and vinegar, a specific duty of fifteen cents for each gallon of any strength not exceeding a strength of proof, and for each degree of strength in excess of the strength of proof an additional duty of one cent. The strength of proof shall be held to be equal to six per cent of absolute acid, and in all cases the strength shall be determined in such manner as may be established by the Governor in Council..... 15c. p. gall. & 1c. add'l.
2. Acid, acetic and pyroligneous of any strength, when imported by dyers, calico printers or manufacturers of acetates or colours, for exclusive use in dyeing or printing, or for the manufacture of such acetates or colours in their own factories, under such regulations as may be established by the Governor in Council, a duty of twenty-five cents per gallon and twenty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25c. p. gall and 20 p.c.
3. Acid phosphate, three cents per pound..... 3c. p. lb.
4. Precious stones, polished but not set or otherwise manufactured, and imitations thereof, ten per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10 p.c.
5. Animals, living, viz. :—Cattle, sheep and hogs, thirty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 30 p.c.
6. Artificial flowers, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
7. Feathers of all kinds, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
8. Axle grease, one cent per pound..... 1c. p. lb.
9. Barrels containing petroleum or its products or any mixtures of which petroleum forms a part when such contents is chargeable with a specific duty, forty cents each..... 40c. each.
10. Surgical belts or trusses and suspensory bandages of all kinds, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
11. Blacking, shoe and shoemakers' ink, and shoe, harness and leather dressing, and harness soap, thirty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 30 p.c.
12. Advertising pamphlets, pictures and pictorial show cards, illustrated advertising periodicals, illustrated price lists, advertising calendars, advertising almanacs, tailors' and mantle-makers' fashion plates, and all chromos, chromotypes, oleographs, photographs and other cards, pictures or artistic work of similar kinds, produced by any process other than hand painting or drawing, whether for business or advertising purposes or not, printed or stamped on paper, cardboard or other material, N.E.S., six cents per pound and twenty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 6c. p. lb. and 20 p.c.
13. Geographical, topographical and astronomical maps, charts and globes, N.E.S., twenty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 20 p.c.
14. Newspapers or supplemental editions or parts thereof, partly printed and intended to be completed and published in *Canada*, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
15. Bank notes, bonds, bills of exchange, cheques, promissory notes, drafts, and all similar work unsigned, and bill heads, envelopes, receipts, cards and other commercial blank forms printed,

	or lithographed, or printed from steel or copper or other plates, and other printed matter N.E.S., thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i>	35 p.c.
16.	Bookbinders' tools and implements, including ruling machines, and bookbinders' cloth, ten per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10 p.c.
17.	Fancy work boxes, writing desks, glove boxes, handkerchief boxes, manicure cases, perfume cases, toilet cases and fancy cases for smokers' sets, and all similar fancy articles made of bone, shell, horn, ivory, wood, leather, plush, satin, silk, satinette or paper; dolls and toys of all kinds including sewing machines, when of not more than two dollars in value, and toy whips; ornaments of alabaster, spar, terra-cotta or composition, and statuettes, beads and bead ornaments, N.E.S., thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
18.	Brass in strips for printers' rules, not finished, and brass in strips or sheets of less than four inches in width, fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	15 p.c.
19.	Braces or suspenders and parts thereof, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
20.	Rice, uncleaned, unhulled or paddy, seventeen and a-half per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	17½ p.c.
21.	Wheat flour, seventy-five cents per barrel.....	75 c. p. brl.
22.	Buttons of vegetable ivory, horn, hoof, rubber, vulcanite or composition, ten cents per gross and twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .	10c. p. gr. and 25 p.c.
23.	Carpetting, matting and mats of hemp; carpet linings and stair pads, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
24.	Tobacco pipes of all kinds, pipe mounts, cigar and cigarette holders and cases for the same, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> ....	35 p.c.
25.	Clocks and clock cases of all kinds, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i>	35 p.c.
26.	Clock springs and clock movements, other than for tower clocks, complete or in parts, ten per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10 p.c.
27.	Horse clothing, shaped, N.O.P., thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
28.	Cocoa mats and matting, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
29.	Cocoa paste and chocolate, not sweetened, one cent per pound.....	1c. p. lb.
30.	Cocoa paste and other preparations of cocoa containing sugar, five cents per pound.....	5c. p. lb.
31.	Extract of coffee or substitutes therefor of all kinds, five cents per pound.....	5c. p. lb.
32.	Collars of cotton, linen, or celluloid, twenty-four cents per doz. and thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	24c. p. doz. and 30 p.c.
33.	Combs for dress and toilet of all kinds, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
34.	Coloured fabrics, woven in whole or in part of dyed or coloured cotton yarn, of jute yarn, or of part jute and part cotton yarn or other material except silk, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
35.	Non-elastic webbing, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
36.	Elastic webbing, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
37.	Old and scrap copper, copper in pigs, bars, rods, bolts, ingots and sheathing not polished or coated, and copper seamless drawn tubing, ten per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10 p.c.
38.	Copper, all manufactures of, N.E.S., thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> ....	30 p.c.
39.	Copper in sheets or strips of less than four inches in width, fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	15 p.c.
40.	Cotton cordage and cotton braided cords, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.

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41. Cordage of all kinds, N.E.S., one and one-quarter cents per pound  $1\frac{1}{4}$  cts. p. lb. and ten per cent. *ad valorem*..... and 10 p.c.
42. Cotton denims, drillings, bed-tickings, gingham, plaids, cotton or canton flannels, flannelettes, cotton tennis cloth or striped zephyrs, ducks and drills dyed or coloured, checked and striped shirtings, cottonades, Kentucky jeans, pantaloons, stuffs, and goods of like description, two cents per square yard and fifteen per cent. *ad valorem*..... 2 cts. p. sq. yd. & 15 p.c.
43. Cotton sewing thread in hanks, black, bleached or unbleached three and six cord, twelve and a-half per cent. *ad valorem*.....  $12\frac{1}{2}$  p.c.
44. Jeans and coutilles, when imported by corset and dress stay makers for use in their own factories, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
45. Cuffs of cotton, linen or celluloid, four cents per pair and thirty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 4 cts. p. pair & 30 p.c.
46. Curtains, when made up, trimmed or untrimmed, thirty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 30 p.c.
47. Hammocks and lawn tennis nets and other like articles manufactured of twine, N.E.S., thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 35 p.c.
48. Drain pipes, sewer pipes, chimney linings or vents, and inverted blocks glazed or unglazed, and earthenware tiles, thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 35 p.c.
49. Feathers, viz.:—Ostrich and vulture undressed, fifteen per cent. *ad valorem*..... 15 p.c.
50. Feathers, viz.:—Ostrich and vulture dressed, thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 35 p.c.
51. Apples, 40 cents per barrel..... 40 cts. p. bl.
52. Blackberries, gooseberries, raspberries and strawberries, N.E.S., three cents per pound—the weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty..... 3 cts. p. lb.
53. Cherries and currants, one cent per quart..... 1 ct. p. qt.
54. Cranberries, plums and quinces, thirty cents per bushel..... 30 cts. p. bush.
55. Peaches, one cent per pound—the weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty ..... 1c. p. lb.
56. Gas meters, thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 35 p.c.
57. Crystal and decorated glass table-ware made expressly for mounting with silver-plated trimmings, when imported by manufacturers of plated ware, twenty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 20 p.c.
58. Glass carboys and demijohns empty or filled, bottles and decanters, flasks and phials of less capacity than eight ounces, thirty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 30 p.c.
59. Lamp, gas light and electric light shades, lamps and lamp chimneys, side-lights and head-lights, globes for lanterns, lamps, electric lights and gas lights, N.E.S., thirty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 30 p.c.
60. Common and colourless window glass; and plain, coloured, stained or tinted glass in sheets, twenty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 20 p.c.
61. Ornamental figured, and enamelled coloured glass; painted and vitrified glass; figured, enamelled and obscured white glass; and rough rolled colourless plate glass, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
62. Stained glass windows, thirty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 30 p.c.
63. Silvered plate glass, thirty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 30 p.c.
64. Silvered plate glass, bevelled, thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 35 p.c.

65. Plate glass, not coloured, in panes of not over thirty square feet each, six cents per square foot; and when bevelled, one cent per square foot additional.....	6c. p. sq. ft. & 1c. p. sq. ft. add'l.
66. Plate glass in panes of over thirty and not over seventy square feet each, eight cents per square foot; and when bevelled, one cent per square foot additional.....	8c. p. sq. ft. and 1c. p. sq. ft. add'l.
67. Plate glass in panes of over seventy square feet each, nine cents per square foot; and when bevelled, one cent per square foot additional.....	9c. p. sq. ft. and 1c. p. sq. ft. add'l.
68. Imitation porcelain shades and coloured glass shades, not figured, painted, enamelled or engraved, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
69. All other glass and manufactures of glass, N.O.P., including bent plate glass, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
70. Gloves and mitts of all kinds, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> ....	35 p.c.
71. Gold and silver leaf, and Dutch or schlag metal leaf, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
72. Gun, rifle and pistol cartridges; and cartridge cases of all kinds and materials; percussion caps, and gun wads of all kinds, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
73. Fur felt hats, one dollar and fifty cents per dozen and twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	\$1.50 p. doz. and 20 p. c.
74. Hats and caps, N.E.S., thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
75. Ladies' hats and bonnets, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p. c.
76. Honey and imitations thereof, in the comb or otherwise, three cents per pound.....	3c. p. lb.
77. <i>India</i> rubber boots and shoes, with tops or uppers of cloth or of material other than rubber, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> ...	35 p.c.
78. <i>India</i> rubber boots and shoes, and other manufactures of <i>India</i> rubber, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
79. Corset clasps, spoon clasps or busks, blanks, busks, side steels and other corset steels, whether plain, japanned, lacquered, tinned or covered with paper or cloth; also, buck, bone or corset wires, covered with paper or cloth, cut to lengths and tipped with brass or tin, or untipped, or in coils, five cents per pound and thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	5c. p. lb. & 30 p.c.
80. Ferro-manganese, ferro-silicon, spiegel, steel bloom ends and crop ends of steel rails, for the manufacture of iron or steel, two dollars per ton.....	\$2 p. ton.
81. Builders', cabinet-makers', harness-makers' and saddlers' hardware, including curry-combs, carriage hardware, locks, butts and hinges, N.E.S., and tools of all kinds, N.E.S., thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
82. Fire-arms, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
83. Surgical and dental instruments of all kinds, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
84. Lap-welded iron tubing, threaded and coupled or not, one and one-half to two inches inclusive in diameter, for use exclusively in artesian wells, petroleum pipe lines and petroleum refineries, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
85. Other wrought iron tubes or pipes, one and three-quarter cents per pound.....	1½ c. p. lb.
86. Wrought iron or steel nuts and washers, iron or steel rivets, bolts with or without threads, nut and bolt blanks, T and strap hinges and hinge blanks, N.E.S., one cent per pound and twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	1c. p. lb. & 25 p.c.
87. Jellies, jams and preserves, N.E.S., five cents per pound.....	5c. p. lb.

88. Laces, braids, fringes, embroideries, cords, tassels, and bracelets; braids, chains or cords of hair; lace collars and all similar goods, lace nets and nettings of cotton, silk, linen or other material, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
89. Lard, tried or rendered, three cents per pound, the weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty.....	3c. p. lb.
90. Lard, untried, two cents per pound, the weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty.....	2c. p. lb.
91. Lead, nitrate and acetate of, not ground, five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i>	5 p.c.
92. Lead pipe and lead shot, one and one-half cents per pound .....	1½c. p. lb.
93. Leather-board and leatheroid, three cents per pound.....	3c. p. lb.
94. Skins for morocco leather, tanned but not further manufactured, ten per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10 p.c.
95. Belting leather and upper leather, including kid, lamb, sheep and calf, tanned or dressed but not waxed or glazed, fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> ; and if dressed, waxed or glazed, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	15 p.c. 20 p.c.
96. Belting of leather or other material, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
97. Liquorice paste, two cents per pound.....	2c. p. lb.
98. Liquorice in rolls or sticks, three cents per pound.....	3c. p. lb.
99. Extract of malt (non-alcoholic) for medicinal purposes, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
100. Magic lanterns and slides therefor, philosophical, photographic, mathematical and optical instruments, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
101. Mess pork, as defined by the General Inspection Act, one and one-half cents per pound.....	1½c. p. lb.
102. Meats, fresh or salted, N.E.S., three cents per pound.....	3c. p. lb.
103. Dried or smoked meats and meats preserved in any other way than salted or pickled, N.E.S., three cents per pound; if imported in tins the weight to include the weight of the tin....	3c. p. lb.
104. Milk food and other similar preparations, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
105. Mucilage, and liquid glue, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
106. Mustard seed, ten per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10 p.c.
107. Linseed or flaxseed oil, raw or boiled, one and one-quarter cents per pound.....	1¼c. p. lb.
108. Lubricating oils composed wholly or in part of petroleum and costing less than thirty cents per gallon, seven and one-fifth cents per gallon.....	7½c. p. gall.
109. Oil cloth and oiled silk, in the piece, cut or shaped, oiled, enamelled, stamped, painted or printed, india-rubbered, flocked or coated, N.O.P., five cents per square yard and fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	5c. p. sq. yd. and 15 p. c.
110. Opium (crude), one dollar per pound, the weight to include the weight of the ball or covering .....	\$1 p. lb.
111. Paintings, prints, engravings, drawings and building plans, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
112. Dry white and red lead, orange mineral and zinc white or carbonate of zinc, five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	5 p.c.
113. Colours, dry, N.E.S., twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
114. Paints and colours, pulped or ground in oil or other liquids N.E.S., thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
115. Paints, ground or mixed in, or with, either japan, varnish, lacquers, liquid dryers, collodion, oil finish or oil varnish;	

	rough stuff, fillers and all liquid prepared or ready mixed paints, N.E.S., five cents per pound and twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> , the weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty.....	5c. p. lb. & 25 p.c.
116.	Oxides, ochres and ochrey earths, fire proofs, umbers and siennas ground or unground, washed or unwashed, calcined or raw, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p. c.
117.	Paints and colours, ground in spirits, and all spirit varnishes and lacquers, one dollar per gallon.....	\$1 p. gall.
118.	Paper hangings or wall paper in rolls, on each roll of eight yards or under, and so in proportion for all greater lengths of the following descriptions, viz. :—	
	(a) Brown blanks, white papers, grounded papers and satins, two cents.....	2c.
	(b) Single print bronzes and coloured bronzes, six cents.....	6c.
	(c) Embossed bronzes, eight cents.....	8c.
	(d) Coloured borders, narrow, and coloured borders, wide, six cents.....	6c.
	(e) Bronze borders, narrow, and bronze borders, wide, fourteen cents.....	14c.
	(f) Embossed borders, fifteen cents.....	15c.
	(g) All other paper hangings or wall paper, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
119.	Paper sacks or bags of all kinds, printed or not, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
120.	Union collar cloth paper in rolls or sheets, not glossed or finished, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
121.	Union collar cloth paper in rolls or sheets, glossed or finished, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
122.	Paraffine wax, stearic acid and stearine of all kinds, three cents per pound.....	3c. p. lb.
123.	Lead pencils of all kinds, in wood or otherwise, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
124.	Perfumery, including toilet preparations (non-alcoholic), viz. :— Hair oils, tooth and other powders and washes, pomatums, pastes and all other perfumed preparations used for the hair, mouth or skin, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
125.	Photographic dry plates, nine cents per square foot.....	9c. p. sq. ft.
126.	Albumenized paper chemically prepared for photographers' use, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
127.	Pickles in bottle, forty cents per gallon, including the duty on the bottles, and each bottle holding less than one-half pint shall be dutiable as containing one-half pint, and each bottle holding more than one-half pint but not more than one pint shall be dutiable as containing one pint, and each bottle holding more than one pint but not more than one quart shall be dutiable as containing one quart.....	40c. p. gall.
128.	Pickles in jars, pottles or other similar vessels, forty cents per gallon on the ascertained quantity, the duty to include the duty on the jar, pottle or other vessel.....	40c. p. gall.
129.	Pickles in bulk, in vinegar or in vinegar and mustard, thirty-five cents per gallon, and in brine or salt, twenty-five cents per gallon.....	35c. p. gall. 25c. p. gall.
130.	Plumbago, fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	15 p.c.
131.	Plumbago, all manufactures of, N. E.S., thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.

132. Printing presses and printing machines, such only as are used in newspaper, book and job printing offices; folding machines and paper cutters used in printing and bookbinding establishments, ten per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10 p.c.
133. Lithographic presses, ten per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10 p.c.
134. Prunella for boots and shoes, and cotton netting for the lining of boots, shoes and gloves, ten per cent. *ad valorem* ..... 10 p.c.
135. Woollen netting for the lining of boots, shoes and gloves, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
136. Red and yellow prussiate of potash, ten per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10 p.c.
137. Rubber belting, hose, packing, mats and matting, and cotton or linen hose lined with rubber, five cents per pound, and fifteen per cent. *ad valorem* ..... 5c. p. lb. and 15 p.c.
138. Sauces and catsups in bottle, forty cents per gallon, and twenty per cent. *ad valorem*; and each bottle holding less than one-half pint shall be dutiable as containing one-half pint, and each bottle holding more than one-half pint but not more than one pint shall be dutiable as containing one pint, and each bottle holding more than one pint but not more than one quart shall be dutiable as containing one quart..... 40c. p. gall.
139. Sauces and catsups in bulk, thirty cents per gallon, and twenty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 30c. p. gall. and 20 p.c.
140. Soy, ten cents per gallon..... 10c. p. gall.
141. Seeds, viz. :—Garden, field and other seed for agricultural or other purposes, N.O.P., when in bulk or in large parcels, 15 per cent. *ad valorem*; when put up in small papers or parcels, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 15 p.c. 25 p.c.
142. Shawls and travelling rugs of all kinds and materials, except silk, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
143. Sewing and embroidery silk and silk twist, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
144. Silver, German silver, and nickel silver, rolled or in sheets; and composition metal for the manufacture of filled gold watch cases, ten per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10 p.c.
145. Slate pencils, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
146. Castile soap, mottled or white, and white soap, two cents per pound. 2c. p. lb.
147. Soap powders, pumice, silver and mineral soaps, sapolio and other like articles, three cents per pound, the weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty..... 3c. p. lb.
148. Spirituous or alcoholic liquors distilled from any material, or compounded from or with distilled spirits of any kind and any mixture thereof with water—for every gallon thereof of any strength not exceeding the strength of proof, and when of a greater strength than the strength of proof, at the same rate on the quantity there would be if reduced to the strength of proof, as follow, viz. :—
- (a) Ethyl alcohol or the substance commonly known as alcohol, hydrated oxide of ethyl, or spirits of wine; gin of all kinds, N.E.S.; rum, whiskey, and all spirituous or alcoholic liquors, N.O.P., one dollar and seventy-five cents.... \$1.75 p. gall.
- (b) Amyl alcohol or fusil oil, or any substance known as potato spirit or potato oil, two dollars ..... \$2 p. gall.
- (c) Methyl alcohol, wood alcohol, wood naphtha, pyroxylic spirit, or any substance known as wood spirit or methylated spirit; absinthe, arrack or palm spirit, brandy, including artificial brandy and imitations of brandy; cordials and liqueurs of all kinds, N.E.S.; ginger wine,

	mescal, pulque, rum shrub, schiedam and other schnapps; tafia, angostura, and similar alcoholic bitters or beverages, two dollars.....	\$2 p. gall.
(d)	Spirits and strong waters of any kind mixed with any ingredient or ingredients and being or known or designated as anodynes, elixirs, essences, extracts, lotions, tinctures, or medicines, N.E.S., two dollars, and thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	\$2 p. gall. & 30 p. c.
(e)	Alcoholic perfumes and perfumed spirits, bay rum, cologne and lavender waters, hair, tooth and skin washes and other toilet preparations containing spirits of any kind, when in bottles or flasks weighing not more than four ounces each, fifty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> ; when in bottles, flasks or other packages weighing more than four ounces each, two dollars, and forty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	50 p. c. \$2 p. gall. & 40 p. c.
(f)	Nitrous ether, sweet spirits of nitre and aromatic spirits of ammonia, two dollars, and thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	\$2 p. gall. & 30 p. c.
(g)	Vermouth containing not more than forty per cent. of proof spirits, seventy-five cents per gallon; if containing more than forty per cent. of proof spirits, two dollars per gallon.....	75 c. p. gall. \$2 p. gall.
(h)	In all cases where the strength of any of the foregoing articles cannot be correctly ascertained by the direct application of the hydrometer, it shall be ascertained by the distillation of a sample, or in such other manner as the Minister of Customs may direct.	
(i)	Each red case of gin of fifteen bottles containing not more than four gallons shall be dutiable as containing four gallons, and each green case of gin of twelve bottles containing not more than two gallons shall be dutiable as containing two gallons; and red or green cases holding a greater or less number of bottles shall be dutiable in proportion to those above specified. As respects all other spirituous or alcoholic liquors, whether in cases or bottles, each bottle holding more than a half pint and not more than a pint shall be dutiable as containing one pint, and each bottle holding more than a pint and not more than a quart shall be dutiable as containing a quart.	
149.	Starch, including farina, corn starch or flour, and all preparations having the qualities of starch, not sweetened or flavoured, two cents per pound; when sweetened or flavoured, four cents per pound.....	2c. p. lb. 4c. p. lb.
150.	Stereotypes, electrotypes and celluloids for almanacs, calendars, illustrated pamphlets, newspaper advertisements or engravings, and all other like work for commercial, trade or other purposes, N.E.S.; and matrices or copper shells of the same, two cents per square inch.....	2c. p. sq. in.
151.	Stereotypes, electrotypes, and celluloids of newspaper columns, and bases for the same, composed wholly or partly of metal or celluloid, three-fourths of one cent per square inch, and matrices or copper shells of the same, two cents per square inch.....	$\frac{3}{4}$ c. p. sq. in. 2c. p. sq. in.
152.	Water limestone or cement stone, one dollar per ton of thirteen cubic feet.....	\$1 p. ton.
153.	Curling stones (so-called) of whatever material made, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p. c.

154. Molasses derived from raw cane sugar in the process of its manufacture direct from the cane, not refined or filtered or bleached or clarified, testing by the polariscope thirty degrees or over and not over fifty-five degrees, when imported direct without transshipment from the country of growth and production, a specific duty of one and one half cents per gallon, or when not so imported, of four cents per gallon; when testing over fifty-five degrees and imported direct without transshipment from the country of growth and production, a specific duty of six cents per gallon, or when not so imported, of eight cents per gallon. 1½c. p. gall. or 4c. p. gall. 6c. p. gall. or 8c. p. gall.
155. Syrups, N.E.S., cane-juice, refined syrup, sugar-house syrup, syrup of sugar, syrup of molasses, syrup of sorghum, corn-syrup, glucose syrup and all syrups or molasses produced in the process of the manufacture of refined sugars, or in the refining of sugars, or in the refining of molasses, or in the production of molasses sugars, and all bleached, clarified, filtered or refined molasses, a specific duty of one cent per pound and thirty per cent. *ad valorem*, and the value for duty shall be the value thereof, f. o. b., at the last port of shipment. 1c. p. lb. and 30 p.c.
156. Provided that molasses when imported for or received into any sugar refinery or sugar factory, or syrup or glucose factory, distillery or brewery, shall be subject to, and there shall be paid thereon, an additional duty of five cents per gallon ..... 5c. p. gall. addn'l.
157. Saccharine or any product containing over one-half of one per cent. thereof, ten dollars per pound..... \$10 p. lb.
158. Sugar candy brown or white, and confectionery including sweetened gums, one and one-quarter cents per pound and thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 1¼c. p. lb. and 35 p.c.
159. Sweetened biscuits of all kinds, candied peels, popcorn, preserved ginger, condensed milk and condensed coffee with milk, thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 35 p.c.
160. Telephones and telegraph instruments; telegraph, telephone and electric light cables; electric and galvanic batteries, electric motors and apparatus for electric lights, including incandescent light globes and insulators of all kinds, N. E. S., twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
161. Stamped tinware, japanned ware, granite ware, enamelled iron ware and galvanized iron ware, thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem* ..... 35 p.c.
162. Tinware and manufactures of tin, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
163. Cut tobacco, forty cents per pound and twelve and a-half per cent. *ad valorem*..... 40c.p.lb. and 12½ p.c.
164. Manufactured tobacco, N.E.S., and snuff, thirty cents per pound and twelve and a-half per cent. *ad valorem*..... 30c.p.lb. and 12½ p.c.
165. Files and rasps, ten cents per dozen and thirty per cent. *ad valorem* ..... 10c. p. doz. and 30 p.c.
166. Picks, mattocks, hammers weighing three pounds each or over, sledges, track tools, wedges or crowbars of iron or steel, one cent per pound and twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 1c. p. lb. and 25 p. c.
167. Shovels and spades, shovel and spade blanks, and iron or steel cut to shape for same, one dollar per dozen and twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... \$1 p. doz. and 25 p.c.
168. Scythe handles or snaths, one dollar per dozen. .... \$1 p. doz.

169. Trunks, valises, hat-boxes, carpet bags, and carpenters' tool baskets, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
170. Satchels, pocket-books and purses, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
171. Plants, viz.:—Fruit, shade, lawn and ornamental trees, shrubs and plants, N.E.S., twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
172. Gooseberry bushes, two cents each.....	2c. each
173. Grape vines costing ten cents and less, three cents each.....	3c. each
174. Raspberry and blackberry bushes, one cent each.....	1c. each
175. Rose bushes, five cents per plant.....	5c. p. plant.
176. Apple trees, of all kinds, two cents each.....	2c. each
177. Peach trees, four cents each.....	4c. each
178. Pear trees, of all kinds four cents each.....	4c. each
179. Plum trees, of all kinds, five cents each.....	5c. each
180. Cherry trees, of all kinds, four cents each.....	4c. each.
181. Quince trees, of all kinds, two and one-half cents each.....	2½c. each.
182. Seedling stock for grafting, viz.:—Plum, pear, peach and other fruit trees, ten per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10 p.c.
183. Cases for jewels and watches, cases for silver and plated ware, and for cutlery and other like articles, ten cents each and thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10c. each and 30 p.c.
184. Cotton twine, one cent per pound and twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	1c. p. lb. 25 p.c.
185. Twine for harvest binders, of jute, manilla or sisal, and of manilla and sisal mixed, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
186. Twine of all kinds, N.E.S., thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
187. Umbrellas, parasols and sunshades of all kinds and materials, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
188. Umbrella, parasol and sunshade sticks or handles, N.E.S., twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
189. Tomatoes and other vegetables, including corn and baked beans, in cans or other packages, weighing not over one pound each, two cents per can or package, and two cents additional per can or package for each pound or fraction of a pound over one pound in weight—and the weight of the cans or other packages to be included in the weight for duty.....	2c. p. can, &c. & 2c. add'l.
190. Vegetables, when fresh or dry salted, N.E.S., including sweet potatoes and yams, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
191. Velveteens, and cotton velvets and cotton plush, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
192. Veneers of wood, not over one-sixteenth of an inch in thickness, ten per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10 p.c.
193. Walking sticks and canes, of all kinds, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
194. Watches, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
195. Watch cases, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
196. Whips of all kinds, except toy whips, fifty cents per dozen and thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	50 p.c. doz. and 30 p.c.
197. Wire, of brass or copper, fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	15 p.c.
198. Wire, covered with cotton, linen, silk or other material, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
199. Pails, tubs, churns, brooms, brushes and other manufactures of wood, N.E.S., and wood pulp, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
200. Fibre ware, indurated fibre ware, vulcanized fibre ware and all articles of like material, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
201. Clothing, ready-made, and wearing apparel of every description composed wholly or in part of wool, worsted, the hair of the	

- alpaca goat or other like animal, made up by the tailor, seamstress or manufacturer, N.O.P., ten cents per pound and twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10c. p. lb. and 25 p.c.
202. Carpets, viz.:—*Brussels*, tapestry, Dutch, Venetian and Damask; carpet mats and rugs of all kinds, N.E.S.; and printed felts and druggets and all other carpets and squares, N.O.P., twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
203. *Smyrna* carpets, mats and rugs, thirty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 30 p.c.
204. Yeast cakes, compressed yeast and baking powders in packages of one pound and over, or in bulk, six cents per pound..... 6 c. p. lb.
205. Yeast cakes, compressed yeast and baking powders in packages of less than one pound in weight, eight cents per pound..... 8 c. p. lb.
206. Wire of all kinds, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
207. Electric arc light carbons or carbon points, two dollars and fifty cents per thousand ..... \$2.50 p. 1000
208. Scrims and window scrims of cotton, plain or coloured, cambric cloths, muslin apron checks, brilliants, cords, piques, diapers, lenos, mosquito nettings; Swiss, jaconets and cambric muslins, and plain, striped or checked lawns, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
209. Manufactures composed wholly or in part of wool, worsted, the hair of the alpaca goat or other like animals, viz.:—Blankets and flannels of every description; cloths, doeskins, cassimeres, tweeds, coatings, overcoatings, felt cloth of every description, N.E.S.; horse-collar cloth; yarn, knitting yarn, fingering yarn, worsted yarn, knitted goods, viz.:—shirts and drawers, and hosiery, N.E.S., ten cents per pound and twenty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10c. p. lb. & 20 p.c.
210. Plough plates, mould boards and land sides when cut to shape from rolled sheets of crucible steel but not moulded, punched, polished or otherwise manufactured and being of a greater value than four cents a pound, twelve and a-half per cent. *ad valorem* ..... 12½ p.c.
211. Wrought scrap iron and scrap steel, being waste or refuse wrought iron or steel and fit only to be re-manufactured, the same having been in actual use, not to include cuttings or clippings which can be used as iron or steel without re-manufacture, two dollars per ton..... \$2 p. ton.
212. Illuminating oils composed wholly or in part of the products of petroleum, coal, shale or lignite costing more than thirty cents per gallon, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
213. Wrought iron or steel sheet or plate cuttings or clippings, as cut at the rolling mills, and fit only for re-rolling and to be used for such purpose only, thirty per cent. *ad valorem* ..... 30 p.c.
214. Sulphuric ether, five cents per pound..... 5c. p. lb.

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SCHEDULE "B."

215. Salmon, pickled or salted, one cent per pound..... 1c. p. lb.
216. All other fish pickled or salted in barrels, one cent per pound. 1c. p. lb.

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SCHEDULE "C." \*

217. Admiralty charts.
218. Alkanet root, crude, crushed or ground.
219. Precious stones, in the rough.

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220. Aloes, ground or unground.
  221. Alum, in bulk only, ground or unground.
  222. Aluminum, or aluminium and alumina and chloride of aluminium or chloralum, sulphate of alumina and alum cake.
  223. Anatomical preparations and skeletons or parts thereof.
  224. Aniline dyes and coal tar dyes, in bulk or packages of not less than one pound weight, including alizarine and artificial alizarine.
  225. Aniline salts and arseniate of aniline.
  226. Antimony, not ground, pulverized or otherwise manufactured.
  227. Ashes, pot and pearl, in packages of not less than twenty-five pounds weight.
  228. Asphalt or asphaltum and bone pitch, crude only.
  229. Argal or argols, crude only.
  230. Beans, viz.:—Tonquin, vanilla and nux vomica, crude only.
  231. Bells, when imported by and for the use of churches.
  232. Bismuth metallic in its natural state.
  233. Books printed by any Government or by any scientific association for the promotion of learning and letters, and issued in the course of its proceedings and supplied gratuitously to its members, and not for the purposes of sale or trade.
  234. Books specially imported for the *bonâ fide* use of public free libraries, not more than two copies of any one book.
  235. Borax ground or unground, in bulk only.
  236. Botanical specimens.
  237. Old scrap brass and brass in sheets or plates of not less than four inches in width.
  238. Fire bricks, for use exclusively in processes of manufactures.
  239. Gold and silver bullion, in bars, blocks or ingots.
  240. Burr stones in blocks, rough or unmanufactured, not bound up or prepared for binding into mill stones.
  241. Cups or other prizes won in competitions.
  242. Cabinets of coins, collections of medals and of other antiquities.
  243. Canvas of not less than forty-five inches in width, not pressed or calendered, for the manufacture of floor oilcloth.
  244. Celluloid or xyolite in sheets, and in lumps, blocks or balls in the rough.
  245. Chalk stone, china or *Cornwall* stone and cliff stone, unmanufactured.
  246. Citron rinds in brine.
  247. Clays, unground.
  248. Anthracite coal and anthracite coal dust.
  249. Cocoa beans, shells and nibs, not roasted, crushed or ground.
  250. Communion plate, when imported by and for the use of churches.
  251. Copper in sheets or plates of not less than four inches in width.
  252. Cotton yarns not coarser than No. 40, unbleached, bleached or dyed, for use in covering electric wires; also, for the manufacture of cotton loom harness; and for use in the manufacture of Italian cloths, cotton, worsted or silk fabrics.
  253. Cotton yarns in cops only, made from single cotton yarns finer than No. 40, when used in their own factories by the manufacturers of Italian cloths, cashmeres and cotton cloths for the selvages of said cloths, and for these purposes only.
  254. Indian corn, of the varieties known as "Southern Dent corn," (Mammoth Southern Sweet), and "Western Dent Corn," (Golden Beauty), when imported to be sown for ensilage, and for no other purpose.
  255. Colours, metallic, viz.:—Oxides of cobalt, zinc and tin, N.E.S.
  256. Diamond drills for prospecting for minerals, not to include motive power.
  257. Diamond dust or bort and black diamonds for borers.
  258. Emery in blocks, crushed or ground.

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259. Entomological specimens.
  260. Extracts of logwood, fustic, and oak bark.
  261. Mexican fibre, and tampico or istle.
  262. Fish hooks, nets and seines, and fishing lines and twines, but not to include sporting fishing tackle or hooks with flies, or trawling spoons, or threads or twines commonly used for sewing or manufacturing purposes.
  263. Foot grease, being the refuse of cotton seed after the oil has been pressed out, but not when treated with alkalies.
  264. Fowls, domestic pure bred, for the improvement of stock, and pheasants and quails.
  265. Gas coke (the product of gas works), when used in Canadian manufactures only.
  266. Grease, rough, the refuse of animal fat, for the manufacture of soap only.
  267. Gums, viz.:—Amber, Arabic, Australian, copal, demar, kaurie, mastic, sandarac, senegal, shellac; and white shellac, in gum or flake, for manufacturing purposes; and gum tragacanth, gum gedda and gum barberry.
  268. Hair, cleaned or uncleaned, but not curled or otherwise manufactured.
  269. Indigo auxiliary or zinc dust.
  270. Brass or steel rolled round wire rods under half an inch in diameter, when imported by wire manufacturers for use in making wire in their factories.
  271. Jute yarn, plain, dyed or coloured, when imported by manufacturers of carpets, rugs and mats, and of jute webbing or jute cloth, for use in their own factories.
  272. Kryolite or cryolite, mineral.
  273. Licorice root, not ground.
  274. Litharge, not ground.
  275. Lemon rinds, in brine.
  276. Lumber and timber planks and boards of boxwood, cherry, chestnut, walnut, gumwood, mahogany, pitch pine, rosewood, sandalwood, sycamore, Spanish cedar, oak, hickory, whitewood, African teak, black heart ebony, lignum vite, red cedar, redwood, satin wood and white ash, when not otherwise manufactured than rough sawn or split; and hickory billets to be used in the manufacture of axe, hatchet, hammer and other tool handles, when specially imported for such use; and the wood of the persimmon and dogwood trees, when imported in blocks for the manufacture of shuttles; and hickory lumber sawn to shape for spokes of wheels, but not further manufactured.
  277. Locomotive driving wheel tires of steel, when in the rough.
  278. Locust beans and locust bean meal for the manufacture of horse and cattle food.
  279. Mineralogical specimens.
  280. Mining machinery imported within three years after the passing of this Act which is at the time of its importation of a class or kind not manufactured in *Canada*.
  281. Models of inventions and of other improvements in the arts; but no article or articles shall be deemed a model which can be fitted for use.
  282. *Iceland* moss and other mosses, and seaweed, crude or in their natural state or only cleaned.
  283. Oil cake and oil cake meal, cotton seed cake and cotton seed meal and palm nut cake and meal.
  284. Oils, viz.:—Cocoanut and palm, in their natural state.
  285. Orange rinds in brine.
  286. Ottar or attar of roses and oil of roses.
  287. Pelts, raw.
  288. Pipe clay, unmanufactured.
  289. Platinum wire; and retorts, pans, condensers, tubing and pipe made of platinum, when imported by manufacturers of sulphuric acid for use in their works in the manufacture or concentration of sulphuric acid.

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290. Rags of cotton, linen, jute, hemp and woollen, paper waste or clippings, and waste of any kind except mineral waste.
291. Rattans and reeds in their natural state.
292. Resin or rosin in packages of not less than one hundred pounds.
293. Roots, medicinal, viz. :—Aconite, calumba, ipecacuanha, sarsaparilla, squills, teraxacum, rhubarb and valerian.
294. Rubber, crude.
295. Seed and breeding oysters, imported for the purpose of being planted in Canadian waters.
296. Seeds, aromatic, which are not edible and are in a crude state, and not advanced in value or condition by grinding or refining or by any other process of manufacture, viz. : Anise, anise-star, caraway, cardamom, coriander, cummin, fennel and fenugreek.
297. Soda sulphate of, crude, known as salt cake, for manufacturing purposes only.
298. Soda ash, caustic soda in drums; silicate of soda in crystals only, bichromate of soda, nitrate of soda or cubic nitre, salsoda; sulphide of sodium, arseniate, binarsenate, chloride and stannate of soda, for manufacturing purposes only.
299. Steel of No. 20 gauge and thinner, but not thinner than No. 30 gauge, to be used in the manufacture of corset steels clock springs and shoe shanks; and flat wire of steel of No. 16 gauge or thinner, to be used in the manufacture of crinoline and corset wire, when imported by the manufacturers of such articles for use in their own factories.
300. Sulphate of iron (coppers); and sulphate of copper (blue vitriol).
301. Terra japonica or gambier.
302. Ultramarine blue, dry or in pulp.
303. Whiting or whitening, gilders' whiting and *Paris* white.
304. Wool and the hair of the alpaca goat and of other like animals, not further prepared than washed, N.E.S.
305. Books printed in any of the languages or dialects of any of the Indian tribes of the Dominion of *Canada*.
306. Brass and copper wire twisted, when imported by manufacturers of boots and shoes for use in their own factories.
307. Noils, being the short wool which falls from the combs in worsted factories.
308. Seeds, viz. :—Beet, carrot, turnip and mangold.
309. Wire, when imported by manufacturers of toilet pins, for use in the manufacture of such articles in their own factories only.
310. Crucible cast steel wire, when imported by manufacturers of wire rope, pianos, card clothing and needles, for use in the manufacture of such articles in their own factories only.
311. Ribs of brass, iron or steel, runners, rings, caps, notches, ferrules, mounts and sticks or canes in the rough or not further manufactured than cut into lengths suitable for umbrella, parasol or sunshade sticks, when imported by manufacturers of umbrellas, parasols and sunshades for use in their factories in the manufacture of umbrellas, parasols and sunshades only.
312. Fruits, viz. :—Bananas, plantains, pine-apples, pomegranates, guavas, mangoes and shaddocks; and blueberries and strawberries wild only.
313. Camwood and sumac for dyeing or tanning purposes when not further manufactured than crushed or ground.
314. Blood albumen, tannic acid, tartar emetic and grey tartar when imported by manufacturers of cotton and woollen goods for use in their factories only.
315. Manufactured articles of iron or steel which at the time of their importation are of a class or kind not manufactured in *Canada*, when imported for use in the construction of iron or steel ships or vessels.
316. Wire of iron or steel, No. 13 and 14 gauge, flattened and corrugated, used in connection with the machine known as the wire grip machine for the manu-

- facture of boots, shoes and leather belting, when imported by manufacturers of such articles to be used for these purposes only in their own factories.
317. Steel of No. 12 gauge and thinner, but not thinner than No. 30 gauge, when imported by manufacturers of buckle clasps and ice-creepers, to be used in the manufacture of such articles only in their own factories.
318. Blanketing and lapping, and discs or mills for engraving copper rollers, when imported by cotton manufacturers, calico printers and wall paper manufacturers, for use in their own factories only.
319. Yarns, made of wool or worsted, when genapped, dyed and finished, and imported by manufacturers of braids, cords, tassels and fringes, to be used in the manufacture of such articles only in their own factories.
320. Chlorate of potash in crystals, when imported for manufacturing purposes only.
321. On imported Indian corn, to be kiln-dried and ground into meal for human food, or ground into meal and kiln-dried for such use, under such regulations as may be made by the Governor in Council, there may be allowed a drawback of ninety per cent. of the duty paid.

To amend Schedule "D" by striking out the following words which immediately precede item 813:—

"The following articles are prohibited to be imported under a penalty of Two hundred dollars, together with the forfeiture of the parcel or package of goods in which the same are found, viz:—"

**3.** *Resolved*, That it is expedient to repeal the following numbered items in the Act 50-51 Victoria, Chapter 39, intituled "An Act to amend the Act respecting the Duties of Customs," viz:—

Nos. 1, 2, 4, 6, 9, 14, 16, 18, 19, 20, 23, 25, 26, 31, 32, 34, 37, 39, 40, 44, 45, 72, 74, 79, 80, 85, 92, 94, 95, 102, 103, 105, 106, 108, 113, 115, 116, 119, 120, 122, 130, 147, 148, 149, 150, 152, 153, 159, 163, 164, 165, 167, 168, 169, 171, 179, and by striking out from the said Act the following headings, viz:—

The word "Carriages," which immediately precedes item 11 in Section one.

The word "Cottons," which immediately precedes item 21 in said Section one.

The words "Iron and Steel, manufactures of, viz:—" which immediately precede item 39 in Section one.

The words "Tools and Implements," which immediately precede item 142 in the said Section one.

And the word "Woollens," which immediately precedes item 155 in said Section one.

**4.** *Resolved*, That it is expedient to cancel certain Orders in Council made under the provisions of section 245, sub-section (1) of the "Customs Act," Chapter 32 Revised Statutes, transferring certain articles therein specified to the list of goods which may be imported into *Canada* free of duty, as follow, viz:—

Sections 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 17, 19, 21, 22 and 24 of Chapter 15, and the whole of Chapter 16 of the Consolidated Orders in Council of *Canada*, and the following as published in the Supplement to the said Orders in Council, viz:—

Special regulations *re* lithographic printing presses;

Special regulations *re* ferro-manganese, ferro-silicon, &c., passed on the 4th and 26th of June, 1889; and the following additions to the Free List as also published in said Supplement as items added to the said Free List, viz:—

*Re* felloes of hickory wood, O.C. November 16th, 1888.

*Re* homo-spring steel wire, O.C. December 6th, 1888.

*Re* sulphate of alumina or alum cake, O.C. May 22nd, 1889.

*Re* sumac, O.C. June 4th, 1889.

Also the Orders in Council defining the rates of duty payable upon certain articles as follow, viz:—

On carpenters' tool baskets, O.C. June 6th, 1888.

On celluloid balls, etc., O.C. April 12th, 1887.

On Vermouth bitters or Vermouth wine, O.C. August 25th, 1888.

On sapolio and silver soap, O.C. April 4th, 1889.

On veneers of wood, O.C. May 14th, 1889.

And the following transfers to the Free List, viz. :—

Wire for the manufacture of wire c'oth, etc., O.C. May 14th, 1889.

Cotton yarn for covering wire, etc., O.C. May 14th, 1889.

Jute yarn, O.C. May 14th, 1889.

Wire of iron or steel for wire grip machines, O.C., May 14th, 1889.

Steel for the manufacture of buckle clasps, etc., O.C. May 14th, 1889.

Blanketing, lapping, etc., O.C. May 14th, 1889.

Yarns for the manufacture of braids, etc., O.C. May 14th, 1889.

White ash lumber, O.C. June 10th, 1889.

Camwood, O.C., June 10th, 1889.

Steel wire for the manufacture of pins, O.C., September 19th, 1889.

Wire for crinolines, etc., O.C. September 19th, 1889.

Sulphate of soda, O.C. November 22nd, 1889.

Cotton yarn for loom harness, O.C. November 27th, 1889; and the Order in Council of May 14th, 1889, defining the rate of duty payable upon plough plates, mould boards, &c.

**5.** *Resolved*, That it is expedient to provide that the foregoing Resolutions and the alterations thereby made in the Duties of Customs on the articles therein mentioned, shall take effect on and after the twenty-eighth day of March instant.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *White (Renfrew)* reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*. That the Report be now received.

Mr. *White (Renfrew)* reported the Resolutions accordingly, and the same were read, as follow :—

**1.** *Resolved*, That it is expedient to amend the Act 49 *Victoria*, Chapter 33—Revised Statutes—intituled “An Act respecting the Duties of Customs,” as follow :—

1. By repealing section one of said Act, and substituting the following in lieu thereof :—

In this Act or in any other Act relating to the Customs, unless the context otherwise requires :—

(a) The expression or contraction “*ad val.*” represents and has the meaning of the words “*ad valorem.*”

(b) The initials N.E.S. represent and have the meaning of the words “not elsewhere specified.”

(c) The initials N.O.P. represent and have the meaning of the words “not otherwise provided for.”

(d) The initials F.O.B. represent and have the meaning of the words “free on board.”

(e) The expression “gallon” means an Imperial gallon.

(f) The expression “ton” means two thousand pounds avoirdupois.

(g) The expressions “proof” or “proof spirits” when applied to wines or spirits of any kind, mean spirits of the strength of proof as ascertained by *Sykes'* Hydrometer.

(h) The expression “gauge” when applied to metal sheets or plates or to wire, means the thickness as determined by *Stubbs'* Standard Gauge.

(i) The expression “in diameter” when applied to tubing, means the actual inside diameter measurement.

(j) The expressions “sheet” or “sheets” when applied to metals, mean sheets or plates of not exceeding three-sixteenths of an inch in thickness.

(k) The expressions "plate" or "plates" when applied to metals, mean plates or sheets of more than three-sixteenths of an inch in thickness.

2. By enacting that the interpretation clauses comprised in section 2 of the "Customs Act," 49 *Victoria*, Chapter 32—(Revised Statutes)—as amended, shall, unless the context otherwise requires, apply to, and form a part of this Act; and, that any power conferred upon the Governor in Council by the said "Customs Act" to transfer dutiable goods to the list of goods which may be imported free of duty, shall not be by this Act abrogated or impaired.

3. By repealing sub-section 1 of section 5 of said Act (Revised Statutes), and substituting the following in lieu thereof:

The importation of any goods enumerated in Schedule "D" is hereby prohibited, and any such goods if imported shall thereby become forfeited to the Crown, and shall be forthwith destroyed,—and any person importing any such goods shall in each case incur a penalty of Two hundred dollars.

4. By enacting that all medicinal or toilet preparations imported for completing the manufacture thereof, or for the manufacture of any other article by the addition of any ingredient or ingredients, or by mixing such preparations, or by putting up or labelling the same alone or with other articles or compounds under any proprietary or trade name, shall be, irrespective of cost, valued for duty and duty paid thereon at the ordinary market value in the country from whence imported of the completed preparation when put up and labelled under such proprietary or trade name, less the actual cost of labour and material used or expended in *Canada* in completing the manufacture thereof or of putting up or of labelling the same.

5. By enacting that regulations respecting the manner in which molasses and syrups shall be sampled and tested for the purpose of determining the classes to which they shall belong with reference to the duty chargeable thereon shall be made by the Minister of Customs, and the instruments and appliances necessary for such determination shall be designated by him and supplied to such officers as shall be by him charged with the duty of sampling and testing such molasses and syrups; and the decision of any officer (to whom is so assigned the testing of such articles) as to the duties to which they are subject under the tariff, shall be final and conclusive, unless upon appeal to the Commissioner of Customs within thirty days from the rendering of such decision, such decision is, with the approval of the Minister, changed, and the decision of the Commissioner with such approval shall be final.

6. By enacting that any goods or packages being the growth, produce or manufacture of *Canada*, and, having been exported therefrom and intended to be returned, may be admitted free of duty on being re-imported to *Canada*, provided such goods or packages were entered for exportation, and branded or marked by a Collector or proper officer of Customs, and fully identified by the Collector or proper officer at the port or place where they are so re-imported; and further, provided that the property in such goods or packages has continued in the same person or persons by whom they were exported, and that such re-importation takes place within one year of the exportation thereof.

7. By enacting that any person who sends or brings into *Canada*, or who, being in *Canada*, has in his possession any bill-heading or other paper appearing to be a heading or blank capable of being filled up and used as an invoice, and bearing any certificate purporting to show, or which may be used to show that the invoice which may be made from such bill-heading or blank is correct or authentic, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and liable to a penalty of Five hundred dollars or to imprisonment to a term not exceeding Twelve months, or both, in the discretion of the court, and the goods which may be entered under any invoice made from any such bill-heading or blank shall be forfeited.

8. By striking out from the Schedule "A" to said Act the following headings, viz. :—

The words "Agricultural Implements, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 7 in said schedule.

The words "Books, etc." which immediately precede item 33 in said schedule.

The words "Breadstuffs, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 52 in said schedule.

The word "Carriages" which immediately precedes item 83 in said schedule.

The words "Cotton, manufactures of, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 121 in said schedule.

The words "Fruits (dried) viz. :—" which immediately precede item 162 in said schedule.

The words "Fruit (green) viz. :—" which immediately precede item 165 in said schedule.

The words "Furs, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 174 in said schedule.

The words "Glass and manufactures of, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 181 in said schedule.

The words "Gunpowder and other explosives, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 193 in said schedule.

The words "Iron and manufactures of, viz. :—" which precede item 213 in said schedule.

The words "Pianofortes, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 344 in said schedule.

The words "Steel and manufactures of, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 403 in said schedule.

The words "Stone, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 414 in said schedule.

The words "Sugars, syrups and molasses," which immediately precede item 419 in said schedule.

The word "Tobacco," which immediately precedes item 438 in said schedule.

The words "Trees—fruit trees, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 441 in said schedule.

The words "Vegetables, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 455 in said schedule.

The words "Wools and Woollens, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 473 in said schedule.

**2. Resolved,** That it is expedient to repeal the following items in Schedules "A," "B" and "C" to the Act 49 *Victoria*, Chapter 33—Revised Statutes—intituled : "An Act respecting the Duties of Customs," viz. :—

Schedule "A," items numbered, 2, 5, 6, 15, 17, 21, 22, 23, 40, 45, 47, 49, 58, 67, 81, 87, 98, 99, 100, 109, 110, 115, 117, 118, 119, 123, 134, 149, 153, 157, 166, 177, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 193, 205, 206, 208, 209, 258, 262, 264, 265, 268, 269, 271, 274, 277, 283, 286, 288, 294, 295, 297, 298, 301, 305, 311, 312, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 335, 336, 340, 341, 342, 358, 361, 363, 370, 372, 376, 379, 385, 387, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 402, 408, 412, 413, 415, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 432, 435, 437, 438, 448, 451, 452, 457, 459, 460, 461, 463, 467, 468, 473, 476, 481, 482.

Schedule "B," items numbered, 489, 490.

Schedule "C," items numbered, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 512, 513, 515, 518, 522, 523, 524, 526, 527, 529, 538, 539, 542, 544, 545, 550, 553, 554, 555, 564, 566, 568, 570, 571, 576, 577, 580, 581, 586, 587, 591, 594, 597, 601, 603, 604, 605, 608, 612, 613, 616, 620, 624, 628, 630, 632, 637, 643, 658, 665, 674, 677, 681, 682, 684, 686, 688, 697, 698, 699, 700, 703, 709, 710, 711, 712, 714, 725, 726, 728, 734, 737, 738, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 751, 756, 760, 762, 763, 764, 765, 769, 774, 778, 782, 793, 796, 801, 803, 804, 809, 810, and to make other provisions in lieu thereof by adding to such respective schedules, as follow :—

## SCHEDULE "A."

1. Acid, acetic and pyroligneous, N.E.S., and vinegar, a specific duty of fifteen cents for each gallon of any strength not exceeding a strength of proof, and for each degree of strength in excess of the strength of proof an additional duty of one cent. The strength of proof shall be held to be equal to six per cent of absolute acid, and in all cases the strength shall be determined in such manner as may be established by the Governor in Council..... 15c. p. gall. & 1c. add'l.
2. Acid, acetic and pyroligneous of any strength, when imported by dyers, calico printers or manufacturers of acetates or colours, for exclusive use in dyeing or printing, or for the manufacture of such acetates or colours in their own factories, under such regulations as may be established by the Governor in Council, a duty of twenty-five cents per gallon and twenty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25c. p. gall and 20 p.c.
3. Acid phosphate, three cents per pound..... 3c. p. lb.
4. Precious stones, polished but not set or otherwise manufactured, and imitations thereof, ten per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10 p.c.
5. Animals, living, viz.:—Cattle, sheep and hogs, thirty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 30 p.c.
6. Artificial flowers, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
7. Feathers of all kinds, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
8. Axle grease, one cent per pound..... 1c. p. lb.
9. Barrels containing petroleum or its products or any mixtures of which petroleum forms a part when such contents is chargeable with a specific duty, forty cents each..... 40c. each.
10. Surgical belts or trusses and suspensory bandages of all kinds, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
11. Blacking, shoe and shoemakers' ink, and shoe, harness and leather dressing, and harness soap, thirty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 30 p.c.
12. Advertising pamphlets, pictures and pictorial show cards, illustrated advertising periodicals, illustrated price lists, advertising calendars, advertising almanacs, tailors' and mantlemakers' fashion plates, and all chromos, chromotypes, oleographs, photographs and other cards, pictures or artistic work of similar kinds, produced by any process other than hand painting or drawing, whether for business or advertising purposes or not, printed or stamped on paper, cardboard or other material, N.E.S., six cents per pound and twenty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 6c. p. lb. and 20 p.c.
13. Geographical, topographical and astronomical maps, charts and globes, N.E.S., twenty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 20 p.c.
14. Newspapers or supplemental editions or parts thereof, partly printed and intended to be completed and published in *Canada*, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
15. Bank notes, bonds, bills of exchange, cheques, promissory notes, drafts, and all similar work unsigned, and bill heads, envelopes, receipts, cards and other commercial blank forms printed, or lithographed, or printed from steel or copper or other plates, and other printed matter N.E.S., thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem* 35 p.c.
16. Bookbinders' tools and implements, including ruling machines, and bookbinders' cloth, ten per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10 p.c.
17. Fancy work boxes, writing desks, glove boxes, handkerchief boxes, manicure cases, perfume cases, toilet cases and fancy cases for

smokers' sets, and all similar fancy articles made of bone, shell, horn, ivory, wood, leather, plush, satin, silk, satinette or paper; dolls and toys of all kinds including sewing machines, when of not more than two dollars in value, and toy whips; ornaments of alabaster, spar, terra-cotta or composition, and statuettes, beads and bead ornaments, N.E.S., thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
18. Brass in strips for printers' rules, not finished, and brass in strips or sheets of less than four inches in width, fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	15 p.c.
19. Braces or suspenders and parts thereof, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
20. Rice, uncleaned, unhulled or paddy, seventeen and a-half per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	17½ p.c.
21. Wheat flour, seventy-five cents per barrel.....	75 c. p. brl.
22. Buttons of vegetable ivory, horn, hoof, rubber, vulcanite or composition, ten cents per gross and twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10c. p. gr. and 25 p.c.
23. Carpetting, matting and mats of hemp; carpet linings and stair pads, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
24. Tobacco pipes of all kinds, pipe mounts, cigar and cigarette holders and cases for the same, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> ....	35 p.c.
25. Clocks and clock cases of all kinds, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i>	35 p.c.
26. Clock springs and clock movements, other than for tower clocks, complete or in parts, ten per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10 p.c.
27. Horse clothing, shaped, N.O.P., thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
28. Cocoa mats and matting, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
29. Cocoa paste and chocolate, not sweetened, one cent per pound....	1c. p. lb.
30. Cocoa paste and other preparations of cocoa containing sugar, five cents per pound.....	5c. p. lb.
31. Extract of coffee or substitutes therefor of all kinds, five cents per pound.....	5c. p. lb.
32. Collars of cotton, linen, or celluloid, twenty-four cents per doz. and thirty-per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	24c. p. doz. and 30 p.c.
33. Combs for dress and toilet of all kinds, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
34. Coloured fabrics, woven in whole or in part of dyed or coloured cotton yarn, of jute yarn, or of part jute and part cotton yarn or other material except silk, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
35. Non-elastic webbing, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
36. Elastic webbing, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
37. Old and scrap copper, copper in pigs, bars, rods, bolts, ingots and sheathing not planished or coated, and copper seamless drawn tubing, ten per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10 p.c.
38. Copper, all manufactures of, N.E.S., thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> ....	30 p.c.
39. Copper in sheets or strips of less than four inches in width, fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	15 p.c.
40. Cotton cordage and cotton braided cords, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
41. Cordage of all kinds, N.E.S., one and one-quarter cents per pound and ten per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	1¼ cts. p. lb. and 10 p.c.
42. Cotton denims, drillings, bed-tickings, gingham, plaids, cotton or canton flannels, flannelettes, cotton tennis cloth or striped zephyrs, ducks and drills dyed or coloured, checked and striped shirtings, cottonades, Kentucky jeans, pantaloons, stuffs, and goods of like description, two cents per square yard and fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	2 cts. p. sq. yd. & 15 p.c.

43. Cotton sewing thread in hanks, black, bleached or unbleached three and six cord, twelve and a-half per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	12½ p.c.
44. Jeans and coutilles, when imported by corset and dress stay makers for use in their own factories, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
45. Cuffs of cotton, linen or celluloid, four cents per pair and thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	4 cts. p. pair & 30 p.c.
46. Curtains, when made up, trimmed or untrimmed, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
47. Hammocks and lawn tennis nets and other like articles manufactured of twine, N.E.S., thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
48. Drain pipes, sewer pipes, chimney linings or vents, and inverted blocks glazed or unglazed, and earthenware tiles, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
49. Feathers, viz.:—Ostrich and vulture undressed, fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	15 p.c.
50. Feathers, viz.:—Ostrich and vulture dressed, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
51. Apples, 40 cents per barrel.....	40 cts. p. bl.
52. Blackberries, gooseberries, raspberries and strawberries, N.E.S., three cents per pound—the weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty.....	3 cts. p. lb.
53. Cherries and currants, one cent per quart.....	1 ct. p. qt.
54. Cranberries, plums and quinces, thirty cents per bushel.....	30 cts. p. bush.
55. Peaches, one cent per pound—the weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty .....	1c. p. lb.
56. Gas meters, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
57. Crystal and decorated glass table-ware made expressly for mounting with silver-plated trimmings, when imported by manufacturers of plated ware, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
58. Glass carboys and demijohns empty or filled, bottles and decanters, flasks and phials of less capacity than eight ounces, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
59. Lamp, gas light and electric light shades, lamps and lamp chimneys, side-lights and head-lights, globes for lanterns, lamps, electric lights and gas lights, N.E.S., thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
60. Common and colourless window glass; and plain, coloured, stained or tinted glass in sheets, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
61. Ornamental figured, and enamelled coloured glass; painted and vitrified glass; figured, enamelled and obscured white glass; and rough rolled colourless plate glass, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
62. Stained glass windows, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
63. Silvered plate glass, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
64. Silvered plate glass, bevelled, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
65. Plate glass, not coloured, in panes of not over thirty square feet each, six cents per square foot; and when bevelled, one cent per square foot additional.....	6c. p. sq. ft. & 1c. p. sq. ft. add'l.
66. Plate glass in panes of over thirty and not over seventy square feet each, eight cents per square foot; and when bevelled, one cent per square foot additional.....	8c. p. sq. ft. and 1c. p. sq. ft. add'l.
67. Plate glass in panes of over seventy square feet each, nine cents per square foot; and when bevelled, one cent per square foot additional.....	9c. p. sq. ft. and 1c. p. sq. ft. add'l.

68. Imitation porcelain shades and coloured glass shades, not figured, painted, enamelled or engraved, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
69. All other glass and manufactures of glass, N.O.P., including bent plate glass, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
70. Gloves and mitts of all kinds, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> ....	35 p.c.
71. Gold and silver leaf, and Dutch or schlag metal leaf, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
72. Gun, rifle and pistol cartridges; and cartridge cases of all kinds and materials; percussion caps, and gun wads of all kinds, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
73. Fur felt hats, one dollar and fifty cents per dozen and twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	\$1.50 p. doz. and 20 p. c.
74. Hats and caps, N.E.S., thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
75. Ladies' hats and bonnets, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p. c.
76. Honey and imitations thereof, in the comb or otherwise, three cents per pound.....	3c. p. lb.
77. India rubber boots and shoes, with tops or uppers of cloth or of material other than rubber, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> ...	35 p.c.
78. India rubber boots and shoes, and other manufactures of India rubber, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
79. Corset clasps, spoon clasps or busks, blanks, busks, side steels and other corset steels, whether plain, japanned, lacquered, tinned or covered with paper or cloth; also, buck, bone or corset wires, covered with paper or cloth, cut to lengths and tipped with brass or tin, or untipped, or in coils, five cents per pound and thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	5c. p. lb. & 30 p.c.
80. Ferro-manganese, ferro-silicon, spiegel, steel bloom ends and crop ends of steel rails, for the manufacture of iron or steel, two dollars per ton.....	\$2 p. ton.
81. Builders', cabinet-makers', harness-makers' and saddlers' hardware, including curry-combs, carriage hardware, locks, butts and hinges, N.E.S., and tools of all kinds, N.E.S., thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
82. Fire-arms, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
83. Surgical and dental instruments of all kinds, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
84. Lap-welded iron tubing, threaded and coupled or not, one and one-half to two inches inclusive in diameter, for use exclusively in artesian wells, petroleum pipe lines and petroleum refineries, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
85. Other wrought iron tubes or pipes, one and three-quarter cents per pound.....	1 $\frac{3}{4}$ c. p. lb.
86. Wrought iron or steel nuts and washers, iron or steel rivets, bolts with or without threads, nut and bolt blanks, T and strap hinges and hinge blanks, N.E.S., one cent per pound and twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	1c. p. lb. & 25 p.c.
87. Jellies, jams and preserves, N.E.S., five cents per pound.....	5c. p. lb.
88. Laces, braids, fringes, embroideries, cords, tassels, and bracelets; braids, chains or cords of hair; lace collars and all similar goods, lace nets and nettings of cotton, silk, linen or other material, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
89. Lard, tried or rendered, three cents per pound, the weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty.....	3c. p. lb.
90. Lard, untried, two cents per pound, the weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty.....	2c. p. lb.
91. Lead, nitrate and acetate of, not ground, five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i>	5 p.c.

92. Lead pipe and lead shot, one and one-half cents per pound .....	1½c. p. lb.
93. Leather-board and leatheroid, three cents per pound.....	3c. p. lb.
94. Skins for morocco leather, tanned but not further manufactured, ten per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10 p.c.
95. Belting leather and upper leather, including kid, lamb, sheep and calf, tanned or dressed but not waxed or glazed, fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> ; and if dressed, waxed or glazed, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	15 p.c. 20 p.c.
96. Belting of leather or other material, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
97. Liquorice paste, two cents per pound.....	2c. p. lb.
98. Liquorice in rolls or sticks, three cents per pound.....	3c. p. lb.
99. Extract of malt (non-alcoholic) for medicinal purposes, twenty- five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
100. Magic lanterns and slides therefor, philosophical, photographic, mathematical and optical instruments, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
101. Mess pork, as defined by the General Inspection Act, one and one- half cents per pound.....	1½c. p. lb.
102. Meats, fresh or salted, N.E.S., three cents per pound.....	3c. p. lb.
103. Dried or smoked meats and meats preserved in any other way than salted or pickled, N.E.S., three cents per pound; if imported in tins the weight to include the weight of the tin....	3c. p. lb.
104. Milk food and other similar preparations, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
105. Mucilage, and liquid glue, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
106. Mustard seed, ten per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10 p. c.
107. Linseed or flaxseed oil, raw or boiled, one and one-quarter cents per pound.....	1¼c. p. lb.
108. Lubricating oils composed wholly or in part of petroleum and costing less than thirty cents per gallon, seven and one-fifth cents per gallon.....	7½c. p. gall.
109. Oil cloth and oiled silk, in the piece, cut or shaped, oiled, ena- melled, stamped, painted or printed, india-rubbered, flocked or coated, N.O.P., five cents per square yard and fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	5c. p. sq. yd and 15 p. c.
110. Opium (crude), one dollar per pound, the weight to include the weight of the ball or covering .....	\$1 p. lb.
111. Paintings, prints, engravings, drawings and building plans, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
112. Dry white and red lead, orange mineral and zinc white or car- bonate of zinc, five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	5 p.c.
113. Colours, dry, N.E.S., twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
114. Paints and colours, pulped or ground in oil or other liquids N.E.S., thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
115. Paints, ground or mixed in, or with, either japan, varnish, lacquers, liquid dryers, collodion, oil finish or oil varnish; rough stuff, fillers and all liquid prepared or ready mixed paints, N.E.S., five cents per pound and twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> , the weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty.....	5c. p. lb. & 25 p.c.
116. Oxides, ochres and ochrey earths, fire proofs, umbers and siennas ground or unground, washed or unwashed, calcined or raw, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p. c.
117. Paints and colours, ground in spirits, and all spirit varnishes and lacquers, one dollar per gallon.....	\$1 p. gall.

118. Paper hangings or wall paper in rolls, on each roll of eight yards or under, and so in proportion for all greater lengths of the following descriptions, viz. :—	
(a) Brown blanks, white papers, grounded papers and satins, two cents.....	2c.
(b) Single print bronzes and coloured bronzes, six cents.....	6c.
(c) Embossed bronzes, eight cents.....	8c.
(d) Coloured borders, narrow, and coloured borders, wide, six cents	6c.
(e) Bronze borders, narrow, and bronze borders, wide, fourteen cents.....	14c.
(f) Embossed borders, fifteen cents.....	15c.
(g) All other paper hangings or wall paper, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
119. Paper sacks or bags of all kinds, printed or not, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
120. Union collar cloth paper in rolls or sheets, not glossed or finished, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
121. Union collar cloth paper in rolls or sheets, glossed or finished, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
122. Paraffine wax, stearic acid and stearine of all kinds, three cents per pound.....	3c. p. lb.
123. Lead pencils of all kinds, in wood or otherwise, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
124. Perfumery, including toilet preparations (non-alcoholic), viz. :— Hair oils, tooth and other powders and washes, pomatums, pastes and all other perfumed preparations used for the hair, mouth or skin, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
125. Photographic dry plates, nine cents per square foot.....	9c. p. sq. ft.
126. Albumenized paper chemically prepared for photographers' use, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
127. Pickles in bottle, forty cents per gallon, including the duty on the bottles, and each bottle holding less than one-half pint shall be dutiable as containing one-half pint, and each bottle holding more than one-half pint but not more than one pint shall be dutiable as containing one pint, and each bottle holding more than one pint but not more than one quart shall be dutiable as containing one quart.....	40c. p. gall.
128. Pickles in jars, pottles or other similar vessels, forty cents per gallon on the ascertained quantity, the duty to include the duty on the jar, pottle or other vessel.....	40c. p. gall.
129. Pickles in bulk, in vinegar or in vinegar and mustard, thirty-five cents per gallon, and in brine or salt, twenty-five cents per gallon.....	35c. p. gall. 25c. p. gall.
130. Plumbago, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
131. Plumbago, all manufactures of, N. E. S., thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
132. Printing presses and printing machines, such only as are used in newspaper, book and job printing offices; folding machines and paper cutters used in printing and bookbinding establishments, ten per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10 p.c.
133. Lithographic presses, ten per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10 p.c.
134. Prunella for boots and shoes, and cotton netting for the lining of boots, shoes and gloves, ten per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10 p.c.
135. Woollen netting for the lining of boots, shoes and gloves, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
136. Red and yellow prussiate of potash, ten per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10 p.c.

137. Rubber belting, hose, packing, mats and matting, and cotton or linen hose lined with rubber, five cents per pound, and fifteen per cent. *ad valorem* ..... 5c. p. lb. and 15 p.c.
138. Sauces and catsups in bottle, forty cents per gallon, and twenty per cent. *ad valorem*; and each bottle holding less than one-half pint shall be dutiable as containing one-half pint, and each bottle holding more than one-half pint but not more than one pint shall be dutiable as containing one pint, and each bottle holding more than one pint but not more than one quart shall be dutiable as containing one quart..... 40c. p. gall.
139. Sauces and catsups in bulk, thirty cents per gallon, and twenty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 30c. p. gall. and 20 p.c.
140. Soy, ten cents per gallon..... 10c. p. gall.
141. Seeds, viz. :—Garden, field and other seeds for agricultural or other purposes, N.O.P., when in bulk or in large parcels, 15 per cent. *ad valorem*; when put up in small papers or parcels, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 15 p.c. 25 p.c.
142. Shawls and travelling rugs of all kinds and materials, except silk, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
143. Sewing and embroidery silk and silk twist, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
144. Silver, German silver, and nickel silver, rolled or in sheets; and composition metal for the manufacture of filled gold watch cases, ten per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10 p.c.
145. Slate pencils, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
146. Castile soap, mottled or white, and white soap, two cents per pound. 2c. p. lb.
147. Soap powders, pumice, silver and mineral soaps, sapolio and other like articles, three cents per pound, the weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty..... 3c. p. lb.
148. Spirituous or alcoholic liquors distilled from any material, or containing, or compounded from or with distilled spirits of any kind and any mixture thereof with water—for every gallon thereof of any strength not exceeding the strength of proof, and when of a greater strength than the strength of proof, at the same rate on the quantity there would be if reduced to the strength of proof, as follow, viz. :—
- (a) Ethyl alcohol or the substance commonly known as alcohol, hydrated oxide of ethyl, or spirits of wine; gin of all kinds, N.E.S.; rum, whiskey, and all spirituous or alcoholic liquors, N.O.P., one dollar and seventy-five cents.... \$1.75 p. gall.
- (b) Amyl alcohol or fusil oil, or any substance known as potato spirit or potato oil, two dollars ..... \$2 p. gall.
- (c) Methyl alcohol, wood alcohol, wood naphtha, pyroxylic spirit, or any substance known as wood spirit or methylated spirit; absinthe, arrack or palm spirit, brandy, including artificial brandy and imitations of brandy; cordials and liqueurs of all kinds, N.E.S.; ginger wine, mescal, pulque, rum shrub, schiedam and other schnapps; tafia, angostura, and similar alcoholic bitters or beverages, two dollars..... \$2 p. gall.
- (d) Spirits and strong waters of any kind mixed with any ingredient or ingredients and being or known or designated as anodynes, elixirs, essences, extracts, lotions, tinctures, or medicines, N.E.S., two dollars, and thirty per cent. *ad valorem*..... \$2 p. gall. & 30 p. c.
- (e) Alcoholic perfumes and perfumed spirits, bay rum, cologne and lavender waters, hair, tooth and skin washes

- and other toilet preparations containing spirits of any kind, when in bottles or flasks weighing not more than four ounces each, fifty per cent. *ad valorem*; when in bottles, flasks or other packages weighing more than four ounces each, two dollars, and forty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 50 p. c. \$2 p. gall. & 40 p. c.
- (f) Nitrous ether, sweet spirits of nitre and aromatic spirits of ammonia, two dollars, and thirty per cent. *ad valorem*. 30 p. c. \$2 p. gall. & 30 p. c.
- (g) Vermouth containing not more than forty per cent. of proof spirits, seventy-five cents per gallon; if containing more than forty per cent. of proof spirits, two dollars per gallon..... 75 c. p. gall. \$2 p. gall.
- (h) In all cases where the strength of any of the foregoing articles cannot be correctly ascertained by the direct application of the hydrometer, it shall be ascertained by the distillation of a sample, or in such other manner as the Minister of Customs may direct.
- (i) Each red case of gin of fifteen bottles containing not more than four gallons shall be dutiable as containing four gallons, and each green case of gin of twelve bottles containing not more than two gallons shall be dutiable as containing two gallons; and red or green cases holding a greater or less number of bottles shall be dutiable in proportion to those above specified. As respects all other spirituous or alcoholic liquors, whether in cases or bottles, each bottle holding more than a half pint and not more than a pint shall be dutiable as containing one pint, and each bottle holding more than a pint and not more than a quart shall be dutiable as containing a quart.
149. Starch, including farina, corn starch or flour, and all preparations having the qualities of starch, not sweetened or flavoured, two cents per pound; when sweetened or flavoured, four cents per pound..... 2c. p. lb. 4c. p. lb.
150. Stereotypes, electrotypes and celluloids for almanacs, calendars, illustrated pamphlets, newspaper advertisements or engravings, and all other like work for commercial, trade or other purposes, N.E.S.; and matrices or copper shells of the same, two cents per square inch..... 2c. p. sq. in.
151. Stereotypes, electrotypes, and celluloids of newspaper columns, and bases for the same, composed wholly or partly of metal or celluloid, three-fourths of one cent per square inch, and matrices or copper shells of the same, two cents per square inch..... ¾c. p. sq. in. 2c. p. sq. in.
152. Water limestone or cement stone, one dollar per ton of thirteen cubic feet..... \$1 p. ton.
153. Curling stones (so-called) of whatever material made, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p. c.
154. Molasses derived from raw cane sugar in the process of its manufacture direct from the cane, not refined or filtered or bleached or clarified, testing by the polariscope thirty degrees or over and not over fifty-five degrees, when imported direct without transshipment from the country of growth and production, a specific duty of one and one half cents per gallon, or when not so imported, of four cents per gallon; when testing over fifty-five degrees and imported direct without transshipment from the country of growth and production, a specific duty of six cents per gallon, or when not so imported, of eight cents per gallon. 1½c. p. gall. or 4c. p. gall. 6c. p. gall. or 8c. p. gall.

155. Syrups, N.E.S., cane-juice, refined syrup, sugar-house syrup, syrup of sugar, syrup of molasses, syrup of sorghum, corn-syrup, glucose syrup and all syrups or molasses produced in the process of the manufacture of refined sugars, or in the refining of sugars, or in the refining of molasses, or in the production of molasses sugars, and all bleached, clarified, filtered or refined molasses, a specific duty of one cent per pound and thirty per cent. *ad valorem*, and the value for duty shall be the value thereof, f. o. b., at the last port of shipment. 1c. p. lb. and 30 p.c.
156. Provided that molasses when imported for or received into any sugar refinery or sugar factory, or syrup or glucose factory, distillery or brewery, shall be subject to, and there shall be paid thereon, an additional duty of five cents per gallon ..... 5c. p. gall. addn'l.
157. Saccharine or any product containing over one-half of one per cent. thereof, ten dollars per pound..... \$10 p. lb.
158. Sugar candy brown or white, and confectionery including sweetened gums, one and one-quarter cents per pound and thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 1¼c. p. lb. and 35 p.c.
159. Sweetened biscuits of all kinds, candied peels, popcorn, preserved ginger, condensed milk and condensed coffee with milk, thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 35 p.c.
160. Telephones and telegraph instruments; telegraph, telephone and electric light cables; electric and galvanic batteries, electric motors and apparatus for electric lights, including incandescent light globes and insulators of all kinds, N. E. S., twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
161. Stamped tinware, japanned ware, granite ware, enamelled iron ware and galvanized iron ware, thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem* ..... 35 p.c.
162. Tinware and manufactures of tin, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
163. Cut tobacco, forty cents per pound and twelve and a-half per cent. *ad valorem*..... 40c.p.lb. and 12½ p.c.
164. Manufactured tobacco, N.E.S., and snuff, thirty cents per pound and twelve and a-half per cent. *ad valorem*..... 30c.p.lb. and 12½ p.c.
165. Files and rasps, ten cents per dozen and thirty per cent. *ad valorem* ..... 10c. p. doz. and 30 p.c.
166. Picks, mattocks, hammers weighing three pounds each or over, sledges, track tools, wedges or crowbars of iron or steel, one cent per pound and twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 1c. p. lb. and 25 p. c.
167. Shovels and spades, shovel and spade blanks, and iron or steel cut to shape for same, one dollar per dozen and twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... \$1 p. doz. and 25 p.c.
168. Scythe handles or snaths, one dollar per dozen..... \$1 p. doz.
169. Trunks, valises, hat-boxes, carpet bags, and carpenters' tool baskets, thirty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 30 p.c.
170. Satchels, pocket-books and purses, thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem*. 35 p.c.
171. Plants, viz.:—Fruit, shade, lawn and ornamental trees, shrubs and plants, N.E.S., twenty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 20 p.c.
172. Gooseberry bushes, two cents each..... 2c. each
173. Grape vines costing ten cents and less, three cents each..... 3c. each
174. Raspberry and blackberry bushes, one cent each..... 1c. each
175. Rose bushes, five cents per plant..... 5c. p. plant.
176. Apple trees, of all kinds, two cents each ..... 2c. each
177. Peach trees, four cents each..... 4c. each

178. Pear trees, of all kinds four cents each.....	4c. each
179. Plum trees, of all kinds, five cents each.....	5c. each
180. Cherry trees, of all kinds, four cents each.....	4c. each.
181. Quince trees, of all kinds, two and one-half cents each.....	2½c. each.
182. Seedling stock for grafting, viz.:—Plum, pear, peach and other fruit trees, ten per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10 p.c.
183. Cases for jewels and watches, cases for silver and plated ware, and for cutlery and other like articles, ten cents each and thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10c. each and 30 p.c.
184. Cotton twine, one cent per pound and twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	1c.p. lb. 25 p.c.
185. Twine for harvest binders, of jute, manilla or sisal, and of manilla and sisal mixed, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
186. Twine of all kinds, N.E.S., thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
187. Umbrellas, parasols and sunshades of all kinds and materials, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
188. Umbrella, parasol and sunshade sticks or handles, N.E.S., twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
189. Tomatoes and other vegetables, including corn and baked beans, in cans or other packages, weighing not over one pound each, two cents per can or package, and two cents additional per can or package for each pound or fraction of a pound over one pound in weight—and the weight of the cans or other packages to be included in the weight for duty.....	2c. p. can, &c. & 2c. add'l.
190. Vegetables, when fresh or dry salted, N.E.S., including sweet potatoes and yams, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
191. Velveteens, and cotton velvets and cotton plush, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
192. Veneers of wood, not over one-sixteenth of an inch in thickness, ten per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10 p.c.
193. Walking sticks and canes, of all kinds, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
194. Watches, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
195. Watch cases, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
196. Whips of all kinds, except toy whips, fifty cents per dozen and thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	50 p.c. doz. and 30 p.c.
197. Wire, of brass or copper, fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	15 p.c.
198. Wire, covered with cotton, linen, silk or other material, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
199. Pails, tubs, churns, brooms, brushes and other manufactures of wood, N.E.S., and wood pulp, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
200. Fibre ware, indurated fibre ware, vulcanized fibre ware and all articles of like material, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
201. Clothing, ready-made, and wearing apparel of every description composed wholly or in part of wool, worsted, the hair of the alpaca goat or other like animal, made up by the tailor, seamstress or manufacturer, N.O.P., ten cents per pound and twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10c. p. lb. and 25 p.c.
202. Carpets, viz.:— <i>Brussels</i> , tapestry, Dutch, Venetian and Damask; carpet mats and rugs of all kinds, N.E.S.; and printed felts and druggets and all other carpets and squares, N.O.P., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
203. <i>Smyrna</i> carpets, mats and rugs, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
204. Yeast cakes, compressed yeast and baking powders in packages of one pound and over, or in bulk, six cents per pound.....	6 c. p. lb.

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205. Yeast cakes, compressed yeast and baking powders in packages of less than one pound in weight, eight cents per pound..... 8 c. p. lb.
206. Wire of all kinds, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
207. Electric arc light carbons or carbon points, two dollars and fifty cents per thousand ..... \$2.50 p. 1000
208. Scrims and window scrims of cotton, plain or coloured, cambric cloths, muslin apron checks, brilliants, cords, piques, diapers, lenos, mosquito nettings; Swiss, jaconets and cambric muslins, and plain, striped or checked lawns, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
209. Manufactures composed wholly or in part of wool, worsted, the hair of the alpaca goat or other like animals, viz. :—Blankets and flannels of every description; cloths, doeskins, cassimeres, tweeds, coatings, overcoatings, felt cloth of every description, N.E.S.; horse-collar cloth; yarn, knitting yarn, fingering yarn, worsted yarn, knitted goods, viz. :—shirts and drawers, and hosiery, N.E.S., ten cents per pound and twenty per cent. 10c. p. lb. & *ad valorem*..... 20 p.c.
210. Plough plates, mould boards and land sides when cut to shape from rolled sheets of crucible steel but not moulded, punched, polished or otherwise manufactured and being of a greater value than four cents a pound, twelve and a-half per cent. *ad valorem* ..... 12½ p.c.
211. Wrought scrap iron and scrap steel, being waste or refuse wrought iron or steel and fit only to be re-manufactured, the same having been in actual use, not to include cuttings or clippings which can be used as iron or steel without re-manufacture, two dollars per ton..... \$2 p. ton.
212. Illuminating oils composed wholly or in part of the products of petroleum, coal, shale or lignite costing more than thirty cents per gallon, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
213. Wrought iron or steel sheet or plate cuttings or clippings, as cut at the rolling mills, and fit only for re-rolling and to be used for such purpose only, thirty per cent. *ad valorem* ..... 30 p.c.
214. Sulphuric ether, five cents per pound..... 5c. p. lb.

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SCHEDULE "B."

215. Salmon, pickled or salted, one cent per pound..... 1c. p. lb.
216. All other fish pickled or salted in barrels, one cent per pound. 1c. p. lb.

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SCHEDULE "C."

217. Admiralty charts.
218. Alkanet root, crude, crushed or ground.
219. Precious stones, in the rough.
220. Aloes, ground or unground.
221. Alum, in bulk only, ground or unground.
222. Aluminum, or aluminium and alumina and chloride of aluminium or chloralum, sulphate of alumina and alum cake.
223. Anatomical preparations and skeletons or parts thereof.
224. Aniline dyes and coal tar dyes, in bulk or packages of not less than one pound weight, including alizarine and artificial alizarine.
225. Aniline salts and arseniate of aniline.
226. Antimony, not ground, pulverized or otherwise manufactured.
227. Ashes, pot and pearl, in packages of not less than twenty-five pounds weight.

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228. Asphalt or asphaltum and bone pitch, crude only.
229. Argal or argols, crude only.
230. Beans, viz.:—Tonquin, vanilla and nux vomica, crude only.
231. Bells, when imported by and for the use of churches.
232. Bismuth metallic in its natural state.
233. Books printed by any Government or by any scientific association for the promotion of learning and letters, and issued in the course of its proceedings and supplied gratuitously to its members, and not for the purposes of sale or trade.
234. Books specially imported for the *bonâ fide* use of public free libraries, not more than two copies of any one book.
235. Borax ground or unground, in bulk only.
236. Botanical specimens.
237. Old scrap brass and brass in sheets or plates of not less than four inches in width.
238. Fire bricks, for use exclusively in processes of manufactures.
239. Gold and silver bullion, in bars, blocks or ingots.
240. Burr stones in blocks, rough or unmanufactured, not bound up or prepared for binding into mill stones.
241. Cups or other prizes won in competitions.
242. Cabinets of coins, collections of medals and of other antiquities.
243. Canvas of not less than forty-five inches in width, not pressed or calendered, for the manufacture of floor oilcloth.
244. Celluloid or xyolite in sheets, and in lumps, blocks or balls in the rough.
245. Chalk stone, china or *Cornwall* stone and cliff stone, unmanufactured.
246. Citron rinds in brine.
247. Clays, unground.
248. Anthracite coal and anthracite coal dust.
249. Cocoa beans, shells and nibs, not roasted, crushed or ground.
250. Communion plate, when imported by and for the use of churches.
251. Copper in sheets or plates of not less than four inches in width.
252. Cotton yarns not coarser than No. 40, unbleached, bleached or dyed, for use in covering electric wires; also, for the manufacture of cotton loom harness; and for use in the manufacture of Italian cloths, cotton, worsted or silk fabrics.
253. Cotton yarns in cops only, made from single cotton yarns finer than No. 40, when used in their own factories by the manufacturers of Italian cloths, cashmeres and cotton cloths for the selvages of said cloths, and for these purposes only.
254. Indian corn, of the varieties known as "Southern Dent corn," (Mammoth Southern Sweet), and "Western Dent Corn," (Golden Beauty), when imported to be sown for ensilage, and for no other purpose.
255. Colours, metallic, viz.:—Oxides of cobalt, zinc and tin, N.E.S.
256. Diamond drills for prospecting for minerals, not to include motive power.
257. Diamond dust or bort and black diamonds for borers.
258. Emery in blocks, crushed or ground.
259. Entomological specimens.
260. Extracts of logwood, fustic, and oak bark.
261. Mexican fibre, and tampico or istle.
262. Fish hooks, nets and seines, and fishing lines and twines, but not to include sporting fishing tackle or hooks with flies, or trawling spoons, or threads or twines commonly used for sewing or manufacturing purposes.
263. Foot grease, being the refuse of cotton seed after the oil has been pressed out, but not when treated with alkalis.
264. Fowls, domestic pure bred, for the improvement of stock, and pheasants and quails.

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265. Gas coke (the product of gas works), when used in Canadian manufactures only.
  266. Grease, rough, the refuse of animal fat, for the manufacture of soap only.
  267. Gums, viz.:—Amber, Arabic, Australian, copal, demar, kaurie, mastic, sandarac, senegal, shellac; and white shellac, in gum or flake, for manufacturing purposes; and gum tragacanth, gum gedda and gum barberry.
  268. Hair, cleaned or uncleaned, but not curled or otherwise manufactured.
  269. Indigo auxiliary or zinc dust.
  270. Iron or steel rolled round wire rods under half an inch in diameter, when imported by wire manufacturers for use in making wire in their factories.
  271. Jute yarn, plain, dyed or coloured, when imported by manufacturers of carpets, rugs and mats, and of jute webbing or jute cloth, for use in their own factories.
  272. Kryolite or cryolite, mineral.
  273. Liquorice root, not ground.
  274. Litharge, not ground.
  275. Lemon rinds, in brine.
  276. Lumber and timber planks and boards of boxwood, cherry, chestnut, walnut, gumwood, mahogany, pitch pine, rosewood, sandalwood, sycamore, Spanish cedar, oak, hickory, whitewood, African teak, black heart ebony, lignum vitæ, red cedar, redwood, satin wood and white ash, when not otherwise manufactured than rough sawn or split; and hickory billets to be used in the manufacture of axe, hatchet, hammer and other tool handles, when specially imported for such use; and the wood of the persimmon and dogwood trees, when imported in blocks for the manufacture of shuttles; and hickory lumber sawn to shape for spokes of wheels, but not further manufactured.
  277. Locomotive driving wheel tires of steel, when in the rough.
  278. Locust beans and locust bean meal for the manufacture of horse and cattle food.
  279. Mineralogical specimens.
  280. Mining machinery imported within three years after the passing of this Act which is at the time of its importation of a class or kind not manufactured in *Canada*.
  281. Models of inventions and of other improvements in the arts; but no article or articles shall be deemed a model which can be fitted for use.
  282. *Iceland* moss and other mosses, and seaweed, crude or in their natural state or only cleaned.
  283. Oil cake and oil cake meal, cotton seed cake and cotton seed meal and palm nut cake and meal.
  284. Oils, viz.:—Cocoanut and palm, in their natural state.
  285. Orange rinds in brine.
  286. Ottar or attar of roses and oil of roses.
  287. Pelts, raw.
  288. Pipe clay, unmanufactured.
  289. Platinum wire; and retorts, pans, condensers, tubing and pipe made of platinum, when imported by manufacturers of sulphuric acid for use in their works in the manufacture or concentration of sulphuric acid.
  290. Rags of cotton, linen, jute, hemp and woollen, paper waste or clippings, and waste of any kind except mineral waste.
  291. Rattans and reeds in their natural state.
  292. Resin or rosin in packages of not less than one hundred pounds.
  293. Roots, medicinal, viz.:—Aconite, calumba, ipecacuanha, sarsaparilla, squills, teraxacum, rhubarb and valerian.
  294. Rubber, crude.
  295. Seed and breeding oysters, imported for the purpose of being planted in Canadian waters.

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296. Seeds, aromatic, which are not edible and are in a crude state, and not advanced in value or condition by grinding or refining or by any other process of manufacture, viz. : Anise, anise-star, caraway, cardamom, coriander, cummin, fennel and fenugreek.
297. Soda sulphate of, crude, known as salt cake, for manufacturing purposes only.
298. Soda ash, caustic soda in drums; silicate of soda in crystals only, bichromate of soda, nitrate of soda or cubic nitre, salsoda; sulphide of sodium, arseniate, binarseniate, chloride and stannate of soda, for manufacturing purposes only.
299. Steel of No. 20 gauge and thinner, but not thinner than No. 30 gauge, to be used in the manufacture of corset steels clock springs and shoe shanks; and flat wire of steel of No. 16 gauge or thinner, to be used in the manufacture of crinoline and corset wire, when imported by the manufacturers of such articles for use in their own factories.
300. Sulphate of iron (coppers); and sulphate of copper (blue vitriol).
301. Terra japonica or gambier.
302. Ultramarine blue, dry or in pulp.
303. Whiting or whitening, gilders' whiting and *Paris* white.
304. Wool and the hair of the alpaca goat and of other like animals, not further prepared than washed, N.E.S.
305. Books printed in any of the languages or dialects of any of the Indian tribes of the Dominion of *Canada*.
306. Brass and copper wire twisted, when imported by manufacturers of boots and shoes for use in their own factories.
307. Noils, being the short wool which falls from the combs in worsted factories.
308. Seeds, viz. :—Beet, carrot, turnip and mangold.
309. Wire, when imported by manufacturers of toilet pins, for use in the manufacture of such articles in their own factories only.
310. Crucible cast steel wire, when imported by manufacturers of wire rope, pianos, card clothing and needles, for use in the manufacture of such articles in their own factories only.
311. Ribs of brass, iron or steel, runners, rings, caps, notches, ferrules, mounts and sticks or canes in the rough or not further manufactured than cut into lengths suitable for umbrella, parasol or sunshade sticks, when imported by manufacturers of umbrellas, parasols and sunshades for use in their factories in the manufacture of umbrellas, parasols and sunshades only.
312. Fruits, viz. :—Bananas, plantains, pine-apples, pomegranates, guavas, mangoes and shaddocks; and blueberries and strawberries wild only.
313. Camwood and sumac for dyeing or tanning purposes when not further manufactured than crushed or ground.
314. Blood albumen, tannic acid, tartar emetic and grey tartar when imported by manufacturers of cotton and woollen goods for use in their factories only.
315. Manufactured articles of iron or steel which at the time of their importation are of a class or kind not manufactured in *Canada*, when imported for use in the construction of iron or steel ships or vessels.
316. Wire of iron or steel, No. 13 and 14 gauge, flattened and corrugated, used in connection with the machine known as the wire grip machine for the manufacture of boots, shoes and leather belting, when imported by manufacturers of such articles to be used for these purposes only in their own factories.
317. Steel of No. 12 gauge and thinner, but not thinner than No. 30 gauge, when imported by manufacturers of buckle clasps and ice-creeppers, to be used in the manufacture of such articles only in their own factories.
318. Blanketing and lapping, and discs or mills for engraving copper rollers, when imported by cotton manufacturers, calico printers and wall paper manufacturers, for use in their own factories only.

319. Yarns, made of wool or worsted, when genapped, dyed and finished, and imported by manufacturers of braids, cords, tassels and fringes, to be used in the manufacture of such articles only in their own factories.
320. Chlorate of potash in crystals, when imported for manufacturing purposes only.
321. On imported Indian corn, to be kiln-dried and ground into meal for human food, or ground into meal and kiln-dried for such use, under such regulations as may be made by the Governor in Council, there may be allowed a drawback of ninety per cent. of the duty paid.

To amend Schedule "D" by striking out the following words which immediately precede item 813:—

"The following articles are prohibited to be imported under a penalty of Two hundred dollars, together with the forfeiture of the parcel or package of goods in which the same are found, viz:—"

**3. Resolved,** That it is expedient to repeal the following numbered items in the Act 50-51 Victoria, Chapter 39, intituled "An Act to amend the Act respecting the Duties of Customs," viz:—

Nos. 1, 2, 4, 6, 9, 14, 16, 18, 19, 20, 23, 25, 26, 31, 32, 34, 37, 39, 40, 44, 45, 72, 74, 79, 80, 85, 92, 94, 95, 102, 103, 105, 106, 108, 113, 115, 116, 119, 120, 122, 130, 147, 148, 149, 150, 152, 153, 159, 163, 164, 165, 167, 168, 169, 171, 179, and by striking out from the said Act the following headings, viz:—

The word "Carriages," which immediately precedes item 11 in Section one.

The word "Cottons," which immediately precedes item 21 in said Section one.

The words "Iron and Steel, manufactures of, viz:—" which immediately precede item 39 in Section one.

The words "Tools and Implements," which immediately precede item 142 in the said Section one.

And the word "Woollens," which immediately precedes item 155 in said Section one.

**4. Resolved,** That it is expedient to cancel certain Orders in Council made under the provisions of section 245, sub-section (1) of the "Customs Act," Chapter 32 Revised Statutes, transferring certain articles therein specified to the list of goods which may be imported into *Canada* free of duty, as follow, viz:—

Sections 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 17, 19, 21, 22 and 24 of Chapter 15, and the whole of Chapter 16 of the Consolidated Orders in Council of *Canada*, and the following as published in the Supplement to the said Orders in Council, viz:—

Special regulations *re* lithographic printing presses;

Special regulations *re* ferro-manganese, ferro-silicon, &c., passed on the 4th and 26th of June, 1889; and the following additions to the Free List as also published in said Supplement as items added to the said Free List, viz:—

*Re* felloes of hickory wood, O.C. November 16th, 1888.

*Re* homo-spring steel wire, O.C. December 6th, 1888.

*Re* sulphate of alumina or alum cake, O.C. May 22nd, 1889.

*Re* sumac, O.C. June 4th, 1889.

Also the Orders in Council defining the rates of duty payable upon certain articles as follow, viz:—

On carpenters' tool baskets, O.C. June 6th, 1888.

On celluloid balls, etc., O.C. April 12th, 1887.

On Vermouth bitters or Vermouth wine, O.C. August 25th, 1888.

On sapolio and silver soap, O.C. April 4th, 1889.

On veneers of wood, O.C. May 14th, 1889.

And the following transfers to the Free List, viz:—

Wire for the manufacture of wire cloth, etc., O.C. May 14th, 1889.

Cotton yarn for covering wire, etc., O.C. May 14th, 1889.

Jute yarn, O.C. May 14th, 1889.

Wire of iron or steel for wire grip machines, O.C., May 14th, 1889.

Steel for the manufacture of buckle clasps, etc., O.C. May 14th, 1889.

Blanketing, lapping, etc., O.C. May 14th, 1889.

Yarns for the manufacture of braids, etc., O.C. May 14th, 1889.

White ash lumber, O.C. June 10th, 1889.

Camwood, O.C., June 10th, 1889.

Steel wire for the manufacture of pins, O.C., September 19th, 1889.

Wire for crinolines, etc., O.C. September 19th, 1889.

Sulphate of soda, O.C. November 22nd, 1889.

Cotton yarn for loom harness, O.C. November 27th, 1889; and the Order in Council of May 14th, 1889, defining the rate of duty payable upon plough plates, mould boards, &c.

**5. Resolved,** That it is expedient to provide that the foregoing Resolutions and the alterations thereby made in the Duties of Customs on the articles therein mentioned, shall take effect on and after the twenty-eighth day of March instant.

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, 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. *Lawrie*, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "the total ordinary expenditure of Canada chargeable to the Consolidated Fund in the fiscal year 1878 was..... \$23,519,301

"That the total taxation collected in the same year was..... 17,841,938

"That the total ordinary admitted expenditure in the year 1889 was 36,917,834

"That the total taxation collected in the same year was..... 30,613,522

"That over and above the amount of the taxes actually paid into the Treasury, an immense additional sum is annually taken out of the pockets of the people and is paid over to certain private individuals and corporations under pretence of protecting and encouraging certain special industries.

"That in the decade terminating on the 1st day of July, 1889, the sum of \$262,-812,878 has been raised in the way of taxes actually paid into the Treasury, independently of an immense additional amount extracted from the people for the aforesaid purposes.

"That the said taxation is enormous and oppressive in its incidence, and that it is so imposed as to diminish the value of lands used for agricultural purposes and to increase the indebtedness of the agricultural class in especial.

"That in fact the values of farm lands have greatly diminished and the amount of mortgages thereon have been much increased throughout a very large portion of this Dominion since 1879.

"That the additional taxation which it is now sought to impose will still further increase the burthens of the people, and is likely still further to aggravate the distress unhappily existing among a large portion of the farming population of this Dominion, and that, under such circumstances, it is the bounden duty of this House, instead of adding to the existing oppressive taxation, to apply itself to the reduction of the burthens now impeding the progress and prosperity of the principal producing classes of the Dominion, and for this purpose to abolish or reduce the taxes now imposed on articles of prime necessity to farmers, miners, fishermen and other producers," inserted instead thereof;

And a Debate arising thereupon;

On motion of Mr. *Paterson (Brant)*, seconded by Mr. *Scriver*,

*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 North Canadian Atlantic Railway and Steamship Company," with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Friday, 28th March, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Carling*,—The Petition of the Ministerial Association of the City of *London, Ontario*.

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

Of the *Hamilton Trades and Labour Council*; praying that the Dominion Government may issue all money for the purpose of a circulating medium, to be legal tender for all debts, public and private.

Of the *Winnipeg Board of Trade*; praying the House to consider the advisability of aiding the construction of the *Winnipeg and Hudson Bay Railway*.

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 the following Bills, and have agreed to report the same with Amendments, viz.:—

Bill to incorporate the *Montreal Bridge Company*.

Bill respecting the *Napanee, Tamworth and Quebec Railway Company*; and to change the name of the Company to "The *Ontario Western Railway Company*," and

Bill to incorporate the *National Construction Company*.

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 23rd January last, for a statement, in detail, showing the expenditure made in connection with the Marine and Emigrant Hospital at *Quebec*, since the 30th June, 1886, the said statement giving:—

1. The sum voted each year by the Dominion Parliament.
2. The amount expended.
3. The number of sailors and emigrants taken in each year, and the total number of days that each one of these passed in the hospital.
4. The number of persons, not being sailors or emigrants, taken into the said hospital, and the number of days that each one of this class passed there.
5. The total cost day by day of each patient.
6. The amount received by the Government for the patients who are neither emigrants nor sailors.

7. The amount received from the Sick Mariners' Fund, under the Act 49 *Victoria*, chapter 76, section 16. (*Distribution and Sessional Papers.*)

64. Return to an Order of the House of the 29th January last, for a Return showing:—

1st. The total number of Chinese immigrants who have arrived in the Dominion of *Canada* from the 31st March, 1887, to the 31st December, 1889, specifying the ports at which such immigrants have arrived.

2nd. The amount of fees or duties collected from Chinese immigrants during the same period.

3rd. The number of certificates of residence that have been issued to Chinese, as provided for under Section 13 of the Act to restrict and regulate Chinese immigration into *Canada*, since the passage of the Act.

4th. The number of Chinese who have been detected in attempting to land in *Canada* upon fraudulent certificates and who were prevented by the courts from doing so.

5th. Copies of all correspondence having reference to the removal from office of Mr. *Vroman*, alias Mr. *Gardner*; and also, all correspondence having reference to the appointment of a Chinaman to the position of Interpreter at the Port of *Vancouver*, in the place of the said Mr. *Gardner*.

6th. The number of Chinese who have passed through *Canada* in bond for passage from *Vancouver* by steamer to *China*, and the regulations that have been prescribed for placing them securely on board said steamers to prevent their disembarkation into *Canada*.

7th. The total number of Chinese, other than those in bond, who have left *Canada* during the first mentioned period, and the number of return certificates that have been issued. (*Sessional Papers.*)

65. Return to an Address of the Senate, dated the 21st January, 1890, for copies of all reports and other communications in reference to the deposit of sawdust, slabs or other offensive material, in the *Ottawa* and other Rivers of the Dominion. (*Distribution and Sessional Papers.*)

70. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 27th January last, for copies of the reports or opinions of the Law Officers of the Crown relating to the Act passed by the Legislature of the Province of *Quebec*, intituled: "An Act for the settlement of the Jesuits' Estates;" and also, copies of the case or cases or other documents or reports submitted to the said Law Officers, or to Her Majesty's Secretary of State for the Colonies, in relation to the said Act, and upon which the said opinions were obtained; and also, all the despatches and correspondence in reference thereto. (*Distribution and Sessional Papers.*)

72. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th ultimo, for a Return showing the annual losses of ships since 1868 in the Gulf of *St. Lawrence* and on the Atlantic coast and Bay of *Fundy*, owing to tides, currents and fogs, with the name and tonnage of each vessel, and such particulars in each case as to the causes and extent of damage, as may be in the possession of the Government. (*Sessional Papers.*)

74. Correspondence of the Governments of *Ontario* and *Quebec* in reference to the ownership of beds of Harbours, Rivers, &c. (*Distribution and Sessional Papers.*)

The Committee would also recommend that the following documents be not printed, viz.:—

28b. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 22nd January last, for copies of all Orders in Council, correspondence and documents respecting the superannuation of certain employees in the Post office at *Quebec*, and in the Post office Inspector's office at *Quebec*; and the filling up of the vacancies caused by their superannuation.

43a. Return to an Order of the House of the 20th January last, for a Return giving the names of all persons who were tried before a Magistrate for selling intoxicating liquors to Indians in the County of *Grey* or *Bruce*, in the year 1888-89; together with all papers, documents and letters on the subject; also, the name of

the party who laid the information, the name of the Magistrate before whom it was tried, the name of the constable employed and the name of the Lawyer retained in each case, together with the decisions of the Magistrate, stating the fines imposed, if any; also, if any appeals were made from the decisions of the Magistrate, stating before what Judge the appeals were tried and what was the result; giving the cost of each trial before the Magistrate, and of each appeal before the Judge, together with the name, occupation and Post office address of every person who received money for any service whatever, either at the trial at the Magistrate's court or at the appeal before the Judge; the total cost of all the trials, the total fines imposed and collected. If costs were refused at any trial, giving the reason for such refusal; also, showing whether any of the Indians who received whiskey were electors of *Bruce* under the Electoral Franchise Act of *Canada*.

46a. Return to an Order of the House of the 29th January last, for a Return showing the date of the creation of the *Trent Valley Canal Commission*, the time and place of the first sitting, the actual number of days it has actually been occupied in the work appertaining to the said Commission, and the number of days and of sittings held in taking and receiving evidence, and the places whereat thus far sittings of the Commission have been held.

46b. Return to an Order of the House of the 3rd instant, for a statement showing, for each year since 1878:—

1. The number of vessels which have passed through the *Chambly Canal*, and their tonnage.

2. The amount of, and the description of freight carried by these vessels.

3. The amount of tolls collected in the said several years on the said canal.

47. Return to an Order of the House of the 24th ultimo, for a Return of the number of cases entered in the Vice-Admiralty Court of *Quebec*, during the years 1885, 1886, 1887, 1888 and 1889; the number of cases entered during the same years in the Vice-Admiralty Court of *Nova Scotia*; and the number of cases entered during the same years in the Vice-Admiralty Court of *New Brunswick*.

48a. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 22nd January last, for copies of all Orders in Council, correspondence and documents respecting the establishment of the Marine Hospital at *Quebec* and respecting the closing of the same.

49. Return to an Order of the House of the 29th January last, for a Return showing whether or not the Island known as *Sultana Island*, in the Lake of the *Woods*, has been sold, and if so, showing by what right or title the Government of *Canada* claimed to have the power to sell the same; showing also, all correspondence had between the Government of *Canada* and the purchaser or purchasers of said Island, or the solicitors or other persons acting on behalf of such purchaser or purchasers (if any); showing also, the area of land contained in said Island, and the value and extent of the pine timber thereupon, and the price or amount for which the said Island was sold, and the names and addresses of the purchaser or purchasers thereof; also, any map showing locality of Island.

50. Return to an Order of the House of the 17th April, 1889, for 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.

51. Official correspondence in the matter of *Private C. J. Hurrell*, applying for further compensation as a wounded volunteer.

51a. Official correspondence in the matter of *Valiquette's pension*.

52. Return to an Order of the House of the 30th January last, for copies of all letters to the Government asking that Engineers be sent to examine *Kettle Creek*, between *St. Thomas* and *Port Stanley*, with a view to ascertaining the feasibility of building a canal; and all reports, maps and other documents sent in by such Engineers.

53. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th ultimo, for copies of all correspondence between the Government, or any of its Departments, and the Cor-

poration known as the "Président et syndics de la commune de la seigneurie d'*Yamaska*," respecting damages occasioned to their lands by the dam erected in the *Yamaska* River.

53c. Return to an Order of the House of the 24th ultimo, for copies of all claims made by *Elphège Cardin*, *Jean Cardin*, *George Tonnancourt*, and *Bruno St. Germain*, to be compensated for damages occasioned to their lands by the dam erected in the *Yamaska* River; of all correspondence arising out of such claims; together with a statement of all sums allowed to each of them in settlement of their claims.

53b. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th ultimo, for copies of the late Reports made by the Engineer of the Public Works Department respecting works to be carried out at *Rivière du Sud*, in the County of *Montmagny*.

54. Return to an Order of the House of the 30th January last, for a Return of all correspondence, petitions, reports or other papers respecting the sale, ownership or condition of the *Dundas* and *Waterloo* Macadamized Road, since the close of the Session of 1889.

53a. Return to an Order of the House of the 29th January last, for copies of all petitions, reports of Engineers, and all correspondence in reference to the dredging of the bar at the mouth of the River *Thames*, in the County of *Kent, Ontario*.

55. Return to an Order of the House of the 22nd January last, for copies of all correspondence and documents respecting the appointment of Mr. *Joseph Garneau* as Superintendent of Government works at *Quebec*; and respecting his removal, and the substitution of a person named *L. P. Lépine*.

56. Return to an Order of the House of the 5th ultimo, for a Return of a copy of the contract and specification for the erection of the Post office and Custom House building at *Annapolis, Nova Scotia*; the several tenders and amounts thereof; also, any order or orders altering the quality and nature of the stone used in the construction.

56a. Return to an Order of the House of the 4th March, 1889, for 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.

57. Return to an Order of the House of the 11th March, 1889, for 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.

57a. Return to an Order of the House of the 27th January last, for copies of the accounts connected with the building of a wharf at *Kamouraska*, in the Province of *Quebec*, made up in the course of the year 1889.

58. Return to an Order of the House of the 27th January last, for a statement, in detail, showing the expenditure made in connection with repairs to *Tignish* Breakwater, *Prince Edward Island*, during 1889; the date of commencement of work, and when completed; the name of party in charge of work.

58a. Return to an Order of the House of the 26th ultimo, for a statement showing the number of Government wharves, piers and breakwaters repaired in *Prince Edward Island* during the year 1889, the amount expended on each of said wharves, piers and breakwaters.

59. Return to an Order of the House of the 24th ultimo, for copies of the Reports made by the Chief Engineer relating to the survey of *Cove Head* Harbour, in *Prince Edward Island*, four or five years ago.

59a. Return to an Order of the House of the 20th January last, for a copy of Government Engineer's report of survey of Harbours of *Pinette* and *Wood's* Island; and also, copy of report of survey of *New London* Harbour and Breakwater, in the Province of *Prince Edward Island*.

59b. Return to an Order of the House of the 24th ultimo, for copies of any Reports made by the Chief Engineer relating to survey of *Tracadie* Harbour, *Prince Edward Island*, some years ago.

60. Return to an Order of the House of the 30th January last, for a statement showing the amount of dredging done during the season of 1889 in *Prince Edward Island* by the dredge "*Prince Edward*;" the names of harbours and other places dredged during said season, and the amount of work done in each harbour.

61. Return to an Order of the House of the 24th ultimo, for copies of all correspondence which has passed between the Auditor General and the Minister of the Interior, or any other person, in reference to the allowance for travelling expenses of *William McGirr*, Private Secretary to the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

62. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 29th January last, for a copy of the Quarantine Regulations of *Grosse Isle*, together with all Orders in Council and instructions given to the Medical Officers at said station.

63. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th ultimo for copies of correspondence in connection with a claim, made by the District of *St. Peters*, in the County of *Richmond*, for medical attendance and board of *Kenneth Chisholm*, a sick mariner, belonging to the schooner "*Jennie*."

65. Return to an Order of the House of the 24th ultimo, for a copy of the report of *Sandford Fleming*, C.E., of the examination made by him as to sawdust, &c., put in the *Ottawa*, by the saw mills at the *Chaudière* and other mills on the *Ottawa River*.

66. Return to an Address of the Senate, dated the 22nd January, 1890, for a detailed statement showing the settlement effected with the Lessees of Hydraulic lots at the *Chaudière*, City of *Ottawa*; as likewise copies of new leases entered into with the several Lessees of the said Hydraulic lots.

68. Report in relation to the appointment of Non-Commissioned Officers in Royal Military College.

69. 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 11th January, 1885, in relation to matters between the Government and the City of *Ottawa*.

71. Return to an Order of the House of the 24th ultimo, for a statement showing, in detail, the population by origin, according to the census of 1885, of that part of the provisional district of *Saskatchewan* lying to the south of the line between Townships 47 and 48, and bounded on the west by the line between Ranges 11 and 12, west of the 3rd Initial Meridian, and on the east by the 3rd Initial Meridian, in the Dominion Lands system of survey, now the Electoral District of *Batoche*; also, of that part of the same provisional district lying to the east of the 3rd Initial Meridian in the Dominion Lands system of survey, and bounded on the north by the southern boundary of the Electoral District of *Prince Albert*, now the Electoral District of *Kinistino*.

75. Statement, in detail, of Receipts and Payments of *Canada*, for the eight months ending 28th February, for the years 1889 and 1890, respectively.

Mr. *Bergeron*, from the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented to the House the Seventeenth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have examined the Petition of the *Columbia and Kootenay Railway and Navigation Company*, for power to make a lease of their works to the *Canadian Pacific Railway Company*, and find the notice was published in the *Canada Gazette* only for a period of two weeks; but, as the necessity for this application only arose on or about the 10th instant, too recently to admit of the required notice being given, and, as no exclusive privileges are asked for and no private interests can be affected, except those of the Shareholders which can be duly guarded in the usual manner in the Bill, your Committee recommend that the 51st Rule be suspended, in so far as it applies to this Petition; and, as the time for presenting Private Bills has expired, your Committee recommend that the 49th Rule be also suspended in this case.

On motion of Mr. *Mara*, seconded by Mr. *Prior*,

*Ordered*, That the 49th and 51st Rules of this House be suspended, in so far as they relate to the Petition of *Harry Abbott* and others, of the City of *Vancouver*, *British Columbia*; praying for an Act incorporating them under the name of the *Columbia* and *Kootenay* Railway and Navigation Company, and for other purposes, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Seventeenth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Mara* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Columbia* and *Kootenay* Railway and Navigation 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 Sir *John Thompson* have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend the Act fiftieth and fifty-first *Victoria*, chapter sixteen, intituled: "An Act to amend "the Supreme and Exchequer Courts Act," and to make better provision for the trial of claims against the Crown.

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 yesterday proposed, That the Resolutions reported from the Committee of Ways and Means, be now read a second time;

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "the total ordinary expenditure of *Canada* "chargeable to the Consolidated Fund in the fiscal year 1878 was. .... \$23,519,301

"That the total taxation collected in the same year was..... 17,841,938

"That the total ordinary admitted expenditure in the year 1889 was 36,917,834

"That the total taxation collected in the same year was..... 30,613,522

"That over and above the amount of the taxes actually paid into the Treasury,

"an immense additional sum is annually taken out of the pockets of the people and "is paid over to certain private individuals and corporations under pretence of pro- "tecting and encouraging certain special industries.

"That in the decade terminating on the 1st day of July, 1889, the sum of \$262- "812,878 has been raised in the way of taxes actually paid into the Treasury, inde- "pendently of an immense additional amount extracted from the people for the "aforesaid purposes.

"That the said taxation is enormous and oppressive in its incidence, and that it "is so imposed as to diminish the value of lands used for agricultural purposes and "to increase the indebtedness of the agricultural class in especial.

"That in fact the values of farm lands have greatly diminished and the amount "of mortgages thereon have been much increased throughout a very large portion "of this Dominion since 1879.

"That the additional taxation which it is now sought to impose will still further "increase the burthens of the people and is likely still further to aggravate the "distress unhappily existing among a large portion of the farming population of this "Dominion, and that, under such circumstances, it is the bounden duty of this House, "instead of adding to the existing oppressive taxation, to apply itself to the reduc- "tion of the burthens now impeding the progress and prosperity of the principal "producing classes of the Dominion, and for this purpose to abolish or reduce the "taxes now imposed on articles of prime necessity to farmers, miners, fishermen and "other producers," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question on the amendment being again proposed:—The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

On motion of Mr. *McMullen*, seconded by Mr. *Macdonald* (*Huron*),

*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 amend the Adulteration Act, chapter one hundred and seven of the Revised Statutes," without any amendment.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the Grand Trunk Railway Company of *Canada*," with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

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, 1889. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 10.)

And then The House adjourned till Monday next.

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Monday, 31st March, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Wood* (*Westmoreland*),—The Petition of *Ardent C. Tupper* and others, of *Scott's Bay*, County of *King's*; the Petition of *Amos E. Outhouse* and others, of *Tiverton*, County of *Digby*; the Petition of *Levi Tongard* and others, of *French Village*; the Petition of Mrs. *H. W. Scarfe* and others, of *Dartmouth*; the Petition of *H. J. Walters* and others, of *Indian Harbour*, all of the County of *Halifax*; the Petition of *W. H. Murray* and others; the Petition of *George W. McCready* and others; the Petition of *Alexander P. Lutes* and others, all of *Moncton*, County of *Westmoreland*; and the Petition of *D. W. Corkham* and others, of *Truro*, County of *Colchester*, *Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. *La Rivière*.—The Petition of *Roger Marion*, Mayor, and *P. F. Soucy*, Clerk, of the Town of *St. Boniface*, *Manitoba*.

By Mr. *Davin*.—The Petition of the Board of Trade of the Town of *Medicine Hat*, *North-West Territories*.

By Mr. *Jones* (*Halifax*),—The Petition of the Reverend *R. F. Burns*, D.D., Moderator, and others, of *Fort Massey* Presbyterian Church, *Halifax*, *Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. *Carling*.—The Petition of the Reverend *John G. Scott* and others, of the congregation of Queen's Avenue Methodist Church, *London*, *Ontario*.

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

Of *Edmund Laque*, Mayor, and others, of the Parish of *Chambly*; of *Wilfrid Tremblay*, Mayor, and others, of the Parish of *St. Hubert*, all of the County of *Chambly*; and of *A. A. Taillon*, Mayor, and Corporation of the City of *Sorel*, all of *Quebec*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, to incorporate the *Montreal Bridge Company*, may become law.

Of *J. E. Gemmel*, M.D., and others, of the Town of *Virden*; of *Andrew Kelly*, Mayor, and Council of the City of *Brandon*; of the *Brandon* Board of Trade; of *Alfred Pearson*, Mayor, and Council of the City of *Winnipeg*; of the Municipality of

*St. Laurent*, County of *Fairford*; and of the Board of Trade of the Town of *Minnedosa*, all of *Manitoba*; severally praying the House to consider the advisability of aiding the construction of the *Winnipeg* and *Hudson Bay* Railway.

Of the Ministerial Association of the City of *London, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act to secure the better observance of the Lord's Day.

Of *Samuel Latham* and others, of *Toronto, Ontario*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament to secure the better observance of the Lord's Day, may not become law.

Of the Council of the *Montreal* Board of Trade; praying for certain amendments of the Bill now before Parliament, to incorporate the *Montreal* Bridge Company; and for the rejection of the bridge clauses of the Bill now before Parliament, to incorporate the North Canadian Atlantic Railway and Navigation Company.

Mr. Speaker informed the House, That the Clerk of the House had laid on the Table,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 19th March, 1890, showing salary and remuneration paid to Mr. *Arthur Prieur*, employe of the House, as translator or otherwise, and the total amount received by him since his employment in any capacity. (*Sessional Papers, No. 77.*)

Mr. *Wood (Westmoreland)* 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 the following Bills, and have agreed to report the same with Amendments, viz.:—

Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the Imperial Trusts Company of *Canada*, and

Bill to incorporate the *York* County Bank.

Your Committee recommend that Bill respecting the Provincial Provident Institution of *St. Thomas, Ontario*, be withdrawn, as the promoters have signified their intention of not proceeding further with the measure; also, that the fee and charges paid thereon be refunded, less the cost of printing and translation.

On motion of Mr. *Wood (Westmoreland)*, seconded by Mr. *Hesson*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill respecting the Provincial Provident Institution of *St. Thomas, Ontario*, be withdrawn, and that the fee and charges paid thereon be refunded, less the cost of printing and translation, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Fourth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

On motion of Mr. *McMullen*, seconded by Mr. *Paterson (Brant)*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a statement showing the amount of duties paid on all the manufacturing machinery brought into *Canada*, the amount of duty unpaid, if any; on what machinery is there a balance still due, the length of time such arrears have been standing, by what manufacturing establishments are they due, and the amount in each case.

On motion of Mr. *Weldon (St. John)*, seconded by Mr. *Davies*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a statement showing the number of barrels of Canadian flour brought by sea or directly, or through the *United States of America*, into the several Provinces of *Nova Scotia, New Brunswick* and *Prince Edward Island*, during the year 1889.

Mr. *Davin* moved, seconded by Mr. *Macdowall*, and the Question being proposed, That it is expedient that a Select Commission of Enquiry, having power to examine witnesses under oath, do issue to enquire into the management of the *North-West* Mounted Police, and into the conduct of *Lawrence W. Herchmer*, Com-

missioner of the *North-West Mounted Police*, from the date of his appointment until the 31st of December, 1889;

Mr. *Watson* 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 is expedient that a Select Commission of Enquiry, having power to examine witnesses under oath, do issue to enquire into the conduct of *Lawrence W. Herchmer*, Commissioner of the *North-West Mounted Police*, from the date of his appointment," 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.

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*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 North Canadian Atlantic Railway and Steamship 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 Grand Trunk Railway 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 Order of the Day being read, for the House in Committee on the Bill to confer on the Commissioner of Patents certain powers for the relief of *George T. Smith*;

Mr. *Small* moved, seconded by Mr. *Hickey*, and the Question being proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair;

Mr. *Wallace* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Watson*, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "the House do resolve itself into Committee on the Bill this day six months," inserted instead thereof;

And a Debate arising thereupon;

The attention of Mr. Speaker having been directed to the fact that the hour set apart for Private Bills, under Rule 19, had expired.

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The Order for Public Bills and Orders was called.

Mr. *McMullen* moved, seconded by Mr. *Casey*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill to amend the Civil Service Act, be now read a second time;

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

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend "The Indian Advancement Act," chapter forty-four of the Revised Statutes;

Mr. *Doyon* moved, seconded by Mr. *Guay*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time;

Sir *John A. Macdonaid* moved, in amendment to the Question, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, That the word "now" be left out, and the words "this day six months," added at the end thereof;

And a Debate arising thereupon;  
On motion of Mr. *Lister*, seconded by Mr. *Davies*,  
*Ordered*. That the Debate be adjourned.

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

*Tuesday, 1st April, 1890.*

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Mr. *Dewdney*,  
*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend 'An Act respecting Marriage with a Deceased Wife's Sister,'" be now read the first time.  
The Bill was accordingly read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time at the next sitting of the House this day.

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 1889. (*Sessional Papers, No. 14.*)

And then The House, having continued to sit till five minutes after Twelve of the Clock on Tuesday morning, adjourned till this day.

*Tuesday, 1st April, 1890.*

PRAYERS.

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

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

By Mr. *McMullen*,—The Petition of *D. Campbell* and others, of *Knox Church, Clifford, County of Wellington, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Sproule*,—The Petition of *James Cavers* and others, of the Township of *Sydenham, County of Grey, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Curran*,—The Petition of *Andrew Allan*, Chairman, and *D. A. Watt*, acting Secretary, of the Shipping Interest of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Jones* (*Halifax*),—The Petition of the Reverend *Daniel M. Gordon*, Chairman, and *Robert Baxter*, Secretary, of the Associated Ministers and Elders of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*, at *Halifax* and *Dartmouth, Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. *Carling*,—The Petition of *William Brown* and others; and the Petition of the Trades and Labour Council, all of *London, Ontario*.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 19th March, 1890, for a Return showing:—

1. The actual cost of first construction of the *Montreal* Court House, 1851–57.

2. The amount spent for repairs since, each year down to Confederation. (*Sessional Papers, No. 78.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 12th February, 1890, for a Return showing:—

1. The total amount of money expended in dredging *McGregor's* Creek, in the Town of *Chatham, Ontario*.

2. The amount expended for piling and planking the same. The name of each contractor, and amount of their several contracts.

3. The amount of money paid property owners for damage done to their property in consequence of such dredging, with the name and amount paid each property owner.

4. The name and amount of all claimants whose claims have been rejected, or which are still under the consideration of the Government. (*Sessional Papers, No. 79.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 10th March, 1890, for a Return showing the date of commencing the works of blasting the rock in *Cascumpeque Harbour*, in *Prince Edward Island*, in the summer of 1889, the date at which the work stopped, the names of workmen employed, the amount of wages paid to each diver and to each labourer; also, the whole amount expended in blasting said rock up to December, 1889. (*Sessional Papers, No. 59c.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 10th March, 1890, for a Return showing the number of tenders made or put in for the public work at the Eastern Gap of the *Toronto Harbour Works*; the name or names of each person or company tendering for the work and the amount of each tender and the terms thereof, with a statement of the approximate quantities upon which each tender was calculated; and of all letters and correspondence, statements, documents and papers pertaining to the letting of the contract and to any and all of the tenders. (*Sessional Papers, No. 59d.*)

And also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 24th February, 1890, for the report and plans of the Chief Engineer of the Department of Public Works employed to make a survey and examination, with a view to the construction of an interprovincial bridge across the *Ottawa River*, between the Village of *La Passe*, in the Province of *Ontario*, and the Village of *Fort Coulonge*, in the Province of *Quebec*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 80.*)

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was, on Thursday, 27th March last, proposed, That the Resolutions reported from the Committee of Ways and Means, be now read a second time;

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "the total ordinary expenditure of *Canada* chargeable to the Consolidated Fund in the fiscal year 1878 was \$23,519,301

" That the total taxation collected in the same year was..... 17,841,938

" That the total ordinary admitted expenditure in the year 1889 was 36,917,834

" That the total taxation collected in the same year was..... 30,613,522

" That over and above the amount of the taxes actually paid into the Treasury, an immense additional sum is annually taken out of the pockets of the people and is paid over to certain private individuals and corporations under pretence of protecting and encouraging certain special industries.

" That in the decade terminating on the 1st day of July, 1889, the sum of \$262-812,878 has been raised in the way of taxes actually paid into the Treasury, independently of an immense additional amount extracted from the people for the aforesaid purposes.

" That the said taxation is enormous and oppressive in its incidence, and that it is so imposed as to diminish the value of lands used for agricultural purposes and to increase the indebtedness of the agricultural class in especial.

" That in fact the values of farm lands have greatly diminished and the amount of mortgages thereon have been much increased throughout a very large portion of this Dominion since 1879.

" That the additional taxation which it is now sought to impose will still further increase the burthens of the people and is likely still further to aggravate the distress unhappily existing among a large portion of the farming population of this Dominion, and that, under such circumstances, it is the bounden duty of this House, instead of adding to the existing oppressive taxation, to apply itself to the reduction of the burthens now impeding the progress and prosperity of the principal

“producing classes of the Dominion, and for this purpose to abolish or reduce the taxes now imposed on articles of prime necessity to farmers, miners, fishermen and other producers,” 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, 2nd April, 1890.

On motion of Mr. Jones (*Halifax*), seconded by Mr. McMillan (*Huron*), Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

And then The House, having continued to sit till twenty-five minutes after One of the Clock on Wednesday morning, adjourned till this day.

Wednesday, 2nd April, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. McKay,—Four Petitions of District Assembly, No. 61, Knights of Labour; and four Petitions of the Trades and Labour Council, all of *Hamilton, Ontario*.

By Mr. Jones (*Halifax*),—The Petition of James Farquhar, President, and O. F. Reynolds, Secretary, of the Lord's Day Observance Society, *Halifax, Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. Davin,—The Petition of the Board of Trade of the City of *Regina, North-West Territories*.

By Mr. Laurier,—The Petition of the Reverend Thomas Macadam, Moderator, and J. R. MacLeod, Clerk, of the Presbytery of *Quebec*.

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

Of Levi Longard and others, of *French Village*; of Mrs. H. W. Scarfe and others, of *Dartmouth*; of H. J. Walters and others, of *Indian Harbour*, all of the County of *Halifax*; of Ardent C. Tupper and others, of *Scott's Bay*, County of *King's*; of Amos E. Outhouse and others, of *Tiverton*, County of *Digby*; of D. A. Corkham and others, of *Truro*, County of *Colchester*, all of *Nova Scotia*; of W. H. Murray and others; of George W. McCready and others; and of Alexander P. Lutes and others, all of *Moncton*, County of *Westmoreland, New Brunswick*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, to secure the better observance of the Lord's day, may not become law.

Of Roger Marion, Mayor, and P. F. Soucy, Clerk, of the Town of *St. Boniface, Manitoba*; and of the Board of Trade of the Town of *Medicine Hat, North-West Territories*; severally praying the House to consider the advisability of aiding the construction of the *Winnipeg and Hudson Bay Railway*.

Of the Reverend R. F. Burns, D.D., Moderator, and others, of *Fort Massey Presbyterian Church, Halifax, Nova Scotia*; and of the Reverend John G. Scott and

others, of the congregation of Queen's Avenue Methodist Church, *London, Ontario*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, to secure the better observance of the Lord's day, may become law.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, from the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, presented to the House the Fourteenth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have had under consideration Bill respecting the Grand Trunk Railway Company of *Canada*, and have agreed to report the same with Amendments.

Your Committee have also 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.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 19th March, 1890, for a Return of all correspondence, petitions, memorials, reports of the Chief Engineer of the Department relative to the necessity and expediency of dredging and otherwise improving the harbour at *Picton*, Bay of *Quinté*, since 1st January, 1883; and also, containing all correspondence, petitions, memorials and reports concerning the desirability or expediency of construction of public buildings at the said Town of *Picton* for the accommodation of Post office, Customs and Inland Revenue offices in that town, since 1st January, 1886. (*Sessional Papers, No. 59e.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 17th March, 1890, for copies of all reports of the Chief Engineer on the pier at *Hall's Harbour, Nova Scotia*, since the year 1882; and for copies of all correspondence relating to said pier. (*Sessional Papers, No. 59f.*)

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 23rd January, 1890, for a Return giving the names of all the Chartered Banks in *Canada* that have suspended payment, gone into liquidation, or become insolvent since Confederation, showing the amount of capital stock authorized, the amount of stock subscribed, the amount of stock paid up, the assets and liabilities of said banks at the time of such suspension or failure, the nature of such assets and liabilities, the dates of said charters and the dates of forfeiture or relinquishment of such charters, and dividend paid to bill holders and depositors. (*Sessional Papers, No. 30c.*)

Mr. *Dewdney*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Supplementary Return to an Order of this House, dated 29th January, 1890, for a Return showing whether or not the Island known as *Suttana Island*, in the *Lake of the Woods*, has been sold, and if so, showing by what right or title the Government of *Canada* claimed to have the power to sell the same; showing also, all correspondence had between the Government of *Canada* and the purchaser or purchasers (if any); showing also, the area of land contained in said Island, and the value and extent of the pine timber thereupon, and the price or amount for which the said Island was sold, and the names and addresses of the purchaser or purchasers thereof; also, any map showing locality of Island. (*Sessional Papers, No. 49a.*)

On motion of Mr. *McNeill*, seconded by Mr. *Weldon (St. John)*,

*Ordered*, That the evidence taken before the Select Committee appointed to enquire into the statements made in reference to furs taken from *Charles Bremner*, a Half-breed, residing at *Battleford*, be printed for the use of Members, and that Rule 94 of this House be suspended in relation thereto.

*Ordered*, That Sir *John Thompson* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend "The Interpretation 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. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting pig iron manufactured in *Canada* from Canadian ore.

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.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was, on Thursday, 27th March last, proposed, That the Resolutions reported from the Committee of Ways and Means, be now read a second time ;

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "the total ordinary expenditure of *Canada* chargeable to the Consolidated Fund in the fiscal year 1878 was..... \$23,519,301

"That the total taxation collected in the same year was..... 17,841,938

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"That over and above the amount of the taxes actually paid into the Treasury, an immense additional sum is annually taken out of the pockets of the people and is paid over to certain private individuals and corporations under pretence of protecting and encouraging certain special industries.

"That in the decade terminating on the 1st day of July, 1889, the sum of \$262,-812,878 has been raised in the way of taxes actually paid into the Treasury, independently of an immense additional amount extracted from the people for the afore-said purposes.

"That the said taxation is enormous and oppressive in its incidence, and that it is so imposed as to diminish the value of lands used for agricultural purposes and to increase the indebtedness of the agricultural class in especial.

"That in fact the values of farm lands have greatly diminished and the amount of mortgages thereon have been much increased throughout a very large portion of this Dominion since 1879.

"That the additional taxation which it is now sought to impose will still further increase the burthens of the people and is likely still further to aggravate the distress unhappily existing among a large portion of the farming population of this Dominion, and that, under such circumstances, it is the bounden duty of this House, instead of adding to the existing oppressive taxation, to apply itself to the reduction of the burthens now impeding the progress and prosperity of the principal producing classes of the Dominion, and for this purpose to abolish or reduce the taxes now imposed on articles of prime necessity to farmers, miners, fishermen, and other producers;" 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 Thursday morning ;

*Thursday, 3rd April, 1890.*

On motion of Mr. *Mitchell*, seconded by Mr. *Desjardins*,  
*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the *Columbia* and *Kootenay* Railway and Navigation Company ;

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

And then The House, having continued to sit till a quarter of an hour before Two of the Clock on Thursday morning, adjourned till this day.

Thursday, 3rd April, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Watson*,—The Petition of the Municipality of *Portage la Prairie, Manitoba*.

By Mr. *White (Renfrew)*,—The Petition of *James Headrick* and others, of the Townships of *Ross* and *Westmeath*; and the Petition of *John Delahey* and others, of the Townships of *Ross, Bromley* and *Westmeath*, all of the County of *Renfrew, Ontario*.

By Sir *John A. Macdonald*,—The Petition of the *Portage la Prairie* Board of Trade, *Manitoba*; and the Petition of the Council of the Corporation of the City of *Kingston, Ontario*.

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

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Ontario*; praying the House to consider the advisability of providing for the appointment of such court, commission or person in each of the Provinces as may be necessary for the speedy and convenient hearing and determining of questions arising between the public and the railways.

Of the Trades and Labour Council; of *William Brown* and others, all of *London*; of *James Cavers* and others, of the Township of *Sydenham, County of Grey*; of *D. Campbell* and others, of *Knox Church, Clifford, County of Wellington*, all of *Ontario*; and of the Reverend *Daniel M. Gordon*, Chairman, and *Robert Baxter*, Secretary, of the Associated Ministers and Elders, of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*, at *Halifax* and *Dartmouth, Nova Scotia*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to secure the better observance of the Lord's Day.

Of *Andrew Allan*, Chairman, and *D. A. Watt*, acting Secretary, of the Shipping Interest of *Montreal*; praying that the Bills now before Parliament, for the incorporation of Companies to construct bridges across the River *St. Lawrence*, at *Montreal* and *Quebec*, may not become law.

*Mr. Earle*, 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 Bill to incorporate the Home Benefit Life Association and have agreed to report the same with Amendments.

Your Committee have materially amended this Bill by eliminating therefrom all reference to the Home Benefit Life Association incorporated under the provisions of Chapter 172 of "The Revised Statutes of *Ontario, 1887*;" and recommend that the Title be changed to "An Act to incorporate the Home Life Association of *Canada*."

*Mr. Taylor* moved, seconded by *Mr. Hickey*, and the Question being proposed, That Five hundred copies of Bill to prohibit the Importation and Migration of Foreigners and Aliens under contract or agreement to perform labour in *Canada*, be printed and placed at the disposal of the Select Committee to whom the Bill has been referred, and that Rule 94 of this House be suspended in relation thereto.

And objection having been taken to the Motion, on the ground that no notice thereof had been given, *Mr. Speaker* said the Question could not be put.

Ordered, That *Sir John Thompson* have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend chapter fifty-one of the Revised Statutes, "The Territories Real Property 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 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.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was, on Thursday, 27th March last, proposed, That the Resolutions reported from the Committee of Ways and Means, be now read a second time;

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words, "the total ordinary expenditure of "Canada chargeable to the Consolidated Fund in the fiscal year 1878 was \$23,519,301  
 "That the total taxation collected in the same year was..... 17,841,938  
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"That over and above the amount of the taxes actually paid into the Treasury, "an immense additional sum is annually taken out of the pockets of the people and "is paid over to certain private individuals and corporations under pretence of pro- "tecting and encouraging certain special industries.

"That in the decade terminating on the 1st day of July, 1889, the sum of \$262,- "812,878 has been raised in the way of taxes actually paid into the Treasury, inde- "pendently of an immense additional amount extracted from the people for the "aforesaid purposes.

"That the said taxation is enormous and oppressive in its incidence, and that it "is so imposed as to diminish the value of lands used for agricultural purposes and "to increase the indebtedness of the agricultural class in especial.

"That in fact the values of farm lands have greatly diminished and the amount "of mortgages thereon have been much increased throughout a very large portion "of this Dominion since 1879.

"That the additional taxation which it is now sought to impose will still further "increase the burthens of the people and is likely still further to aggravate the dis- "tress unhappily existing among a large portion of the farming population of this "Dominion, and that, under such circumstances, it is the bounden duty of this House, "instead of adding to the existing oppressive taxation, to apply itself to the reduc- "tion of the burthens now impeding the progress and prosperity of the principal "producing classes of the Dominion, and for this purpose to abolish or reduce the "taxes now imposed on articles of prime necessity to farmers, miners, fishermen and "other producers," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question on the amendment being again proposed:—The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

On motion of Mr. *Weldon (St. John)*, seconded by Mr. *Davies*,  
*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned.

Mr. *Bowell*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented Return to an Order of this House, dated 24th February, 1890, for a Return showing the number of self-binders, reapers and mowers exported from the Dominion during the past three years; giving the names of the exporters, the countries to which exported, and the amount of drawback allowed on each of the articles so exported. (*Sessional Papers, No. 81.*)

And then The House adjourned till Tuesday next, at Three o'clock, P. M.

Tuesday, 8th April, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Daly*,—The Petition of the Board of Trade of the Town of *Morden, Manitoba*.

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

Of District Assembly, No. 61, Knights of Labour; and of the Trades and Labour Council, all of *Hamilton, Ontario*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament to amend the Act for the prevention and suppression of combinations formed in restraint of trade, may become law.

Of District Assembly, No. 61, Knights of Labour; and of the Trades and Labour Council, all of *Hamilton, Ontario*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament to provide for the examination and licensing of persons having charge of stationary steam engines, &c., may become law.

Of District Assembly, No. 61, Knights of Labour; and of the Trades and Labour Council, all of *Hamilton, Ontario*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament to amend the Civil Service Act, may become law.

Of District Assembly, No. 61, Knights of Labour; and of the Trades and Labour Council, all of *Hamilton, Ontario*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament for the protection of persons employed by contractors engaged in the construction of railways, &c., may become law.

Of *James Headrick* and others, of the Townships of *Ross* and *Westmeath*; of *John Delahey* and others, of the Townships of *Ross, Bromley* and *Westmeath*, all of the County of *Renfrew, Ontario*; of the Reverend *Thomas Macadam*, Moderator, and *J. R. MacLeod*, Clerk, of the Presbytery of *Quebec*; and of *James Farquhar*, President, and *O. F. Reynolds*, Secretary of the Lord's Day Observance Society, *Halifax, Nova Scotia*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to secure the better observance of the Lord's Day.

Of the Municipality of *Portage la Prairie*; of the *Portage la Prairie* Board of Trade, all of *Manitoba*; and of the Board of Trade of the City of *Regina, North-West Territories*; severally praying the House to consider the advisability of aiding the construction of the *Winnipeg* and *Hudson Bay* Railway.

Of the Council of the Corporation of the City of *Kingston, Ontario*; praying for an amendment of the Railway Act so as to make it obligatory on all Railway Companies in *Canada*, when receiving freight from any carrier by water, to pay accrued charges of such carrier for carriage of such freight, &c.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was, on Thursday, 27th March last, proposed, That the Resolutions reported from the Committee of Ways and Means, be now read a second time;

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out and the words "the total ordinary expenditure of *Canada* chargeable to the Consolidated Fund in the fiscal year 1878 was... .. \$23,519,301

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"That over and above the amount of the taxes actually paid into the Treasury, an immense additional sum is annually taken out of the pockets of the people and is paid over to certain private individuals and corporations under pretence of protecting and encouraging certain special industries.

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“That the said taxation is enormous and oppressive in its incidence, and that it is so imposed as to diminish the value of lands used for agricultural purposes and to increase the indebtedness of the agricultural class in especial.”

“That in fact the values of farm lands have greatly diminished and the amount of mortgages thereon have been much increased throughout a very large portion of this Dominion since 1879.

“That the additional taxation which it is now sought to impose will still further increase the burthens of the people and is likely still further to aggravate the distress unhappily existing among a large portion of the farming population of this Dominion, and that, under such circumstances, it is the bounden duty of this House, instead of adding to the existing oppressive taxation, to apply itself to the reduction of the burthens now impeding the progress and prosperity of the principal producing classes of the Dominion, and for this purpose to abolish or reduce the taxes now imposed on articles of prime necessity to farmers, miners, fishermen and other producers,” 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, 9th April, 1890.

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>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Edwards,</i>	<i>Langelier (Montmorency)</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec),</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Bécharé,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Lavergne,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd),</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John).</i>
<i>De St. Georges,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	<i>Welsch,</i>
<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin), and</i>
<i>Dojon,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Préfontaine,</i>	<i>Yeo.—60.</i>

NAYS :

Messieurs

<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John)</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>

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<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton),</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Leeds &amp; Gren.)</i>	<i>McGreevy,</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Montague,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>	<i>Wilson, (Lennox),</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Ives,</i>	<i>Pope,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville),</i>
<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wood (Westmead) and</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wright.—97.</i>
<i>Davin,</i>			

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put, That the Resolutions reported from the Committee of Ways and Means, be now read a second time;

Mr. *Bowell* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Kirkpatrick*, That all the words after "now" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "re-committed to the Committee of Ways and Means, for further consideration," 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 Resolutions be re-committed to the Committee of Ways and Means, for further consideration.

The House accordingly again resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

And then The House, having continued to sit till five minutes before Two of the Clock on Wednesday morning, adjourned till this day.

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Wednesday, 9th April, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Wilson (Lennox)*,—The Petition of *Allen Pringle* and others, of *Selby* and *Napanee, Ontario*.

By Mr. *McMillan (Huron)*,—The Petition of *James Murray* and others, of *Duff's* Church, *Walton, Presbytery of Maitland*, of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*.

Mr. Speaker informed the House, That he had received the following notification of a vacancy which had occurred in the representation of the Electoral District of the City of *Ottawa, 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 the City of *Ottawa, Ontario*, by reason of the death of *William G. Perley*, Esquire.

Given under our Hands and Seals, at the City of *Ottawa*, this 5th day of April, 1890.

JOHN COSTIGAN (L.S.),

Member for the Electoral District of *Victoria, N.B.*

M. BOWELL (L.S.),

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

Mr. Speaker also informed the House, That in conformity with Section eight, Chapter thirteen, of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, 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 of the City of *Ottawa*,

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, from the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, presented to the House the Fifteenth 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 *Calgary* and *Edmonton* Railway Company, and

Bill respecting the *Columbia* and *Kootenay* Railway and Navigation Company.

Your Committee have also had under consideration Bill to incorporate the *Inverness* Railway Company, and Bill to incorporate the *Louisburg* and *Richmond* Railway Company, and have agreed to report the preambles thereof not proven—because it has been shown that there is great difference of opinion in the localities affected as to the expediency of these measures, and further because legislative interference is not desirable or necessary this Session.

Your Committee recommend that the fees and charges paid on the two last mentioned Bills be refunded, less the cost of printing and translation.

Mr. *Sproule*, 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 considered the following Bills, and have agreed to report the same as follow, viz :—

Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the Dominion Mineral Company without amendment, and

Bill respecting *H. H. Vivian* and Company (Limited) with Amendments.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*, Ordered, That the fees and charges paid on the Bill to incorporate the *Inverness* Railway Company; and on Bill to incorporate the *Louisburg* and *Richmond* Railway Company, be refunded, less the cost of printing and translation, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Fifteenth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

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Mr. *Carling*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Report of the High Commissioner for *Canada*, with Reports from Agents in the United Kingdom, for the year 1889. (*Sessional Papers, No. 6d.*)

Also,—Report of the Director and Officers of the Experimental Farms for the year 1889. (*Sessional Papers, No. 6c.*)

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House—List of Shareholders in the Chartered Banks of the Dominion of *Canada*, as on the 31st December, 1889, in conformity with Chapter 120 of the Revised Statutes, section 68. (*Sessional Papers, No. 4.*)

Also,—Abstract of Statements of Insurance Companies in *Canada*, for the year ending 31st December, 1889. (*Sessional Papers, No. 9b.*)

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

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

*Thursday, 10th April, 1890.*

After some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood* (*Brockville*) 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 this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

And then The House, having continued to sit till ten minutes after Twelve of the Clock on Thursday morning, adjourned till this day.

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Thursday, 10th April, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Robillard*,—The Petition of the Reverend *W. D. Armstrong* and others, of *St. Paul's* Presbyterian Church, *Ottawa*.

By Mr. *Tyrwhitt*,—The Petition of *John Bourke* and others, of the Village of *North Bay*; the Petition of *H. A. Slater* and others, of the Village of *Burk's Falls*; and the Petition of *William F. Clark* and others, of *Powassan* and *Sundridge*.

By Sir *Donald A. Smith*,—The Petition of *Arthur Labelle* and others, of the City of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Mills* (*Annapolis*),—The Petition of *D. E. Thomson*, President, and *James Grant*, Secretary of the Baptist Convention of *Ontario* and *Quebec*.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petition was read and received:—

Of the Board of Trade of the Town of *Morden, Manitoba*; praying the House to consider the advisability of aiding the construction of the *Winnipeg* and *Hudson Bay* Railway.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Dewdney* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend "The Indian Advancement Act," chapter forty-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. *Costigan* have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend the Act respecting the Inland Revenue, 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.

*Ordered*, That Sir *John Thompson* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting Fishing Vessels of the *United States of America*.

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. *Colby* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend "The Seamen's Act," chapter seventy-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.

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

*Ordered*, That the First Report of the Select Committee appointed to supervise the Official Report of the Debates of this House during the present Session, be referred back to the said Committee for further consideration.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend "The Interpretation 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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend "The Exchequer Court 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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 Criminal Law;

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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Steamboat Inspection Act,' chapter "seventy-eight of the Revised Statutes; "

Mr. *Colby* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time;

And a Debate arising thereupon;

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Sir *John Thompson*,

*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act respecting Agricultural Fertilizers; "

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 Agricultural Fertilizers.

(*In the Committee.*)

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to provide, in respect of the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting Agricultural Fertilizers," now before this House:—

(1.) That with every sample transmitted in conformity with section three of the said Act, the manufacturer or importer shall, at the same time transmit to the Minister a fee of three dollars;

(2.) That the inspector shall be entitled, for each package to which a tag is attached under his supervision, and for each bill of inspection delivered by him, if the fertilizer is in bulk, to such fee in either case as the Governor in Council directs;

(3.) That every person who sells or offers fertilizers for sale, shall, before so doing register his name and address once in each year with such officer as the Minister directs, and shall at the same time pay a registration fee of one dollar;

(4.) That all fees paid and penalties recovered under this Act shall form part of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of *Canada*.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported the Resolution accordingly, and the same was read, as followeth:—

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to provide, in respect of the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting Agricultural Fertilizers," now before this House:—

(1.) That with every sample transmitted in conformity with section three of the said Act, the manufacturer or importer shall, at the same time, transmit to the Minister a fee of three dollars;

(2.) That the Inspector shall be entitled, for each package to which a tag is attached under his supervision, and for each bill of inspection delivered by him, if the fertilizer is in bulk, to such fee in either case as the Governor in Council directs;

(3.) That every person who sells or offers fertilizers for sale, shall, before so doing, register his name and address once in each year with such officer as the Minister directs, and shall at the same time pay a registration fee of one dollar;

(4.) That all fees paid and penalties recovered under this Act shall form part of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of *Canada*.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to, and referred to the Committee of the Whole on the foregoing Bill, respecting Agricultural Fertilizers, with instructions to make provision therein pursuant thereto.

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

Friday, 11th April, 1890.

The House then resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act respecting Agricultural Fertilizers," 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, 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.

And then The House, having continued to sit till twenty-five minutes after Twelve of the Clock on Friday morning, adjourned till this day.

Friday, 11th April, 1890.

#### PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Wood (Westmoreland)*,—The Petition of *Joseph A. Harris* and others; and the Petition of Mrs. *P. Teakles* and others, of *Moncton*, County of *Westmoreland*, *New Brunswick*.

By Mr. *McKay*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the Town of *Oakville*, County of *Halton*; the Petition of the Municipal Council of the Township of *Townsend*; and the Petition of the Municipal Council of the Village of *Waterford*, all of the County of *Norfolk*, *Ontario*.

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

Of *Allen Pringle* and others, of *Selby* and *Napanee*, *Ontario*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, to secure the better observance of the Lord's Day, may not become law.

Of *James Murray* and others, of *Duff's Church*, *Walton*, Presbytery of *Maitland*, of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*; praying for the passing of an Act to secure the better observance of the Lord's Day.

Mr. Wood (*Westmoreland*), 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 Bankers' Safe Deposit Warehousing and Loan Company of *Canada* (Limited) and have agreed to report the same with Amendments, and recommend that the Title be changed to "The Dominion Safe Deposit Warehousing and Loan Company (Limited)."

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Chapleau* 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 on Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill further to amend chapter fifty-one of the Revised Statutes "The Territories Real Property Act;"

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House for Tuesday next.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to prevent the Disclosure of Official Documents and Information;"

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House for Tuesday next.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

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 resuming the Debate on the Question which was, on Monday, 31st March last, proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, for the House in Committee on Bill to confer on the Commissioner of Patents certain powers for the relief of *George T. Smith*;

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "the House do resolve itself into Committee on the Bill this day six months," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment:—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. *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 read the third time on Monday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Montreal* Bridge Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood* (*Brockville*) reported, That the Com-

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mittee 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 *Napanee, Tamworth and Quebec Railway Company*, and to change the name of the Company to "The *Ontario Western 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 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 respecting the "*Napanee, Tamworth and Quebec Railway Company*, and to change the name of the "*Company to the Kingston, Napanee and Western 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 National Construction 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 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 Imperial Trusts Company of *Canada*, 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 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 *York County Bank*, 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 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 *Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada*, and, after some time spent

therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the Home Benefit Life Association, 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 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 Home Life Association of Canada."

*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 and Edmonton* 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 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 *Columbia and Kootenay* Railway and Navigation 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 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 Dominion Mineral 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 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 *H. H. Vivian* and Company (Limited), and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 Committee of Ways and Means was then resumed.

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

*Saturday, 12th April, 1890.*

After some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) 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.

And then The House, having continued to sit till ten minutes before Three of the Clock on Saturday morning, adjourned till Monday next.

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Monday, 14th April, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Doyon*,—The Petition of *T. H. Brisson*, Mayor, and others, members of the Municipal Council of the Village of *Laprairie*; the Petition of *C. Brassard*, Mayor, and others, members of the Municipal Council of the Parish of *Laprairie*; and the Petition of *Dosithé Robert*, Mayor, of *St. Philippe*, and others, all of the County of *Laprairie, Quebec*.

By Mr. *Daly*,—The Petition of the Board of Trade of the Town of *Manitou, Manitoba*.

By Mr. *Dewdney*,—The Petition of the Board of Trade of the Town of *Fort Qu'Appelle, North-West Territories*.

By Mr. *Davin*,—The Petition of the Board of Trade of the Town of *Prince Albert, North-West Territories*.

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

Of the Reverend *W. D. Armstrong* and others, of *St. Paul's* Presbyterian Church, *Ottawa*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament to secure the better observance of the Lord's Day, may become law.

Of *Arthur Labelle* and others, of the City of *Montreal*; of *Joseph A. Harris* and others; and of Mrs. *P. Teakles* and others, of *Moncton, New Brunswick*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament to secure the better observance of the Lord's Day, may not become law.

Of *John Bourke* and others, of the Village of *North Bay*; praying for a daily mail service each way between *North Bay*, aforesaid, and all points along the line of the Grand Trunk Railway.

Of *H. A. Slater* and others, of the Village of *Burk's Falls*; praying for a daily mail service each way between *Burk's Falls*, aforesaid, and all local points on the line of the Grand Trunk Railway.

Of *William F. Clarke* and others, of *Powassan* and *Sundridge*; praying for a daily mail service each way between *Powassan* and *Sundridge*, aforesaid, and all points along the line of the Grand Trunk Railway.

Of *D. E. Thomson*, President, and *James Grant*, Secretary, of the Baptist Convention of *Ontario* and *Quebec*; praying the House to adopt the necessary measures to secure such revision of the Constitution of *Canada* as will leave the several

Provinces free to abolish Separate Schools supported by rates levied by process of law, and prevent the making of grants of public funds to Denominational Institutions of any kind.

Of the Municipal Council of the Town of *Oakville*, County of *Halton*; of the Municipal Council of the Township of *Townsend*; and of the Municipal Council of the Village of *Waterford*, all of the County of *Norfolk, Ontario*; severally praying the House to consider the advisability of aiding the *Brantford, Waterloo* and *Lake Erie* Railway Company in the construction of that portion of their line between the City of *Brantford* and the City of *Toronto*.

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 Report of their Sub-Committee, to whom was referred the Report of the Clerk of the Committee on the Printing Services of the past year (thereto annexed) and the necessary changes to be made in the Distribution Service; which having adopted, they respectfully recommend for the consideration of both Houses.

#### REPORT OF THE SUB-COMMITTEE.

COMMITTEE ROOM,  
April 10th, 1890.

The Sub-Committee of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, to whom was referred the Report of the Clerk of the Committee on the Printing Services of the past year, and the necessary changes to be made in the Distribution Service, beg leave to report:—

That having fully considered the matters referred to them, recommend the accompanying memorandum by the Honourable the Secretary of State, marked "A," be adopted, except that the schedules of Numbers of Public Documents, mentioned in the schedules annexed, Nos. 1 and 2, be amended as in Nos. 3 and 4 annexed.

Your Sub-Committee further recommend that the Distribution Staff be divided as follow:—Mr. *E. Botterell* to be retained by your Committee as the head officer in the Distribution Department for both Houses, and that from this date he be graded as a first-class clerk in the Civil Service and receive a permanent salary of Eighteen hundred dollars per year, on account of his long service.

That *Henry A. Botterell* be also retained as Assistant Distributor, and that his salary be increased from date, from Eight hundred to a Thousand dollars, having been over four years in the service.

That *J. Wiltshire* be retained as Messenger, permanently, to this Department.

That in addition to their present duties during the Session of Parliament, they shall, during the recess, pack and despatch all Public Documents to Members of both Houses, of whatever nature, including extra numbers of reports, and all other documents which may be authorized to be mailed to Members by the Printing Committee.

That Mr. *Boulet* be transferred to the Printing Bureau, and have charge of the despatching of all Public Documents, formerly despatched by the Distribution Department, and that his salary be not less than at present; also, that the two Sessional Messengers be transferred to the Bureau of Printing, or placed upon the permanent staff of Messengers.

That as the Speaker of the House of Commons found it necessary, at the beginning of the Session, to put on an Express Horse Service between the Bureau and the Parliament Buildings, and that as this service has been supplemented by occasionally employing some of the regular Messengers of the House of Commons, that the whole of the Messenger service, as far as it relates to the communication between the two places, for the purposes of the Printing Committee, be hereafter left under the direction of the Speaker and the Chief Messenger.

Your Sub-Committee would further recommend the adoption of the memorandum of Mr. *Chamberlin*, marked "B," with respect to the mode of collecting accounts due by Members for printing ordered during the Session.

We would further recommend that the suggestion of the Auditor General, as to countersigning cheques, be adopted; and that the Accountant's Assistant be the person to countersign all such cheques.

All which is respectfully submitted.

(Signed)

ROBERT READ, *Chairman*.

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D. TISDALE,

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JAS. INNES.

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" A. "

#### MEMORANDUM.

The undersigned has the honour to submit to the Sub-Committee of the Committee on Printing of the two Houses of Parliament, the following propositions, which he trusts will be favourably entertained and reported for adoption by that Committee and the two Houses.

He should preface them by saying that delays in the fitting up for the occupation and use of the present offices of the Printing and Stationery Department upon *St. Patrick Street*, and other causes have prevented that Department from undertaking, as it was expected to do, under the agreement of the session of 1888, the general distribution of public documents at the beginning of the present session. Meantime, Mr. *Botterell* very properly and prudently made all necessary preparations for the present session's distribution.

It is now proposed that, the distribution for the present session being completed,—

1. The distribution to the several Departments of the Government and the public shall be transferred as provided by law, to the Department of Public Printing and Stationery.

2. That to aid in that distribution, one (or two) of the clerks now employed in the Parliamentary Distribution Office, be transferred to the Department of Public Printing and Stationery.

3. That, if found advisable, a portion of the furniture or fittings now used in making such distribution shall be removed from the Parliamentary Distribution Office to the offices of the Department of Public Printing and Stationery on *St. Patrick Street*.

4. That a certain fixed number of all public documents printed for the use of Parliament under the direction of the Joint Committee on Printing of the two Houses, shall be furnished day by day as printed, to the Distribution clerk of the Committee,—

(a.) For the use of the Members of the two Houses, as per schedule hereto appended.

(b.) For the use of the clerks, officers and employees of the two Houses, as per schedule.

(c.) For the use of the newspaper reporters and correspondents in attendance on the sittings of the two Houses, during the Session, as per schedule.

5. That all further distribution of these documents be entrusted, as directed by law, to the Government, through the Department of Public Printing and Stationery.

6. That, in addition to the numbers of any public document, published by authority of Parliament, which is assigned to the use of Members of either House by the schedules, any such Member may receive without payment copies of any document which he may be specially interested in obtaining for his constituents, upon requisition stating that fact. All further copies must be paid for.

7. That any Member desiring to procure a larger number of any document ordered to be printed, than allowed by the usual schedule of distribution, and by number 6 above, may, at any time, before the same goes to press, procure them to be

printed, for his use, at the Government Printing Office, at the cost of press-work and paper, by requisition therefor, addressed to the Superintendent of Printing.

8. In all cases where, because of special interest in any report or Parliamentary document, an exceptionally large number is ordered to be printed by the Joint Committee on Printing, it is understood that the additional copies over the usual issue will be distributed equally among the Members of the two Houses, and to them only.

(Signed) J. A. CHAPLEAU,  
Secretary of State.

Ottawa, February, 1890.

LIST OF DOCUMENTS sent to Distribution Room, House of Commons.

Name.	QUANTITY.	
	English.	French.
Orders of the Day, House of Commons.....	475	140
Votes and Proceedings.....	1,850	475
Minutes of Senate.....	1,600	400
Public Bills, Second Readings.....	1,875	475
Private do do.....	750	250
Third Reading Bills, House of Commons.....	250	100
do do Senate.....	350	150
Departmental Reports, folio.....	1,650	350
Returns to Addresses, &c., folio.....	1,875	475
House of Commons Debates, Daily Edition.....	1,650	.....
do do Book Form.....	.....	260
Senate Debates, Daily Edition.....	1,400	.....
do Book Form.....	.....	.....
<i>Supplementary.</i>		
Daily English for distribution.....	1,650	.....
Book, French.....	.....	260
Book, English, retained for binding.....	600	.....
do French do.....	.....	140
<i>Debates—The Senate</i>		
Daily Edition for distribution.....	1,400	.....
Book do retained for binding.....	500	.....

MEMO.—No French edition printed of Senate Debates.

	Public Departments.		Newspapers.		Prov. G'v'ts and Legislatures.		Judges.		Other Persons and Institutions		Quantity Furnished		Balance.	
	Eng.	Fr.	Eng.	Fr.	Eng.	Fr.	Eng.	Fr.	Eng.	Fr.	Eng.	Fr.	Eng.	Fr.
Votes.....	107	19	522	66	178	81	57	25	48	6	1,850	475	938	278
Minutes.....	100	19	522	66	178	81	57	25	48	6	1,600	400	695	203
Orders.....	93	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	475	140	382	122
Bills (Public).....	80	18	522	66	178	81	57	25	48	6	1,875	475	990	279
do (Private).....	108	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	750	250	642	240
Reports.....	86	16	522	66	178	81	57	25	48	6	1,650	350	759	156
House of Commons, 3rd Readings.....	16	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	250	100	234	99
Senate, 3rd Readings.....	46	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	350	150	304	148
House of Commons Debates.....	55	4	522	66	52	7	8	.....	15	.....	1,650	.....	998	.....
Senate Debates.....	7	.....	522	66	52	7	8	.....	15	.....	1,400	.....	796	.....
Returns.....	.....	.....	522	66	178	81	57	25	48	6	1,875	475	1,070	297

INSIDE DISTRIBUTION.

OUTSIDE DISTRIBUTION.

	Departments.		Press.		Governments and Legislatures.		Judges.		Other persons and Institutions.		Total.		Commons Post Office.		Senate Post Office.		Committees, Reporters and Officers.		Ex-Members and others.		Reserves		Total.		Grand Total of Inside and Outside.	
	E.	F.	E.	F.	E.	F.	E.	F.	E.	F.	E.	F.	E.	F.	E.	F.	E.	F.	E.	F.	E.	F.	E.	F.	E.	F.
Votes .....	108	19	539	73	182	75	56	25	39	7	924	199	537	110	100	38	151	62	61	25	25	874	235	1,798	434	
Minutes.....	102	20	539	73	182	75	56	25	39	7	930	200	215	55	199	38	143	39	61	25	25	643	157	1,573	357	
Orders.....	94	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	94	18	215	55	79	19	60	33	.....	6	6	360	113	454	131	
Bills (Public).....	102	19	539	73	182	75	56	25	39	7	930	199	537	110	199	38	143	42	61	25	25	965	215	1,895	414	
“ (Private) .....	59	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	59	8	215	55	79	19	223	43	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	601	150	
Reports .....	81	16	539	73	182	75	56	25	39	7	897	196	376	55	139	19	137	28	68	25	25	745	127	1,642	423	
3rd Readings (Commons).....	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	79	19	107	22	.....	.....	.....	.....	227	66	
do (Senate).....	52	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	52	2	215	55	.....	.....	78	24	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	370	106	
Debates of (Commons).....	59	4	539	73	52	7	6	.....	15	.....	671	84	537	110	79	19	143	18	86	25	10	870	157	1,541	241	
do (Senate).....	28	.....	539	.....	52	.....	6	.....	15	.....	640	.....	215	.....	316	.....	68	.....	.....	10	.....	609	.....	1,249	.....	
Returns.....	81	16	539	73	182	75	56	25	39	7	897	196	537	110	199	38	137	28	68	25	25	966	201	1,863	397	

## LIST OF DOCUMENTS required for the Distribution Office (Inside distribution).

Name.	QUANTITY.	
	English.	French.
Orders of the Day, House of Commons .....	400	125
Votes and Proceedings, House of Commons.....	1,000	300
Minutes of Senate.....	700	200
Public Bills, Second Reading.....	1,050	275
Private Bills do .....	650	240
Third Reading of Bills, House of Commons.....	275	100
do do Senate.....	400	150
Departmental Reports, folio.....	850	175
Returns to Addresses, &c., folio.....	1,050	275
House of Commons Debates, Daily Edition.....	1,000	.....
do do do Book form.....	.....	200
Senate Debates, Daily Edition.....	750	.....
<i>Bound Volumes.</i>		
Journals of Commons.....	400	120
do Senate.....	400	120
Sessional Papers.....	400	120
Votes and Proceedings, Commons.....	180	70
Debates of Commons.....	540	140
do Senate.....	.....	.....

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## MEMORANDUM for the Honourable Mr. Chapleau, Secretary of State.

For some years past there has been difficulty in collecting from the Members of the two Houses of Parliament, sums due for Government publications. The old custom of making these a free gift to Members so long as the supply lasted is dying very hard. But last year this was specially noticeable with respect to accounts for *Hansard* and speeches extracted therefrom. Several hundred dollars of arrears have accumulated, which it is very difficult for this Department to collect.

If it were practicable and permitted to send such accounts to the Accountant of either House to be charged up against the sessional allowances of these Members, a great deal of needless expenditure of time, as well as some unpleasantness might be avoided.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) B. CHAMBERLIN,

*Queen's Printer and Controller of Stationery.*

Ottawa, 18th February, 1890.

I approve the suggestion.

(Signed) J. A. CHAPLEAU.

Ottawa, 23rd February, 1890.

## REPORT OF THE CLERK OF THE COMMITTEE.

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 1888-89, showing the cost of those services to have been \$65,686.02. This is certified to, as being correct, by the signature of the Auditor General. The accounts and vouchers covering the above expenditure are ready to be submitted to the Audit Committee.

Last Session the Committee recommended that the contract of Mr. *Mortimer*, for the binding of the Sessional Papers, should be further extended, to cover the completion of the work of the then present Session, and then to cease. When the work was finished, I handed back to the Contractor, Mr. *Mortimer*, the deposit receipt from the *Quebec Bank*, for \$1,000, being the security held by me, as Clerk of the Committee, for the faithful performance of his contract.

I received the following letter from the Queen's Printer :—

Ottawa, 21st September, 1889.

SIR,—It is proposed to commence work in the Government Bindery, on the 1st October next. No further sheets, documents, or books should, therefore, be sent to the present contractors, for the binding, &c., except in cases of arrears of work of last Session.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

B. CHAMBERLIN,

Queen's Printer and Controller of Stationery.

HENRY HARTNEY, Esq.,  
Clerk of Parliamentary Printing.

The Messenger Service, under the control of this Committee, has been heretofore performed by two men, but if the present system, with regard to the delivery of proofs, &c., at the Printing Office, is to continue, more assistance will be necessary, owing to the greater distance from the Buildings of the new Printing Office.

It has heretofore been the policy of the Committee to insure, against loss by fire, all public property under their control, in the buildings occupied by the several Contractors for the printing and binding of Parliament. The contract system having ceased, all the policies have lapsed ; I did not feel authorized to transfer the same to the Government Printing Office without instructions from the Committee.

I asked that the sum of \$75,000, the same amount as last year, be placed on the Estimates, for the Printing of Parliament, for the fiscal year 1890-91, subject to the approval of the Committee.

All which is respectfully submitted.

HENRY HARTNEY,

Clerk, Printing of Parliament.

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 document and recommend that it be printed, viz. :—

73. Return to an Order of the House of the 24th ultimo, for a Return showing the number of Reports of the Geological Survey published respectively for each year of the last ten years, the number sold each year, the number distributed gratuitously, and the number still on hand. (*Sessional Papers*.)

The Committee also recommend that the following documents be not printed, viz. :—

30c. Return to an Order of the House of the 23rd January last, for a Return giving the names of all the Chartered Banks in *Canada* that have suspended payment, gone into liquidation, or become insolvent since Confederation, showing the amount of capital stock authorized, the amount of stock subscribed, the amount of stock paid up, the assets and liabilities of said Banks at the time of such suspension or failure, the nature of such assets and liabilities, the dates of said charters and the dates of forfeiture or relinquishment of such charters, and dividend paid to bill holders and depositors.

33f. Return to an Order of the House of the 24th ultimo, for a copy of the memorials sent by *Joseph Holden* and *John Shera* to the Honourable *Edgar Dewdney*, Minister of the Interior, respecting second Homesteads in the Territories.

33g. Return to an Order of the House of the 24th ultimo, for a Return showing receipts and expenses of each *North-West Territories* Registry Office from 1887 to 1889.

41a. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th ultimo, for a statement showing the names of all persons who sold to the Dominion Government since 1st January, 1886, property located in *St. Laurent* and *Lauzon* Wards in the Town of *Lévis*, with a view to widening the roadway of the Intercolonial Railway, and an extension of the station at *Lévis*; the amount paid to each proprietor; the amounts paid for commissions; the rate of percentage, and the persons to whom such amounts were paid.

43b. Return to an Order of the House of the 10th instant, for a statement showing:—

1st. All moneys in the hands of the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs, belonging to the Indians of the *Caughnawaga* Reserve;

2nd. All the several sources from which the said moneys were derived.

46. Report of *Mr. A. F. Wood* upon the investigation which he had made into the affairs connected with the *Welland* Canal.

49. Supplementary Return to an Order of the House of the 29th January last, for a Return showing whether or not the Island known as *Sultana* Island, in the *Lake of the Woods*, has been sold, and if so, showing by what right or title the Government of *Canada* claimed to have the power to sell the same; showing also, all correspondence had between the Government of *Canada* and the purchaser or purchasers of said Island, or the solicitors or other persons acting on behalf of such purchaser or purchasers (if any); showing also, the area of land contained in said Island, and the value and extent of the pine timber thereupon, and the price or amount for which the said Island was sold, and the names and addresses of the purchaser or purchasers thereof. Also, any map showing locality of Island.

59c. Return to an Order of the House of the 10th ultimo, for a Return showing the date of commencing the works of blasting the rock in *Cascumpeque* Harbour, in *Prince Edward Island*, in the summer of 1889, the date at which the work stopped, the names of workmen employed, the amount of wages paid to each diver and to each labourer; also, the whole amount expended in blasting said rock up to December, 1889.

59d. Return to an Order of the House of the 10th ultimo, for a Return showing the number of tenders made or put in for the public work at the Eastern Gap of the *Toronto* Harbour Works; the name or names of each person or company tendering for the work and the amount of each tender and the terms thereof, with a statement of the approximate quantities upon which each tender was calculated; and of all letters and correspondence, statements, documents and papers pertaining to the letting of the contract and to any and all of the tenders.

59e. Return to an Order of the House of the 19th ultimo, for a Return of all correspondence, petitions, memorials, reports of the Chief Engineer of the Department relative to the necessity and expediency of dredging and otherwise improving the harbour at *Picton*, Bay of *Quinté*, since 1st January, 1883; and also, containing all correspondence, petitions, memorials and reports concerning the desirability or expediency of construction of public buildings at the said Town of *Picton* for the accommodation of Post office, Customs and Inland Revenue offices in that town since 1st January, 1886.

59f. Return to an Order of the House of the 17th ultimo, for copies of all reports of the Chief Engineer on the pier at *Hall's* Harbour, *Nova Scotia*, since the year 1882; and for copies of all correspondence relating to said pier.

67. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 29th January last, for copies of all petitions, correspondence and documents of every

nature respecting the Great Eastern Railway, or any other line of Railway which it is proposed to lay between *Lévis* and *Montreal*, following the course of the River *St. Lawrence*.

76. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 29th January last, for,—

(1) Copies of all petitions addressed to His Excellency the Governor General by settlers in the districts of *Cranberry*, *Cedar*, *Wellington*, *Nanoose*, and *Nanaimo*, *British Columbia*, asking the privilege of obtaining the lands on which they had squatted on the Island Railway Reserve on ordinary terms allowed to settlers, viz., that their grant should include surface and minerals.

(2) For copies of all Orders in Council passed to authorize a Commission to enquire into the claims of the said settlers.

78. Return to an Order of the House of the 19th ultimo, for a Return showing:—

1. The actual cost of first construction of the *Montreal* Court House, 1851-57.

2. The amount spent for repairs since, each year down to Confederation.

79. Return to an Order of the House of the 24th February last, for a Return showing:—

1. The total amount of money expended in dredging *McGregor's* Creek, in the Town of *Chatham*, *Ontario*.

2. The amount expended for piling and planking the same. The name of each contractor, and amount of their several contracts.

3. The amount of money paid property owners for damage done to their property in consequence of such dredging, with the name and amount paid each property owner.

4. The name and amount of all claimants whose names have been rejected, or which are still under the consideration of the Government.

80. Return to an Order of the House of the 24th February last, for the report and plans of the Chief Engineer of the Department of Public Works employed to make a survey and examination, with a view to the construction of an interprovincial bridge across the *Ottawa* River, between the Village of *La Passe*, in the Province of *Ontario*, and the Village of *Fort Coulonge*, in the Province of *Quebec*.

81. Return to an Order of the House of the 24th February last, for a Return showing the number of self-binders, reapers and mowers exported from the Dominion during the past three years; giving the names of the exporters, the countries to which exported, and the amount of drawback allowed on each of the articles so exported.

*Also, by Reference from the House of Commons.*—Return to an Order of the House of Commons dated the 25th February, 1889, for a statement showing public buildings erected in various places throughout the Dominion, from 1st July, 1867, to 1st January, 1889.

Mr. *Dewdney*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 22nd January, 1890, for copies of all correspondence between the officers of the Temperance Colonization Company and the officers of the *Saskatchewan* Land and Homestead Company and the Department of the Interior, or any Member of the Government; and all correspondence between the Reverend *Alexander Sutherland* and *John T. Moore* and the Department of the Interior or any Member of the Government, in relation to the location of lands and claims for placing immigrants on lands, and compensation for assisting immigration to the said lands, together with all Orders in Council relating to such claims. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 82.)

Ordered, That Mr. *Costigan* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend "The Gas "Inspection Act," chapter one hundred and one 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.

On motion of *Doyon*, seconded by Mr. *Gigault*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing what sums of money have been paid by the Government, from the 30th June, 1889, to date, to *Charles Isaïe Labrie*, Notary Public, of *St. Joseph de Lévis*, for professional or other services; and also, what sums have been paid, during the same period, to Messieurs *L. N. Asselin*, *P. V. Taché* and *J. M. Pouliot*, for professional services.

On motion of Mr. *Doyon*, seconded by Mr. *Gigault*.

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing what sums of money have been paid by the Government, from the 30th June, 1889, up to date, to Messieurs *Charles Darveau*, *Isidore N. Belleau*, *Thomas Chase Casgrain*, *F. H. Drouin* and *Jean Blanchet*, advocates, for professional services; and also, what sums have been paid by the Government, during the same period, to the following law firms: Messieurs *Casgrain, Angers and Lavery*; *Belleau, Stafford and Belleau*; and *Blanchet, Drouin and Dionne*.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of the petitions, letters, and the plans and Engineers' reports respecting the projected dam at "*Hungry Bay*," in the County of *Beauharnois*.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of form 93, *North-West Mounted Police* returns, in which payments were made *L. W. Herchmer*, Commissioner *North-West Mounted Police*, by paymaster at *Regina*, for contingencies from 1st July, 1887, to 1st July, 1888, and from 1st July, 1888, to 1st July, 1889,

Mr. *Davin* moved, seconded by Mr. *Macdowall*, and the Question being put, That it is expedient that the Government should direct earnest attention to the establishment of a system of irrigation in the Territories; the House divided: and it passed in the Negative.

Mr. *Davin* moved, seconded by Mr. *Macdowall*, and the Question being put, That it is desirable that the claims of *North-West Half-breeds* to be dealt with in the same manner as the *Manitoba Half-breeds* were, should be examined, and, if found just, should be satisfied; the House divided: and it passed in the Negative.

Mr. *Davin* moved, seconded by Mr. *Macdowall*, and the Question being put, That land for a University for the Territories should be selected and set apart at an early day; the House divided: and it passed in the Negative.

Mr. *Davin* moved, seconded by Mr. *Macdowall*, and the Question being proposed, That in order to the prevention of prairie fires, the Railway Act be amended to enable railway companies in the Territories to enter upon uncultivated lands 200 feet on each side of their track, and that such railway companies be compelled, at proper times in each year, to plough, as a fire-guard, a continuous strip of not less than 6 feet in width on the outer part of such 200 feet and parallel with the line of railroad, and burn the prairie grass between such ploughing and their tracks; provided such fire-guard need not be constructed within the limits of any town or city, nor along the line of railway running through the mountains or over lands where ploughing would be impossible or unnecessary;

And that any railroad corporation operating its line of road, or any part thereof, shall be liable for all damages by fire that is set out or caused by operating any such line of road, or any part thereof, when such railroad company has failed to plough a fire-guard as above provided; and any such damages may be recovered by the party damaged in any court of competent jurisdiction;

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

Mr. *Davin* moved, seconded by Mr. *Dessaint*, and the Question being put, That it is just and expedient that clause 43 of the Dominion Lands Act be amended by extending its provisions from the 2nd day of June, A.D. 1887, to the 2nd day of June, A.D. 1889; the House divided: and it passed in the Negative.

On motion of Mr. *Bourassa*, seconded by Mr. *Neveux*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence, reports, petitions, and all other documentary writings, which, up to this date, have passed between the Post Office Department and the Post Office Inspector for the District of *Montreal*, and all other persons whatsoever, respecting the change of name for the Post office of *Mount Saint Nicholas*, in the County of *St. John*, Province of *Quebec*.

On motion of Mr. *McDonald* (*Victoria*), seconded by Mr. *Putnam*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all agreements made between the Government, or the Minister of Railways, and the Western Union Telegraph Company, respecting the construction and operation of a telegraph line along the *Cape Breton* Railway.

On motion of Mr. *Scriver*, seconded by Mr. *Flynn*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence between the Department of Militia and Defence and the officers of the staff of Military District No. 1, regarding the pay and allowances of said officers.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all papers connected with charges against *S. B. Lucas*, Indian Agent, *N. W. T.*, together with the report of investigation of said charges made before Inspector *McGibbon* in May, 1887.

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 grant certain powers to the *Chambly* Manufacturing Company,” without any amendment.

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: “An Act respecting grants of “Public Lands,” 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 Order of the Day being read, for the third reading of the Bill to confer on the Commissioner of Patents certain powers for the relief of *George T. Smith*;

Mr. *Small* moved, seconded by Mr. *Denison*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Mr. *Hickey* moved, in amendment to the Question, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*, 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 the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

YEAS:

Messieurs

*Armstrong,*  
*Bowman,*

*Hale,*  
*Hickey,*

*Masson,*  
*Meigs,*

*Smith (Ontario),*  
*Somerville,*

<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Montague,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>McCarthy,</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Daly,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew), and</i>
<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin)—37.</i>
<i>Gillet,</i>			

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

<i>Amyot,</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>
<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Neveux,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Blake,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Purcell,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.)</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Sriver,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria)</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton),</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox), and</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville).—93.</i>
<i>Daoust,</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 Order of the Day being read, for the House in Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Saskatchewan Colonization Railway 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 Order of the Day being read, for the House in Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Portage la Prairie and Duck Mountain Railway 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 Bankers' Safe Deposit Warehousing and Loan Company of *Canada* (Limited), 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, and that the Title be, "An Act to incorporate "the Dominion Safe Deposit Warehousing and Loan Company (Limited)."

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

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

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled, "An Act for the relief of "*Christiana Filman Glover*," 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. *Weldon* (*Albert*), seconded by Mr. *Small*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled, "An Act for the relief of "*Hugh Forbes Keefer*," 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.

The Order of the Day being read, for the House in Committee on the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend the Railway Act;"

Mr. *Shanly* moved, seconded by Mr. *White* (*Renfrew*), and the Question being proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair;

Sir *John A. Macdonald* 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 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 the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

YEAS:

Messieurs

<i>Amyot,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Jones</i> ( <i>Digby</i> ),	<i>Montague,</i>
<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Patterson</i> ( <i>Essex</i> ),
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Pope,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>Langevin</i> (Sir <i>Hector</i> )	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Ferguson</i> ( <i>Leeds &amp; Gren.</i> )	<i>Laurie</i> (Lieut.-Gen.)	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Ferguson</i> ( <i>Welland</i> ),	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Macdonald</i> (Sir <i>John</i> ),	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>

<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria) Small,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton),</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin),</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville), and</i>
<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Yeo.—85.</i>
<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	
<i>Desjardins,</i>			

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Purcell,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Blake,</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>McCarthy,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>De St. Georges,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Neveux,</i>	<i>Watson, and</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd),</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell).—47.</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then the main Question, so amended, being put;

*Resolved,* That the House do resolve itself into Committee of the Whole, on the said Bill this day six months.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the Debate on the Question, which was, on Monday, 31st March last, proposed, That it is expedient that a Select Commission of Enquiry, having power to examine witnesses under oath, do issue to enquire into the management of the *North-West Mounted Police*, and into the conduct of *Lawrence W. Herchmer*, Commissioner of the *North-West Mounted Police*, from the date of his appointment until the 31st of December, 1889;

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question, be left out, and the words "it is expedient that a Select Commission of Enquiry, having power to examine witnesses under oath, do issue to enquire into the conduct of *Lawrence W. Herchmer*, Commissioner of the *North-West Mounted Police*, from the date of his appointment," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question on the amendment being again proposed:—The House resumed the said Debate.

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

*Tuesday, 15th April, 1890.*

*Mr. Patterson (Essex)* moved, seconded by *Mr. Taylor*, and the Question being proposed, That the House do now adjourn:—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

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>Cimon,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Neveux,</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>De St. Georges,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Purcell,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Brien.</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd),</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Watson, and</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin).—52.</i>

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Landry,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.)</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Leeds &amp; Gren.)</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria)</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil)</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Montague,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox), and</i>
<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Pope,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'land).—76.</i>

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put; the House divided: and it passed in the Negative.

And then The House, having continued to sit till twenty-five minutes after Twelve of the Clock on Tuesday morning, adjourned till this day.

Tuesday, 15th April, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *O'Brien*.—The Petition of the Reverend *H. Plaisted*, M.A., Incumbent, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *River Desert*; the Petition of the Reverend *Lewis B. Pearse*, Incumbent, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Aylwin*, all of the County of *Ottawa*; the Petition of the Reverend *Arthur H. Manning*, Incumbent, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *South Bolton*; the Petition of the Reverend *W. C. Bernard*, Incumbent, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Adamsville* and *East Farnham*, all of the County of *Brome*; the Petition of the Reverend *Thomas Everett*, Curate, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Montreal*; the Petition of the Reverend *James H. Dixon*, Rector, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *St. Jude, Montreal*, all of the County of *Hochelaga*; the Petition of the Reverend *Thomas William Mussen*, M.A., Rector, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *West Farnham*, County of *Missisquoi*; the Petition of the Reverend *A. D. Lockhart*, Rector, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Ormstown*, County of *Chateauguay*; and the Petition of the Reverend *W. Anderson*, Rector of *Christ Church*, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Sorel*, County of *Richelieu, Quebec*.

By Mr. *Bryson*.—The Petition of the Reverend *J. C. Puleston Roberts*, Incumbent, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Thorne*; the Petition of the Reverend *W. H. Naylor*, Incumbent, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Clarendon*; and the Petition of the Reverend *Aaron A. Allen*, M.A., and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Portage du Fort*, all of the County of *Pontiac, Quebec*.

By Mr. *Weldon (Albert)*.—The Petition of *I. L. Shannon*, President, and *Robert Murray*, Secretary, of the Evangelical Alliance, *Halifax, Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. *Cockburn*.—The Petition of the Reverend *Charles P. Abbott*, Incumbent, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Boscobel*; the Petition of the Reverend *W. B. Longhurst*, R. D., Rector, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Granby*, all of the County of *Shefford*; the Petition of the Reverend *W. Raven* and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, of the Parish of *Eardley*, County of *Ottawa*; the Petition of the Reverend *Alexander Boyd Given*, Incumbent, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Onslow*, County of *Pontiac*; the Petition of the Reverend *W. Davies*, Incumbent, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Rawdon*, County of *Montcalm*; the Petition of the Reverend *E. G. Sutton*, Incumbent, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Edwardstown*, County of *Chateauguay, Quebec*; the Petition of *Mary McDonell*, Honourary President, and others, of the Women's Christian Temperance Union; and the Petition of *J. L. Dawkins*, and others, all of *Toronto, Ontario*.

Mr. *Dewdney*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 19th March, 1890, for a list of timber limits granted by the Dominion Government since March 1st, 1885; the names of the parties to whom granted, with date of grant; the area of each limit granted; whether granted to highest bidder at public competition, and the amount of bonus, if any, in each case received. (*Sessional Papers, No. 36a.*)

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 have, in accordance with the Order of the House, further considered their First Report and respectfully substitute the following in lieu thereof.

Your Committee beg leave to report that they have examined all the persons connected with the proof-reading and revision of the English and French Debates—and as regards the proof-reading in the Bureau and the revision in English by the Assistant to the Chief Reporter, and in French by the Chief French Translator (whose special duty is, not translation, but the revision of the work of his subordinates)—they are of the opinion that the staff as at present constituted is sufficient to perform the work efficiently, provided due attention is given to the performance of the duties.

On motion of Mr. *Taylor*, seconded by Mr. *Mills (Annapolis)*,

*Ordered*, That the Select Committee to whom was referred Bill to prohibit the Importation and Migration of Foreigners and Aliens under contract or agreement to perform labour in *Canada*, have leave to report the minutes of evidence taken before them to the House, and to make a special report thereon.

Mr. *Taylor* thereupon presented to the House, a Report from the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee find, on examination, that this Bill is similar in all respects to a Bill passed by the Congress of the *United States* in 1885 and amended by that body in 1886.

Your Committee have had before them witnesses from different points along the frontier, and find from their evidence (copy of which is annexed hereto) that the American Alien Labour Law has been enforced in such a way as to compel many of our people to relinquish their employment in the *United States*, or to remove with their families and reside there permanently; while citizens of the *United States* are permitted to work in *Canada* every day; and to return to their homes on the American side of the frontier at night, without interference from the Canadian authorities.

Your Committee recommend that the attention of the authorities at *Washington* be directed to the oppressive application to Canadians of the American Alien Labour Law; and to allow of such representation being made, and to afford time for its due consideration, recommend that further consideration of this Bill be postponed until next Session, and, if some suitable measure for granting relief to Canadians from the grievance complained of, be not passed in the interval by the American authorities, then your Committee recommend that a Bill dealing with this question be introduced next Session and taken into consideration. (*Appendix No. 2.*)

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill further to amend the Criminal Law, 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 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 respecting the *Pontiac Pacific Junction 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 amend the Act to incorporate the *River Detroit Winter Railway Bridge Company*, and to change the

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“name of the Company to the River *Detroit* Railway Bridge Company,” with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

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

*Wednesday, 16th April, 1890.*

After some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood* (*Brockville*) 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 this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

And then The House, having continued to sit till a quarter of an hour before Two of the Clock on Wednesday morning, adjourned till this day.

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Wednesday, 16th April, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *McKay*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the City of *Brantford*, County of *Brant*; the Petition of the *Hamilton* Trades and Labour Council; and the Petition of the Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, *Hamilton*, all of *Ontario*.

By Mr. *Hudspeth*,—The Petition of *William A. Goodwin* and others, of *Lindsay*, County of *Victoria*, *Ontario*.

By Mr. *Denison*,—The Petition of the *Pontiac* Pacific Junction Railway Company and the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

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

Of *T. H. Brisson*, Mayor, and others, members of the Municipal Council of the Village of *Laprairie*; of *C. Brassard*, Mayor, and others, members of the Municipal Council of the Parish of *Laprairie*; and of *Dosithé Robert*, Mayor of *St. Philippe*, and others, of the County of *Laprairie*, all of *Quebec*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament, to incorporate the *Montreal* Bridge Company, may become law.

Of the Board of Trade of the Town of *Manitou*, *Manitoba*; of the Board of Trade of the Town of *Fort Qu'Appelle*; and of the Board of Trade of the Town of *Prince Albert*, all of the *North-West Territories*; severally praying the House to consider the advisability of aiding the construction of the *Winnipeg* and *Hudson Bay* Railway.

Mr. Speaker informed the House, That he had received the following notification of a vacancy which had occurred in the representation of the Electoral District of *New Westminster, British Columbia*:—

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 *New Westminster, British Columbia*, by reason of the death of *Donald Chisholm, Esquire.*

Given under our Hands and Seals, at the City of *Ottawa*, this 14th day of April, 1890.

EDWARD GAWLER PRIOR (L.S.),  
Member for the Electoral District of *Victoria City and District.*  
JOHN A. MARA,  
Member for the Electoral District of *Yale.*

Mr. Speaker also informed the House, That in conformity with Section Eight, Chapter Thirteen of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, 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 of *New Westminster, British Columbia.*

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

*Resolved*, That as it appears from the Minutes and Proceedings of the Senate of the 26th March, 1890, that the Select Committee of the Senate on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours reported the preamble of Bill to incorporate the *Elbow River Water Power Company* not proven, the Accountant of this House be authorized to refund the fees paid on the said Bill, less the cost of printing and translation.

On motion of Mr. *Denison*, seconded by Mr. *Small*,

*Ordered*, That the Petition of the *Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway Company* and the *Canadian Pacific 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 their Petition for the passing of an Act to remove all doubts as to the effect of the *Canadian Pacific Railway Act, 1889*, in respect of the completion of the purchase of a certain portion of the latter Company's line, 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.

The Order of the Day being read, for the third reading of the Bill further to amend the Criminal Law;

Sir *John Thompson* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Mr. *Bergin* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Tisdale*, 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, in order to strike out all that portion of the second section after the word 'ward' in the tenth line and down to the word "is" in the "seventeenth line," 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

*Barnard,*  
*Bell,*

*Denison,*  
*Desaulniers,*

*Mara,*  
*Marshall,*

*Rykert,*  
*Shanly,*

<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Girouard,</i>	<i>Mitchell</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Pope,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil) and</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox).—36.</i>

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Archibald (Sir Adams)</i>	<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>
<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>
<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>
<i>Bécharé,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Blake,</i>	<i>Deudney,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec),</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.)</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John)</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McCarthy,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria)</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Richard),</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton),</i>	<i>Tyrchitt,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Welsh,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Montague,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Cook,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin), and</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Yeo.—124.</i>

So it passed in the Negative.

And the Question being again proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time ;

Mr. *Mitchell* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Charlton*, 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, in order to strike out the words in the thirteenth " line of the second section, viz. : ' in a factory, mill or workshop, ' and in the fourth " line, viz. : ' in such factory, mill or workshop, ' and in the fifteenth line, " the words ' in such factory, ' and in the sixteenth line the words ' mill or work- " shop ' ; also, the alteration in the twelfth line of the word ' thirty ' to ' twenty-one, ' " inserted instead thereof ;

Mr. *Tisdale* moved, in amendment to the said proposed amendment, seconded by Mr. *Davis*, That all the words in the amendment after " House " be left out, and the

words "in order to substitute the age of twenty-one in the twelfth line, for the age of thirty," inserted instead 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>Archibald (Sir Adams)</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton),</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Bécharde,</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Ives,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Montague,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Pope,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil), and</i>
<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.)</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox).—71.</i>
<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>	

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>
<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Daoust</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Porter,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Purcell,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>De St. Georges,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Blake,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec),</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Leeds &amp; Gren.),</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John)</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Richard),</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Welsh,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin),</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville) and</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Yeo.—98.</i>
<i>Cook,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>		

So it passed in the Negative.

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>Cook,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>De St. Georges,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec),</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Blake,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Scriven,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Richard),</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	<i>Wilson (Argenteuil),</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin),</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Pope,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox), and</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Yeo.—74.</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>		

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Archibald (Sir Adams)</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>
<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Purcell,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.)</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Leeds &amp; Gren.),</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton),</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Coughtin,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Wilmot, and</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Montague,</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. *Blake* 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, for the purpose of amending the 18th section by striking out the proposed substituted sub-section of section 13 of chapter 173 of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, and inserting in lieu thereof, the following:—

"No prosecution shall be maintainable against any person for conspiracy in refusing to work with or for any employer or workman, or for doing any act, or causing any act to be done for the purposes of a trade combination unless such act is an offence indictable by Statute, or punishable under the provisions of the 12th section of this Act," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and it passed in the Negative.

And the Question being again proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Mr. *McNeill* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Cargill*, 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, for the purpose of amending the same by inserting in line ten of the second section, after the word "one" the words "being over twenty-one years of age," 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.

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 to incorporate the *Saskatchewan* Railway and Mining 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 Central *Ontario* Railway," with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Mr. *Colby*, 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 1889. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 17.)

Mr. *Colby* also presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 10th March, 1890, for copies of all petitions and correspondence respecting the placing of a floating light opposite *Yamachiche*, in Lake *St. Peter*, River *St. Lawrence*. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 83.)

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

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

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After some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood* (*Brockville*) 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 this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

And then The House, having continued to sit till a quarter of an hour before Two of the Clock on Thursday morning, adjourned till this day.

Thursday, 17th April, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *McKay*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the Township of *Brantford*; and the Petition of the Municipal Council of the Township of *Onondaga*, all of the County of *Brant, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Cockburn*,—The Petition of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour; and the Petition of *J. C. Fraser*, and others, all of the City of *Toronto, Ontario*.

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

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

Of the Reverend *H. Plaisted*, M.A., Incumbent, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *River Desert*; of the Reverend *Lewis B. Pearse*, Incumbent, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Aylwin*; of the Reverend *W. Raven*, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Eardley*, all of the County of *Ottawa*; of the Reverend *Arthur H. Manning*, Incumbent, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *South Bolton*; of the Reverend *W. C. Bernard*, Incumbent, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Adamsville* and *East Farnham*, all of the County of *Brome*; of the Reverend *Thomas Everett*, Curate, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Montreal*; of the Reverend *James H. Dixon*, Rector, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *St. Jude, Montreal*, all of the County of *Hochelaga*; of the Reverend *Thomas William Mussen*, M. A., Rector, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *West Farnham*, County of *Missisquoi*; of the Reverend *A. D. Lockhart*, Rector, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Ormsdown*; of the Reverend *E. G. Sutton*, Incumbent, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Edwardstown*, all of the County of *Chateauguay*; of the Reverend *W. Anderson*, Rector of *Christ Church*, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Sorel*, County of *Richelieu*; of the Reverend *J. L. Puleston Roberts*, Incumbent, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Thorne*; of the Reverend *W. H. Naylor*, Incumbent, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Clarendon*; of the Reverend *Aaron A. Allen*, M.A., and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Portage du Fort*; of the Reverend *Alexander Boyd Given*, Incumbent, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Onslow*, all of the County of *Pontiac*; of the Reverend *Charles P. Abbott*, Incumbent, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Boscobel*; of the Reverend *W. B. Longhurst*, R.D., Rector, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Granby*, all of the County of *Shefford*; of the Reverend *W. Davies*, Incumbent, and others, of the Vestry of the Church of *England*, Parish of *Rawdon*, County of *Montcalm*, all of *Quebec*; of *S. L. Shannon*, President, and *Robert Murray*, Secretary of the Evangelical Alliance, *Halifax, Nova Scotia*; and of *Mary McDonell*, Honourary President,

and others, of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, *Toronto, Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to secure the better observance of the Lord's Day.

Of *J. L. Dawkins*, and others of *Toronto, Ontario*; praying for the establishment of a uniform system of public weighing scales at all grain-buying stations in *Canada*.

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 have carefully examined the following document and recommend that it be printed, viz.:—

Report of the Select Committee (*House of Commons*) to whom was referred Bill No. 8, to prohibit the Importation and Migration of Foreigners and Aliens under contract or agreement to perform labour in *Canada*, together with the evidence attached thereto.—*In Appendix to the Journals, and for Distribution—2,000 copies in the English language and 500 copies in the French language.*)

The Committee would respectfully direct attention to the following Extract from the Minutes of the Select Standing Committee of the House of Commons on Agriculture and Colonization, enclosed to them by its Chairman, together with a map annexed, and is as follows:—

Extract: "That this Committee recommend that the House ask the Government to have 200,000 copies of the map now shown, showing comparison between *Ontario* and nine of the States of the *United States*, printed for distribution; and "that an equal proportion be given to each Member of the House and Senate."

The Committee would respectfully recommend that the Department of Agriculture be recommended to print 100,000 copies of the map, and so distribute the same as will, in the view of the Department, best assist Immigration generally.

The Committee would also submit the two following Resolutions, as a recommendation:—

Resolved: 1. That the *Toronto* University be furnished, through the Distribution Office, with copies of all Statutes and Records since Confederation, provided such can be procured.

Resolved: 2. That the salary of *John Wiltshire*, messenger in the Distribution Office, be increased from \$600 to \$800.

Mr. *Bergeron*, from the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented to the House the Eighteenth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have examined the joint Petition of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company and the *Pontiac* Pacific Junction Railway Company, for leave to present a Petition for a Private Bill notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting such Petitions, and the reasons assigned by the promoters for the delay in presenting their Petition would appear to justify your Committee in recommending that the necessary leave be granted.

On motion of Mr. *Bryson*, seconded by Mr. *McNeill*,

*Ordered*, That the Petition of the *Pontiac* Pacific Junction Railway Company and 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 to remove all doubts as to the effect of the Canadian Pacific Railway Act, 1889, in respect of the completion of the purchase of a certain portion of the latter Company's line.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Patterson* (*Essex*) have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act respecting the inspection of steamboats and the examination and licensing of Engineers employed on them.

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, again resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

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

*Friday, 18th April, 1890.*

After some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair ; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 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 Bill, intituled : “ An Act to confer on the Commissioner of Patents certain powers for the relief of *Samuel May*,” with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled : “ An Act to amend chapter one hundred and twenty-seven, of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, intituled ‘ An Act respecting Interest,’ ” to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Mr. *Foster*,

*Resolved*, That as the time for the reception of Reports from Committees on Private Bills expires To-day, the same be extended until Thursday, 1st May next.

And then The House, having continued to sit till a quarter of an hour before Two of the Clock on Friday morning, adjourned till this day.

Friday, 18th April, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Robillard*,—The Petition of the *Ottawa Trades and Labour Council*.

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

Of the Municipal Council of the City of *Brantford*, County of *Brant*, *Ontario* ; praying the House to consider the advisability of aiding the *Brantford, Waterloo and Lake Erie* Railway Company in the construction of that portion of their line between the City of *Brantford* and the City of *Toronto*.

Of the *Hamilton Trades and Labour Council* ; and of the Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, *Hamilton, Ontario* ; severally praying for a certain amendment to the Bill now before Parliament, intituled : “ An Act further to amend the Criminal “ Law.”

Of *William A. Goodwin* and others, of *Lindsay*, County of *Victoria*, *Ontario* ; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, to secure the better observance of the Lord's Day, may not become law.

Mr. *Bergeron*, from the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented to the House the Nineteenth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have examined the Petition of the *Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway Company* and the *Canadian Pacific Railway Company*, for an Act to remove all doubts as to the effect of the *Canadian Pacific Railway Act, 1889*, in respect of the completion of the purchase by the former Company of a certain portion of the latter Company's line, and find that no notices have been published, but inasmuch as the necessity for the proposed measure only became apparent within the last few days, and as no private rights can be injuriously affected thereby, your Committee recommend that the 51st Rule be suspended in relation thereto.

As the time for presenting Private Bills has expired, your Committee also recommend that the 49th Rule be suspended so far as it applies in this case.

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

*Ordered*, That the 49th and 51st Rules of this House be suspended, as regards a Bill respecting the *Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway Company* and the *Canadian Pacific Railway Company*, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Nineteenth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Bryson* have leave to bring in a Bill to facilitate the purchase by the *Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway Company* from the *Canadian Pacific Railway Company* of the Branch line between *Hull* and *Aylmer*.

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.

Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Supplementary Return to an Order of this House, dated 26th March, 1890, for a statement showing:—

1. The date when Private *C. T. Hurrell* was notified by the Government of the passing of the Order in Council of the 13th November, 1888, granting him a pension.

2. The amounts paid him by way of gratuity or pension, and the dates of such payments. (*Sessional Papers, No. 51b.*)

Sir *Adolphe P. Caron* also laid before the House,—Copy of a declaration of *Antoine Valiquette*, of the Village of *Ste. Cunégonde*, District of *Montreal*, father of *Prima Valiquette*, Sergeant in the 65th Battalion. (*Sessional Papers, No. 51c.*)

Mr. *Dewdney*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Supplementary Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 22nd January, 1890, for copies of all correspondence between the officers of the Temperance Colonization Company and the officers of the *Saskatchewan Land and Homestead Company* and the Department of the Interior, or any Member of the Government; and all correspondence between the Reverend *Alexander Sutherland* and *John T. Moore* and the Department of the Interior, or any Member of the Government, in relation to the location of lands and claims for placing immigrants on lands, and compensation for assisting immigration to the said lands, together with all Orders in Council relating to such claims. (*Sessional Papers, No. 82a.*)

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Mr. *Dewdney*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act respecting Grants of Public Lands," 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.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Mr. *Dewdney*.

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend chapter one hundred and twenty-seven of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, intituled: 'An Act respecting Interest,' 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.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting Fishing Vessels of the *United States of America*;

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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to prevent the Disclosure of Official Documents and "Information," 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 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 House, according to Order, again resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to amend "The Interpretation Act," 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 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 amend "The Indian Advancement Act," chapter forty-four of the Revised Statutes;

Mr. *Dewdney* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time;

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.

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*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 *Pontiac* "Pacific Junction Railway Company," and the same were read, as follow:—

*Clause A.*

"So soon as the said bridge over the *Ottawa* River, at or near the City of *Ottawa*, is completed and ready for traffic, all trains of all railways connecting with

the same, now constructed or hereafter to be constructed, and also, the trains and cars of all Companies whose lines connect with the line of any Company so connecting with the said bridge and approaches, shall have and be entitled to the same and equal rights and privileges in the passage of the said bridge, and in the use of the lines of railway of the Company connecting therewith, so that no discrimination or preference in the passage of the said bridge and in the use of the lines of railway of the Company connecting therewith, or in tariff rates for transportation, shall be made in favour of or against any railway whose trains or business pass over the said bridge."

*Clause B.*

"In case of any disagreement as to the rights of any railway whose trains or business pass over the bridge, and the lines of railway of the company connecting therewith, or as to the tariff rates to be charged in respect thereof, the same shall be determined by the Railway Committee of the Privy Council as provided in section eleven of 'The Railway Act.'"

The said Amendments being read a second time ;

On motion of Mr. *Sproule*, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*, the said Amendments were amended by leaving out the words "and in the use of the lines of railway of the Company connecting therewith" in the sixteenth and twenty-first lines of clause A, and substituting in both cases the following words: "and approaches thereto."

"Also, by leaving out the words "and the lines of railway of the Company connecting therewith" in the fourth line of clause B, and substituting the following: "and approaches thereto."

The said Amendments, as amended, were then 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, 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 to amend the Act to incorporate the River *Detroit* Winter Railway Bridge Company, and to change the name of the Company to the River *Detroit* Railway Bridge 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 *Saskatchewan* Railway and Mining 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 Central *Ontario* Railway," 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 confer on the Commissioner of Patents certain powers for the relief of *Samuel May*," 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.

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 respecting Agricultural Fertilizers,” without any amendment.

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: “An Act for the relief of *Emily Walker*,” to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And also, the Senate communicate to this House the evidence taken before the Select Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the Bill, intituled: “An Act for the relief of *Emily Walker*,” and the papers referred to them, and request that the same be returned to the Senate.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the Grand Trunk Railway Company of *Canada*, 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, again resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting *H. H. Vivian and Company (Limited)*, 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 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. *Brown*, seconded by Mr. *Small*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: “An Act for the relief of “*Emily Walker*,” 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 on Monday next; the House divided: and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

The House then resumed the Debate on the Question, That the Bill to amend “The Indian Advancement Act,” chapter forty-four of the Revised Statutes, be now read a second time;

And the 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.

*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. *Wood (Brockville)* reported, That the Committee had made some progress, and directed him to move for leave sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, on Monday next, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill further to amend the Act respecting the Inland Revenue, 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. 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.

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 *Montreal Bridge Company*.”

Bill intituled: “An Act to incorporate the *Calgary and Edmonton Railway Company*.”

Bill intituled: “An Act respecting the *Napanee, Tamworth and Quebec Railway Company*, and to change the name of the Company to ‘*The Kingston, Napanee and Western Railway Company*.’”

Bill intituled: “An Act to incorporate the *National Construction Company*.”

Bill intituled: “An Act respecting the *Columbia and Kootenay Railway and Navigation Company*.”

Bill intituled: “An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the *Dominion Mineral Company*.”

Bill intituled: “An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the *Imperial Trusts Company of Canada*.”

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

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty-five thousand two hundred and sixty-three dollars and twenty three cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *Kingston Penitentiary*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred thousand seven hundred and forty dollars and ninety-four cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-four thousand one hundred and fifty-six dollars and thirty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *Dorchester Penitentiary*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand nine hundred and four dollars and fifty-eight cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *Manitoba Penitentiary*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-four thousand four hundred and thirty-four dollars and twenty-nine cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *British Columbia Penitentiary*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards Immigration and Immigration expenses, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-seven thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the following expenses in connection with Quarantine:—Quarantine, *Grosse Isle*, \$18,000; 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.*, \$900; Quarantine, *Port Hawkesbury*, \$300; *Tracadie Lazaretto*, \$4,000; To meet expenses of precautionary measures for Public Health, \$5,000; To meet expenses for Cattle Quarantines and possible expenses for Cattle Diseases and Sheep Scab, \$18,000; For payment for Immigrant patients in *Winnipeg* and *St. Boniface Hospitals*, \$8,000; Unorganized Quarantine Ports, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for "*Canada Gazette*," for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Miscellaneous Printing, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

10. *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, 1891.

11. *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, 1891.

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, 1891.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet expenditure in connection with "*The Canada Temperance Act*," for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

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 their duty, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, on account of expenditure in connection with survey of *Georgian Bay*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

16. *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, 1891.

17. *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, 1891.

18. *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, 1891.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to assist in the publication of a fourth volume of *Cartwright's* cases, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet payments to Extra Clerks for services rendered in the preparation of Returns ordered by Parliament, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Commercial Agencies, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventeen 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, 1891.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the Academy of Arts, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for collection of Orders in Council, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

25. *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, 1891.

26. *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, 1891.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and sixty-seven thousand five hundred and forty-three dollars and twenty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following expenses in connection with Dominion Lands, 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, \$15,495; Crown Timber Agents' salaries, \$4,400; Inspector of Ranches' salary, \$600; Dominion Lands Agent's salary, *New Westminster* \$1,500; Crown Timber Agent's salary, *New Westminster*, \$1,800; Salaries of Clerks in Outside Service, Forest Rangers and Land Guide Service, \$45,618.25; 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, \$47,830; To pay 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 pay salaries of Extra Clerks at Head Office, *Ottawa*; advertising, copying, &c., \$27,000; for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-five 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, 1891.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

*Saturday, 19th April, 1890.*

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received on Monday next.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)*, 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 twenty-five minutes before Two of the Clock on Saturday morning, adjourned till Monday next.

Monday, 21st April, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Brown*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the City of *Hamilton, Ontario*.

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

Of the Municipal Council of the Township of *Brantford*; and of the Municipal Council of the Township of *Onondaga*, all of the County of *Brant, Ontario*; severally praying the House to consider the advisability of aiding the *Brantford, Waterloo and Lake Erie* Railway Company in the construction of that portion of their line between the City of *Brantford* and the City of *Toronto*.

Of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; praying for the adoption of public weighing scales, with licensed sworn weighers, at market places, railway buying stations, &c., &c., of *Ontario*.

Of *J. C. Fraser* and others, of the City of *Toronto, Ontario*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, to secure the better observance of the Lord's Day, may not become law.

Of *Ottawa Trades and Labour Council*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, intituled: "An Act to prohibit the importation and migration of foreigners and aliens under contract or agreement to perform labour in *Canada*," may become law.

*Mr. Haggart*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 12th February, 1890, for copies of all petitions, letters, &c., to the Department at *Ottawa*, praying for a Post office at *Palmer Road, Prince Edward Island*; also, all correspondence to and from the Post Office Department at *Ottawa* and the Post Office Inspector at *Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island*, on the same subject. (*Sessional Papers, No. 56b.*)

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a statement of the amount of subsidies voted to the *Canada Atlantic Railway Company* for the construction of their bridge over the *St. Laurence River*, between *Coteau* and *Valleyfield*, the amount paid by the Government up to date, and the amount unearned or still to be paid.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a statement of the amount of subsidies voted by Parliament to the *Beauharnois Junction Railway Company*, the amount paid by the Government up to date, and the amount still due or unearned.

On motion of Mr. *Fiset*, seconded by Mr. *Geoffrion*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all petitions and other documents relating to the building of the proposed branch railway to *Matane*.

On motion of Mr. *Lister*, 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 all Orders in Council making appointments, promotions and changes in the Department of Militia and Defence, for the year ending 31st December, 1889.

*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. *Lister*, seconded by Mr. *Trow*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return giving the names of all those who have been appointed to the different Departments of the Public Service without examination, since 1880, to perform professional duties, such as Architects, Engineers, Draughtsmen, &c., as provided for under the Civil Service Act, and who have, since such appointment, been assigned clerical duties not requiring the technical knowledge for which they were originally appointed, and showing whether those since transferred to clerical work have since passed the Civil Service Examination, and giving the names of those who have so passed.

On motion of Mr. *Charlton*, seconded by Mr. *Mackenzie*,

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

1st. The number of acres of pasture land now under lease in the *North-West Territories*.

2nd. The amount paid the Government for rental of grazing leases during the past year.

3rd. The amount due the Government for arrears on pasture leases, and the names of the lessees in arrears for pasture lease rental.

4th. The names of the lessees holding leases of territory upon which settlers are not allowed to take up land without the consent of the lease-holder, with the total area of such leases, and the location of each.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of the quantity and value of eggs imported into and exported from the Provinces of *Ontario* and *Quebec* since 1st January last; also, the countries they have been imported from and exported to.

On motion of Lieut.-General *Laurie*, seconded by Mr. *Skinner*,

*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 any and all communications that may have passed between the Imperial and Dominion Governments with reference to the abrogation of such articles in the various Treaties of Commerce between Her Majesty's Government and the Government of Foreign nations as preclude preferential fiscal treatment of goods of British and Colonial production by the Government 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.

Mr. *Weldon* (*St. John*) moved, seconded by Mr. *Jones* (*Halifax*), and the Question being proposed, That there be laid before this House, a Return of all correspondence and all other papers relating to the purchase of a site for the Post office and Custom House building at *Annapolis, N. S.*; any reports relating to such purchase, and any offers for other sites made by other parties to the Government;

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 the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *Hugh Forbes Keefer*;"

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>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bloke,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.),</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Deudney,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin),</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox), and</i>
<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville)—64</i>

## NAYS :

## Messieurs.

<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton)</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Montplaisir, and</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John)—21</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>			

So 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 *Christiana Filman Glover*;" 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 *Emily Walker*;"

Mr. *Brown* moved, seconded by Mr. *Small*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time;

Sir *John Thompson* moved, in amendment to the Question, seconded by Mr. *Chapleau*, 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 the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS:

## Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>
<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>
<i>Baird,</i>	<i>De St. Georges,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>
<i>Bécharé,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Ives,</i>	<i>Purcell,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Sriver,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Lowitt,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd),</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Chouinard,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton),</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville) and</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'd—70.</i>
<i>Cockburn.</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>		

## NAYS:

## Messieurs

<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Mitchell.</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Campbell.</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.)</i>	<i>Moncrieff.</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Trychitt,</i>
<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>	<i>Wallace, and</i>
<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Macdowall,</i>	<i>Ross,</i>	<i>Watson.—35.</i>
<i>Innes,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Simple,</i>	

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then the main Question, so amended, being put;

*Ordered,* That the Bill be read a second time this day six months.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to facilitate the purchase by the *Pontiac* Pacific Junction Railway Company from the Canadian Pacific Railway Company of the Branch Line between *Hull* and *Aylmer*;

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

Sir *John A. Macdonald*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 10th March, 1890, for copies of all petitions forwarded to the Government by Messieurs. *Nazaire Ouellet*, *George Voyer*, *Alfred Ouellet*, *F. Côté* and others, in relation to damages caused to their properties by the Intercolonial Railway. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 41c.)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 10th March, 1890, for copies of all petitions to the Minister of Railways since 1st January, 1889, from employees of the Intercolonial Railway workshops at *Moncton* and the *Prince Edward Island* Railway, asking for an increase of wages; and also, for copies of all answers to the same from the Department of Railways or any official thereof. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 41b.)

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill in further amendment of the Revised Statutes, chapter five, respecting the Electoral Franchise;

*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 for the Prevention and Suppression of Combinations formed in restraint of Trade;

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 read the third time To-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to permit reciprocity in wrecking and in towing vessels and rafts.

*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 for the protection of persons employed by contractors engaged in the construction of railways under Acts passed by the Parliament of *Canada*;

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 in further amendment of "The *Canada* Temperance 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. *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 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;

*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 in further amendment of the Revised Statutes, chapter five, respecting the Electoral Franchise;

Mr. *Brien* moved, seconded by Mr. *Trow*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time;

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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, 22nd April, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *La Rivière*,—The Petition of the Municipality of *Macdonald*, County of *D'Iberville*, *Manitoba*.

Mr. Speaker informed the House, That his attention having been called by the Honourable Member for *Quebec East*, in his place, to the fact of the acceptance of an office of emolument under the Crown by *Pierre Amand Landry*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of *Kent*, *New Brunswick*, he had, in accordance with Section Eight, Chapter Thirteen of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, issued his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, to make out a new Writ of Election for the said Electoral District.

Sir *John A. Macdonald*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 10th March, 1890, for a Return showing the past operation of the Intercolonial Railway employees insurance scheme, and specially, (a) the annual receipts and expenditure, including salaries of officials for each year the scheme has been in operation; (b) the amounts paid each year out of the fund to the employees or their representatives, and whether for death or injury; (c) the surplus (if any) now on hand of such fund. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 41d.)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 24th February, 1890, for a Return of the casualties to trains on the Intercolonial Railway, arising from collision, broken rails or otherwise, for the calendar year 1889, the respective causes and dates, the amount of damage (if any) in each case to property, the amount of compensation paid to owners of property destroyed or damaged, as well as amount of claims for loss or damage to property (if any) unsettled. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 41e.)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 24th February, 1890, for a Return showing the names of all parties in arrears for hydraulic and other rents up to the 1st instant, and the amounts, respectively, due by such parties. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 66a.)

And also, an amended Return (in part) to a Return presented to the House on the 26th February, 1890, showing the amount of money expended by the Dominion in each Province since Confederation to the 30th June, 1889, under the following heads:—

1st. Subsidies to Railways in each Province, excepting the Canadian Pacific Main line and *Sault Branch*;

2nd. The several Railways built by the Dominion in each Province, including the Intercolonial branches and extensions, but not the main line as originally constructed;

3rd. The buildings erected or purchased in each Province, their location and cost. (*Sessional Papers, No. 42a.*)

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

(*In the Committee.*)

**1.** Resolved, That it is expedient to amend the Act 49 *Victoria*, Chapter 33—Revised Statutes—intituled “An Act respecting the Duties of Customs,” as follow:—

1. By repealing section one of said Act, and substituting the following in lieu thereof:—

In this Act or in any other Act relating to the Customs, unless the context otherwise requires:—

(a) The expression or contraction “*ad val.*” represents and has the meaning of the words “*ad valorem.*”

(b) The initials N.E.S. represent and have the meaning of the words “not elsewhere specified.”

(c) The initials N.O.P. represent and have the meaning of the words “not otherwise provided for.”

(d) The initials F.O.B. represent and have the meaning of the words “free on board.”

(e) The expression “gallon” means an Imperial gallon.

(f) The expression “ton” means two thousand pounds avoirdupois.

(g) The expressions “proof” or “proof spirits” when applied to wines or spirits of any kind, mean spirits of the strength of proof as ascertained by *Sykes’ Hydrometer.*

(h) The expression “gauge” when applied to metal sheets or plates or to wire, means the thickness as determined by *Stubbs’ Standard Gauge.*

(i) The expression “in diameter” when applied to tubing, means the actual inside diameter measurement.

(j) The expressions “sheet” or “sheets” when applied to metals, mean sheets or plates of not exceeding three-sixteenths of an inch in thickness.

(k) The expressions “plate” or “plates” when applied to metals, mean plates or sheets more than three-sixteenths of an inch in thickness.

2. By enacting that the interpretation clauses comprised in section 2 of the “Customs Act,” 49 *Victoria*, Chapter 32—(Revised Statutes)—as amended, shall, unless the context otherwise requires, apply to, and form a part of this Act; and, that any power conferred upon the Governor in Council by the said “Customs Act” to transfer dutiable goods to the list of goods which may be imported free of duty, shall not be by this Act abrogated or impaired.

3. By repealing sub-section 1 of section 5 of Chapter 33 (Revised Statutes), and substituting the following in lieu thereof:

The importation of any goods enumerated in Schedule “D” is hereby prohibited, and any such goods if imported shall thereby become forfeited to the Crown, and shall be forthwith destroyed,—and any person importing any such goods shall in each case incur a penalty of Two hundred dollars.

4. By enacting that all medicinal or toilet preparations imported for completing the manufacture thereof, or for the manufacture of any other article by the addition of any ingredient or ingredients, or by mixing such preparations, or by putting up or labelling the same alone or with other articles or compounds under any proprietary or trade name, shall be, irrespective of cost, valued for duty and duty paid thereon at the ordinary market value in the country from whence imported of the completed preparation when put up and labelled under such proprietary or trade name, less the actual cost of labour and material used or expended in *Canada* in completing the manufacture thereof or of putting up or of labelling the same.

5. By enacting that regulations respecting the manner in which molasses and syrups shall be sampled and tested for the purpose of determining the classes to which they shall belong with reference to the duty chargeable thereon shall be made by the Minister of Customs, and the instruments and appliances necessary for such determination shall be designated by him and supplied to such officers as shall be by him charged with the duty of sampling and testing such molasses and syrups; and the decision of any officer (to whom is so assigned the testing of such articles) as to the duties to which they are subject under the tariff, shall be final and conclusive, unless upon appeal to the Commissioner of Customs within thirty days from the rendering of such decision, such decision is, with the approval of the Minister, changed, and the decision of the Commissioner with such approval shall be final.

6. By enacting that any goods or packages being the growth, produce or manufacture of *Canada*, and, having been exported therefrom and intended to be returned, may be admitted free of duty on being re-imported to *Canada*, provided such goods or packages were entered for exportation, and branded or marked by a Collector or proper officer of Customs, and fully identified by the Collector or proper officer at the port or place where they are so re-imported; and further, provided that the property in such goods or packages has continued in the same person or persons by whom they were exported, and that such re-importation takes place within one year of the exportation thereof.

7. By enacting that any person who, without lawful excuse, the proof of which shall be on the person accused, sends or brings into *Canada*, or who, being in *Canada*, has in his possession any bill-heading or other paper appearing to be a heading or blank capable of being filled up and used as an invoice, and bearing any certificate purporting to show, or which may be used to show that the invoice which may be made from such bill-heading or blank is correct or authentic, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and liable to a penalty of Five hundred dollars and to imprisonment for a term not exceeding Twelve months, in the discretion of the court, and the goods which may be entered under any invoice made from any such bill-heading or blank shall be forfeited.

8. By striking out from the Schedule "A" to said Act the following headings, viz. :—

The words "Agricultural Implements, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 7 in said schedule.

The words "Books, etc." which immediately precede item 33 in said schedule.

The words "Breadstuffs, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 52 in said schedule.

The word "Carriages" which immediately precedes item 83 in said schedule.

The words "Cotton, manufactures of, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 121 in said schedule.

The words "Fruit (dried) viz. :—" which immediately precede item 162 in said schedule.

The words "Fruit (green) viz. :—" which immediately precede item 165 in said schedule.

The words "Furs, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 174 in said schedule.

The words "Glass and manufactures of, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 181 in said schedule.

The words "Gunpowder and other explosives, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 193 in said schedule.

The words "Iron and manufactures of, viz. :—" which precede item 213 in said schedule.

The words "Pianofortes, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 344 in said schedule.

The words "Steel and manufactures of, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 403 in said schedule.

The words "Stone, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 414 in said schedule.

The words "Sugars, syrups and molasses," which immediately precede item 419 in said schedule.

The word "Tobacco," which immediately precedes item 438 in said schedule.

The words "Trees—fruit trees, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 441 in said schedule.

The words "Vegetables, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 455 in said schedule.

The words "Wools and Woollens, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 473 in said schedule.

2. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to repeal the following items in Schedules "A," "B" and "C" to the Act 49 *Victoria*, Chapter 33—Revised Statutes—intituled : "An Act respecting the Duties of Customs," viz. :—

Schedule "A," items numbered, 2, 5, 6, 15, 17, 21, 22, 23, 40, 45, 47, 49, 58, 67, 81, 87, 98, 99, 100, 109, 110, 115, 117, 118, 119, 123, 134, 149, 153, 157, 165, 166, 167, 169, 177, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 193, 205, 206, 208, 209, 258, 262, 264, 265, 268, 269, 271, 274, 277, 283, 286, 288, 294, 295, 297, 298, 301, 305, 311, 312, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 335, 336, 340, 341, 342, 358, 361, 363, 370, 372, 376, 379, 385, 387, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 402, 411, 412, 413, 415, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 432, 435, 437, 438, 448, 451, 452, 457, 459, 460, 461, 463, 467, 468, 473, 476, 481, 482.

Schedule "B," items numbered, 489, 490.

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SCHEDULE "A."

1. Acid, acetic and pyroligneous, N.E.S., and vinegar, a specific duty of fifteen cents for each gallon of any strength not exceeding a strength of proof, and for each degree of strength in excess of the strength of proof an additional duty of one cent. The strength of proof shall be held to be equal to six per cent of absolute acid, and in all cases the strength shall be determined in such manner as may be established by the Governor in Council..... 15c. p. gall. & 1c. add'l.
2. Acid, acetic and pyroligneous of any strength, when imported by dyers, calico printers or manufacturers of acetates or colours, for exclusive use in dyeing or printing, or for the manufacture of such acetates or colours in their own factories, under such regulations as may be established by the Governor in Council, a duty of twenty-five cents per gallon and twenty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25c. p. gall and 20 p.c.
3. Acid phosphate, three cents per pound..... 3c. p. lb.
4. Precious stones, N.E.S., polished but not set or otherwise manufactured, and imitations thereof, ten per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10 p.c.
5. Animals, living, viz. :—Cattle, sheep and hogs, thirty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 30 p.c.
6. Artificial flowers, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
7. Feathers of all kinds, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
8. Axle grease, one cent per pound..... 1c. p. lb.

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9. Barrels containing petroleum or its products or any mixtures of which petroleum forms a part when such contents is chargeable with a specific duty, forty cents each..... 40c. each.
  10. Surgical belts or trusses and suspensory bandages of all kinds, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
  11. Blacking, shoe and shoemakers' ink, and shoe, harness and leather dressing, and harness soap, thirty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 30 p.e.
  12. Advertising pamphlets, pictures and pictorial show cards, illustrated advertising periodicals, illustrated price lists, advertising calendars, advertising almanacs, tailors' and mantlemakers' fashion plates, and all chromos, chromotypes, oleographs, photographs and other cards, pictures or artistic work of similar kinds, produced by any process other than hand painting or drawing, whether for business or advertising purposes or not, printed or stamped on paper, cardboard or other material, N.E.S., six cents per pound and twenty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 6c. p. lb. and 20 p.e.
  13. Geographical, topographical and astronomical maps, charts and globes, N.E.S., twenty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 20 p.c.
  14. Newspapers or supplemental editions or parts thereof, partly printed and intended to be completed and published in *Canada*, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
  15. Bank notes, bonds, bills of exchange, cheques, promissory notes, drafts, and all similar work unsigned, and bill heads, envelopes, receipts, cards and other commercial blank forms printed, or lithographed, or printed from steel or copper or other plates, and other printed matter N.E.S., thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem* 35 p.c.
  16. Bookbinders' tools and implements, including ruling machines, and bookbinders' cloth, ten per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10 p.c.
  17. Fancy work boxes, writing desks, glove boxes, handkerchief boxes, manicure cases, perfume cases, toilet cases and fancy cases for smokers' sets, and all similar fancy articles made of bone, shell, horn, ivory, wood, leather, plush, satin, silk, satinette or paper; dolls and toys of all kinds including sewing machines, when of not more than two dollars in value, and toy whips; ornaments of alabaster, spar, amber, terra-cotta or composition; statuettes, and bead ornaments, N.E.S., thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem*.... 35 p.c.
  18. Brass in strips for printers' rules, not finished, and brass in strips or sheets of less than four inches in width, fifteen per cent. *ad valorem*..... 15 p.c.
  19. Braces or suspenders and parts thereof, thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 35 p.c.
  20. Rice, uncleaned, unhulled or paddy, seventeen and a-half per cent. *ad valorem*..... 17½ p.c.
  21. Wheat flour, seventy-five cents per barrel..... 75 c. p. brl.
  22. Buttons of vegetable ivory or horn, ten cents per gross and twenty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10c. p. gr. and 20 p.c.
  - 22½. Buttons of hoof, rubber, vulcanite or composition, five cents per gross and twenty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 5c. per gr. and 20 p.c.
  23. Carpetting, matting and mats of hemp; carpet linings and stair pads, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
  24. Tobacco pipes of all kinds, pipe mounts, cigar and cigarette holders and cases for the same, thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem*.... 35 p.c.
  25. Clocks and clock cases of all kinds, thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem* 35 p.c.
  26. Clock springs and clock movements, other than for tower clocks, complete or in parts, ten per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10 p.c.

27. Horse clothing, shaped, N.O.P., thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
28. Cocoa mats and matting, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
29. Cocoa paste and chocolate, and other preparations of cocoa, not sweetened, four cents per pound.....	4c. per. lb.
30. Cocoa paste and chocolate and other preparations of cocoa containing sugar, five cents per pound.....	5c. p. lb.
31. Extract of coffee or substitutes therefor of all kinds, five cents per pound.....	5c. p. lb.
32. Collars of cotton, linen, celluloid or xyolite, twenty-four cents per doz. and thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	24c. p. doz. and 30 p.c.
33. Combs for dress and toilet of all kinds, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
34. Coloured fabrics, woven in whole or in part of dyed or coloured cotton yarn, or jute yarn, or of part jute and part cotton yarn or other material except silk, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
35. Non-elastic webbing, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
36. Elastic webbing, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
37. Old and scrap copper, copper in pigs, bars, rods, bolts, ingots and sheathing not planished or coated, and copper seamless drawn tubing, ten per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10 p.c.
38. Copper, all manufactures of, N.E.S., thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> ....	30 p.c.
39. Copper in sheets or strips of less than four inches in width, fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	15 p.c.
40. Cotton cordage and cotton braided cords, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
41. Cordage of all kinds, N.E.S., one and one-quarter cents per pound and ten per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	1¼ cts. p. lb. and 10 p.c.
42. Cotton denims, drillings, bed-tickings, gingham, plaids, cotton or canton flannels, flannelettes, cotton tennis cloth or striped zephyrs, ducks and drills dyed or coloured, checked and striped shirtings, cottonades, Kentucky jeans, pantaloons, stuffs, and goods of like description, two cents per square yard and fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	2 cts. p. sq. yd. & 15 p.c.
43. Cotton sewing thread in hanks, black, bleached or unbleached three and six cord, twelve and a-half per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	12½ p.c.
44. Jeans and coutilles, when imported by corset and dress stay makers for use in their own factories, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
45. Cuffs of cotton, linen, celluloid or xyolite, four cents per pair and thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	4 cts. p. pair & 30 p.c.
46. Curtains, when made up, trimmed or untrimmed, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
47. Hammocks and lawn tennis nets and other like articles manufactured of twine, N.E.S., thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
48. Drain pipes, sewer pipes, chimney linings or vents, and inverted blocks glazed or unglazed, and earthenware tiles, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
49. Feathers, viz.:—Ostrich and vulture undressed, fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	15 p.c.
50. Feathers, viz.:—Ostrich and vulture dressed, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
51. Apples, 40 cents per barrel, including the duty on the barrel.....	40 cts. p. bl.
52. Blackberries, gooseberries, raspberries and strawberries, N.E.S., three cents per pound—the weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty.....	3 cts. p. lb.

53. Cherries and currants, one cent per quart.....	1 ct. p. qt.
54. Cranberries, plums and quinces, thirty cents per bushel.....	30cts.p.bush.
55. Peaches, N.O.P., one cent per pound—the weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty .....	1c. p. lb.
56. Gas meters, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
57. Crystal and decorated glass table-ware made expressly for mount- ing with silver-plated trimmings, when imported by manu- facturers of plated ware, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
58. Glass carboys and demijohns empty or filled, bottles and decan- ters, flasks and phials of less capacity than eight ounces, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
59. Lamp, gas light and electric light shades, lamps and lamp chim- neys, side-lights and head-lights, globes for lanterns, lamps, electric lights and gas lights, N.E.S., thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
60. Common and colourless window glass ; and plain, coloured, stained, tinted or muffled glass in sheets, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
61. Ornamental figured, and enamelled coloured glass; painted and vitrified glass; figured, enamelled and obscured white glass ; and rough rolled plate glass, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .	25 p.c.
62. Stained glass windows, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
63. Silvered glass, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
64. Silvered glass, bevelled, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
65. Plate glass, not coloured, in panes of not over thirty square feet each, six cents per square foot; and when bevelled, two cents per square foot additional.....	6c. p. sq. ft. & 2c. p. sq. ft. add'l.
66. Plate glass in panes of over thirty and not over seventy square feet each, eight cents per square foot; and when bevelled, two cents per square foot additional.....	8c. p. sq. ft. and 2c. p. sq. ft. add'l.
67. Plate glass in panes of over seventy square feet each, nine cents per square foot; and when bevelled, two cents per square foot additional .....	9c. p. sq. ft. and 2c. p. sq. ft. add'l.
68. Imitation porcelain shades and coloured glass shades, not figured, painted, enamelled or engraved, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .	20 p.c.
69. All other glass and manufactures of glass, N.O.P., including bent plate glass, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
70. Gloves and mitts of all kinds, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> ....	35 p.c.
71. Gold and silver leaf, and Dutch or schlag metal leaf, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
72. Gun, rifle and pistol cartridges; and cartridge cases of all kinds and materials; percussion caps, and gun wads of all kinds, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
74. Hats, caps and bonnets, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
76. Honey in the comb or otherwise, and adulterations and imitations thereof, three cents per pound.....	3c. p. lb.
77. <i>India</i> rubber boots and shoes, with tops or uppers of cloth or of material other than rubber, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> ...	35 p.c.
78. <i>India</i> rubber boots and shoes, and other manufactures of <i>India</i> rubber, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
79. Corset clasps, spoon clasps or busks, blanks, busks, side steels and other corset steels, whether plain, japanned, lacquered, tinned or covered with paper or cloth; also, back, bone or corset wires, covered with paper or cloth, cut to lengths and tipped with brass or tin, or untipped, or in coils, five cents per pound and thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	5c. p. lb. & 30 p.c.

80. Ferro-manganese, ferro-silicon, spiegel, steel bloom ends and crop ends of steel rails, for the manufacture of iron or steel, two dollars per ton.....	\$2 p. ton.
81. Builders', cabinet-makers', harness-makers' and saddlers' hardware, including curry-combs, carriage hardware, locks, butts and hinges, N.E.S., and tools of all kinds, N.E.S., thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
82. Fire-arms, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
83. Surgical and dental instruments of all kinds, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
84. Lap-welded iron tubing, threaded and coupled or not, one and one-quarter to two inches inclusive in diameter, for use exclusively in artesian wells, petroleum pipe lines and petroleum refineries, under regulations to be made by the Governor in Council, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
86. Wrought iron or steel nuts and washers, iron or steel rivets, bolts with or without threads, nut and bolt blanks, T and strap hinges and hinge blanks, N.E.S., one cent per pound and twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	1c. p. lb. & 25 p.c.
87. Jellies, jams and preserves, N.E.S., five cents per pound.....	5c. p. lb.
88. Laces, braids, fringes, embroideries, cords, tassels, and bracelets; braids, chains or cords of hair; lace collars and all similar goods, lace nets and nettings of cotton, silk, linen or other materials, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
89. Lard, tried or rendered, three cents per pound, the weight of the package when of tin to be included in the weight for duty...	3c. p. lb.
90. Lard, untried, two cents per pound, the weight of the package when of tin to be included in the weight for duty.....	2c. p. lb.
91. Lead, nitrate and acetate of, not ground, five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i>	5 p.c.
92. Lead pipe and lead shot, one and one-half cents per pound .....	1½c. p. lb.
93. Leather-board and leatheroid, three cents per pound.....	3c. p. lb.
94. Skins for morocco leather, tanned but not further manufactured, fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	15 p.c.
95. Belting leather and upper leather, including kid, lamb, sheep and calf, tanned but not dressed, waxed or glazed, fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> ; if dressed, waxed or glazed, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	15 p.c. 20 p.c.
96. Belting of leather or other material, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
97. Liquorice paste, two cents per pound.....	2c. p. lb.
98. Liquorice in rolls or sticks, three cents per pound.....	3c. p. lb.
99. Extract of malt (non-alcoholic) for medicinal purposes, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
100. Magic lanterns and slides therefor, philosophical, photographic, mathematical and optical instruments, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
101. Mess pork, as defined by the General Inspection Act, one and one-half cents per pound, the barrel containing the same to be free of duty.....	1½c. p. lb.
101½. Salted beef in barrels, two cents per pound, the barrel containing the same to be free of duty.....	2c. p. lb.
102. Meats, fresh or salted, N.E.S., three cents per pound.....	3c. p. lb.
103. Dried or smoked meats and meats preserved in any other way than salted or pickled, N.E.S., three cents per pound; if imported in tins the weight to include the weight of the tin....	3c. p. lb.
104. Milk food and other similar preparations, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.

105. Mucilage, and liquid glue, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
107. Linseed or flaxseed oil, raw or boiled, one and one-quarter cents per pound.....	1½ c. p. lb.
108. Lubricating oils composed wholly or in part of petroleum and costing less than thirty cents per gallon, seven and one-fifth cents per gallon.....	7½ c. p. gall.
109. Oil cloth and oiled silk, in the piece, cut or shaped, oiled, enamelled, stamped, painted or printed, india-rubbered, flocked or coated, N.O.P., five cents per square yard and fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	5c. p. sq. yd and 15 p. c.
110. Opium (crude), one dollar per pound, the weight to include the weight of the ball or covering .....	\$1 p. lb.
111. Paintings, prints, engravings, drawings and building plans, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
112. Dry white and red lead, orange mineral and zinc white, five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	5 p.c.
113. Colours, dry, N.E.S., twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
114. Paints and colours, pulped or ground in oil or other liquids and all liquid, prepared or ready mixed paints, N.E.S., thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
115. Paints, ground or mixed in, or with, either japan, varnish, lacquers, liquid dryers, collodion, oil finish or oil varnish; rough stuff and fillers, five cents per pound and twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> , the weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty.....	5c. p. lb. & 25 p.c.
116. Oxides, ochres and ochrey earths, umbers and siennas and fire-proofs, ground or unground, washed or unwashed, calcined or raw, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p. c.
117. Paints and colours, ground in spirits, and all spirit varnishes and lacquers, one dollar per gallon.....	\$1 p. gall.
118. Paper hangings or wall paper in rolls, on each roll of eight yards or under, and so in proportion for all greater lengths of the following descriptions, viz. :—	
(a) Brown blanks and white blanks, printed or plain, two cents... ..	2c.
(b) White papers, grounded papers and satins, not hand-made, three cents.....	3c.
(c) Single print bronzes and coloured bronzes, six cents.....	6c.
(d) Embossed bronzes, eight cents.....	8c.
(e) Coloured borders, narrow, and coloured borders, wide, six cents	6c.
(f) Bronze borders, narrow, and bronze borders, wide, fourteen cents.....	14c.
(g) Embossed borders, fifteen cents.....	15c.
(h) All other paper hangings or wall paper, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
119. Paper sacks or bags of all kinds, printed or not, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
120. Union collar cloth paper in rolls or sheets, not glossed or finished, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
121. Union collar cloth paper in rolls or sheets, glossed or finished, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
122. Paraffine wax, stearic acid and stearine of all kinds, three cents per pound.. ..	3c. p. lb.
123. Lead pencils of all kinds, in wood or otherwise, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.

124. Perfumery, including toilet preparations (non-alcoholic), viz. :—  
Hair oils, tooth and other powders and washes, pomatums,  
pastes and all other perfumed preparations used for the hair,  
mouth or skin, thirty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 30 p.c.
125. Photographic dry plates, nine cents per square foot..... 9c. p. sq. ft.
126. Albumenized paper chemically prepared for photographers' use,  
twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
127. Pickles in bottle, forty cents per gallon, including the duty on the  
bottles, and each bottle holding less than one-half pint shall be  
dutiable as containing one-half pint, and each bottle holding  
more than one-half pint but not more than one pint shall be  
dutiable as containing one pint, and each bottle holding more  
than one pint but not more than one quart shall be dutiable  
as containing one quart..... 40c. p. gall.
128. Pickles in jars, pottles or other similar vessels, forty cents per  
gallon on the ascertained quantity, the duty to include the duty  
on the jar, pottle or other vessel..... 40c. p. gall.
129. Pickles in bulk, in vinegar or in vinegar and mustard, thirty-five  
cents per gallon, and in brine or salt, twenty-five cents per  
gallon..... 35c. p. gall.  
25c. p. gall.
130. Plumbago, fifteen per cent. *ad valorem*..... 15 p.c.
131. Plumbago, all manufactures of, N.E.S., thirty per cent. *ad  
valorem* ..... 30 p.c.
132. Printing presses and printing machines, such only as are used in  
newspaper, book and job printing offices; folding machines  
and paper cutters used in printing and bookbinding establish-  
ments, ten per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10 p.c.
133. Lithographic presses, ten per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10 p.c.
134. Prunella for boots and shoes, and cotton netting for the lining of  
boots, shoes and gloves, ten per cent. *ad valorem* ..... 10 p.c.
135. Woollen netting for the lining of boots, shoes and gloves, twenty-  
five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
136. Red and yellow prussiate of potash, ten per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10 p.c.
137. Rubber belting, hose, packing, mats and matting, and cotton or  
linen hose lined with rubber, five cents per pound, and fifteen per  
cent. *ad valorem* ..... 5c. p. lb. and  
15 p.c.
138. Sauces and catsups in bottle, forty cents per gallon, and twenty  
per cent. *ad valorem*; and each bottle holding less than one-  
half pint shall be dutiable as containing one-half pint, and  
each bottle holding more than one-half pint but not more than  
one pint shall be dutiable as containing one pint, and each  
bottle holding more than one pint but not more than one  
quart shall be dutiable as containing one quart..... 40c. p. gall.
139. Sauces and catsups in bulk, thirty cents per gallon, and twenty  
per cent. *ad valorem*..... 30c. p. gall.  
and 20 p.c.
140. Soy, ten cents per gallon..... 10c. p. gall.
141. Seeds, viz. :—Garden, field and other seeds for agricultural or other  
purposes, N.O.P., when in bulk or in large parcels, ten per 10 p.c.  
cent. *ad valorem*; when put up in small papers or parcels,  
twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
142. Shawls and travelling rugs of all kinds and materials, except silk,  
twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
143. Sewing and embroidery silk and silk twist, twenty-five per cent.  
*ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
144. Composition metal for the manufacture of filled gold watch  
cases, ten per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10 p.c.

145. Slate pencils, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p. c.
146. Castile soap, mottled or white, and white soap, two cents per pound. 2c. p. lb.
147. Soap powders, pumice, silver and mineral soaps, sapolio and other like articles, three cents per pound, the weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty..... 3c. p. lb.
148. Spirituous or alcoholic liquors distilled from any material, or containing, or compounded from or with distilled spirits of any kind and any mixture thereof with water for every gallon thereof of the strength of proof, and when of a greater strength than that of proof, at the same rate on the increased quantity that there would be if the liquors were reduced to the strength of proof. When the liquors are of a less strength than that of proof, the duty shall be at the rate herein provided, but computed on a reduced quantity of the liquors in proportion to the lesser degree of strength; provided, however, that no reduction in quantity shall be computed or made on any liquors below the strength of fifteen per cent. under proof, but all such liquors shall be computed as of the strength of fifteen per cent. under proof, as follow, viz. :—
- (a) Ethyl alcohol or the substance commonly known as alcohol, hydrated oxide of ethyl, or spirits of wine; gin of all kinds, N.E.S.; rum, whiskey, and all spirituous or alcoholic liquors, N.O.P., two dollars per gallon..... \$2 p. gall.
- (b) Amyl alcohol or fusil oil, or any substance known as potato spirit or potato oil, two dollars ..... \$2 p. gall.
- (c) Methyl alcohol, wood alcohol, wood naphtha, pyroxylic spirit, or any substance known as wood spirit or methylated spirit; absinthe, arrack or palm spirit, brandy, including artificial brandy and imitations of brandy; cordials and liqueurs of all kinds, N.E.S.; mescal, pulque, rum shrub, schiedam and other schnapps; tafia, angostura, and similar alcoholic bitters or beverages, two dollars. \$2 p. gall.
- (d) Spirits and strong waters of any kind mixed with any ingredient or ingredients and being or known or designated as anodynes, elixirs, essences, extracts, lotions, tinctures, or medicines, N.E.S., two dollars, and thirty per cent. *ad valorem*..... \$2 p. gall. & 30 p. c.
- (e) Alcoholic perfumes and perfumed spirits, bay rum, cologne and lavender waters, hair, tooth and skin washes and other toilet preparations containing spirits of any kind, when in bottles or flasks weighing not more than four ounces each, fifty per cent. *ad valorem*; when in bottles, 50 p. c. flasks or other packages weighing more than four ounces each, two dollars, and forty per cent. *ad valorem*..... \$2 p. gall. & 40 p. c.
- (f) Nitrous ether, sweet spirits of nitre and aromatic spirits of ammonia, two dollars, and thirty per cent. *ad valorem*. \$2 p. gall. & 30 p. c.
- (g) Vermouth and ginger wine, containing not more than forty per cent. of proof spirits, seventy-five cents per gallon; if containing more than forty per cent. of proof spirits, two dollars per gallon..... 75 c. p. gall. & \$2 p. gall.
- (h) In all cases where the strength of any of the foregoing articles cannot be correctly ascertained by the direct application of the hydrometer, it shall be ascertained by the distillation of a sample, or in such other manner as the Minister of Customs may direct.
149. Starch, including farina, corn starch or flour, and all preparations having the qualities of starch, not sweetened or flavoured, two cents per pound; when sweetened or flavoured, four cents per

- pound, in all cases the weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty..... 4c. p. lb.
150. Stereotypes, electrotypes and celluloids for almanacs, calendars, illustrated pamphlets, newspaper advertisements or engravings, and all other like work for commercial, trade or other purposes, N.E.S.; and matrices or copper shells of the same, two cents per square inch..... 2c. p. sq. in.
- 150½. Stereotypes, electrotypes and celluloids of books and bases for the same, whether composed wholly or in part of metal or celluloid, two-thirds of one cent per square inch, and matrices or copper shells of the same, two cents per square inch.....  $\frac{2}{3}$  c. p. sq. in.  
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151. Stereotypes, electrotypes, and celluloids of newspaper columns, and bases for the same, composed wholly or partly of metal or celluloid, three-fourths of one cent per square inch, and matrices or copper shells of the same, two cents per square inch.....  $\frac{3}{4}$  c. p. sq. in.  
 2c. p. sq. in.
152. Water limestone or cement stone, one dollar per ton of thirteen cubic feet..... \$1 p. ton.
153. Curling stones (so-called) of whatever material made, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p. c.
154. Molasses derived from raw cane sugar in the process of its manufacture direct from the cane, not refined or filtered or bleached or clarified, testing by the polariscope thirty degrees or over and not over fifty-six degrees, when imported direct without transshipment from the country of growth and production, a specific duty of one and one half cents per gallon, or when not so imported, of four cents per gallon; when testing over fifty-six degrees and imported direct without transshipment from the country of growth and production, a specific duty of six cents per gallon, or when not so imported, of eight cents per gallon, in all cases the package in which imported to be exempt from duty.....  $1\frac{1}{2}$ c. p. gall.  
 or 4c. p. gall.
155. Syrups, N.E.S., cane-juice, refined syrup, sugar-house syrup, syrup of sugar, syrup of molasses, syrup of sorghum, corn-syrup, glucose syrup and all syrups or molasses produced in the process of the manufacture of refined sugars, or in the refining of sugars, or in the refining of molasses, or in the production of molasses sugars, and all bleached, clarified, filtered or refined molasses, a specific duty of one cent per pound and thirty per cent. *ad valorem*, and the value for duty shall be the value thereof, f. o. b., at the last port of shipment. 1c. p. lb. and  
 30 p.c.
156. Provided that molasses when imported for or received into any sugar refinery or sugar factory, or syrup or glucose factory, distillery or brewery, shall be subject to, and there shall be paid thereon, an additional duty of five cents per gallon ..... 5c. p. gall.  
 addn'l.
157. Saccharine or any product containing over one-half of one per cent. thereof, ten dollars per pound..... \$10 p. lb.
158. Sugar candy brown or white, and confectionery including sweetened gums, candied peels, condensed milk when sweetened and condensed coffee with milk when sweetened, one and one-quarter cents per pound and thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem*.....  $1\frac{1}{4}$ c. p. lb.  
 and 35 p.c.
159. Sweetened biscuits of all kinds, popcorn, preserved ginger, condensed milk not sweetened, and condensed coffee with milk not sweetened, thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 35 p.c.
160. Telephones and telegraph instruments; telegraph, telephone

	and electric light cables; electric and galvanic batteries, electric motors and apparatus for electric lights, including incandescent light globes and insulators of all kinds, N. E. S., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
161.	Stamped tinware, japanned ware, granite ware, enamelled iron ware and galvanized iron ware, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
162.	Tinware and manufactures of tin, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
163.	Cut tobacco, forty cents per pound and twelve and a-half per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	40c.p.lb. and 12½ p.c.
164.	Manufactured tobacco, N.E.S., and snuff, thirty cents per pound and twelve and a-half per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30c.p.lb. and 12½ p.c.
166.	Picks, mattocks, hammers weighing three pounds each or over, sledges, track tools, wedges or crowbars of iron or steel, one cent per pound and twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	1c. p. lb. and 25 p. c.
167.	Shovels and spades, shovel and spade blanks, and iron or steel cut to shape for same, one dollar per dozen and twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	\$1 p. doz. and 25 p.c.
169.	Trunks, valises, hat-boxes and carpet bags, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
170.	Satchels, pocket-books and purses, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .	35 p.c.
171.	Plants, viz.:—Fruit, shade, lawn and ornamental trees, shrubs and plants, N.E.S., twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
172.	Gooseberry bushes, one cent each .....	1c. each
173.	Grape vines costing ten cents and less, two cents each .....	2c. each
174.	Raspberry and blackberry bushes, one cent each.....	1c. each
175.	Rose bushes, costing twenty cents and less, three cents each.....	3c. each.
176.	Apple trees, of all kinds, three cents each.....	3c. each
177.	Peach trees, three cents each.....	3c. each
178.	Pear trees, of all kinds, four cents each.....	4c. each
179.	Plum trees, of all kinds, five cents each.....	5c. each
180.	Cherry trees, of all kinds, four cents each.....	4c. each.
181.	Quince trees, of all kinds, two and one-half cents each .....	2½c. each.
183.	Cases for jewels and watches, cases for silver and plated ware, and for cutlery and other like articles, ten cents each and thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10c.each and 30 p.c.
184.	Cotton twine, one cent per pound and twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	1c.p. lb. 25 p.c.
185.	Twine for harvest binders, of jute, manilla or sisal, and of manilla and sisal mixed, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
186.	Twine of all kinds, N.E.S., thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
187.	Umbrellas, parasols and sunshades of all kinds and materials, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
188.	Umbrella, parasol and sunshade sticks or handles, N.E.S., twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
189.	Tomatoes and other vegetables, including corn and baked beans, in cans or other packages, weighing not over one pound each, two cents per can or package, and two cents additional per can or package for each pound or fraction of a pound over one pound in weight—and the weight of the cans or other packages to be included in the weight for duty.....	2c. p. can, &c. & 2c. add'l.
190.	Vegetables, when fresh or dry salted, N.E.S., including sweet potatoes and yams, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
191.	Velveteens, and cotton velvets and cotton plush, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.

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192. Veneers of wood, not over one-sixteenth of an inch in thickness, ten per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10 p.c.
193. Walking sticks and canes, of all kinds, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
194. Watches, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
195. Watch cases, thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 35 p.c.
196. Whips of all kinds, except toy whips, fifty cents per dozen and thirty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 50 p.c. doz. and 30 p.c.
197. Wire, of brass or copper, fifteen per cent. *ad valorem*..... 15 p.c.
198. Wire, covered with cotton, linen, silk or other material, thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 35 p.c.
199. Pails, tubs, churns, brooms, brushes and manufactures of wood, N.E.S., and wood pulp, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
200. Fibre ware, indurated fibre ware, vulcanized fibre ware and all articles of like material, thirty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 30 p.c.
201. Clothing, ready-made, and wearing apparel of every description including horse clothing shaped, composed wholly or in part of wool, worsted, the hair of the alpaca goat or other like animal, made up by the tailor, seamstress or manufacturer, N.O.P., ten cents per pound and twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10c. p. lb. and 25 p.c.
202. Carpets, viz.:—*Brussels*, tapestry, Dutch, Venetian and Damask; carpet mats and rugs of all kinds, N.E.S.; and printed felts and druggets and all other carpets and squares, N.O.P., twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
203. *Smyrna* carpets, mats and rugs, thirty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 30 p.c.
204. Yeast cakes, compressed yeast and baking powders in packages of one pound and over and not over fifty pounds weight, six cents per pound, the weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty..... 6 c. p. lb.
205. Yeast cakes, compressed yeast and baking powders in packages of less than one pound in weight, eight cents per pound, the weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty.... 8 c. p. lb.
- 205½. Compressed yeast in bulk or mass of not less than fifty pounds, four cents per pound..... 4 c. p. lb.
206. Wire of all kinds, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
207. Electric arc light carbons or carbon points, not exceeding twelve inches in length and in proportion for greater or less lengths, two dollars and fifty cents per thousand..... \$2.50 p. 1000
208. Uncoloured cotton fabrics, viz.: Scrims and window scrims, cambric cloths, muslin apron checks, brilliants, cords, piques, diapers, lenos, mosquito nettings; Swiss, jaconets and cambric muslins, and plain, striped or checked lawns, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
209. Manufactures composed wholly or in part of wool, worsted, the hair of the alpaca goat or other like animals, viz.:—Blankets and flannels of every description; cloths, doeskins, cassimeres, tweeds, coatings, overcoatings, felt cloth of every description, N.E.S.; horse-collar cloth; yarn, knitting yarn, fingering yarn, worsted yarn, knitted goods, viz.:—shirts and drawers, and hosiery, N.E.S., ten cents per pound and twenty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10c. p. lb. & 20 p.c.
210. Plough plates, mould boards and land sides when cut to shape from rolled sheets of crucible steel but not moulded, punched, polished or otherwise manufactured and being of a greater value than four cents a pound, twelve and a-half per cent. *ad valorem*..... 12½ p.c.

211. Wrought scrap iron and scrap steel, being waste or refuse wrought iron or steel and fit only to be re-manufactured, the same having been in actual use, not to include cuttings or clippings which can be used as iron or steel without re-manufacture, two dollars per ton..... \$2 p. ton.
212. Illuminating oils composed wholly or in part of the products of petroleum, coal, shale or lignite costing more than thirty cents per gallon, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
213. Wrought iron or steel sheet or plate cuttings or clippings, as cut at the rolling mills or ship yards, and fit only for re-rolling and to be used for such purpose only, thirty per cent. *ad valorem* ..... 30 p.c.
214. Sulphuric ether, five cents per pound..... 5c. p. lb.

**3.** Resolved, That it is expedient to repeal the following items in the Schedule "A" to the Act 49 *Victoria*, Chapter 33, Revised Statutes, intituled "An Act to amend the Duties of Customs," viz. :—items numbered 30, 210, 281, 416, 417, and to make further provisions, by adding to the Schedules to the said Act, as follow, viz. :—

#### SCHEDULE "A."

- 214a. Bird cages, thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 35 p.c.
- 214b. Brass and copper nails, rivets and burrs, thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 35 p.c.
- 214c. Boots and shoes, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem* ..... 25 p.c.
- 214d. All manufactures of leather, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
- 214e. Barrels containing linseed oil, twenty-five cents each..... 25c. each.
- 214f. Lime-juice, fortified, with or containing not more than twenty-five per cent. of proof spirits, sixty cents per gallon..... 60c. p. gall.  
And when containing more than twenty-five per cent. of proof spirits, two dollars per gallon..... \$2 p. gall.
- 214g. Lime-juice, sweetened, and fruit syrups, N.O.P., forty cents per gallon..... 40c. p. gall.
- 214h. Lime-juice and other fruit juices, N.O.P., non-alcoholic, and not sweetened, ten cents per gallon..... 10c. p. gall.
- 214i. Granite and freestone, dressed; all other building stone dressed except marble, and all manufactures of stone, N.E.S., thirty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 30 p.c.
- 214j. Grindstones, not mounted, and not less than twelve inches in diameter, two dollars per ton..... \$2 p. ton.
- 214k. India rubber clothing or clothing made waterproof with India rubber, N.E.S., thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 35 p.c.
- 214l. India rubber surfaced waterproof clothing, ten cents per pound and twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10c. p. lb. and 25 p.c.
- 214m. Biscuits of all kinds not sweetened, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.

#### SCHEDULE "B."

215. Salmon, pickled or salted, one cent per pound. Subject to the provisions of Section 3, Chapter 33, 49th *Victoria*, Revised Statutes of *Canada*..... 1c. p. lb.
216. All other fish pickled or salted in barrels, one cent per pound. Subject to the provisions of Section 3, Chapter 33, 49th *Victoria*, Revised Statutes of *Canada*..... 1c. p. lb.

## SCHEDULE "C."

217. Admiralty charts.
218. Alkanet root, crude, crushed or ground.
219. Precious stones, in the rough.
220. Aloes, ground or unground.
221. Alum, in bulk only, ground or unground.
222. Aluminum, or aluminium and alumina and chloride of aluminium or chloralum, sulphate of alumina and alum cake.
223. Anatomical preparations and skeletons or parts thereof.
224. Aniline dyes and coal tar dyes, in bulk or packages of not less than one pound weight, including alizarine and artificial alizarine.
225. Aniline salts and arseniate of aniline.
226. Antimony, not ground, pulverized or otherwise manufactured.
227. Ashes, pot and pearl, in packages of not less than twenty-five pounds weight.
228. Asphalt or asphaltum and bone pitch, crude only.
229. Argal or argols, not refined.
230. Beans, viz.:—Tonquin, vanilla and nux vomica, crude only.
231. Bells, when imported by and for the use of churches.
232. Bismuth metallic in its natural state.
233. Books printed by any Government or by any scientific association for the promotion of learning and letters, and issued in the course of its proceedings and supplied gratuitously to its members, and not for the purposes of sale or trade.
234. Books specially imported for the *bonâ fide* use of public free libraries, not more than two copies of any one book; and books which shall have been printed and manufactured more than twenty years, bound or unbound.
235. Borax ground or unground, in bulk only, of not less than twenty-five pounds.
236. Botanical specimens.
237. Old scrap brass and brass in sheets or plates of not less than four inches in width.
238. Fire bricks, for use exclusively in processes of manufactures.
239. Gold and silver bullion, in bars, blocks or ingots and bullion fringe.
240. Burr stones in blocks, rough or unmanufactured, not bound up or prepared for binding into mill stones.
241. Cups or other prizes won in competitions.
242. Cabinets of coins, collections of medals and of other antiquities.
243. Canvas of not less than forty-five inches in width, not pressed or calendered, for the manufacture of floor oilcloth.
244. Celluloid or xyolite in sheets, and in lumps, blocks or balls in the rough.
245. Chalk stone, china or *Cornwall* stone, feldspar and cliff stone, ground or unground.
246. Citron rinds in brine.
247. Clays.
248. Anthracite coal and anthracite coal dust.
249. Cocoa beans, shells and nibs, not roasted, crushed or ground.
250. Communion plate, when imported by and for the use of churches.
251. Copper in sheets or plates of not less than four inches in width.
252. Cotton yarns not coarser than No. 40, unbleached, bleached or dyed, for use in covering electric wires; also, for the manufacture of cotton loom harness; and for use in the manufacture of Italian cloths, cotton, worsted or silk fabrics.
253. Cotton yarns in cops only, made from single cotton yarns finer than No. 40, when used in their own factories by the manufacturers of Italian cloths, cashmeres and cotton cloths for the selvages of said cloths, and for these purposes only.

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254. Indian corn, viz. :—"Southern Dent Corn," of the variety known as Mammoth Southern Sweet, and "Western Dent Corn," of the variety known as Golden Beauty, when imported to be sown for soiling and ensilage, and for no other purpose, under regulations to be made by the Governor in Council.
  255. Colours, metallic, viz. :—Oxides of cobalt, zinc and tin, N.E.S.
  256. Diamond drills for prospecting for minerals, not to include motive power.
  257. Diamonds unset, diamond dust or bort and black diamonds for borers.
  258. Emery in blocks, crushed or ground.
  259. Entomological specimens.
  260. Extracts of logwood, fustic, oak, and of oak bark.
  261. Mexican fibre, and tampico or istle.
  262. Fish hooks, nets and seines, and fishing lines and twines, but not to include sporting fishing tackle or hooks with flies, or trawling spoons, or threads or twines commonly used for sewing or manufacturing purposes.
  263. Foot grease, being the refuse of cotton seed after the oil has been pressed out, but not when treated with alkalies.
  264. Fowls, domestic pure bred, for the improvement of stock, and pheasants and quails.
  265. Gas coke (the product of gas works), when used in Canadian manufactures only.
  266. Grease, rough, the refuse of animal fat, for the manufacture of soap only.
  267. Gums, viz. :—Amber, Arabic, Australian, copal, demar, kaurie, mastic, sandarac, senegal, shellac; and white shellac, in gum or flake, for manufacturing purposes; and gum tragacanth, gum gedda and gum barberry.
  268. Hair, cleaned or uncleaned, but not curled or otherwise manufactured.
  269. Indigo auxiliary or zinc dust.
  270. Brass, copper, iron or steel rolled round wire rods under half an inch in diameter, when imported by wire manufacturers for use in making wire in their factories.
  271. Jute yarn, plain, dyed or coloured, when imported by manufacturers of carpets, rugs and mats, and of jute webbing or jute cloth, for use in their own factories.
  272. Kryolite or cryolite, mineral.
  273. Liquorice root, not ground.
  274. Litharge.
  275. Lemon rinds, in brine.
  276. Lumber and timber planks and boards of amaranth, boxwood, cocoboral, cherry, chestnut, walnut, gumwood, mahogany, pitch pine, rosewood, sandalwood, sycamore, Spanish cedar, oak, hickory, whitewood, African teak, black heart ebony, lignum vitæ, red cedar, redwood, satin wood and white ash, when not otherwise manufactured than rough sawn or split; and hickory billets to be used in the manufacture of axe, hatchet, hammer and other tool handles, when specially imported for such use; and the wood of the persimmon and dogwood trees, when imported in blocks for the manufacture of shuttles; and hickory lumber sawn to shape for spokes of wheels, but not further manufactured; and hickory spokes rough turned, but not tenoned, mitred, throated, faced, sized, cut to length, round tenoned or polished.
  277. Locomotive and car wheel tires of steel, when in the rough.
  278. Locust beans and locust bean meal for the manufacture of horse and cattle food.
  279. Mineralogical specimens.
  280. Mining machinery imported within three years after the passing of this Act and which is at the time of its importation of a class or kind not manufactured in *Canada*.
  281. Models of inventions and of other improvements in the arts; but no article or articles shall be deemed a model which can be fitted for use.
  282. *Iceland* moss and other mosses, and seaweed, crude or in their natural state or cleaned only.

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283. Oil cake and oil cake meal, cotton seed cake and cotton seed meal and palm nut cake and meal.
  284. Oils, viz. :—Cocoanut and palm, in their natural state.
  285. Orange rinds in brine.
  286. Ottar or attar of roses and oil of roses.
  287. Pelts, raw.
  288. Pipe clay, unmanufactured.
  289. Platinum wire; and retorts, pans, condensers, tubing and pipe made of platinum, when imported by manufacturers of sulphuric acid for use in their works in the manufacture or concentration of sulphuric acid.
  290. Rags of cotton, linen, jute, hemp and woollen, paper waste or clippings, and waste of any kind except mineral waste.
  291. Rattans and reeds in their natural state.
  292. Resin or rosin in packages of not less than one hundred pounds.
  293. Roots, medicinal, viz. :—Aconite, calumba, ipecacuanha, sarsaparilla, squills, teraxacum, rhubarb and valerian.
  294. Rubber, crude.
  295. Seed and breeding oysters, imported for the purpose of being planted in Canadian waters.
  - 295½. Seedling stock for grafting, viz. :—Plum, pear, peach and other fruit trees.
  296. Seeds, aromatic, which are not edible and are in a crude state, and not advanced in value or condition by grinding or refining or by any other process of manufacture, viz. : Anise, anise-star, caraway, cardamom, coriander, cummin, fennel and fenugreek.
  - 296½. Silver, German silver and nickel silver, rolled or in sheets.
  297. Soda sulphate of, crude, known as salt cake.
  298. Soda ash, caustic soda in drums; silicate of soda in crystals or in solution; bichromate of soda, nitrate of soda or cubic nitre, salsoda; sulphide of sodium, arseniate, binarseniate, chloride and stannate of soda.
  299. Steel of No. 20 gauge and thinner, but not thinner than No. 30 gauge, to be used in the manufacture of corset steels clock springs and shoe shanks; and flat wire of steel of No. 16 gauge or thinner, to be used in the manufacture of crinoline and corset wire, when imported by the manufacturers of such articles for use in their own factories.
  300. Sulphate of iron (coppers); and sulphate of copper (blue vitriol).
  301. Terra japonica, gambier or cutch.
  302. Ultramarine blue, dry or in pulp.
  303. Whiting or whitening, gilders' whiting and *Paris* white.
  304. Wool and the hair of the alpaca goat and of other like animals, not further prepared than washed, N.E.S.
  305. Books printed in any of the languages or dialects of any of the Indian tribes of the Dominion of *Canada*.
  306. Brass and copper wire twisted, when imported by manufacturers of boots and shoes for use in their own factories.
  307. Noils, being the short wool which falls from the combs in worsted factories.
  308. Seeds, viz. :—Beet, carrot, turnip, mangold and mustard.
  310. Crucible cast steel wire, when imported by manufacturers of wire rope, pianos, card clothing and needles, for use in the manufacture of such articles in their own factories only.
  311. Ribs of brass, iron or steel, runners, rings, caps, notches, ferrules, mounts and sticks or canes in the rough or not further manufactured than cut into lengths suitable for umbrella, parasol or sunshade sticks, when imported by manufacturers of umbrellas, parasols and sunshades for use in their factories in the manufacture of umbrellas, parasols and sunshades only.
  312. Fruits, viz. :—Bananas, plantains, pine-apples, pomegranates, guavas, mangoes and shaddocks; and blueberries and strawberries wild only.

313. Camwood and sumac for dyeing or tanning purposes when not further manufactured than crushed or ground.
314. Blood albumen, tannic acid, antimony salts, tartar emetic and grey tartar when imported by manufacturers for use in their factories only.
315. Manufactured articles of iron or steel which at the time of their importation are of a class or kind not manufactured in *Canada*, when imported for use in the construction of iron or steel ships or vessels.
316. Wire of iron or steel, No. 13 and 14 gauge, flattened and corrugated, used in connection with the machine known as the wire grip machine for the manufacture of boots, shoes and leather belting, when imported by manufacturers of such articles to be used for these purposes only in their own factories.
317. Steel of No. 12 gauge and thinner, but not thinner than No. 30 gauge, when imported by manufacturers of buckle clasps and ice-creepers, to be used in the manufacture of such articles only in their own factories.
318. Blanketing and lapping, and discs or mills for engraving copper rollers, when imported by cotton manufacturers, calico printers and wall paper manufacturers, for use in their own factories only.
319. Yarns, made of wool or worsted, when genapped, dyed and finished, and imported by manufacturers of braids, cords, tassels and fringes, to be used in the manufacture of such articles only in their own factories.
320. Chlorate of potash in crystals, when imported for manufacturing purposes only.
321. On imported Indian corn, to be kiln-dried and ground into meal for human food, or ground into meal and kiln-dried for such use, under such regulations as may be made by the Governor in Council, there may be allowed a drawback of ninety per cent. of the duty paid.

To amend Schedule "D" by striking out the following words which immediately precede item 813:—

"The following articles are prohibited to be imported under a penalty of Two hundred dollars, together with the forfeiture of the parcel or package of goods in which the same are found, viz:—"

**4. Resolved,** That it is expedient to repeal the following numbered items in the Act 50-51 Victoria, Chapter 39, intituled "An Act to amend the Act respecting the Duties of Customs," viz:—

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 9, 14, 16, 18, 19, 20, 23, 25, 26, 31, 32, 34, 37, 39, 40, 44, 45, 72, 79, 80, 85, 92, 94, 95, 102, 103, 105, 106, 108, 113, 115, 116, 119, 120, 122, 130, 147, 148, 149, 150, 152, 153, 159, 163, 164, 165, 167, 168, 169, 171, 179, and by striking out from the said Act the following headings, viz:—

The word "Carriages," which immediately precedes item 11 in Section one.

The word "Cottons," which immediately precedes item 21 in said Section one.

The words "Iron and Steel, manufactures of, viz:—" which immediately precede item 39 in Section one.

The words "Tools and Implements," which immediately precede item 142 in the said Section one.

And the word "Woollens," which immediately precedes item 155 in said Section one.

**5. Resolved,** That it is expedient to cancel certain Orders in Council made under the provisions of section 245, sub-section (1) of the "Customs Act," Chapter 32 Revised Statutes, transferring certain articles therein specified to the list of goods which may be imported into *Canada* free of duty, as follow, viz:—

Sections 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 9, 11, 12, 13, 17, 19, 21, 22 and 24 of Chapter 15, and the whole of Chapter 16 of the Consolidated Orders in Council of *Canada*, and the fol-

lowing as published in the Supplement to the said Orders in Council, viz. :—

Special regulations *re* lithographic printing presses ;

Special regulations *re* ferro-manganese, ferro-silicon, &c., passed on the 4th and 26th of June, 1889 ; and the following additions to the Free List as also published in said Supplement as items added to the said Free List, viz. :—

*Re* felloes of hickory wood, O.C. November 16th, 1888.

*Re* homo-spring steel wire, O.C. December 6th, 1888.

*Re* sulphate of alumina or alum cake, O.C. May 22nd, 1889.

*Re* sumac, O.C. June 4th, 1889.

Also, the Orders in Council defining the rates of duty payable upon certain articles as follow, viz. :—

On celluloid balls, etc., O.C. April 12th, 1887.

On Vermouth bitters or Vermouth wine, O.C. August 25th, 1888.

On sapolio and silver soap, O.C. April 4th, 1889.

On veneers of wood, O.C. May 14th, 1889.

And the following transfers to the Free List, viz. :—

Wire for the manufacture of wire cloth, etc., O.C. May 14th, 1889.

Cotton yarn for covering wire, etc., O.C. May 14th, 1889.

Jute yarn, O.C. May 14th, 1889.

Wire of iron or steel for wire grip machines, O.C., May 14th, 1889.

Steel for the manufacture of buckle clasps, etc., O.C. May 14th, 1889.

Blanketing, lapping, etc., O.C. May 14th, 1889.

Yarns for the manufacture of braids, etc., O.C. May 14th, 1889.

White ash lumber, O.C. June 10th, 1889.

Camwood, O.C., June 10th, 1889.

Steel wire for the manufacture of pins, O.C., September 19th, 1889.

Wire for crinolines, etc., O.C. September 19th, 1889.

Sulphate of soda, O.C. November 22nd, 1889.

Cotton yarn for loom harness, O.C. November 27th, 1889 ; and the Order in Council of May 14th, 1889, defining the rate of duty payable upon plough plates, mould boards, &c.

**6.** *Resolved*, That it is expedient to further amend the Act 49 *Victoria*, Chapter 33, Revised Statutes, intituled : “ An Act respecting Duties of Customs,” by striking out from the item 399 in the Schedule “ A ” to the said Act the word “ ginger ” in the second line of said item.

**7.** *Resolved*, That Section 7 of 49 *Victoria*, Chapter 33, Revised Statutes, be amended by adding at the end thereof the following words :—

“ Provided this section shall not apply to the export of any carcass or part thereof of any deer which shall have been raised or bred by any person, company or association of persons, upon his or their own lands, under regulations to be adopted by the Governor in Council.”

**8.** *Resolved*, That it is expedient to further amend the Act 49 *Victoria*, Chapter 33, Revised Statutes, intituled : “ An Act respecting the Duties of Customs,” by striking out from item 46 (Act number) 217 (Departmental number) the words “ skelp iron sheared or rolled in grooves,”

And substituting therefor :

“ Skelp iron sheared or rolled in grooves not wider than eight inches in width nor thinner than twenty gauge, until such time as it is manufactured in Canada, thirty per cent. *ad valorem*.”

**9.** *Resolved*, That it is expedient to provide that the foregoing Resolutions and the alterations thereby made in the Duties of Customs on the articles therein mentioned, shall take effect on and after the twenty-eighth day of March instant.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received this day.

Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) 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.

Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) reported, from the Committee of Ways and Means, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to amend the Act 49 *Victoria*, Chapter 33—Revised Statutes—intituled “An Act respecting the Duties of Customs,” as follow:—

1. By repealing section one of said Act, and substituting the following in lieu thereof:—

In this Act or in any other Act relating to the Customs, unless the context otherwise requires:—

(a) The expression or contraction “*ad val.*” represents and has the meaning of the words “*ad valorem.*”

(b) The initials N.E.S. represent and have the meaning of the words “not elsewhere specified.”

(c) The initials N.O.P. represent and have the meaning of the words “not otherwise provided for.”

(d) The initials F.O.B. represent and have the meaning of the words “free on board.”

(e) The expression “gallon” means an Imperial gallon.

(f) The expression “ton” means two thousand pounds avoirdupois.

(g) The expressions “proof” or “proof spirits” when applied to wines or spirits of any kind, mean spirits of the strength of proof as ascertained by *Sykes’ Hydrometer*.

(h) The expression “gauge” when applied to metal sheets or plates or to wire, means the thickness as determined by *Stubbs’ Standard Gauge*.

(i) The expression “in diameter” when applied to tubing, means the actual inside diameter measurement.

(j) The expressions “sheet” or “sheets” when applied to metals, mean sheets or plates of not exceeding three-sixteenths of an inch in thickness.

(k) The expressions “plate” or “plates” when applied to metals, mean plates or sheets more than three-sixteenths of an inch in thickness.

2. By enacting that the interpretation clauses comprised in section 2 of the “*Customs Act*,” 49 *Victoria*, Chapter 32—(Revised Statutes)—as amended, shall, unless the context otherwise requires, apply to, and form a part of this Act; and, that any power conferred upon the Governor in Council by the said “*Customs Act*” to transfer dutiable goods to the list of goods which may be imported free of duty, shall not be by this Act abrogated or impaired.

3. By repealing sub-section 1 of section 5 of Chapter 33 (Revised Statutes), and substituting the following in lieu thereof:

The importation of any goods enumerated in Schedule “D” is hereby prohibited, and any such goods if imported shall thereby become forfeited to the Crown, and shall be forthwith destroyed,—and any person importing any such goods shall in each case incur a penalty of Two hundred dollars.

4. By enacting that all medicinal or toilet preparations imported for completing the manufacture thereof, or for the manufacture of any other article by the addition of any ingredient or ingredients, or by mixing such preparations, or by putting up or labelling the same alone or with other articles or compounds under any proprietary or trade name, shall be, irrespective of cost, valued for duty and duty paid thereon at the ordinary market value in the country from whence imported of the completed preparation when put up and labelled under such proprietary or trade name,

less the actual cost of labour and material used or expended in *Canada* in completing the manufacture thereof or of putting up or of labelling the same.

5. By enacting that regulations respecting the manner in which molasses and syrups shall be sampled and tested for the purpose of determining the classes to which they shall belong with reference to the duty chargeable thereon shall be made by the Minister of Customs, and the instruments and appliances necessary for such determination shall be designated by him and supplied to such officers as shall be by him charged with the duty of sampling and testing such molasses and syrups; and the decision of any officer (to whom is so assigned the testing of such articles) as to the duties to which they are subject under the tariff, shall be final and conclusive, unless upon appeal to the Commissioner of Customs within thirty days from the rendering of such decision, such decision is, with the approval of the Minister, changed, and the decision of the Commissioner with such approval shall be final.

6. By enacting that any goods or packages being the growth, produce or manufacture of *Canada*, and, having been exported therefrom and intended to be returned, may be admitted free of duty on being re-imported to *Canada*, provided such goods or packages were entered for exportation, and branded or marked by a Collector or proper officer of Customs, and fully identified by the Collector or proper officer at the port or place where they are so re-imported; and further, provided that the property in such goods or packages has continued in the same person or persons by whom they were exported, and that such re-importation takes place within one year of the exportation thereof.

7. By enacting that any person who, without lawful excuse, the proof of which shall be on the person accused, sends or brings into *Canada*, or who, being in *Canada*, has in his possession any bill-heading or other paper appearing to be a heading or blank capable of being filled up and used as an invoice, and bearing any certificate purporting to show, or which may be used to show that the invoice which may be made from such bill-heading or blank is correct or authentic, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and liable to a penalty of Five hundred dollars and to imprisonment for a term not exceeding Twelve months, in the discretion of the court, and the goods which may be entered under any invoice made from any such bill-heading or blank shall be forfeited.

8. By striking out from the Schedule "A" to said Act the following headings, viz. :—

The words "Agricultural Implements, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 7 in said schedule.

The words "Books, etc." which immediately precede item 33 in said schedule.

The words "Breadstuffs, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 52 in said schedule.

The word "Carriages" which immediately precedes item 83 in said schedule.

The words "Cotton, manufactures of, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 121 in said schedule.

The words "Fruit (dried) viz. :—" which immediately precede item 162 in said schedule.

The words "Fruit (green) viz. :—" which immediately precede item 165 in said schedule.

The words "Furs, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 174 in said schedule.

The words "Glass and manufactures of, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 181 in said schedule.

The words "Gunpowder and other explosives, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 193 in said schedule.

The words "Iron and manufactures of, viz. :—" which precede item 213 in said schedule.

The words "Pianofortes, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 344 in said schedule.

The words "Steel and manufactures of, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 403 in said schedule.

The words "Stone, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 414 in said schedule.

The words "Sugars, syrups and molasses," which immediately precede item 419 in said schedule.

The word "Tobacco," which immediately precedes item 438 in said schedule.

The words "Trees—fruit trees, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 441 in said schedule.

The words "Vegetables, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 455 in said schedule.

The words "Wools and Woollens, viz. :—" which immediately precede item 473 in said schedule.

**2. Resolved,** That it is expedient to repeal the following items in Schedules "A," "B" and "C" to the Act 49 Victoria, Chapter 33—Revised Statutes—intituled : "An Act respecting the Duties of Customs," viz. :—

Schedule "A," items numbered, 2, 5, 6, 15, 17, 21, 22, 23, 40, 45, 47, 49, 58, 67, 81, 87, 98, 99, 100, 109, 110, 115, 117, 118, 119, 123, 134, 149, 153, 157, 165, 166, 167, 169, 177, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 193, 205, 206, 208, 209, 258, 262, 264, 265, 268, 269, 271, 274, 277, 283, 286, 288, 294, 295, 297, 298, 301, 305, 311, 312, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 335, 336, 340, 341, 342, 358, 361, 363, 370, 372, 376, 379, 385, 387, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 402, 411, 412, 413, 415, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 432, 435, 437, 438, 448, 451, 452, 457, 459, 460, 461, 463, 467, 468, 473, 476, 481, 482.

Schedule "B," items numbered, 489, 490.

Schedule "C," items numbered, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 512, 513, 515, 518, 522, 523, 524, 526, 527, 529, 538, 539, 542, 544, 545, 550, 553, 554, 555, 564, 566, 568, 570, 571, 576, 577, 580, 581, 586, 587, 591, 594, 597, 601, 603, 604, 605, 608, 612, 613, 616, 620, 624, 628, 630, 632, 637, 643, 658, 665, 674, 677, 681, 682, 684, 686, 688, 697, 698, 699, 700, 703, 709, 710, 711, 712, 714, 725, 726, 728, 734, 737, 738, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 751, 756, 760, 762, 763, 764, 765, 769, 774, 778, 782, 793, 796, 801, 803, 804, 809, 810, and to make other provisions in lieu thereof by adding to such respective schedules, as follow :—

SCHEDULE "A."

1. Acid, acetic and pyroligneous, N.E.S., and vinegar, a specific duty of fifteen cents for each gallon of any strength not exceeding a strength of proof, and for each degree of strength in excess of the strength of proof an additional duty of one cent. The strength of proof shall be held to be equal to six per cent of absolute acid, and in all cases the strength shall be determined in such manner as may be established by the Governor in Council..... 15c. p. gall. & 1c. add'l.
2. Acid, acetic and pyroligneous of any strength, when imported by dyers, calico printers or manufacturers of acetates or colours, for exclusive use in dyeing or printing, or for the manufacture of such acetates or colours in their own factories, under such regulations as may be established by the Governor in Council, a duty of twenty-five cents per gallon and twenty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25c. p. gall and 20 p.c.
3. Acid phosphate, three cents per pound..... 3c. p. lb.
4. Precious stones, N.E.S., polished but not set or otherwise manufactured, and imitations thereof, ten per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10 p.c.
5. Animals, living, viz. :—Cattle, sheep and hogs, thirty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 30 p.c.
6. Artificial flowers, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.

7. Feathers of all kinds, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
8. Axle grease, one cent per pound.....	1c. p. lb.
9. Barrels containing petroleum or its products or any mixtures of which petroleum forms a part when such contents is chargeable with a specific duty, forty cents each.....	40c. each.
10. Surgical belts or trusses and suspensory bandages of all kinds, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
11. Blacking, shoe and shoemakers' ink, and shoe, harness and leather dressing, and harness soap, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
12. Advertising pamphlets, pictures and pictorial show cards, illustrated advertising periodicals, illustrated price lists, advertising calendars, advertising almanacs, tailors' and mantlemakers' fashion plates, and all chromos, chromotypes, oleographs, photographs and other cards, pictures or artistic work of similar kinds, produced by any process other than hand painting or drawing, whether for business or advertising purposes or not, printed or stamped on paper, cardboard or other material, N.E.S., six cents per pound and twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	6c. p. lb. and 20 p.c.
13. Geographical, topographical and astronomical maps, charts and globes, N.E.S., twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
14. Newspapers or supplemental editions or parts thereof, partly printed and intended to be completed and published in <i>Canada</i> , twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
15. Bank notes, bonds, bills of exchange, cheques, promissory notes, drafts, and all similar work unsigned, and bill heads, envelopes, receipts, cards and other commercial blank forms printed, or lithographed, or printed from steel or copper or other plates, and other printed matter N.E.S., thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i>	35 p.c.
16. Bookbinders' tools and implements, including ruling machines, and bookbinders' cloth, ten per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10 p.c.
17. Fancy work boxes, writing desks, glove boxes, handkerchief boxes, manicure cases, perfume cases, toilet cases and fancy cases for smokers' sets, and all similar fancy articles made of bone, shell, horn, ivory, wood, leather, plush, satin, silk, satinette or paper; dolls and toys of all kinds including sewing machines, when of not more than two dollars in value, and toy whips; ornaments of alabaster, spar, amber, terra-cotta or composition; statuettes, and bead ornaments, N.E.S., thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> ....	35 p.c.
18. Brass in strips for printers' rules, not finished, and brass in strips or sheets of less than four inches in width, fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	15 p.c.
19. Braces or suspenders and parts thereof, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
20. Rice, uncleaned, unhulled or paddy, seventeen and a-half per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	17½ p.c.
21. Wheat flour, seventy-five cents per barrel.....	75 c. p. brl.
22. Buttons of vegetable ivory or horn, ten cents per gross and twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10c. p. gr. and 20 p.c.
22½. Buttons of hoof, rubber, vulcanite or composition, five cents per gross and twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	5c. p. gr. and 20 p.c.
23. Carpetting, matting and mats of hemp; carpet linings and stair pads, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
24. Tobacco pipes of all kinds, pipe mounts, cigar and cigarette holders and cases for the same, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> ....	35 p.c.
25. Clocks and clock cases of all kinds, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i>	35 p.c.

26. Clock springs and clock movements, other than for tower clocks, complete or in parts, ten per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10 p.c.
27. Horse clothing, shaped, N.O.P., thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
28. Cocoa mats and matting, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
29. Cocoa paste and chocolate, and other preparations of cocoa, not sweetened, four cents per pound.....	4c. p. lb.
30. Cocoa paste and chocolate and other preparations of cocoa containing sugar, five cents per pound.....	5c. p. lb.
31. Extract of coffee or substitutes therefor of all kinds, five cents per pound.....	5c. p. lb.
32. Collars of cotton, linen, celluloid or xyolite, twenty-four cents per doz. and thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	24c. p. doz. and 30 p.c.
33. Combs for dress and toilet of all kinds, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
34. Coloured fabrics, woven in whole or in part of dyed or coloured cotton yarn, or jute yarn, or of part jute and part cotton yarn or other material except silk, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
35. Non-elastic webbing, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
36. Elastic webbing, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
37. Old and scrap copper, copper in pigs, bars, rods, bolts, ingots and sheathing not polished or coated, and copper seamless drawn tubing, ten per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10 p.c.
38. Copper, all manufactures of, N.E.S., thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> ....	30 p.c.
39. Copper in sheets or strips of less than four inches in width, fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	15 p.c.
40. Cotton cordage and cotton braided cords, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
41. Cordage of all kinds, N.E.S., one and one-quarter cents per pound and ten per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	1¼ cts. p. lb. and 10 p.c.
42. Cotton denims, drillings, bed-tickings, ginghams, plaids, cotton or canton flannels, flannelettes, cotton tennis cloth or striped zephyrs, ducks and drills dyed or coloured, checked and striped shirtings, cottonades, Kentucky jeans, pantaloon stuffs, and goods of like description, two cents per square yard and fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	2 cts. p. sq. yd. & 15 p.c.
43. Cotton sewing thread in hanks, black, bleached or unbleached three and six cord, twelve and a-half per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	12½ p.c.
44. Jeans and coutilles, when imported by corset and dress stay makers for use in their own factories, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
45. Cuffs of cotton, linen, celluloid or xyolite, four cents per pair and thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	4 cts. p. pair & 30 p.c.
46. Curtains, when made up, trimmed or untrimmed, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
47. Hammocks and lawn tennis nets and other like articles manufactured of twine, N.E.S., thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
48. Drain pipes, sewer pipes, chimney linings or vents, and inverted blocks glazed or unglazed, and earthenware tiles, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
49. Feathers, viz.:—Ostrich and vulture undressed, fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	15 p.c.
50. Feathers, viz.:—Ostrich and vulture dressed, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
51. Apples, 40 cents per barrel, including the duty on the barrel.....	40 cts. p. bl.
52. Blackberries, gooseberries, raspberries and strawberries, N.E.S., three cents per pound—the weight of the package to be included	

in the weight for duty.....	3 cts. p. lb.
53. Cherries and currants, one cent per quart.....	1 ct. p. qt.
54. Cranberries, plums and quinces, thirty cents per bushel.....	30cts.p.bush.
55. Peaches, N.O.P., one cent per pound—the weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty .....	1c. p. lb.
56. Gas meters, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
57. Crystal and decorated glass table-ware made expressly for mounting with silver-plated trimmings, when imported by manufacturers of plated ware, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
58. Glass carboys and demijohns empty or filled, bottles and decanters, flasks and phials of less capacity than eight ounces, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
59. Lamp, gas light and electric light shades, lamps and lamp chimneys, side-lights and head-lights, globes for lanterns, lamps, electric lights and gas lights, N.E.S., thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
60. Common and colourless window glass; and plain, coloured, stained, tinted or muffled glass in sheets, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
61. Ornamental figured, and enamelled coloured glass; painted and vitrified glass; figured, enamelled and obscured white glass; and rough rolled plate glass, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
62. Stained glass windows, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
63. Silvered glass, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
64. Silvered glass, bevelled, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
65. Plate glass, not coloured, in panes of not over thirty square feet each, six cents per square foot; and when bevelled, two cents per square foot additional.....	6c. p. sq. ft. & 2c. p. sq. ft. add'l.
66. Plate glass in panes of over thirty and not over seventy square feet each, eight cents per square foot; and when bevelled, two cents per square foot additional.....	8c. p. sq. ft. and 2c. p. sq. ft. add'l.
67. Plate glass in panes of over seventy square feet each, nine cents per square foot; and when bevelled, two cents per square foot additional.....	9c. p. sq. ft. and 2c. p. sq. ft. add'l.
68. Imitation porcelain shades and coloured glass shades, not figured, painted, enamelled or engraved, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
69. All other glass and manufactures of glass, N.O.P., including bent plate glass, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
70. Gloves and mitts of all kinds, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> ....	35 p.c.
71. Gold and silver leaf, and Dutch or schlag metal leaf, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
72. Gun, rifle and pistol cartridges; and cartridge cases of all kinds and materials; percussion caps, and gun wads of all kinds, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
74. Hats, caps and bonnets, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
76. Honey in the comb or otherwise, and adulterations and imitations thereof, three cents per pound.....	3c. p. lb.
77. <i>India</i> rubber boots and shoes, with tops or uppers of cloth or of material other than rubber, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> ....	35 p.c.
78. <i>India</i> rubber boots and shoes, and other manufactures of <i>India</i> rubber, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
79. Corset clasps, spoon clasps or busks, blanks, busks, side steels and other corset steels, whether plain, japanned, lacquered, tinned or covered with paper or cloth; also, back, bone or corset wires, covered with paper or cloth, cut to lengths and tipped with brass or tin, or untipped, or in coils, five cents per pound and thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	5c. p. lb. & 30 p.c.

80. Ferro-manganese, ferro-silicon, spiegel, steel bloom ends and crop ends of steel rails, for the manufacture of iron or steel, two dollars per ton.....	\$2 p. ton.
81. Builders', cabinet-makers', harness-makers' and saddlers' hardware, including curry-combs, carriage hardware, locks, butts and hinges, N.E.S., and tools of all kinds, N.E.S., thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
82. Fire-arms, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
83. Surgical and dental instruments of all kinds, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
84. Lap-welded iron tubing, threaded and coupled or not, one and one-quarter to two inches inclusive in diameter, for use exclusively in artesian wells, petroleum pipe lines and petroleum refineries, under regulations to be made by the Governor in Council, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
86. Wrought iron or steel nuts and washers, iron or steel rivets, bolts with or without threads, nut and bolt blanks, T and strap hinges and hinge blanks, N.E.S., one cent per pound and twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	1c. p. lb. & 25 p.c.
87. Jellies, jams and preserves, N.E.S., five cents per pound.....	5c. p. lb.
88. Laces, braids, fringes, embroideries, cords, tassels, and bracelets; braids, chains or cords of hair; lace collars and all similar goods, lace nets and nettings of cotton, silk, linen or other materials, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
89. Lard, tried or rendered, three cents per pound, the weight of the package when of tin to be included in the weight for duty...	3c. p. lb.
90. Lard, untried, two cents per pound, the weight of the package when of tin to be included in the weight for duty.....	2c. p. lb.
91. Lead, nitrate and acetate of, not ground, five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i>	5 p.c.
92. Lead pipe and lead shot, one and one-half cents per pound .....	1½c. p. lb.
93. Leather-board and leatheroid, three cents per pound.....	3c. p. lb.
94. Skins for morocco leather, tanned but not further manufactured, fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	15 p.c.
95. Belting leather and upper leather, including kid, lamb, sheep and calf, tanned but not dressed, waxed or glazed, fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> ; if dressed, waxed or glazed, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	15 p.c. 20 p.c.
96. Belting of leather or other material, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
97. Liquorice paste, two cents per pound.....	2c. p. lb.
98. Liquorice in rolls or sticks, three cents per pound.....	3c. p. lb.
99. Extract of malt (non-alcoholic) for medicinal purposes, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
100. Magic lanterns and slides therefor, philosophical, photographic, mathematical and optical instruments, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
101. Mess pork, as defined by the General Inspection Act, one and one-half cents per pound, the barrel containing the same to be free of duty.....	1½c. p. lb.
101½. Salted beef in barrels, two cents per pound, the barrel containing the same to be free of duty.....	2c. p. lb.
102. Meats, fresh or salted, N.E.S., three cents per pound.....	3c. p. lb.
103. Dried or smoked meats and meats preserved in any other way than salted or pickled, N.E.S., three cents per pound; if imported in tins the weight to include the weight of the tin....	3c. p. lb.

104. Milk food and other similar preparations, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
105. Mucilage, and liquid glue, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
107. Linseed or flaxseed oil, raw or boiled, one and one-quarter cents per pound.....	1½c. p. lb.
108. Lubricating oils composed wholly or in part of petroleum and costing less than thirty cents per gallon, seven and one-fifth cents per gallon.....	7½c. p. gall.
109. Oil cloth and oiled silk, in the piece, cut or shaped, oiled, enamelled, stamped, painted or printed, india-rubbered, flocked or coated, N.O.P., five cents per square yard and fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	5c. p. sq. yd and 15 p.c.
110. Opium (crude), one dollar per pound, the weight to include the weight of the ball or covering.....	\$1 p. lb.
111. Paintings, prints, engravings, drawings and building plans, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
112. Dry white and red lead, orange mineral and zinc white, five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	5 p.c.
113. Colours, dry, N.E.S., twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
114. Paints and colours, pulped or ground in oil or other liquids and all liquid, prepared or ready mixed paints, N.E.S., thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
115. Paints, ground or mixed in, or with, either japan, varnish, lacquers, liquid dryers, collodion, oil finish or oil varnish; rough stuff and fillers, five cents per pound and twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> , the weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty.....	5c. p. lb. & 25 p.c.
116. Oxides, ochres and ochrey earths, umbers and siennas and fire-proofs, ground or unground, washed or unwashed, calcined or raw, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
117. Paints and colours, ground in spirits, and all spirit varnishes and lacquers, one dollar per gallon.....	\$1 p. gall.
118. Paper hangings or wall paper in rolls, on each roll of eight yards or under, and so in proportion for all greater lengths of the following descriptions, viz.:—	
(a) Brown blanks and white blanks, printed or plain, two cents...	2c.
(b) White papers, grounded papers and satins, not hand-made, three cents.....	3c.
(c) Single print bronzes and coloured bronzes, six cents.....	6c.
(d) Embossed bronzes, eight cents.....	8c.
(e) Coloured borders, narrow, and coloured borders, wide, six cents	6c.
(f) Bronze borders, narrow, and bronze borders, wide, fourteen cents.....	14c.
(g) Embossed borders, fifteen cents.....	15c.
(h) All other paper hangings or wall paper, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
119. Paper sacks or bags of all kinds, printed or not, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
120. Union collar cloth paper in rolls or sheets, not glossed or finished, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
121. Union collar cloth paper in rolls or sheets, glossed or finished, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
122. Paraffine wax, stearic acid and stearine of all kinds, three cents per pound.....	3c. p. lb.
123. Lead pencils of all kinds, in wood or otherwise, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.

124. Perfumery, including toilet preparations (non-alcoholic), viz. :—  
Hair oils, tooth and other powders and washes, pomatums,  
pastes and all other perfumed preparations used for the hair,  
mouth or skin, thirty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 30 p.c.
125. Photographic dry plates, nine cents per square foot..... 9c. p. sq. ft.
126. Albumenized paper chemically prepared for photographers' use,  
twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
127. Pickles in bottle, forty cents per gallon, including the duty on the  
bottles, and each bottle holding less than one-half pint shall be  
dutiabie as containing one-half pint, and each bottle holding  
more than one-half pint but not more than one pint shall be  
dutiabie as containing one pint, and each bottle holding more  
than one pint but not more than one quart shall be dutiabie  
as containing one quart..... 40c. p. gall.
128. Pickles in jars, pottles or other similar vessels, forty cents per  
gallon on the ascertained quantity, the duty to include the duty  
on the jar, pottle or other vessel..... 40c. p. gall.
129. Pickles in bulk, in vinegar or in vinegar and mustard, thirty-five  
cents per gallon, and in brine or salt, twenty-five cents per  
gallon..... 35c. p. gall.  
25c. p. gall.
130. Plumbago, fifteen per cent. *ad valorem*..... 15 p.c.
131. Plumbago, all manufactures of, N. E. S., thirty per cent. *ad  
valorem*..... 30 p.c.
132. Printing presses and printing machines, such only as are used in  
newspaper, book and job printing offices; folding machines  
and paper cutters used in printing and bookbinding establish-  
ments, ten per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10 p.c.
133. Lithographic presses, ten per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10 p.c.
134. Prunella for boots and shoes, and cotton netting for the lining of  
boots, shoes and gloves, ten per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10 p.c.
135. Woollen netting for the lining of boots, shoes and gloves, twenty-  
five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
136. Red and yellow prussiate of potash, ten per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10 p.c.
137. Rubber belting, hose, packing, mats and matting, and cotton or  
linen hose lined with rubber, five cents per pound, and fifteen per  
cent. *ad valorem*..... 5c. p. lb. and  
15 p.c.
138. Sauces and catsups in bottle, forty cents per gallon, and twenty  
per cent. *ad valorem*; and each bottle holding less than one-  
half pint shall be dutiabie as containing one-half pint, and  
each bottle holding more than one-half pint but not more than  
one pint shall be dutiabie as containing one pint, and each  
bottle holding more than one pint but not more than one  
quart shall be dutiabie as containing one quart..... 40c. p. gall.
139. Sauces and catsups in bulk, thirty cents per gallon, and twenty  
per cent. *ad valorem*..... 30c. p. gall.  
and 20 p.c.
140. Soy, ten cents per gallon..... 10c. p. gall.
141. Seeds, viz. :—Garden, field and other seeds for agricultural or other  
purposes, N.O.P., when in bulk or in large parcels, ten per  
cent. *ad valorem*; when put up in small papers or parcels,  
twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10 p.c.  
25 p.c.
142. Shawls and travelling rugs of all kinds and materials, except silk,  
twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
143. Sewing and embroidery silk and silk twist, twenty-five per cent.  
*ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
144. Composition metal for the manufacture of filled gold watch  
cases, ten per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10 p.c.

145. Slate pencils, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p. c.
146. Castile soap, mottled or white, and white soap, two cents per pound. 2c. p. lb.
147. Soap powders, pumice, silver and mineral soaps, sapolio and other like articles, three cents per pound, the weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty..... 3c. p. lb.
148. Spirituous or alcoholic liquors distilled from any material, or containing, or compounded from or with distilled spirits of any kind and any mixture thereof with water for every gallon thereof of the strength of proof, and when of a greater strength than that of proof, at the same rate on the increased quantity that there would be if the liquors were reduced to the strength of proof. When the liquors are of a less strength than that of proof, the duty shall be at the rate herein provided, but computed on a reduced quantity of the liquors in proportion to the lesser degree of strength; provided, however, that no reduction in quantity shall be computed or made on any liquors below the strength of fifteen per cent. under proof, but all such liquors shall be computed as of the strength of fifteen per cent. under proof, as follow, viz. :—
- (a) Ethyl alcohol or the substance commonly known as alcohol, hydrated oxide of ethyl, or spirits of wine; gin of all kinds, N.E.S.; rum, whiskey, and all spirituous or alcoholic liquors, N.O.P., two dollars per gallon..... \$2 p. gall.
- (b) Amyl alcohol or fusil oil, or any substance known as potato spirit or potato oil, two dollars ..... \$2 p. gall.
- (c) Methyl alcohol, wood alcohol, wood naphtha, pyroxylic spirit, or any substance known as wood spirit or methylated spirit; absinthe, arrack or palm spirit, brandy, including artificial brandy and imitations of brandy; cordials and liqueurs of all kinds, N.E.S.; mescal, pulque, rum shrub, schiedam and other schnapps; tafia, angostura, and similar alcoholic bitters or beverages, two dollars. \$2 p. gall.
- (d) Spirits and strong waters of any kind mixed with any ingredient or ingredients and being or known or designated as anodynes, elixirs, essences, extracts, lotions, tinctures, or medicines, N.E.S., two dollars, and thirty per cent. *ad valorem*..... \$2 p. gall. & 30 p. c.
- (e) Alcoholic perfumes and perfumed spirits, bay rum, cologne and lavender waters, hair, tooth and skin washes and other toilet preparations containing spirits of any kind, when in bottles or flasks weighing not more than four ounces each, fifty per cent. *ad valorem*; when in bottles, flasks or other packages weighing more than four ounces each, two dollars, and forty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 50 p. c. \$2 p. gall. & 40 p. c.
- (f) Nitrous ether, sweet spirits of nitre and aromatic spirits of ammonia, two dollars, and thirty per cent. *ad valorem*. \$2 p. gall. & 30 p. c.
- (g) Vermouth and ginger wine, containing not more than forty per cent. of proof spirits, seventy-five cents per gallon; if containing more than forty per cent. of proof spirits, two dollars per gallon..... 75 c. p. gall. \$2 p. gall.
- (h) In all cases where the strength of any of the foregoing articles cannot be correctly ascertained by the direct application of the hydrometer, it shall be ascertained by the distillation of a sample, or in such other manner as the Minister of Customs may direct.
149. Starch, including farina, corn starch or flour, and all preparations having the qualities of starch, not sweetened or flavoured, two cents per pound; when sweetened or flavoured, four cents per

- pound, in all cases the weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty..... 4c. p. lb.
150. Stereotypes, electrotypes and celluloids for almanacs, calendars, illustrated pamphlets, newspaper advertisements or engravings, and all other like work for commercial, trade or other purposes, N.E.S.; and matrices or copper shells of the same, two cents per square inch..... 2c. p. sq. in.
- 150½. Stereotypes, electrotypes and celluloids of books and bases for the same, whether composed wholly or in part of metal or celluloid, two-thirds of one cent per square inch, and matrices or copper shells of the same, two cents per square inch.....  $\frac{2}{3}$  c. p. sq. in.  
 2 c. p. sq. in.
151. Stereotypes, electrotypes, and celluloids of newspaper columns, and bases for the same, composed wholly or partly of metal or celluloid, three-fourths of one cent per square inch, and matrices or copper shells of the same, two cents per square inch.....  $\frac{3}{4}$  c. p. sq. in.  
 2c. p. sq. in.
152. Water limestone or cement stone, one dollar per ton of thirteen cubic feet..... \$1 p. ton.
153. Curling stones (so-called) of whatever material made, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p. c.
154. Molasses derived from raw cane sugar in the process of its manufacture direct from the cane, not refined or filtered or bleached or clarified, testing by the polariscope thirty degrees or over and not over fifty-six degrees, when imported direct without transshipment from the country of growth and production, a specific duty of one and one half cents per gallon, or when not so imported, of four cents per gallon; when testing over fifty-six degrees and imported direct without transshipment from the country of growth and production, a specific duty of six cents per gallon, or when not so imported, of eight cents per gallon, in all cases the package in which imported to be exempt from duty.....  $1\frac{1}{2}$ c. p. gall.  
 or 4c. p. gall.
155. Syrups, N.E.S., cane-juice, refined syrup, sugar-house syrup, syrup of sugar, syrup of molasses, syrup of sorghum, corn-syrup, glucose syrup and all syrups or molasses produced in the process of the manufacture of refined sugars, or in the refining of sugars, or in the refining of molasses, or in the production of molasses sugars, and all bleached, clarified, filtered or refined molasses, a specific duty of one cent per pound and thirty per cent. *ad valorem*, and the value for duty shall be the value thereof, f. o. b., at the last port of shipment..... 1c. p. lb. and  
 30 p.c.
156. Provided that molasses when imported for or received into any sugar refinery or sugar factory, or syrup or glucose factory, distillery or brewery, shall be subject to, and there shall be paid thereon, an additional duty of five cents per gallon ..... 5c. p. gall.  
 addn'l.
157. Saccharine or any product containing over one-half of one per cent. thereof, ten dollars per pound..... \$10 p. lb.
158. Sugar candy brown or white, and confectionery including sweetened gums, candied peels, condensed milk when sweetened and condensed coffee with milk when sweetened, one and one-quarter cents per pound and thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem*.....  $1\frac{1}{4}$ c. p. lb.  
 and 35 p.c.
159. Sweetened biscuits of all kinds, popcorn, preserved ginger, condensed milk not sweetened, and condensed coffee with milk not sweetened, thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 35 p.c.
160. Telephones and telegraph instruments; telegraph, telephone

	and electric light cables; electric and galvanic batteries, electric motors and apparatus for electric lights, including incandescent light globes and insulators of all kinds, N. E. S., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
161.	Stamped tinware, japanned ware, granite ware, enamelled iron ware and galvanized iron ware, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
162.	Tinware and manufactures of tin, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
163.	Cut tobacco, forty cents per pound and twelve and a-half per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	40c.p.lb, and 12½ p.c.
164.	Manufactured tobacco, N.E.S., and snuff, thirty cents per pound and twelve and a-half per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30c.p.lb, and 12½ p.c.
166.	Picks, mattocks, hammers weighing three pounds each or over, sledges, track tools, wedges or crowbars of iron or steel, one cent per pound and twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	1c. p. lb. and 25 p. c.
167.	Shovels and spades, shovel and spade blanks, and iron or steel cut to shape for same, one dollar per dozen and twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	\$1 p. doz. and 25 p.c.
169.	Trunks, valises, hat-boxes and carpet bags, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
170.	Satchels, pocket-books and purses, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .	35 p.c.
171.	Plants, viz.:—Fruit, shade, lawn and ornamental trees, shrubs and plants, N.E.S., twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
172.	Gooseberry bushes, one cent each.....	1c. each
173.	Grape vines costing ten cents and less, two cents each.....	2c. each
174.	Raspberry and blackberry bushes, one cent each.....	1c. each
175.	Rose bushes, costing twenty cents and less, three cents each.....	3c. each.
176.	Apple trees, of all kinds, three cents each.....	3c. each
177.	Peach trees, three cents each.....	3c. each
178.	Pear trees, of all kinds, four cents each.....	4c. each
179.	Plum trees, of all kinds, five cents each.....	5c. each
180.	Cherry trees, of all kinds, four cents each.....	4c. each.
181.	Quince trees, of all kinds, two and one-half cents each.....	2½c. each.
183.	Cases for jewels and watches, cases for silver and plated ware, and for cutlery and other like articles, ten cents each and thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10c. each and 30 p.c.
184.	Cotton twine, one cent per pound and twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	1c.p. lb. 25 p.c.
185.	Twine for harvest binders, of jute, manilla or sisal, and of manilla and sisal mixed, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
186.	Twine of all kinds, N.E.S., thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
187.	Umbrellas, parasols and sunshades of all kinds and materials, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
188.	Umbrella, parasol and sunshade sticks or handles, N.E.S., twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.
189.	Tomatoes and other vegetables, including corn and baked beans, in cans or other packages, weighing not over one pound each, two cents per can or package, and two cents additional per can or package for each pound or fraction of a pound over one pound in weight—and the weight of the cans or other packages to be included in the weight for duty.....	2c. p. can, &c. & 2c. add'l.
190.	Vegetables, when fresh or dry salted, N.E.S., including sweet potatoes and yams, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
191.	Velveteens, and cotton velvets and cotton plush, twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	20 p.c.

192. Veneers of wood, not over one-sixteenth of an inch in thickness, ten per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10 p.c.
193. Walking sticks and canes, of all kinds, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
194. Watches, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
195. Watch cases, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
196. Whips of all kinds, except toy whips, fifty cents per dozen and thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	50 p.c. doz. and 30 p.c.
197. Wire, of brass or copper, fifteen per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	15 p.c.
198. Wire, covered with cotton, linen, silk or other material, thirty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	35 p.c.
199. Pails, tubs, churns, brooms, brushes and manufactures of wood, N.E.S., and wood pulp, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
200. Fibre ware, indurated fibre ware, vulcanized fibre ware and all articles of like material, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
201. Clothing, ready-made, and wearing apparel of every description including horse clothing shaped, composed wholly or in part of wool, worsted, the hair of the alpaca goat or other like animal, made up by the tailor, seamstress or manufacturer, N.O.P., ten cents per pound and twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10c. p. lb. and 25 p.c.
202. Carpets, viz.:— <i>Brussels</i> , tapestry, Dutch, Venetian and Damask; carpet mats and rugs of all kinds, N.E.S.; and printed felts and druggets and all other carpets and squares, N.O.P., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
203. <i>Smyrna</i> carpets, mats and rugs, thirty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	30 p.c.
204. Yeast cakes, compressed yeast and baking powders in packages of one pound and over and not over fifty pounds weight, six cents per pound, the weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty.....	6 c. p. lb.
205. Yeast cakes, compressed yeast and baking powders in packages of less than one pound in weight, eight cents per pound, the weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty....	8 c. p. lb.
205½. Compressed yeast in bulk or mass of not less than fifty pounds, four cents per pound.....	4 c. p. lb.
206. Wire of all kinds, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
207. Electric arc light carbons or carbon points, not exceeding twelve inches in length and in proportion for greater or less lengths, two dollars and fifty cents per thousand.....	\$2.50 p. 1000
208. Uncoloured cotton fabrics, viz.: <i>Scrims</i> and window <i>scrims</i> , <i>cambric</i> cloths, <i>muslin</i> apron checks, <i>brilliant</i> s, <i>cor</i> s, <i>piques</i> , <i>diapers</i> , <i>lenos</i> , <i>mosquito</i> nettings; <i>Swiss</i> , <i>jaconets</i> and <i>cambric</i> muslins, and plain, striped or checked lawns, twenty-five per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	25 p.c.
209. Manufactures composed wholly or in part of wool, worsted, the hair of the alpaca goat or other like animals, viz.:— <i>Blankets</i> and <i>flannels</i> of every description; <i>cloths</i> , <i>doeskins</i> , <i>cassimeres</i> , <i>tweeds</i> , <i>coatings</i> , <i>overcoatings</i> , <i>felt cloth</i> of every description, N.E.S.; <i>horse-collar cloth</i> ; <i>yarn</i> , <i>knitting yarn</i> , <i>fingering yarn</i> , <i>worsted yarn</i> , <i>knitted goods</i> , viz.:— <i>shirts</i> and <i>drawers</i> , and <i>hosiery</i> , N.E.S., ten cents per pound and twenty per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	10c. p. lb. & 20 p.c.
210. Plough plates, mould boards and land sides when cut to shape from rolled sheets of crucible steel but not moulded, punched, polished or otherwise manufactured and being of a greater value than four cents a pound, twelve and a-half per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> .....	12½ p.c.

- 211. Wrought scrap iron and scrap steel, being waste or refuse wrought iron or steel and fit only to be re-manufactured, the same having been in actual use, not to include cuttings or clippings which can be used as iron or steel without re-manufacture, two dollars per ton..... \$2 p. ton.
- 212. Illuminating oils composed wholly or in part of the products of petroleum, coal, shale or lignite costing more than thirty cents per gallon, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
- 213. Wrought iron or steel sheet or plate cuttings or clippings, as cut at the rolling mills or ship yards, and fit only for re-rolling and to be used for such purpose only, thirty per cent. *ad valorem* ..... 30 p.c.
- 214. Sulphuric ether, five cents per pound..... 5c. p. lb.

**3.** Resolved, That it is expedient to repeal the following items in the Schedule "A" to the Act 49 *Victoria*, Chapter 33, Revised Statutes, intituled "An Act to amend the Duties of Customs," viz. :—items numbered 30, 210, 281, 416, 417, and to make further provisions, by adding to the Schedules to the said Act, as follow, viz. :—

SCHEDULE "A."

- 214a. Bird cages, thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 35 p.c.
- 214b. Brass and copper nails, rivets and burrs, thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 35 p.c.
- 214c. Boots and shoes, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem* ..... 25 p.c.
- 214d. All manufactures of leather, N.E.S., twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.
- 214e. Barrels containing linseed oil, twenty-five cents each..... 25c. each.
- 214f. Lime-juice, fortified, with or containing not more than twenty-five per cent. of proof spirits, sixty cents per gallon..... 60c. p. gall.  
And when containing more than twenty-five per cent. of proof spirits, two dollars per gallon..... \$2 p. gall.
- 214g. Lime-juice, sweetened, and fruit syrups, N.O.P., forty cents per gallon..... 40c. p. gall.
- 214h. Lime-juice and other fruit juices, N.O.P., non-alcoholic, and not sweetened, ten cents per gallon..... 10c. p. gall.
- 214i. Granite and freestone, dressed; all other building stone dressed except marble, and all manufactures of stone, N.E.S., thirty per cent. *ad valorem*..... 30 p.c.
- 214j. Grindstones, not mounted, and not less than twelve inches in diameter, two dollars per ton..... \$2 p. ton.
- 214k. India rubber clothing or clothing made waterproof with India rubber, N.E.S., thirty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 35 p.c.
- 214l. India rubber surfaced water-proof clothing, ten cents per pound and twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 10c. p. lb. and 25 p.c.
- 214m. Biscuits of all kinds not sweetened, twenty-five per cent. *ad valorem*..... 25 p.c.

SCHEDULE "B."

- 215. Salmon, pickled or salted, one cent per pound. Subject to the provisions of Section 3, Chapter 33, 49th *Victoria*, Revised Statutes of *Canada*..... 1c. p. lb.
- 216. All other fish pickled or salted in barrels, one cent per pound. Subject to the provisions of Section 3, Chapter 33, 49th *Victoria*, Revised Statutes of *Canada*..... 1c. p. lb.

## SCHEDULE "C."

217. Admiralty charts.
218. Alkanet root, crude, crushed or ground.
219. Precious stones, in the rough.
220. Aloes, ground or unground.
221. Alum, in bulk only, ground or unground.
222. Aluminum, or aluminium and alumina and chloride of aluminium or chloralum, sulphate of alumina and alum cake.
223. Anatomical preparations and skeletons or parts thereof.
224. Aniline dyes and coal tar dyes, in bulk or packages of not less than one pound weight, including alizarine and artificial alizarine.
225. Aniline salts and arseniate of aniline.
226. Antimony, not ground, pulverized or otherwise manufactured.
227. Ashes, pot and pearl, in packages of not less than twenty-five pounds weight.
228. Asphalt or asphaltum and bone pitch, crude only.
229. Argal or argols, not refined.
230. Beans, viz.:—Tonquin, vanilla and nux vomica, crude only.
231. Bells, when imported by and for the use of churches.
232. Bismuth metallic in its natural state.
233. Books printed by any Government or by any scientific association for the promotion of learning and letters, and issued in the course of its proceedings and supplied gratuitously to its members, and not for the purposes of sale or trade.
234. Books specially imported for the *bonâ fide* use of public free libraries, not more than two copies of any one book; and books which shall have been printed and manufactured more than twenty years, bound or unbound.
235. Borax ground or unground, in bulk only, of not less than twenty-five pounds.
236. Botanical specimens.
237. Old scrap brass and brass in sheets or plates of not less than four inches in width.
238. Fire bricks, for use exclusively in processes of manufactures.
239. Gold and silver bullion, in bars, blocks or ingots and bullion fringe.
240. Burr stones in blocks, rough or unmanufactured, not bound up or prepared for binding into mill stones.
241. Cups or other prizes won in competitions.
242. Cabinets of coins, collections of medals and of other antiquities.
243. Canvas of not less than forty-five inches in width, not pressed or calendered, for the manufacture of floor oilcloth.
244. Celluloid or xyolite in sheets, and in lumps, blocks or balls in the rough.
245. Chalk stone, china or *Cornwall* stone, feldspar and cliff stone, ground or unground.
246. Citron rinds in brine.
247. Clays.
248. Anthracite coal and anthracite coal dust.
249. Cocoa beans, shells and nibs, not roasted, crushed or ground.
250. Communion plate, when imported by and for the use of churches.
251. Copper in sheets or plates of not less than four inches in width.
252. Cotton yarns not coarser than No. 40, unbleached, bleached or dyed, for use in covering electric wires; also, for the manufacture of cotton loom harness; and for use in the manufacture of Italian cloths, cotton, worsted or silk fabrics.
253. Cotton yarns in cops only, made from single cotton yarns finer than No. 40, when used in their own factories by the manufacturers of Italian cloths, cashmeres and cotton cloths for the selvages of said cloths, and for these purposes only.

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254. Indian corn, viz. :—"Southern Dent Corn," of the variety known as Mammoth Southern Sweet, and "Western Dent Corn," of the variety known as Golden Beauty, when imported to be sown for soiling and ensilage, and for no other purpose, under regulations to be made by the Governor in Council.
  255. Colours, metallic, viz. :—Oxides of cobalt, zinc and tin, N.E.S.
  256. Diamond drills for prospecting for minerals, not to include motive power.
  257. Diamonds unset, diamond dust or bort and black diamonds for borers.
  258. Emery in blocks, crushed or ground.
  259. Entomological specimens.
  260. Extracts of logwood, fustic, oak, and of oak bark.
  261. Mexican fibre, and tampico or istle.
  262. Fish hooks, nets and seines, and fishing lines and twines, but not to include sporting fishing tackle or hooks with flies, or trawling spoons, or threads or twines commonly used for sewing or manufacturing purposes.
  263. Foot grease, being the refuse of cotton seed after the oil has been pressed out, but not when treated with alkalies.
  264. Fowls, domestic pure bred, for the improvement of stock, and pheasants and quails.
  265. Gas coke (the product of gas works), when used in Canadian manufactures only.
  266. Grease, rough, the refuse of animal fat, for the manufacture of soap only.
  267. Gums, viz. :—Amber, Arabic, Australian, copal, demar, kaurie, mastic, sandarac, senegal, and shellac; and white shellac, in gum or flake, for manufacturing purposes; and gum tragacanth, gum gedda and gum barberry.
  268. Hair, cleaned or uncleaned, but not curled or otherwise manufactured.
  269. Indigo auxiliary or zinc dust.
  270. Brass, copper, iron or steel rolled round wire rods under half an inch in diameter, when imported by wire manufacturers for use in making wire in their factories.
  271. Jute yarn, plain, dyed or coloured, when imported by manufacturers of carpets, rugs and mats, and of jute webbing or jute cloth, for use in their own factories.
  272. Kryolite or cryolite, mineral.
  273. Liquorice root, not ground.
  274. Litharge.
  275. Lemon rinds, in brine.
  276. Lumber and timber planks and boards of amaranth, boxwood, cocoboral, cherry, chestnut, walnut, gumwood, mahogany, pitch pine, rosewood, sandalwood, sycamore, Spanish cedar, oak, hickory, whitewood, African teak, black heart ebony, lignum vitæ, red cedar, redwood, satin wood and white ash, when not otherwise manufactured than rough sawn or split; and hickory billets to be used in the manufacture of axe, hatchet, hammer and other tool handles, when specially imported for such use; and the wood of the persimmon and dogwood trees, when imported in blocks for the manufacture of shuttles; and hickory lumber sawn to shape for spokes of wheels, but not further manufactured; and hickory spokes rough turned, but not tenoned, mitred, throated, faced, sized, cut to length, round tenoned or polished.
  277. Locomotive and car wheel tires of steel, when in the rough.
  278. Locust beans and locust bean meal for the manufacture of horse and cattle food.
  279. Mineralogical specimens.
  280. Mining machinery imported within three years after the passing of this Act and which is at the time of its importation of a class or kind not manufactured in *Canada*.
  281. Models of inventions and of other improvements in the arts; but no article or articles shall be deemed a model which can be fitted for use.
  282. *Iceland* moss and other mosses, and seaweed, crude or in their natural state or cleaned only.

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283. Oil cake and oil cake meal, cotton seed cake and cotton seed meal and palm nut cake and meal.
  284. Oils, viz. :—Cocoanut and palm, in their natural state.
  285. Orange rinds in brine.
  286. Ottar or attar of roses and oil of roses.
  287. Pelts, raw.
  288. Pipe clay, unmanufactured.
  289. Platinum wire; and retorts, pans, condensers, tubing and pipe made of platinum, when imported by manufacturers of sulphuric acid for use in their works in the manufacture or concentration of sulphuric acid.
  290. Rags of cotton, linen, jute, hemp and woollen, paper waste or clippings, and waste of any kind except mineral waste.
  291. Rattans and reeds in their natural state.
  292. Resin or rosin in packages of not less than one hundred pounds.
  293. Roots, medicinal, viz. :—Aconite, calumba, ipecacuanha, sarsaparilla, squills, teraxacum, rhubarb and valerian.
  294. Rubber, crude.
  295. Seed and breeding oysters, imported for the purpose of being planted in Canadian waters.
  - 295½. Seedling stock for grafting, viz. :—Plum, pear, peach and other fruit trees.
  296. Seeds, aromatic, which are not edible and are in a crude state, and not advanced in value or condition by grinding or refining or by any other process of manufacture, viz. : Anise, anise-star, caraway, cardamom, coriander, cummin, fennel and fenugreek.
  - 296½. Silver, German silver and nickel silver, rolled or in sheets.
  297. Soda sulphate of, crude, known as salt cake.
  298. Soda ash, caustic soda in drums; silicate of soda in crystals or in solution; bichromate of soda, nitrate of soda or cubic nitre, salsoda; sulphide of sodium, arseniate, binarseniate, chloride and stannate of soda.
  299. Steel of No. 20 gauge and thinner, but not thinner than No. 30 gauge, to be used in the manufacture of corset steels clock springs and shoe shanks; and flat wire of steel of No. 16 gauge or thinner, to be used in the manufacture of crinoline and corset wire, when imported by the manufacturers of such articles for use in their own factories.
  300. Sulphate of iron (coppers); and sulphate of copper (blue vitriol).
  301. Terra japonica, gambier or cutch.
  302. Ultramarine blue, dry or in pulp.
  303. Whiting or whitening, gilders' whiting and *Paris* white.
  304. Wool and the hair of the alpaca goat and of other like animals, not further prepared than washed, N.E.S.
  305. Books printed in any of the languages or dialects of any of the Indian tribes of the Dominion of *Canada*.
  306. Brass and copper wire twisted, when imported by manufacturers of boots and shoes for use in their own factories.
  307. Noils, being the short wool which falls from the combs in worsted factories.
  308. Seeds, viz. :—Beet, carrot, turnip, mangold and mustard.
  310. Crucible cast steel wire, when imported by manufacturers of wire rope, pianos, card clothing and needles, for use in the manufacture of such articles in their own factories only.
  311. Ribs of brass, iron or steel, runners, rings, caps, notches, ferrules, mounts and sticks or canes in the rough or not further manufactured than cut into lengths suitable for umbrella, parasol or sunshade sticks, when imported by manufacturers of umbrellas, parasols and sunshades for use in their factories in the manufacture of umbrellas, parasols and sunshades only.
  312. Fruits, viz. :—Bananas, plantains, pine-apples, pomegranates, guavas, mangoes and shaddock; and blueberries and strawberries wild only.

313. Camwood and sumac for dyeing or tanning purposes when not further manufactured than crushed or ground.
314. Blood albumen, tannic acid, antimony salts, tartar emetic and grey tartar when imported by manufacturers for use in their factories only.
315. Manufactured articles of iron or steel which at the time of their importation are of a class or kind not manufactured in *Canada*, when imported for use in the construction of iron or steel ships or vessels.
316. Wire of iron or steel, No. 13 and 14 gauge, flattened and corrugated, used in connection with the machine known as the wire grip machine for the manufacture of boots, shoes and leather belting, when imported by manufacturers of such articles to be used for these purposes only in their own factories.
317. Steel of No. 12 gauge and thinner, but not thinner than No. 30 gauge, when imported by manufacturers of buckle clasps and ice-creepers, to be used in the manufacture of such articles only in their own factories.
318. Blanketing and lapping, and discs or mills for engraving copper rollers, when imported by cotton manufacturers, calico printers and wall paper manufacturers, for use in their own factories only.
319. Yarns, made of wool or worsted, when genapped, dyed and finished, and imported by manufacturers of braids, cords, tassels and fringes, to be used in the manufacture of such articles only in their own factories.
320. Chlorate of potash in crystals, when imported for manufacturing purposes only.
321. On imported Indian corn, to be kiln-dried and ground into meal for human food, or ground into meal and kiln-dried for such use, under such regulations as may be made by the Governor in Council, there may be allowed a drawback of ninety per cent. of the duty paid.

To amend Schedule "D" by striking out the following words which immediately precede item 813:—

"The following articles are prohibited to be imported under a penalty of Two hundred dollars, together with the forfeiture of the parcel or package of goods in which the same are found, viz:—"

**4. Resolved,** That it is expedient to repeal the following numbered items in the Act 50-51 Victoria, Chapter 39, intituled "An Act to amend the Act respecting the Duties of Customs," viz:—

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 9, 14, 16, 18, 19, 20, 23, 25, 26, 31, 32, 34, 37, 39, 40, 44, 45, 72, 79, 80, 85, 92, 94, 95, 102, 103, 105, 106, 108, 113, 115, 116, 119, 120, 122, 130, 147, 148, 149, 150, 152, 153, 159, 163, 164, 165, 167, 168, 169, 171, 179, and by striking out from the said Act the following headings, viz:—

The word "Carriages," which immediately precedes item 11 in Section one.

The word "Cottons," which immediately precedes item 21 in said Section one.

The words "Iron and Steel, manufactures of, viz:—" which immediately precede item 39 in Section one.

The words "Tools and Implements," which immediately precede item 142 in the said Section one.

And the word "Woollens," which immediately precedes item 155 in said Section one.

**5. Resolved,** That it is expedient to cancel certain Orders in Council made under the provisions of section 245, sub-section (1) of the "Customs Act," Chapter 32 Revised Statutes, transferring certain articles therein specified to the list of goods which may be imported into *Canada* free of duty, as follow, viz:—

Sections 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 9, 11, 12, 13, 17, 19, 21, 22 and 24 of Chapter 15, and the whole of Chapter 16 of the Consolidated Orders in Council of *Canada*, and the fol-

lowing as published in the Supplement to the said Orders in Council, viz. :—

Special regulations *re* lithographic printing presses ;

Special regulations *re* ferro-manganese, ferro-silicon, &c., passed on the 4th and 26th of June, 1889 ; and the following additions to the Free List as also published in said Supplement as items added to the said Free List, viz. :—

*Re* felloes of hickory wood, O.C. November 16th, 1888.

*Re* homo-spring steel wire, O.C. December 6th, 1888.

*Re* sulphate of alumina or alum cake, O.C. May 22nd, 1889.

*Re* sumac, O.C. June 4th, 1889.

Also, the Orders in Council defining the rates of duty payable upon certain articles as follow, viz. :—

On celluloid balls, etc., O.C. April 12th, 1887.

On Vermouth bitters or Vermouth wine, O.C. August 25th, 1888.

On sapolio and silver soap, O.C. April 4th, 1889.

On veneers of wood, O.C. May 14th, 1889.

And the following transfers to the Free List, viz. :—

Wire for the manufacture of wire cloth, etc., O.C. May 14th, 1889.

Cotton yarn for covering wire, etc., O.C. May 14th, 1889.

Jute yarn, O.C. May 14th, 1889.

Wire of iron or steel for wire grip machines, O.C., May 14th, 1889.

Steel for the manufacture of buckle clasps, etc., O.C. May 14th, 1889.

Blanketing, lapping, etc., O.C. May 14th, 1889.

Yarns for the manufacture of braids, etc., O.C. May 14th, 1889.

White ash lumber, O.C. June 10th, 1889.

Camwood, O.C., June 10th, 1889.

Steel wire for the manufacture of pins, O.C., September 19th, 1889.

Wire for crinolines, etc., O.C. September 19th, 1889.

Sulphate of soda, O.C. November 22nd, 1889.

Cotton yarn for loom harness, O.C. November 27th, 1889 ; and the Order in Council of May 14th, 1889, defining the rate of duty payable upon plough plates, mould boards, &c.

**6.** *Resolved*, That it is expedient to further amend the Act 49 *Victoria*, Chapter 33, Revised Statutes, intituled : “ An Act respecting the Duties of Customs,” by striking out from the item 399 in the Schedule “ A ” to the said Act the word “ ginger ” in the second line of said item.

**7.** *Resolved*, That Section 7 of 49 *Victoria*, Chapter 33, Revised Statutes, be amended by adding at the end thereof the following words :—

“ Provided this section shall not apply to the export of any carcass or part thereof of any deer which shall have been raised or bred by any person, company or association of persons, upon his or their own lands, under regulations to be adopted by the Governor in Council.”

**8.** *Resolved*, That it is expedient to further amend the Act 49 *Victoria*, Chapter 33, Revised Statutes, intituled : “ An Act respecting the Duties of Customs,” by striking out from item 46 (Act number) 217 (Departmental number) the words “ skelp iron sheared or rolled in grooves,” and substituting therefor :

“ Skelp iron sheared or rolled in grooves not wider than eight inches in width nor thinner than twenty gauge, until such time as it is manufactured in Canada, thirty per cent. *ad valorem*.”

**9.** *Resolved*, That it is expedient to provide that the foregoing Resolutions and the alterations thereby made in the Duties of Customs on the articles therein mentioned, shall take effect on and after the twenty-eighth day of March instant.

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*, and the Question being proposed, That the said Resolutions be now read a second time ;

Mr. *McMullen* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *McMillan (Huron)*, 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 reducing the "duty on binding twine and cordage," 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>Charlton,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Cook,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Scrifer,</i>
<i>Blake,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin), and</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd),</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Neveux,</i>	<i>Yeo.—44.</i>

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector) Porter,</i>	
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Baird,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.),</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John) Rykert,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton),</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McGreevy,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Gigault,</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>McNeill,</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Ives,</i>	<i>Montague,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox), and</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville).—85.</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>	
<i>Daoust,</i>			

So it passed in the Negative.

And the Question being again proposed, That the said Resolutions be now read a second time;

Mr. *Charlton* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Jones (Halifax)*, 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 striking out the "duty imposed upon nursery stock," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and it passed in the Negative.

And the Question being again proposed, That the said Resolutions be now read a second time;

Mr. *Platt* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Innes*, 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 removing the duty upon coal oil refined and used for illuminating purposes," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and it passed in the Negative.

And the Question being again proposed, That the said Resolutions be now read a second time;

Mr. *Taylor* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Sproule*, 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 all cheese imported into *Canada* for export, be branded when in bond by marking on both the cheese and the box, the following words: 'Cheese for export, the product of the *United States*,'" inserted instead thereof;

Mr. Speaker ruled the proposed amendment out of Order, as irrelevant to the Question under consideration and not coming strictly under the perview of the Tariff Resolutions.

Then the main Question being put;

*Ordered*, That the said Resolutions be now read a second time.

The Resolutions were accordingly read a second time.

And the Question being put, That the said Resolutions be agreed to; the House divided: and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Foster* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the Duties of Customs.

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, again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-six thousand one hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Railways and Canals, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for outlay towards the establishment and maintenance of Experimental farms, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *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, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three millions two hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses Intercolonial Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses Eastern Extension Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and thirty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses *Prince Edward Island* Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses *Windsor Branch* Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses *Cape Breton Railway*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

Wednesday, 23rd April, 1890.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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.

A Bill to amend the Act for the Prevention and Suppression of Combinations formed in restraint of Trade, 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.

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 their Amendments to the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the *Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway Company*," without any amendment.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend 'The 'Exchequer Court Act,'" with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And then The House, having continued to sit till One of the Clock on Wednesday morning, adjourned till this day.

Wednesday, 23rd April, 1890.

#### PRAYERS.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petition was read and received:—

Of the Municipal Council of the City of *Hamilton, Ontario*; praying for an amendment of the Railway Act, so as to make it compulsory on all Railways in *Canada* to accept freight from vessels, pay vessels' charges and forward same to destination.

Mr. Speaker communicated to the House the following letter:—

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,  
Ottawa, 21st April, 1890.

SIR,—I have the honour to acquaint you that the Honourable Sir *William Ritchie*, acting as Deputy to His Excellency the Governor General, will proceed to the Senate

Chamber on Thursday, the 24th instant, at 3 o'clock, P.M., for the purpose of giving assent to certain 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.

Mr. *McNeill*, from the Select Committee appointed to enquire into the statements made in reference to furs taken from *Charles Bremner*, a Half-breed, residing at *Battleford*, presented the following as their unanimous Report, which was read, as followeth :—

1. That during the *North-West* Rebellion of 1885 and on the day of the surrender of the Indian Chief, *Poundmaker*, who had been in arms against the Government of *Canada*, a number of half-breeds came to *Battleford*, among whom was *Charles Bremner*, a half-breed trader and farmer, a resident of *Bresaylor*, twenty-two miles from *Battleford*, having in his possession a large quantity of valuable furs.

2. General *Middleton* being in command of the Canadian forces engaged in the suppression of the rebellion and being in *Battleford*, and having information that these half-breeds had come in from *Poundmaker's* camp, and that the furs were being carried away, gave orders that they should be put in charge of the Dominion Mounted Police, and they were accordingly placed in the Police Barracks at *Battleford* for safe keeping.

3. Some weeks later, while General *Middleton* was at *Fort Pitt*, Mr. *Hayter Reed* (a member of his staff), who had then just returned from *Battleford*, called attention to the furs, and reminded General *Middleton* that the person from whom they had been taken was said to be a rebel. Thereupon, after consultation with Mr. *Reed* and Mr. *Bedson* (another member of his staff), General *Middleton* assumed to confiscate the furs.

4. At the time of the confiscation General *Middleton* directed Mr. *Reed* to send an order in writing to the Police officer in *Battleford* who had charge of the furs. The exact wording of this order cannot be clearly established, as it was destroyed a few days after it was written. But it is proved to have been of the following tenor :—

That General *Middleton* had confiscated the furs, and had ordered that two packages of them should be put up for himself, one for Mr. *Hayter Reed*, one for Mr. *Bedson*, and one for another member of his staff, selecting the best; and that receipts should be taken for, or a memorandum made of the furs thus distributed.

5. Packages were put up in conformity with this Order—two for General *Middleton*, one for Mr. *Hayter Reed* and one for Mr. *Bedson*. The furs put up were in quantity about one-eighth of the whole, but of much larger proportionate value.

6. It has been proved before your Committee, that the furs put up for General *Middleton* and Mr. *Bedson* were placed on board the steamer which conveyed General *Middleton* and Mr. *Bedson* from *Battleford* to *Winnipeg*. But it would appear that Mr. *Bedson*, who had promised to give a receipt for the furs, refused to do so, alleging that they had not reached *Winnipeg*; and your Committee find that the packages of furs so shipped for General *Middleton* were not received by him.

7. The furs put up by Mr. *Hayter Reed* were forwarded to *Regina* and received by him there. He subsequently returned the package unopened to the Police authorities at *Battleford* alleging as his reason for so doing that the propriety of the confiscation was questioned.

8. Your Committee consider the confiscation of the furs unwarrantable and illegal; and, in his evidence, General *Middleton* admits that he has recently become satisfied it was not legally justifiable. Your Committee are further of opinion that,

if the confiscation had been legal, the confiscated property vested in the Crown; and, while your Committee believe that General *Middleton* acted under an unfortunate misconception as to his powers, they are of opinion that the appropriation of any portion of the property under such circumstances by General *Middleton* to his own use and to that of the members of his staff, was highly improper.

9. On behalf of *Bremner* it was stated to your Committee, that he is willing to accept \$4,500, inclusive of interest, in compensation for his loss, and this your Committee consider a fair compensation.

10. For the information of the House, your Committee submit herewith the minutes of the evidence taken by them in this enquiry; also, the minutes of the proceedings of your Committee, which, with this Report, they recommend to be printed. (*Appendix No. 1.*)

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Patterson* (*Essex*) have leave to bring in a Bill in amendment of "The Patent 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 the second reading of the Bill respecting Banks and Banking;

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. *Wood* (*Brockville*) 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, again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and eighty-one thousand one hundred and sixteen dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses of Canals, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-nine thousand nine hundred and eighty-six dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salaries and contingencies of Canal officers, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for collection of Slide and Boom dues, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *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, 1891.

5. *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, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty 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, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Telegraph Lines *North-West Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *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, 1891.

9. *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, 1891.

10. *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, 1891.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Regina* Jail, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-eight thousand four hundred and thirty-eight dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Salaries and contingent expenses of the Senate, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

13. *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, 1891.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

*Thursday, 24th April, 1890.*

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) 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. Wood (*Brockville*) also acquainted the House that he was directed to move, That the Committee 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 a quarter of an hour after Twelve of the Clock on Thursday morning, adjourned till this day.

Thursday, 24th April, 1890.

PRAYERS.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petition was read and received:—

Of the Municipality of *Macdonald*, County of *D'Iberville*, *Manitoba*; praying the House to consider the advisability of aiding the construction of the *Winnipeg* and *Hudson Bay* Railway.

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

MR. SPEAKER,

Sir *William Johnstone Ritchie*, 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, when 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 authorize the *Toronto Savings Bank Charitable Trust* to invest certain Funds.

An Act respecting the Board of Trade of the City of *Toronto*.

An Act respecting the *Erie and Huron Railway Company*.

An Act to amend "The Patent Act."

An Act to amend "The Copyright Act."

An Act to amend the Act incorporating the *Manitoba and South-Eastern Railway Company*.

An Act to incorporate the *Rainy River Boom Company*.

An Act respecting the *Brantford, Waterloo and Lake Erie Railway Company*.

An Act to incorporate the *Owen Sound and Lake Huron Railway Company*.

An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the *Victoria and Sault Ste. Marie Junction Railway Company*.

An Act to confirm an agreement between the *Montreal and Western Railway Company* and the *Canadian Pacific Railway Company*.

An Act respecting the *Confederation Life Association*.

An Act respecting the *Summerside Bank*.

An Act to incorporate the *Grand Orange Lodge of British America*.

An Act respecting the *St. Catharines and Niagara Central Railway Company*.

An Act to incorporate the *Interprovincial Bridge Company*.

An Act respecting the *Calgary Water Power Company (Limited)*.

An Act further to amend the *Adulteration Act*, chapter one hundred and seven of the Revised Statutes.

An Act respecting the *Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada*.

An Act to incorporate the *North Canadian Atlantic Railway and Steamship Company*.

An Act to grant certain powers to the *Chambly Manufacturing Company*.

An Act respecting *Agricultural Fertilizers*.

An Act to incorporate the *Montreal Bridge Company*.

An Act to incorporate the *Calgary and Edmonton Railway Company*.

An Act respecting the *Napanee, Tamworth and Quebec Railway Company*, and to change the name of the Company to "The *Kingston, Napanee and Western Railway Company*."

An Act to incorporate the *National Construction Company*.

An Act respecting the *Columbia and Kootenay Railway and Navigation Company*.

An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the *Dominion Mineral Company*.

An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the *Imperial Trusts Company of Canada*.

An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the *River Detroit Winter Railway Bridge Company*, and to change the name of the Company to the *River Detroit Railway Bridge Company*.

An Act respecting the *Central Ontario Railway*.

An Act to confer on the Commissioner of Patents certain powers for the relief of *Samuel May*.

An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the *Saskatchewan* Railway and Mining Company.

An Act to prevent the Disclosure of Official Documents and Information.

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 Exchequer "Court Act,'" 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 respecting Fishing vessels of the *United States of America*, 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.

Sir *John A. Macdonald*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Report of *Collingwood Schreiber*, Esquire, Chief Engineer and General Manager of Government Railways, on the completion of the location survey of the proposed line of railway between *Harvey Station*, on the *New Brunswick* Railway, and a point on the Intercolonial Railway near *Moncton*, *via Fredericton*, known as the "*Harvey-Moncton* Section of the Short Line Railway." (*Sessional Papers*, No. 84.)

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting Banks and Banking, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 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;

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. *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

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

*Friday, 25th April, 1890.*

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 twenty-five minutes before Two of the Clock on Friday morning, adjourned till this day.

Friday, 25th April, 1890.

PRAYERS.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, from the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, presented to the House the Sixteenth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth :—

Your Committee have had under consideration Bill to facilitate the purchase by the *Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway Company* from the *Canadian Pacific Railway Company* of the Branch Line of Railway between *Hull* and *Aylmer*, without amendment, and Bill respecting the *Ontario Pacific Railway Company*, with Amendments.

Your Committee have also considered Bill for the protection of persons employed by contractors engaged in the construction of railways under Acts passed by the Parliament of *Canada*, and recommend that it be not passed this Session, because doubts exist as to how far the provisions of the measure are within the jurisdiction of this Parliament.

Your Committee have also, in obedience to the Order of the House, further considered Bill to incorporate the *Saskatchewan Colonization Railway Company*, and Bill to incorporate the *Portage la Prairie* and *Duck Mountain Railway Company*, and have agreed to report the preambles thereof not proven, because the territory proposed to be served by these charters is already covered by railways chartered by this Parliament.

The promoter of Bill respecting "The *Don Improvement*," *Toronto*, having signified his intention of not proceeding further with the measure, your Committee recommend that the Bill be withdrawn.

Your Committee also recommend that the fees and charges paid on the three last-mentioned Bills be refunded, less the cost of printing and translation.

Mr. *Sproule*, from the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, presented to the House the Fifth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth :—

Your Committee have examined the following Bills, and beg leave to report the same without amendment, viz.:

Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *Hugh Forbes Keefer*," and

Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *Christiana Filman Glover*."

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Mr. *Chapleau*,

Ordered, That Bill for the protection of persons employed by Contractors engaged in the construction of railways under Acts passed by the Parliament of *Canada*; Bill to incorporate the *Saskatchewan Colonization Railway Company*; Bill to incorporate the *Portage la Prairie* and *Duck Mountain Railway Company*; and Bill respecting "The *Don Improvement*," *Toronto*, be severally withdrawn, and that the fees and charges paid on the three last mentioned Bills be refunded, less the cost of printing and translation, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Sixteenth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

Mr. *Colby*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 19th March, 1890, for copies of all petitions, correspon-

dence and documents whatsoever, respecting the placing of a floating light on the *St. Lawrence*, opposite the Church of *Ste. Croix*, in the County of *Lotbinière*, in place of the buoy now located there. (*Sessional Papers, No. 83a.*)

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*,  
Resolved, That Government business have precedence on Monday, after Questions put by Members, for the remainder of the Session.

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;

Mr. *Chapleau* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Mr. *Brien* 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 adding the following clause":—

"1. Paragraph six of section three of 'The Electoral Franchise Act' is hereby repealed, and the following substituted therefor:—

"(6.) Is a resident within the electoral district, and derives an income of at least Two hundred and fifty dollars annually from his earnings in money or money's worth, or partly in money or money's worth, or from profession, calling, office or trade, or from some investment in *Canada*, and has so derived such income and has been a resident of *Canada* for one year before his being placed upon the list of voters, or the date of the application for the placing of his name on the list of voters," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment,

Mr. *Lister* moved, seconded by Mr. *Davies*, That the House do now adjourn; and the Question being put:—It passed in the Negative.

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>Couture,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>
<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Davies.</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd),</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John) and</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Welsh.—51.</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Archibald (Sir Adams) Davis,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.) Skinner,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John), Small,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
		<i>McDonald (Victoria) Stevenson,</i>

<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton),</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Leeds &amp; Gren.)</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Carling</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert).</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Montague,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox),</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville),</i>
<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>	<i>Wood (West'm'land), and</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>	<i>Wright.—87.</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Ross,</i>	

So it passed in the Negative.

And the Question being again proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Mr. *Mills (Bothwell)* 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 providing "that no elector shall vote in any constituency other than the one in which he "resides," 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>Doyon,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>
<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Platt,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Robertson,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Goabout,</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Rich'd),</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Hale,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Watson, and</i>
<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John)—49.</i>
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NAYS :

Messieurs

<i>Archibald (Sir Adams) Davis,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Barnard,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Gen.) Skinner,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John), Small,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Deudney,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria) Sproule,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton), Stevenson,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Leeds &amp; Gren.)</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>
		<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>

<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>Mara,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Marshall,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Ckpleau,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Montague,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Prior,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox),</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville),</i>
<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'd), and</i>
<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>	<i>Wright.—83.</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Ross,</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. *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, further 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. 3.*)

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

Ottawa, 25th April, 1890.

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 House, according to Order, again resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting Banks and Banking, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 Fifteen dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Privy Council Office—To pay *A. Robertson* a sum to compensate him for loss of salary between 1st July, 1889, and 1st January, 1890, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved,* That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Compilation and preparation of the Civil

Service list for 1889-90, in English and French, Department of the Secretary of State, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand two hundred and thirteen dollars and twenty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with the Department of Queen's Printer:—To provide for payment to Mr. *J. G. Barrette*, extra Clerk, for extra hours in office work, \$92; Additional contingencies, \$2,000; Reading proofs of French and English editions of Civil Service list, 1889-90, \$121.20, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and ninety dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the following items in connection with the Department of Inland Revenue, viz:—To pay *John Courtman* to 30th June, 1890, for loss of salary resulting from his temporary service not having been considered when he was confirmed in his position as Messenger, \$90; To pay Mr. *A. Fréchet* for translation of technical circulars, regulations, &c., \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Railways and Canals—Contingencies:—For extra special service, printing, stationery, &c., in connection with collection of Canals Revenue, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Indian Affairs:—To pay *F. K. Byshe* for services as packer during the years 1888-89 and 1889-90, at \$330 per annum, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay for care and cleaning of Departmental Buildings, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight hundred and fifty dollars and fifty-one cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Post Office Department, viz:—Amount required to complete payment for the annual balancing of depositors' accounts in the Post Office Savings Bank on the 30th June, 1888, insufficiently voted in the Estimates for 1889-90, \$176.13; Amount required to defray cost of changing the calculations of interest in the depositors' accounts in the Post Office Savings Bank on the 1st of October, 1889, caused by the adoption of the new rate ( $3\frac{1}{2}$  per cent.), \$574.38; Amount required to pay for firing Noon Gun, for the fiscal year ending 30th June, 1890, (which may be paid to a member of the Civil Service, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Civil Service Act) \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Agriculture:—To pay *H. H. Bailey*, Patent Examiner, the difference between \$1,200 a year, from the 1st January, 1886, to 30th June, 1890, plus statutory increments, and the amounts paid him since that date, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and eight dollars and thirty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Exchequer Court, as follow, viz:—Exchequer Court Staff—To provide for salary of *John McDonald*, 3rd Class Clerk, at \$2 per day, \$730, less salary allowed under "The Civil Service Act," \$400,—\$330; Salary of the Judge of the Vice-Admiralty Court, *Prince Edward Island*, from 13th November, 1889, to 30th June, 1890, \$378.35, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dominion Police:—To provide for the payment and clothing of additional men (4) occasioned by the Force taking over the care of the Printing Bureau and the extension of the Mail Service, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for purchasing in *England* and distributing in *Canada*, two-rowed barley for seed purposes (Arts, Agriculture and Statistics), for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for "Patent Record"—Additional amount required in consequence of greater augmentation in number of Patents than estimated, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards Immigration and Immigration expenses, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay sessional indemnity of the late *J. S. Thompson*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand four hundred and seven dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the following items, viz.:—Extra French Translators—To cover amount expended for French translation between 1st July, 1889, and 15th January, 1890, \$1,557; Stationery—Additional amount required, \$1,000; Miscellaneous—To provide for the payment of two expresses between House and Government Printing Office, \$600; Newspapers—Additional amount required, \$250, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide a gratuity to the family of the late *Dr. Wilson*, Law Clerk of the House of Commons, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Canadian Pacific Railway—Construction, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty-five thousand eight hundred and twenty-eight dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the following expenses in connection with Intercolonial Railway:—*Pictou Town Branch*—To pay *Dennis Bros.* for advertisement, \$28; *St. Charles Branch*, \$200,000; *Rivière du Loup Town Branch*, \$600; *Dartmouth Branch*, \$6,000; Increased accommodation at *Moncton*, \$20,000; Air brakes for freight cars, \$13,000; Increased accommodation at *St. John*, \$3,000; Heating cars by steam from engine, \$11,200; Construction (old), \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for construction and equipment, *Oxford and New Glasgow Railway*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for construction and equipment, *Cape Breton Railway*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Grand Narrows Bridge*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Trent River Works*—Dam and dry dock, *Bobcaygeon*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-three dollars and thirty-four cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *John Logan's* claim for services rendered in connection with *Fort Frances Canal*, as certified by *Hugh Sutherland*, the person then in charge of the work, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet the expenses incurred in connection with an investigation, authorized by Parliament last Session, of the management of the *Welland Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairing Culvert, *Rivière aux Iroquois*, dredging, &c., *Chambly Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs to Lockgates and bridges, *Williamsburgh Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Lachine Canal*:—To pay two months' gratuity to the widow of late *P. Boulay*, draughtsman in the Department of Railways and Canals, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

29. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Railway Surveys and inspections, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

30. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fourteen thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide a special car for His Excellency the Governor General, 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, 26th April, 1890.*

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received on Monday next.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 Two of the Clock on Saturday morning, adjourned till Monday next.

Monday, 28th April, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *La Rivière*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the City of *Emerson, Manitoba*.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to facilitate the purchase by the *Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway Company* from the *Canadian Pacific Railway Company* of the Branch Line of Railway between *Hull and Aylmer*, 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 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 *Ontario Pacific 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 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 House in Committee on the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *Hugh Forbes Keefer*;"

And the Question being put, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee; 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. Wood (*Brockville*) 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 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 *Christiana Filman Glover*;"

And the Question being put, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee; 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. Wood (*Brockville*) 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 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 respecting the Department of the Geological Survey," 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, 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, again resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to amend "The Indian Advancement Act," chapter forty-four of the Revised

Statutes, 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.

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 Grand Trunk Railway Company of *Canada*."

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Dominion Safe Deposit Warehousing "and Loan Company (Limited)."

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Home Life Association of *Canada*."

Bill intituled: "An Act further to amend 'The *Canada* Temperance Act.'"

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act relating to Bills of "Exchange, Cheques and Promissory Notes," with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to confer on the "Commissioner of Patents certain powers for the relief of *George T. Smith*," with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act respecting Grants of Public Lands;"

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. Wood (*Brockville*) 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 second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend an Act concerning Marriage with a Deceased Wife's Sister;"

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. Wood (*Brockville*) 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 House, according to Order, again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings *Nova Scotia—Halifax* Dominion Building—Improvements, &c., \$300; *Halifax* Examining Warehouse, \$50; *Sydney* (South)—Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$4,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and eighty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *New Brunswick*, viz:—*Fredericton* Post Office—Repairs, \$80; *Woodstock* Post Office, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand five hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Quebec*, as follow:—*Coaticook*—Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$3,000; *Montreal* Custom House, Renewals, repairs, &c., \$2,500; *Montreal* Post Office—Granolithic pavement, &c., the city authorities contributing one-half the cost of the new pavement, \$1,000; *Quebec* Post Office—Improvements, \$300; *Montreal* Post Office—Improvements, \$300; *Three Rivers* Custom House—Repairs to retaining wall, &c., \$425; *St. Vincent de Paul* Penitentiary, \$13,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty thousand eight hundred and twenty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings *Ontario*, as follow, viz:—*Guelph* Public Building—Improvements, \$220; *Brampton*—Public Building, \$6,000; *Napanee* Post Office, Custom House, &c., to complete, \$5,500; *Strathroy*—Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$5,000; *Trenton*—Public Building, \$5,500; *Lindsay*—Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$3,400; Departmental Buildings, *Ottawa*—Increased and improved vault accommodation in Eastern Block for Finance Department, \$45,000; *London* Custom House, to complete, \$1,500; *Pembroke*—Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$4,000; *Stratford* Post Office—Improvements, &c., to complete, \$1,900; *St. Thomas* Post Office and Custom House—Improvements to heating apparatus, &c., to complete, \$1,100; Government Printing Bureau, \$1,000; Temporary observatory, Cliff Street, *Ottawa*, \$350; *Toronto* Post Office, Sanitary works, \$350, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fourteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Manitoba*, viz.:—*Brandon*—Post Office, \$10,000; *Manitoba* Penitentiary, \$4,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *North-West Territories*, viz:—*Calgary*—Court House, Jail, &c., \$10,000; *Regina*—Residence for Lieutenant Governor, \$12,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs, furniture, heating, &c.—*Halifax* Post Office—New safe, &c., \$900; Public Buildings, *Ottawa*—Improvements in Western Departmental Block, \$1,800; Lieutenant Governor's Residence, *Regina*—Well, pump, &c., \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Barrington* Passage Pier (Harbours and Rivers), for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs to breakwater, *Quaco, N. B.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for general Repairs and Improvements, Harbours and Rivers, Maritime Provinces generally, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-one thousand nine hundred and fourteen dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Quebec*, viz.:—*Rivière du Lièvre*, \$20,000; *Rivière Nicolet*, \$1,500; *Trois Pistoles Pier*, \$140; *Ste. Adelaïde de Pabos (Little Pabos)* \$4,850; *Percé Pier*, \$4,000; *Murray Bay, Ile aux Coudres, Les Eboulements*—Repairs to piers, &c., \$880; *New Carlisle*, \$5,244; *St. Timothée*—Piers, \$1,300; *Grand Pabos*, to complete pierwork, &c., \$1,000; General repairs and improvements, Harbours and Rivers, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand four hundred and sixty-nine dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Ontario*, viz.:—*McGregor's Creek*, to complete, \$300; *Portsmouth*—Repairs to pier, \$1,054; *River Ottawa*—Improvement of steamboat channel through Narrows of *Petawawa*, above *Pembroke*, \$820; *Rideau River*—Dredging branch, \$95; *River Thames* entrance channel, \$4,200, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for general repairs and improvements, Harbours and Rivers, *Manitoba*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for removal of *Nicol Rock, Nanaimo, British Columbia*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required for Harbours and Rivers generally, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Telegraph Lines—*Ontario*, as follows:—Telegraphic communication between *Pointe Pelée Island, Lake Erie*, and the mainland—to connect Government telephone office with storm signal station at lighthouse—Revote of lapsed amount, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Telegraph Lines, *British Columbia*:—To connect *Bonilla Point* and *Cape Beale* with *Victoria*—Revote of lapsed amount, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the Dominion Telegraph Company for the additional length of line from *Canso* to *Dartmouth*, built in 1879–80, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for new Dredging Plant, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Miscellaneous Surveys and Inspections, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand nine hundred and forty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fisheries, as follow, viz.:—To pay for services performed by *D. A. McLennan*, in connection with the Fisheries Intelligence Bureau, \$125; To cover cost of herring delegation, \$1,800; To pay reward to *Charles Adams* for procuring, in *Lake Huron*, a true specimen of the *Salmo Salar*, \$20, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for "Lighthouse and Coast Service," as follow:—To compensate Mr. *George Georgeson* for his services in saving the lighthouse and buildings at *East Point, Saturna Island, B. C.*, from being burned on 14th June, 1889, \$30; To pay gratuity to *F. H. Ford*, authorized by Order in Council, whose office as keeper at *South Rustico Light* has been abolished, \$50, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fourteen thousand seven hundred and twenty-one dollars and fifty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Ocean and River Service, as follow:—To pay a gratuity to the members of the *Montreal Water Police Force* according to their length of service, consequent upon the abolition of that force; allowing one year's salary for those with twenty years' service and over, and six months' salary for those of ten year's service and under twenty, \$2,793.90; To provide for Tidal Observations, \$2,006; To provide for the claim of *Jotham O'Brien* for extras in connection with the building of the steamers "*Princess Louise*" in 1883, and "*Lansdowne*" in 1884, as per Order in Council, 9th December, 1889, \$8,844.32; To meet expenses in connection with survey of ship channel between *Garry Bush* and *New Westminster*, on the *Fraser River, B.C.*, \$500; To pay a gratuity of seven months' salary to *John Giblin*, consequent upon the abolition of his office as Deputy Shipping Master of *Quebec*, on the 30th June, 1889, \$583.33, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand eight hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz:—Quarantine, *Grosse Isle*, \$5,000; Quarantine, *Chatham, N. B.*, \$475; *Tracadie Lazaretto*, \$400; Public health, \$2,000; Cattle quarantine, Province of *Quebec*, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand and sixteen dollars and sixty-six cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Marine Hospitals, as follow, viz:—To pay gratuity to *Thomas Wood*, keeper of Marine Hospital at *Victoria, B.C.*, on retirement after sixteen years as keeper of above hospital, \$250; To pay a gratuity to *Mrs. A. Rowand*, widow of the late *Dr. A. Rowand, Quebec Marine Hospital*, 2 months, \$66.66; To pay one year's salary as a gratuity to *Mrs. Mossman*, matron of *Quebec Marine Hospital*, on abolition of office, \$300; To provide for one year's salary as gratuity to *Dr. C. Robitaille*, chairman of Commissioners, \$200; *Dr. C. A. Parke*, Commissioner, \$200; *Dr. C. E. Lemieux*, visiting physician, \$400, and *Dr. N. E. Dionne*, visiting physician, \$400; consequent on the abolition of their offices at the *Quebec Marine Hospital*, from 1st August, 1889, as per Order in Council, 28th June, 1889, \$1,200; To pay gratuity of two years' salary to *Dr. P. A. Wells*, his services as secretary of *Quebec Marine Hospital* being dispensed with, from 1st January, 1890, owing to abolition of office as per Order in Council, 17th December, 1889, \$1,200, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nineteen thousand three hundred and eighty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *British Columbia*, as follow:—To assist in the erection of the buildings in connection with the school for Indian girls to be conducted under the auspices of the Church of *England at Yale, British Columbia*, \$1,500; and for the purchase of land as a site for that school, \$500; For clearing land and fencing school farm at *Metlakahla*, \$600; For outfit of steam launch belonging to the Department:—Sails and masts, \$200, wages of crew, October, 1889, to June, 1890, \$1,080, furniture, bedding, cooking utensils, &c., \$600—\$1,880; For repairs of Indian Office, *Kamloops*, \$400; To complete *Kuper Island* and *Kamloops Industrial Schools*:—Cost of building, \$17,277; Transferred by Indian Department to Department of Public Works for purposes of construction, \$8,122; required say, \$9,200; Further grant to complete buildings, *Kootenay Industrial School*, \$4,500; *Kamloops Industrial School*, \$800, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-nine thousand five hundred and thirty-eight dollars and eighty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Manitoba* and the *North-West Territories*, as follow:—To pay *P. Aylin, M. D.*, for vaccinating 83 Indians on *Red Pheasant's Reserve* in March, 1889, at 25 cents each, \$20.75; 72 Indians on *Little Pine's Reserve*, \$18; 107 Indians on *Sweet Grass' Reserve*, \$26.75; 127 Indians on *Stony Reserve*, \$31.75; 100 Indians on *Thunderchild's Reserve*, \$25; 64 Indians on *Moosomin's Reserve*, \$16; 75 Indians on *Poundmaker's Reserve*, \$18.75—\$157; To pay the wages of Interpreter, acting also as teamster for the *Fort Pelly* agency, \$480; For maintenance of 20 pupils at \$100 each per annum

at the *Elkhorn* Industrial School, \$2,000; And for the maintenance of 25 pupils at the *St. Paul's* Industrial School at \$100 each per annum, \$2,500—\$4,500; For equipment of *St. Paul's*, \$4,000; To improve road from *Prince Albert* to *Montreal Lake* by opening 15 miles not constructed, \$200; For purchase of 4 work oxen for the *Sarcee* Reserve, \$300; To purchase 30 tons of hay for the cattle at *Qu'Appelle* Industrial School, the hay crop having failed owing to drought in summer of 1889, \$240; To aid in re-building schoolhouse on *Enoch La Potac's* Reserve, destroyed by prairie fire in spring of 1889, \$100; To purchase three additional acres of land for *St. Paul's* Industrial School, being part of lot 18, D.L. Survey, *St. Paul's* Parish, to facilitate drainage of school premises, \$300; To complete the construction of the *St. Paul's* Industrial School, \$2,600; To complete the *Regina* Industrial School, \$3,500; Industrial schools generally, \$534.75; To pay *John Russell* for services in guarding wood seized for having been cut in trespass on *St. Peter's* Reserve, \$442.10; Estimated cost of cess-pool and water closet and connections, 12 x 12 x 14, at *Qu'Appelle* Industrial School, \$500; To provide seed grain for Indians in the *North-West Territories*, rendered necessary by the almost total failure of the crops in 1889, owing to drought, \$11,285; Provision for a second school (Roman Catholic) on the *Ebb and Flow* Lake Reserve (teacher's salary, \$300; in aid of building, \$100), \$400, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand seven hundred dollars and one cent be granted to Her Majesty, to supplement the Indian Fund, "*Ontario and Quebec*," as follow:—Estimated cost of material and workmanship necessary to repair the Girl's School at *Pic River*, Lake *Superior*, *Ontario*, \$144.25; To enable the Department to pay the salary of a teacher for the Indian School at *Stony Point*, under the control of the Department, \$200; A grant in aid of the *Muncey* Agricultural Society, \$60; To aid the *White Fish* River Indians (North Shore Lake *Huron*) to build a combined Church and Schoolhouse, they having no funds for the purpose, \$300; Amount necessary to complete an Indian School at *Bécancour*, \$75; To pay salary to a teacher of a School which may be established at *White Fish Bay*, near *White Fish Lake* Reserve, \$200; To enable the Department to buy a small piece of land at *Cacouna* as a Reserve for the Indians of *Cacouna*, \$100; To pay the over-expenditure in passing *Robinson* Treaty annuities during five years, from 1884 to 1889, \$2,620.76, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

29. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to supplement the Indian Fund, *Nova Scotia*, as follow:—To increase the annual salary of Reverend *D. McIsaac* from \$50 to \$100 per annum, \$50; To enable the Department to pay certain accounts for medical services which the appropriation for 1889-90 was insufficient to cover, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

30. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to supplement the Indian Fund, *New Brunswick*, viz.:—To enable the Department to pay certain accounts for medical services which the appropriation for 1889-90 was not sufficient to cover, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

31. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Geological Survey—Towards cost of artesian well at *Deloraine*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

32. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand six hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *North-West* Mounted Police, viz.:—To compensate *R. Belcher* for loss of a building by fire at *Fort Saskatchewan*, whilst occupied by the *North-West* Mounted Police, \$650; Further amount required to meet expenditure of the year, \$30,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

33. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand four hundred and forty-one dollars and eight cents be granted to Her Majesty, to cover expenditure in connection with the *Skeena* Expedition, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

34. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Amount required to pay

the cost of the suits of the *St. Catharines* Milling and Lumbering Company vs. The Queen, \$1,500; and The Queen vs. the *St. Catharines* Milling and Lumbering Company, balance of costs, \$300, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

35. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required to pay expenses in connection with the collection of seed grain advances in the *North-West Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

36. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for expenses of Government in the *North-West Territories*:—To pay for the construction of a bridge across *Sturgeon River, Edmonton—North-West Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

37. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet further amount required 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.

38. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for relief of distress among Half-breeds in the *North-West Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

39. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay for 25 copies *Taschereau's* work on "Criminal Laws," for library exchanges, at \$10, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

40. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay for 25 copies of "The Water Lily," for library exchanges, at \$1, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

41. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay for 25 copies l'Abbé *Dugas' "Mgr. Provencher et les missions "de la Rivière Rouge,"* at 50 cents, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

42. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *J. A. Jodoin*, for 25 copies "Histoire de la famille de *Longueuil*," at \$1, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

43. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *P. B. Mignault* for 25 copies "Manuel Parlementaire," at \$1, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

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

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting Banks and Banking;

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

*Tuesday, 29th April, 1890.*

After some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 a quarter of an hour before One of the Clock on Tuesday morning, adjourned till this day.

Tuesday, 29th April, 1890.

PRAYERS.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 10th March, 1890, for copies of forms of advertisement and of tender, of tenders received of the contract entered into in connection with a steam service between any ports in the Maritime Provinces and any *West India* ports; also, all correspondence connected therewith between any of the Public Departments and any persons interested in the establishment of the said service. (*Sessional Papers, No. 85.*)

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. *Blake* 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 is expedient to provide means whereby, on solemn occasions touching the exercise of the power of disallowance, or of the appellate power as to Educational legislation, important questions of law or fact may be referred by the Executive to a high judicial Tribunal for hearing and consideration, in such mode that the Authorities and parties interested may be represented, and that a reasoned opinion may be obtained for the information of the Executive," 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:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*, and the Question being put, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the Committee of Supply:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The House accordingly again resolved itself into the said Committee.

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred and forty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *Alphonse Desjardins* for 40 copies "Débats Parlementaires de *Quebec* for 1888 and 1889" at \$8, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards aiding in publication of seventh volume of "*Le Dictionnaire Généalogique des familles Canadiennes*," for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay additional amount required for plant for Government Printing Bureau, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for classification of old Records, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the payment as a gratuity to the widow of the late Judge *Jellet*, County of *Prince Edward, Ontario*, an equivalent to two months of his salary, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay costs of appeal to Privy Council in case of Attorney General of *British Columbia vs. Attorney General of Canada*, in the matter of the title to precious metals in the Railway Belt, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand three hundred and eighty-one dollars and forty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Customs, viz.:—Customs Miscellaneous—Amount required to pay Customs share (one-half) of cost of repairs and maintenance of Government steam yacht "*Cruiser*," during the season of 1889, \$2,631.45; To pay *John Dyke*, Government Agent, at *Liverpool, England*, for services rendered and expenses in procuring information for use of the Customs Department, \$500; To pay Mr. *William Doyle*, late Preventive Officer in Her Majesty's service, at *Dalhousie, New Brunswick*, a gratuity on his retirement from the service, as per Order in Council of 9th September, 1889, \$100; To pay Mr. *R. Robichau*, Sub-Collector in Her Majesty's Customs, at *Meteghan, Nova Scotia*, a gratuity equal to 18 months' salary on his retirement from the service, \$150, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Excise, viz.:—To pay *Archie Gillis*, Constable, *Port Hood, Nova Scotia*, as compensation for loss of time, &c., resulting from a gun shot wound received while performing constabulary duties for the Inland Revenue Department, \$100; To bring the salary of *T.B. Blair*, to \$1,400, from 1st January, 1889, the date of his removal from *Hamilton* to *Toronto*. The estimates only provided for \$1,400, from 1st July, 1889, \$100; To *Patrick Cullen*, Messenger and Caretaker, *Montreal* Inland Revenue office, an additional sum of \$200, for services during current year, \$200, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eleven thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for culling timber, as follow, viz.:—Further amount required, \$11,000; To pay the widow of the late *J. Gilchrist* a gratuity, \$200, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand two hundred and ninety-seven dollars and forty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required to pay law costs, commission and sale of Ordnance Lands, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *A. Code*, Inspector of Weights and Measures, *Ottawa*, for performing the duties of the late *H. J. Hubertus*, Gas Inspector, *Ottawa*, from the 3rd March, 1889, the date of his death, to 1st July, 1889, when a successor was appointed, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet further amount required for *Prince Edward Island* Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirteen thousand three hundred and fifty-six dollars and eighty-eight cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Railways and Canals, viz.:—*Lachine*—To pay Miss *Elizabeth O'Neil* a gratuity of two months' pay of her late father, *Wm. O'Neil*, \$76.25; *Beauharnois*—To pay Lockmaster *Louis Bertrand*, salary from 14th February to 28th June, 1887, \$150; *Chambly*—Rebuilding blacksmith's shop destroyed by fire, \$1,000; *Williamsburgh*—To pay *John Reid*, Collector of Canal Tolls at *Cardinal*, as Acting Superintendent, after decease of Superintendent *McDonell*, \$880.63; To pay widow of late *W. B. Forbes*, Superintendent, arrears of travelling expenses, from 1st July, 1873, to 1st October, 1879, \$1,250; To additional pay to persons permanently employed in the public service, and remuneration to any other persons for services rendered for, or in connection with, passing vessels through the canals between *Lake Erie* and *Montreal*, from midnight on Saturdays to 6 a.m. Sundays, and from 9 p.m. Sundays to midnight, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-four thousand four hundred and sixty-one dollars and twenty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Post Office Department, as follow:—To add to the sum provided for a clerkship at \$400 in the Post Office Inspector's Office, *Halifax*, to enable the Postmaster General to increase Mr. *Sydenham Howe's* salary to \$600 a year, \$200; Amount required to pay Canadian

Pacific Railway Company for mail service between *Vancouver* and *Victoria* (Re-vote), \$4,000; Amount required to pay Canadian Pacific Railway Company for mail service on Main Line (Re-vote), \$20,261.20, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet further amount required for surveys, examination of survey returns, printing of plans, &c. (Dominion Lands), for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and fifty-five thousand six hundred and nine dollars and eighty-six cents be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required to cover unprovided items for 1888-89, as per Auditor General's Report, page 64—*B*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and twenty-four dollars and forty-six cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Penitentiaries, as follow:—*St. Vincent de Paul*—To pay *Edward Kenny* short allowance in commutation of perquisites, \$100; To pay increase of salary to *D. J. McLellan* and *R. Roger*, \$30 each, from 1st July, 1889, \$60; *Manitoba Penitentiary*—To pay expenses of transfer of convict *Morris Blake* to *England*, \$284.46; *British Columbia Penitentiary*—To pay *J. Fitzgerald*, promoted from Guard to Keeper in 1886, \$100; *Dorchester Penitentiary*—To pay Trade Instructors *W. Hogan* and *H. Godsoe* \$30 each, for 1887-88, 1888-89 and 1889-90, \$180, for the year ending 30 h June, 1890.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand two hundred and fifty-three dollars and thirty-seven cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the depositors in the Savings Bank the amount appropriated by the Assistant Postmaster at *Kings-ton*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and forty dollars and sixty-three cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay gratuity to *Martin Kennedy* for services as Guard in *Halifax Penitentiary*, to 1st July, 1880, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty-four dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Honourable Senator *Montgomery* amount deducted from his sessional allowance for 1889, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand five hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salary (unprovided for) of Dairy Commissioner and Assistant Dairy Commissioner, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Public Buildings, *Quebec*, viz.:—*Joliette Post Office*, balance due on contract works, &c., \$1,060; *St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary*, \$8,000; *Quebec Citadel Buildings*—Renewals and repairs, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to make good expenditure in connection with redistribution of offices in the Eastern, Western and Wellington street Departmental Blocks, among the various Departments of the Public Service—Cleaning, repairs, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for general repairs and improvements, Harbours and Rivers, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dredging—*Nova Scotia*, *Prince Edward Island* and *New Brunswick*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Bridges—*Ottawa City*:—Over *River Ottawa*, the Slides, *Rideau Canal* and approaches thereto, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Surveys and inspections, \$2,000; Compensation to *M. M. Peloquin* and *Phaneuf* for the loss of their barge "Germany" at *Nicolet*, on *Lake St. Peter*, by striking against submerged pilework,

the position of which was insufficiently indicated, \$400, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay a gratuity of \$2,000 to Dr. *L. Catellier*, the resident physician and surgeon of the *Quebec Marine Hospital*, whose services are no longer required, the Hospital being now closed, and who has been performing the duties of that office since 1st May, 1865, but does not come within the provisions of the Superannuation Act, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

29. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fourteen thousand six hundred and forty-three dollars and forty-seven cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay expenses incurred between the 1st April, 1888, and 2nd May, 1889, in the re-survey of the River *St. Lawrence*, being one-half of the amount expended by Imperial Government on same, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

30. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required to supplement 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-West* tribes of the Dominion of *Canada*, and especially the tribes and bands of *British Columbia*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

31. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-one thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to purchase and supply seed grain to settlers in the *North-West Territories* (this expenditure to be kept in an open account, and refunds to be credited as received), 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, 30th April, 1890.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting Fishing Vessels of the *United States of America*," without any amendment.

And then The House, having continued to sit till twelve minutes after One of the Clock on Wednesday morning, adjourned till this day.

Wednesday, 30th April, 1890.

PRAYERS.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petition was read and received:—

Of the Municipal Council of the City of *Emerson, Manitoba*; praying the House to consider the advisability of aiding the construction of the *Winnipeg and Hudson Bay Railway*.

Ordered, That Mr. *Mulock* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend "The Militia Act," chapter forty-one 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 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. *Charlton* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Barron*, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "regard being had to the fact that the competency of the Legislative Assembly of *Quebec* to pass the Act 51-52 *Victoria*, Chapter 15, intituled: 'An Act respecting the settlement 'of the Jesuits' Estates,' was called in question, and that belief in the unconstitutionality of the said Act was entertained in many sections; and, in view of the "feeling of dissatisfaction excited thereby, and generally the disturbed state of the "public mind on the subject thereof;

"And further, having regard to the fact that His Excellency obtained the opinion of the Law Officers of the Crown in England, as to the course which His Excellency should pursue regarding the said Act;

"This House is of the opinion, that the question of the constitutionality of the "said Act should have been submitted to the Supreme Court of *Canada*, in pursuance "of the powers conferred by the Supreme and Exchequer Courts Act, when the "question could have been definitely determined by such court," inserted instead thereof;

And a Debate arising thereupon;

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

Thursday, 1st May, 1890.

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>Bain</i> ( <i>Wentworth</i> ),	<i>Charlton</i> ,	<i>McMillan</i> ( <i>Huron</i> ),	<i>Scriver</i> ,
<i>Barron</i> ,	<i>Fisher</i> ,	<i>McMullen</i> ,	<i>Somerville</i> ,
<i>Blake</i> .	<i>Innes</i> ,	<i>McNeill</i> ,	<i>Sutherland</i> ,
<i>Bowman</i> ,	<i>Lang</i> ,	<i>Mulock</i> ,	<i>Tyrwhitt</i> ,
<i>Brien</i> ,	<i>Livingston</i> ,	<i>O'Brien</i> ,	<i>Waldie</i> ,
<i>Campbell</i> ,	<i>Macdonald</i> ( <i>Huron</i> ),	<i>Paterson</i> ( <i>Brant</i> ),	<i>Wallace</i> ,
<i>Cartwright</i> ( <i>Sir Richard</i> ),	<i>McCarthy</i> ,	<i>Platt</i> ,	<i>Watson</i> , and
<i>Casey</i> ,	<i>McCulla</i> ,	<i>Rowand</i> ,	<i>Wilson</i> ( <i>Elgin</i> ).—32

NAYS:

Messieurs

<i>Amyot</i> ,	<i>Davis</i> ,	<i>Jones</i> ( <i>Digby</i> ),	<i>Perry</i> ,
<i>Audet</i> ,	<i>Dawson</i> ,	<i>Jones</i> ( <i>Halifax</i> ),	<i>Porter</i> ,
<i>Bain</i> ( <i>Soulanges</i> ),	<i>Desaulniers</i> ,	<i>Kenny</i> ,	<i>Purcell</i> ,
<i>Béchar</i> ,	<i>Desjardins</i> ,	<i>Kirk</i> ,	<i>Putnam</i> ,
<i>Bergeron</i> ,	<i>Dessaint</i> ,	<i>Kirkpatrick</i> ,	<i>Rinfret</i> ,
<i>Boisvert</i> ,	<i>Dickey</i> ,	<i>Labrosse</i> ,	<i>Robillard</i> ,
<i>Borden</i> ,	<i>Dickinson</i> ,	<i>Landerkin</i> ,	<i>Roome</i> ,
<i>Bourassa</i> ,	<i>Doyon</i> ,	<i>Langelier</i> ( <i>Montmorency</i> ),	<i>Ross</i> ,

<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Langelier (Quebec),</i>	<i>Rykert,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Skinner,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.)</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Leeds &amp; Gren.),</i>	<i>Lavergne,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>Lister,</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Flynn,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Freeman,</i>	<i>McDougall (C. Breton),</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McIntyre,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McKeen,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Welsh,</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Montague,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox),</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville),</i>
<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Neveux,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'd), and</i>
<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>	<i>Wright.—130.</i>
<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Joncas,</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 said Committee.

(In the Committee.)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Territorial Accounts, as follow:—Further amount required, \$10,000; To pay *J. A. Gemmill*, barrister, *Ottawa*, administrator of the estate of the late *Francis J. Dickens*, balance due on claim for compensation for losses incurred during *North-West Rebellion*, \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand five hundred and forty-seven dollars and sixteen cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay holders of Dominion Licenses the costs of prosecutions and fines incurred for violations of the Provincial Act, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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.

Thursday, 1st May, 1890.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Wood (*Brockville*), 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 in the Chambers of the Speaker of the Senate on Wednesday, 23rd April, 1890.

Present: The Speaker of the Senate (in the Chair), Honourable Messieurs Wark, Power, Almon, MacInnes (*Burlington*), Odell, Haythorne, Baillargeon, and Messieurs O'Brien, Amyot, Thérien, Colby and Scriver.

The Sub-Committee of Audit presented its Report, which was read and approved. A copy is hereto annexed.

The Sub-Committee on Library Exchanges also presented a Report, which was read and approved, and a copy of which is hereto annexed.

It was resolved that the Committee recommend to the favourable consideration of the Government the proposal contained in the Second Report of the Joint Committee on the Library, dated 16th May, 1888, for the publication of a volume of Charters, Dispatches, and other papers, illustrative of the History of *Canada*.

The Committee then adjourned.

G. W. ALLAN,  
*Chairman.*

SPEAKER'S CHAMBERS,

THE SENATE.

April 23rd, 1890. (*Appendix No. 3.*)

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 *Calgary* and *Edmonton* Railway Company.

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.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act relating to Bills of Exchange, Cheques and Promissory Notes."

On motion of Sir John Thompson, seconded by Mr. Chapleau,

*Ordered*, That the said Amendments be taken into further consideration To-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend chapter one hundred and twenty-seven of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, intituled: 'An Act 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 to amend "The Gas Inspection Act," chapter one hundred and one 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. 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.

Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and seventy-nine thousand nine hundred and two dollars and thirty-six 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 the Assistant Receiver General, *Toronto*, \$7,300; Office of the Assistant Receiver General, *Montreal*, \$5,600; Office of the Assistant Receiver General, *Halifax*, \$9,700; Office of the Assistant Receiver General, *St. John*, \$7,700; Office of the Dominion Auditor and Assistant Receiver General, *Winnipeg*, \$6,600; Office of the Dominion Auditor and Assistant Receiver General, *Victoria*, \$4,600; Office of the Dominion Auditor and Assistant Receiver General, *Charlottetown*, \$4,600; Country Savings Banks, *New Brunswick*, *Nova Scotia*, *Prince Edward Island* and *British Columbia*—Salaries, \$12,500; Contingencies, \$2,000; One-half of one per cent. commission on \$7,218,811.57, for payment of interest on Public Debt, \$36,094.05; Brokerage on purchases of Sinking Funds—Intercolonial Railway Loan, \$813.40; *Rupert's Land* Loan, \$81.11; *British Columbia* Loan, \$37.90; Brokerage and Commission on purchases of Sinking Funds, viz.:—Dominion Loans of 1874, 1875, 1876, 1878, 1879 and 1884, and *Canada* Reduced Loan, \$10,975.90; English bill stamps, postage, telegrams, &c., \$2,000; Expenses in connection with the issue and redemption of Dominion notes, \$5,000; Printing Dominion notes, \$50,000; Printing, advertising, inspection, expressage, miscellaneous charges, &c., including commutation of stamp duty, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand one 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, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-seven thousand four hundred and five dollars 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, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand two hundred and thirty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Justice, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Justice, Penitentiaries Branch, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-three thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Militia, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-five 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, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-two thousand seven 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, 1891.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-seven thousand one hundred and eighty-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of the Interior, Dominion Lands Branch, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-seven thousand three hundred and thirty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of the Interior, Geological Survey Branch, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand and forty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Office of the Comptroller of the *North-West* Mounted Police, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-six thousand eight hundred and ninety dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Indian Affairs, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-four thousand five hundred and two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Office of the Auditor General, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-two thousand eight hundred and ninety dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Finance and Treasury Board, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-seven thousand eight hundred and eighty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Inland Revenue, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-six thousand seven hundred and thirty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Customs, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and ninety-one thousand two hundred and ten dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Post Office Department, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-five thousand nine hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Agriculture, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-nine thousand four hundred and seventeen dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Marine, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixteen thousand nine hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Fisheries, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-six thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Public Works, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand nine hundred and three dollars and fifty-seven cents be granted to Her Majesty, for the Office of the High Commissioner for *Canada* in *London*, to pay salaries, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 meet amount required to provide for the contingent expenses of the High Commissioner, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, *London* Office, income tax, rent, fuel, light, stationery, &c., High Commissioner, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand six 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, 1890:—Post Office Department, \$2,490; Finance Department, \$1,110, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *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 under the Civil Service Act, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirteen thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Governor General's Secretary's Office, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eleven thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty for Contingencies, Privy Council, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) reported, from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Justice, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Justice (Penitentiaries branch), for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Militia and Defence, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of the Interior, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Indian Affairs, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Office of the Auditor General, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Finance and Treasury Board, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Customs, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Inland Revenue, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) reported, from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Secretary of State, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Printing and Stationery, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceed Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Public Works, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Post Office Department, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Agriculture, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Marine, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Fisheries, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Department of Railways and Canals, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for care and cleaning of Departmental Buildings, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Printing Bureau, cleaning, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-five thousand and ninety dollars, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the following expenses in connection with Administration of Justice:—Miscellaneous expenditure, including *North-West Territories*, \$21,500; Travelling expenses of Judges in the *North-West Territories*, \$4,000; Circuit allowances, *British Columbia*, \$9,000; Travelling allowances, Court of Queen's Bench, and County Court Judges, *Manitoba*, \$2,500; Circuit allowances to Judges *ad hoc*, \$500; To pay four Official Arbitrators, \$1,000 each, \$4,000; Travelling expenses of Official Arbitrators, \$1,500. Supreme Court of *Canada*—The Reporter, \$2,400; The Assistant Reporter, 2nd Class Clerk, \$1,300; Clerk in the office of the Registrar, 3rd Class Clerk, \$950; Second Clerk in the office of the Registrar, 3rd Class Clerk, \$400; Caretaker of Library; \$700; 3 Messengers, 2 at \$500, 1 at \$490, \$1,490; Contingencies and disbursements, Judges' travelling expenses; also, salaries of officers (Sheriff, Registrar, as Editor and Publisher of Reports, Usher, &c.) in the Supreme Court of *Canada*, and \$150 for books for Judges, \$3,500; 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. The Exchequer Court of *Canada*—Second Clerk, \$1,150; 3rd Class Clerk, *John McDonald* (notwithstanding anything in the Civil Service Act), \$800; Messenger, *James O'Regan*, \$300; Contingencies, Exchequer Court of *Canada*, Judge's and Registrar's travelling expenses, salary of Sheriffs, &c., and \$50 for Judge's books, \$3,500; 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, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty for Dominion Police, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for care of Archives, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for expenses in connection with Patent Record, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for expenses in connection with the preparation of Criminal Statistics, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

16. *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, 1891.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) 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, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Salaries (House of Commons) per Clerk's estimate, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

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., for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

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, 1891.

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 are 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, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-three thousand eight hundred and eighty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Salaries and Contingencies (House of Commons), per Sergeant-at-Arms' estimate, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-four thousand two hundred and sixty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Salaries of officers of the Library, \$16,265; 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 (re-vote), \$2,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for printing, binding and distributing the Laws, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

9. *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, 1891.

The First Resolution, being read a second time, was amended, by adding after the word "Speaker" the words "to be paid at the end of the Session."

And the said Resolution, so amended, was agreed to, as followeth :—

1. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salary of the Deputy Speaker, to be paid at the end of the Session, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

Then the subsequent Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) reported, from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for construction of *Port Arthur* Harbour, \$40,000, to complete; and *Kaministiquia* River, \$25,000, to complete dredging, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding One hundred and sixty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Kingston* Graving Dock, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Cape Tormentine* Harbour, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for improvement of Ship Channel between *Quebec* and *Montreal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Esquimalt* Graving Dock, Iron Gates, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *New Brunswick*, as follow, viz.:—*Dalhousie* Post Office, to complete, \$5,000; *St. John* Dominion Buildings, Improvements, &c., \$1,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-one thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Quebec*, viz.:—*Grosse Isle* Quarantine Station, \$3,000; *Hull* Post Office and Inland Revenue Office, to complete. \$450; *Joliette* Post Office, to complete, \$500; *Lachine* Post Office, &c., \$8,000; *Laprairie* Post Office—Site to be furnished by local authorities free of cost, \$5,000; *Montreal* Dominion Buildings—Improvements and repairs, \$1,500; *Montreal* Custom House—Renewals, &c., \$9,000; *Montreal* Post Office—Improvements, renewals, &c., \$3,000; *Montreal* Post Office—Electric lighting, extensions, alterations, &c., \$1,250; *Quebec* Custom House—Improvements, \$3,000; *Quebec* Dominion Buildings—Improvements, &c., \$1,500; *Rivière du Loup (Fraserville)* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$8,000; *St. Henri* Post Office, &c., \$8,000; *St. Hyacinthe* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$8,000; *Three Rivers* Dominion Buildings—Improvements, &c., \$600; *St. Vincent de Paul* Penitentiary, \$30,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) reported, from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

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, 1891.

2. *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, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand and thirty-eight dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay pensions, payable on account of Fenian Raid, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand three hundred and ten dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet probable amount required for Veterans of War of 1812, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, as compensation to Pensioners in lieu of land, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Pensions, payable on account of Rebellion of 1885, to

Mounted Police, *Prince Albert* Volunteers and Police Scouts, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *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, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and forty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, as extra superannuation allowance to *Robert W. Wallace*, ex-Postmaster at *Victoria, B. C.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Salaries—Militia Branch and District Staff, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Brigade Majors, Salaries, transport expenses, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, 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, 1891.

12. *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, 1891.

13. *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, 1891.

14. *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, 1891.

15. *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, 1891.

16. *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, 1891.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for improved Rifled Ordnance, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

18. *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, 1891.

19. *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, 1891.

20. *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. Johns, P. Q., Toronto, London and Winnipeg*, \$304,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) reported, from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight hundred and eighty-nine thousand four hundred and twenty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following expenses in connection with Customs, viz.:—Salaries and Contingent Expenses of the several Ports in the Province of *Nova Scotia*, \$115,160; In the Province of *New Brunswick*, \$91,135; In the Province of *Prince Edward Island*, \$19,885; In the Province of *Quebec*, \$225,795; In the Province of *Ontario*, \$285,930; In the Province of *Manitoba*, \$35,250; In the Province of the *North-West Territories*, \$5,000; In the Province of *British Columbia*, \$45,665; 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, \$21,200; 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, \$16,400; Customs Laboratory—To meet expenditure in connection with the testing of sugars, &c., including pay of officers appointed or employed for that purpose, \$6,000; Miscellaneous—Contingencies of head office, covering 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, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and two thousand eight hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings:—*Ontario*, viz.:—*Almonte* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$15,000; *Brampton* Public Building, \$6,500; *Brantford* Battalion Drill Shed, \$10,000; *Carleton Place* Post Office, &c., \$10,000; *Cobourg* Post Office, Custom House, &c., to complete, \$1,625; *Gananoque* Post Office, Custom House, &c., to complete, \$750; *Goderich* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$7,500; Government Printing Bureau, including electric light plant, \$32,000; *Guelph* Post Office—Improvements, &c., \$800; *Hamilton* Dominion Buildings—Improvements, &c., \$1,000; *Lindsay* Post Office, Custom House, &c., to complete, \$600; *London* Custom House—Improvements, \$1,800; *London* Military Buildings, \$8,800; *Orillia* Public Buildings—The Town contributing the *Wheeler* lot free of cost, \$6,000; *Pembroke* Post Office, Custom House, &c., to complete, \$10,000; *Peterborough* Custom House, &c., \$10,000; *Port Arthur* Post Office, Custom House, &c.—On proper site being given, \$7,000; Public Building, *Ottawa*—Addition to Supreme Court Building, \$5,000; *Prescott* Post Office and Custom House Buildings, to complete, \$17,000; *Strathroy* Post Office, Custom House, &c., to complete, \$12,000; *Toronto* Dominion Buildings—Improvements, &c., \$1,500; *Toronto* Drill Hall—For the construction of, on condition that the City of *Toronto* provide a plot of land as agreed upon, \$30,000; *Walkerton* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$8,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings:—*Manitoba*, viz.:—*Brandon* Post Office, &c., \$21,000; *Winnipeg* Immigrant Buildings, \$15,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and thirty-four thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings:—*North-West Territories*, as follow:—*Calgary* Court House, Jail, &c., to complete, \$11,500; Crown Lands and Timber Agents' Offices at *Regina*, *Prince Albert* and *Edmonton*, \$15,000; Public Buildings generally, \$5,000; Residence for Lieutenant-Governor, *Regina*, to complete, \$18,000; Court House, Lock-up and Police Accommodation, \$10,000; *Calgary* Post Office, Custom House and Inland Revenue, Dominion Lands and Crown Timber Offices, \$10,000; *Regina* Court House and Jail—Water supply, fittings, &c., to complete, \$8,500; *Regina* Jail—Cottages for Officers, to complete, \$6,500; *North-West* Mounted Police Buildings, \$50,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings:—*British Columbia*, as follow:—General Repairs and Improvements, Public Buildings, \$3,000; *Victoria* Military Buildings, \$15,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings generally, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Public Buildings:—*Nova Scotia*—*Annapolis* Post Office, Custom House, &c., to complete, \$12,500; *Halifax*—Dominion Buildings—Repairs, &c., \$1,500; *Sydney* (South)—Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$9,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and ninety-eight thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the following purposes, viz.:—Repairs, Furniture, Heating, &c.—Repairs, Furniture, &c., \$170,000; Grounds, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$7,000; Removal of snow, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$3,000; Heating, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$60,000; Gas and electric light, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, including roads and bridges, \$27,000; Water, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$20,000; Allowance for fuel and light, Rideau Hall, \$8,000; Telephone service, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$3,200; Major's Hill Park, *Ottawa*, \$6,000; Salaries of Engineers, Firemen, Caretakers, &c., of Dominion Public Buildings, \$62,000; Heating Dominion Public Buildings—Fuel, &c., \$60,000; Lighting Dominion Public Buildings, \$36,000; Water for Dominion Public Buildings, \$18,000; Sundry supplies for Caretakers, Engineers, Firemen, &c., Dominion Buildings, \$5,000; To meet disbursements for petty repairs, &c., in connection with Dominion Buildings, hitherto made directly by the various Departments occupying the offices, \$5,000; Dominion Immigration Buildings—Repairs, furniture, &c., \$2,000; Materials for repairs, &c., in connection with ventilation and lighting Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$6,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) reported, from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers—*Nova Scotia*—*Cow Bay*—Repairs, \$3,500; *Economy*, \$2,500; *Margaree*, extension of Breakwater, to complete, \$1,800; *Port George*, heavy repairs to Pier, to complete, \$5,000; *Port Hood*, to complete, \$6,300; *Port Maitland* or *Green Cove*, to complete, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Prince Edward Island*—*Cascumpeque*—Removal of rock, \$2,000; *China Point*, \$200; Repairs to Piers and Breakwaters, \$6,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) reported, from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *New Brunswick*:—*Campbellton*—Ballast wharf and landing, to complete, \$5,000; *Edgett's Landing*—Ballast wharf, to complete, \$2,000; *Kingston*—Wharf on *Richibucto* River, to complete, \$2,500; *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, \$1,000; *Shippegan* Breakwater, to complete, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and improvements, Harbours and Rivers—Maritime Provinces generally, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and thirty-one thousand one hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Quebec*:—*Chicoutimi*, *St. Alphonse* and *Anse St. Jean*, \$3,800; *Rivière du Lièvre*, to complete, \$40,000; *River Nicolet*, to complete, \$5,000; *River St. Francis*, \$4,000; *Anse à l'Eau* or *Tadoussac* Pier, to complete repairs, \$1,250; *New Carlisle*, to com-

plete, \$1,800; *Sorel* ice piers, \$1,500; *Three Rivers* pier, to complete, \$4,300; *Baie St. Paul* pier—Wing to pier, \$5,000; *Port Daniel*—Addition to pier, to complete, \$5,500; *St. Siméon*—Pier, \$3,400; *Rimouski* Pier—Repairs, \$10,000; *Lévis* Graving Dock, \$4,000; *St. Laurent*, Island of *Orleans*—Urgent works of renewal and repair, \$5,000; *Rivière l'Assomption*, to complete, \$900; *Rivière des Prairies*—Improvements at *Pointe à la Carrière*, *Ile Bizard* and *Ste. Geneviève*, Island of *Montreal*, \$5,000; *Grande Rivière*—Breakwater, to complete, \$9,500; *Longueuil* Pier—Approach from the shore, to complete, \$8,500; *River St. Maurice*—West channel, mouth of river, to complete, \$1,500; *Boucherville* Pier—Local authorities furnishing \$1,000, to complete, \$1,200; General repairs and improvements, Harbours and Rivers, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-five thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Ontario*:—*Cobourg* Harbour, Lake *Ontario*, \$4,000; *Kincardine*—Repairs, \$1,500; *Kingston* Harbour, Lake *Ontario*, \$6,000; *Owen Sound*, \$20,000; *Port Elgin*, \$1,000; *Port Hope*—Repairs, \$2,500; *Portsmouth*—Repairs to pier, to complete, \$2,000; *River Ottawa*—Improvement of steamboat channel through Narrows of *Petawawa*, above *Pembroke*, \$1,500; *Belleville*, to complete harbour works, the local authorities protecting the island with cribwork to the extent of \$6,000, \$4,000; *Toronto* Harbour—Works at eastern entrance, the City of *Toronto* having contributed \$100,000, \$50,000; *Little Current*, \$5,000; *Southampton*, to complete, \$8,500; *Midland* Harbour—The local authorities having provided \$10,000, to complete, \$6,000; *Meaford*—Harbour works.—The Town having contributed \$3,000, \$3,500; General repairs and improvements, Harbours and Rivers, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for general repairs and improvements, Harbours and Rivers, *Manitoba*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for general repairs and improvements, Harbours and Rivers, *North-West Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-six thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, viz.:—*British Columbia*—*Victoria* Harbour, \$6,000; *Nanaimo*—Removal of *Nicol* Rock, \$5,000; General repairs and improvements, \$3,000; *Cowichan* River, \$1,000; *Fraser* River, \$20,000; *Columbia* River—Improvements above *Golden*, \$5,000; *River Coquitlan*, \$500; *Columbia* River—Improvements between *Revelstoke* and *Arrow* Lake, \$6,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

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, 1891.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dredging, as follow:—Dredge vessels—Repairs, \$30,000; Dredging—*Nova Scotia*; dredging—*Prince Edward Island*; dredging—*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, 1891.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Slides and Booms, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand nine hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Telegraph Lines, as follow:—Land and cable telegraph lines for the sea coasts and islands of the Lower River and Gulf of *St. Lawrence* and the Maritime Provinces:—Land line on north shore of *St. Lawrence*, extension to *Pointe aux Esquimaux*, to complete, \$3,000; Cable connection between *Anticosti* Island and north shore, Gulf of *St. Lawrence*, \$15,000; Telegraph Lines, *North-West Territories*:—Additions and improvements, \$560; Telegraph Lines, *British Columbia*:—To connect *Bonilla Point* and *Cape Beale* with *Victoria*, *B. C.*—Additional amount required, to complete, \$3,400, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

12. *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; Bridge across the *Battle River* at *Battleford*, to complete, \$12,000; Bridge over the *Belly River*, at *Lethbridge, N.W.T.*, to complete, \$25,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following Miscellaneous items, viz.:—Miscellaneous works not otherwise provided for, \$10,000; Surveys and inspections, \$15,000; National Art Gallery, \$1,000; Surveys and plans of Government properties in connection with public works, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported, from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty-seven thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Intercolonial Railway:—Increased accommodation at *Halifax*, \$150,000; Stairs from *Halifax Station* to North Street, \$600; Increased accommodation at *Moncton*, \$2,000; Rolling stock, \$10,000; Extension along city front at *St. John*, subject to such terms and conditions as the Governor in Council authorizes and imposes, \$17,000; Foot bridge at *Truro Station*, \$7,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to complete road and rolling stock, *Cape Breton Railway*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to complete road and rolling stock, *Oxford and New Glasgow Railway*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for increased accommodation at *Mulgrave*, Eastern Extension Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported, from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication with the *Magdalen Islands*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *Grand Manan, N.B.*, and mainland, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for 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, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for subsidy to steamer between *Campbellton* and *Gaspé* and intermediate ports, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *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, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *Prince Edward Island* and the mainland, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *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, 1891.

8. *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, 1891.

9. *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, 1891.

10. *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, 1891.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eleven thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *St. John, Digby* and *Annapolis*, for the following service, viz.:—Five trips a week during the months of June, July, August and September, and three trips a week during the remaining eight months of the year, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for three lines of steamers running between the Ports of *Halifax* and *St. John, N.B.*, or either, and the *West Indies* and *South America*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *Halifax* and *St. John, via Yarmouth* and *Port Medway*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighteen thousand five hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for maintenance and repairs of Government Steamers, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for examination of Masters and Mates, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay rewards for saving life, and lifeboat service, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

17. *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, 1891.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty for Canadian Registration of Shipping, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Quebec River Police*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five Thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for removal of obstructions in navigable rivers, including removal of wreck of steamer "*Ottawa*" in River *St. Laurence*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for winter mail service, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salaries and allowances, &c., of lighthouse keepers, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighteen thousand three hundred and thirty-three dollars and eighty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Agencies, rents and contingencies—"Lighthouse and Coast Service," for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and seventy-five thousand five hundred 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, 1891.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the completion and construction of Lighthouses and Fog-alarms, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for "Signal Service," for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for erection of Pier and Lighthouse in the *Lower Traverse River* (on account), estimated cost \$100,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-two thousand three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz:—Scientific Institutions:—Observatory, *Toronto*, \$5,250; Observatory, *Kingston*, \$500; Observatory, *Montreal*, \$500; Grant for Meteorological service, including instruments and cost of telegraphing weather warnings, \$56,100, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

29. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz:—Marine and Immigrant Hospital, *Quebec*, \$5,000; *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, 1891.

30. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for shipwrecked and distressed seamen, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

31. *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, 1891.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) reported, from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet expenses in connection with Superintendence of Insurance, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *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, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-three thousand two hundred and thirty-five dollars and twenty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, as follow, viz:—Amount required to supplement 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*, \$24,077.50; For payment of annuities under the *Robinson Treaty*, \$16,806; To provide a salary for Chief *Angus Cook*, of the *Gibson Reserve*, and Chief *William McGregor*, of *Cape Crocker Band*, \$50 each, \$100; Removal of the residue of the Lake of *Two Mountains* Indians from *Oka* to Township of *Gibson*, \$4,912.73; To provide for the survey of Indian Reserves, \$639.02; To provide travelling allowance for *L. F. Boucher*, Indian Superintendent, for the north shore of the River *St. Laurence*, \$600; To enable the Department to relieve cases of distress among the Indians in *Ontario* who have no funds of their own, \$300, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand four hundred and ninety-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Nova Scotia*, as follow:—Salaries, \$1,175; Relief and seed grain, \$3,045; Medical attendance and medicine, \$1,200; Miscellaneous, \$75, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand eight hundred and fifty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *New Brunswick*, as follow:—Salaries, \$2,055; Relief and seed grain, \$2,700; Medical attendance and medicine, \$800; Miscellaneous, \$200; Travelling expenses, \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Prince Edward Island*, as follow:—Salaries, \$500; Relief and seed grain, \$1,125; Medical attendance and medicines, \$300; Miscellaneous, \$75, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-eight thousand two hundred and forty-seven dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *British Columbia*, viz.:—For Indians, *British Columbia* generally, \$66,910; For surveys, \$11,837; For Reserve Commission, \$9,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine hundred and ten thousand and eighty-nine dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Manitoba* and *North-West Territories*, as follow:—Annuities, \$130,000; Implements and tools, \$12,000; Seed grain, \$3,000; Cattle and pigs, \$6,266; Supplies for destitute, \$330,000; Triennial clothing, \$2,745; Day and boarding schools, \$68,905; Industrial schools, \$139,214; Surveys, \$5,000; Farm wages, \$29,430; Supplies for farmers, \$14,834; Sioux, \$3,730; Buildings, \$14,702; General expenses, \$147,163; Grist and saw mills, \$3,100, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to,

Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) reported, from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One million six hundred and forty-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Sault Ste. Marie Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Lachine Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One million dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Cornwall Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Farran's Point Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Rapide Plat Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and forty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the *Galops Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One million dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. Lawrence River and Canals, Lake St. Louis and Canals between Lakes St. Louis and St. Francis*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. Lawrence River and Canals*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Murray Canal* towards completing the present works, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty-four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—*Welland Canal*, \$80,000; Deepening to 14 feet throughout, \$92,000; Land, damages, &c., *Grand River*, \$12,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Trent River* navigation, construction of locks and the improvement of navigation between *Lakefield* and *Balsam Lake*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Grenville Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eleven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Tay Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two 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, 1891.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the following expenses, viz.:—*Lachine Canal*, construction of a bridge over the Canal, *Wellington street, Montreal*, \$45,000; For drainage of land and leakage of banks from *Lachine* to *Côte St. Paul*, \$8,400; For purchase or erection of a telephone line, \$1,600, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-seven thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the following expenses, viz.:—*Welland Canal*—Bridge over old Lock No. 2 and road, \$5,700; Overhauling the superstructure of the pier at *Port Dalhousie*; removal of shoal; also, construction of piers for bridge at *Thorold*, \$25,000; Reconstructing culvert under feeder above junction, \$3,000; Repairing piers, *Port Colborne* and *Port Maitland*, and canal bank summit level, \$10,000; To repair banks damaged by high water and storm of 9th January, 1889, \$3,600, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-three thousand two hundred and forty-six dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the following expenses, viz.:—*Chambly Canal*—Raising banks, lowering bottom of canal, rebuilding lock walls, &c., \$15,000; Dredging, building dry rubble walls, rebuilding lock walls, raising banks, &c., \$28,246, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards overhauling foundation of *St. Ours Lock*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for strengthening old pier below *St. Ann's Lock*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the following purposes in connection with *Carillon* and *Grenville Canals*:—To provide for two sets of stop-logs and supports, \$2,000; To pay land damages and services of valuers, \$1,000; Toward telephone communication on *Carillon* and *Grenville Canals*, \$1,700, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

21. *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, *Cornwall Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to build a landing pier at *Lakefield*, and repair the roads at *Buckhorn* in connection with *Trent River* navigation, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following expenses in connection with *Rideau Canal*, viz.:—For works necessary to complete the supply to the canal and the *Gananogue River*, \$11,000; Construction of a dredge, \$15,000; Construction of bridge over the canal between Concessions C and D, *Nepean Front*, \$9,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand one hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay for cleaning bottom of *Beauharnois Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Canals, viz.—Miscellaneous works not otherwise provided for, \$15,000; Arbitrations and awards, \$5,000; Surveys and inspections, \$10,000; General dredging, canals, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Railway surveys and inspections, \$20,000; Railway statistics, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three millions and eighty-three thousand one hundred and forty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Post office, as follow, viz.:—Mail Service, \$1,776,000; Salaries and allowances, \$1,110,940; Miscellaneous, \$206,200, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty-six thousand nine hundred and ten dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for expenses in connection with the Government of the *North-West Territories*, viz.:—Travelling expenses of officials, \$2,000; Probable cost of elections, \$1,000; Printing and advertising, including translation of Ordinances, \$7,000; Stationery, telegrams, postage and telephone, \$2,000; Schools, \$86,500; Roads and bridges, \$35,000; Legal expenses, including Legal Adviser's salary, \$1,500; Clerical assistance, \$9,000; Library books and subscription to newspapers, \$2,000; Caretakers and messengers for Legislative Hall and Government House, \$2,000; Maintenance of insane patients in *Manitoba* Penitentiary, \$6,000; Light and fuel for Legislative Hall and Government House, \$1,500; Cost of managing four boring machines, \$3,000; Miscellaneous Justice, including light, fuel and stationery for Sheriff's office, \$800; Rent for court rooms, Sheriff's office, \$500; Stationery for Judges of Supreme Court, \$200; Salaries for caretakers of Court Houses, *Regina*, *Prince Albert* and *Calgary*, \$2,000; Proceedings in matters of lunacy, \$300; Costs of publication of Magistrates' returns and clerk fees, under sec. 103, chap. 178, 49 *Vic.*, \$1,500; Advertising sittings of court, \$700; Reporting and printing proceedings and judgments of Supreme Court in Banc, \$500; Incidental justice, \$500; Judge *Richardson's* claim, \$500; Contingencies, \$5,750; For salaries of Inspectors, Registrar and Clerks, contingencies, &c., in the *North-West Territories*, \$15,160, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported, from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and eighty-five thousand two hundred and seventy-six dollars and twenty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, for expenses connected with Excise, viz.:—Salaries of Officers and Inspectors of Excise, \$277,881.25; To provide for the appointment of eight 3rd class Excisemen, \$4,800; To increase the salaries of Excise Officers in *Manitoba*, in lieu of board allowance, \$695; Preventive service, \$15,800; To provide for increases dependent upon the result of Excise examinations, \$2,000; To provide for extra duty, 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 *A. Fr chet te* for translation of circulars, Orders in Council, &c., \$150; To pay Collectors of Customs, allowance on duties collected by them, \$3,500; Commission to sellers of stamps for *Canada* Twist Tobacco, \$250; To increase the salary of *Patrick Cullen*, Messenger and Cartaker, *Montreal*, Inland Revenue Office, \$200; Special—To enable the Department to supply methylated spirits to manufactories, the cost of which will be recouped by the manufacturers to whom they are supplied, \$5,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-nine thousand one hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for expenses of Culling Timber, viz.:—*Montreal*—Deputy Supervisor, \$900; *Quebec*—Salaries, \$5,550; *Three Rivers*—Deputy Supervisor, \$300; Clerk, \$500; Contingencies, \$5,000; Pay of Cullers, \$8,300; Superannuated Cullers, \$8,600, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-two thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay expenses connected with Weights and Measures and Gas:—Salaries of Inspectors and Assistant Inspectors of Weights and Measures; To pay the salaries of the following Assistant Inspectors of Weights and Measures:—*Robert Magnes*, *W. J. McDonell*, Assistant Inspector at *Pictou, N.S.*; Salary of the Chief Inspector of Standards, \$52,800; Salaries of Inspectors of Gas, \$12,700; Rent, fuel, travelling expenses, postage, stationery, &c., for Weights and Measures, \$18,000; Rent, fuel, travelling expenses, postage, stationery, &c., for Gas, \$8,000; Fitting up 5 new gas offices, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *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 expenditure under the Act for the Inspection of Staples, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *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, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand one hundred and five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Minor Revenues, viz.:—Minor Revenues, \$800; Ordnance Lands, \$3,305, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and nine thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *North-West Mounted Police*:—Pay of Force, \$320,000; Subsistence, \$91,250; Forage, \$82,000; Fuel and light, \$35,000; Clothing, \$60,000; Repairs, renewals, replacement of horses, arms and ammunition, \$45,000; Medicines, medical comforts and hospital expenses, \$4,000; Books, stationery and printed forms, \$4,000; Scouts, guides, billeting charges, travelling allowances, transport of men and horses, \$60,000; Contingencies, \$8,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and thirty-six thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Salaries and Disbursements of Fishery Overseers and Wardens—*Ontario*, \$20,000; *Quebec*, \$14,000; *Nova Scotia*, \$20,000; *New Brunswick*, \$20,000; *Prince Edward Island*, \$3,500; *Manitoba*, *Kewatin* and *North-West Territories*, \$3,000; *British Columbia*, \$6,000; Maintenance and building of fish-breeding establishments, fish-ways 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 and *Ottawa Hatchery*, \$2,000; 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, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *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, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with Census and Statistics, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to aid the further extension and development of the dairying interests in *Canada*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-six thousand five hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Immigration, as follow, viz.:—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 and Interpreter, *Winnipeg*, \$800; Agent, *Brandon*, \$1,400; Agent, *Calgary*, \$1,200; Agent, *Port Arthur*, \$1,000; Agent, *Victoria, B. C.*, \$1,000; Agent, *Vancouver*, \$1,200; Salaries, Agents, *Europe*, \$5,900; Contingencies, Canadian agencies, \$16,000; Aid to Women's Protective Immigration Society, *Montreal*, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) reported, from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty-five thousand two hundred and sixty-three dollars and twenty three cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *Kingston Penitentiary*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred thousand seven hundred and forty dollars and ninety-four cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-four thousand one hundred and fifty-six dollars and thirty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *Dorchester Penitentiary*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand nine hundred and four dollars and forty-eight cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *Manitoba Penitentiary*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-four thousand four hundred and thirty-four dollars and twenty-nine cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *British Columbia Penitentiary*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards Immigration and Immigration expenses, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-seven thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the following expenses in connection with Quarantine:—Quarantine, *Grosse Isle*, \$18,000; 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.*, \$900; Quarantine, *Port Hawkesbury*, \$300; *Tracadie Lazaretto*, \$4,000; To meet expenses of precautionary measures for Public Health, \$5,000; To meet expenses for Cattle Quarantines and possible expenses for Cattle Diseases and Sheep Scab, \$18,000; For payment for Immigrant patients in *Winnipeg* and *St. Boniface Hospital*, \$8,000; Unorganized Quarantine Ports, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for "*Canada Gazette*," for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Miscellaneous Printing, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

10. *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, 1891.

11. *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, 1891.

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, 1891.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet expenditure in connection with "The *Canada Temperance Act*," for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

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 their duty, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, on account of expenditure in connection with survey of *Georgian Bay*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

16. *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, 1891.

17. *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, 1891.

18. *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, 1891.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to assist in the publication of a fourth volume of *Cartwright's* cases, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet payments to Extra Clerks for services rendered in the preparation of Returns ordered by Parliament, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Commercial Agencies, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventeen 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, 1891.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the Academy of Arts, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for collection of Orders in Council, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

25. *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, 1891.

26. *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 Géologique des Familles Canadiennes," for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and sixty-seven thousand five hundred and forty-three dollars and twenty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following expenses in connection with Dominion Lands, 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, \$15,495; Crown Timber Agents' salaries, \$4,400; Inspector of Ranches' salary, \$600; Dominion Lands Agent's salary, *New Westminster* \$1,500; Crown Timber Agent's salary, *New Westminster*, \$1,800; Salaries of Clerks in Outside Service, Forest Rangers and Land Guide Service, \$45,618.25; 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, \$47,830; To pay 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 pay salaries of Extra Clerks at Head Office, *Ottawa*; advertising, copying, &c., \$27,000; for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-five 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, 1891.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) reported, from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-six thousand one hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses in connection with the Department of Railways and Canals, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for outlay towards the establishment and maintenance of Experimental farms, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *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, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three millions two hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses Intercolonial Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses Eastern Extension Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and thirty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses *Prince Edward Island* Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses *Windsor Branch* Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses *Cape Breton* Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) reported, from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and eighty-one thousand one hundred and sixteen dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses of Canals, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-nine thousand nine hundred and eighty-six dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salaries and contingencies of Canal officers, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for collection of Slide and Boom dues, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *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, 1891.

5. *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, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty 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 "*Neufeld*" or other vessel when required for cable service, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Telegraph Lines *North-West Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *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, 1891.

9. *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, 1891.

10. *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, 1891.

11. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Regina* Jail, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

12. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Fifty-eight thousand four hundred and thirty-eight dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Salaries and contingent expenses of the Senate, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

13. *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, 1891.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) reported, from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Privy Council Office—To pay *A. Robertson* a sum to compensate him for loss of salary between 1st July, 1889, and 1st January, 1890, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Compilation and preparation of the Civil Service list for 1889-90, in English and French, Department of the Secretary of State, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Two thousand two hundred and thirteen dollars and twenty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with the Department of Queen's Printer:—To provide for payment to Mr. *J. G. Barrette*, extra Clerk, for extra hours in office work, \$92; Additional contingencies, \$2,000; Reading proofs of French and English editions of Civil Service list, 1889-90, \$121.20, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding One hundred and ninety dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the following items in connection with the Department of Inland Revenue, viz:—To pay *John Courtman* to 30th June, 1890, for loss of salary resulting from his temporary service not having been considered when he was confirmed in his position as Messenger, \$90; To pay Mr. *A. Fréchette* for translation of technical circulars, regulations, &c., \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Railways and Canals—Contingencies:—For extra special service, printing, stationery, &c., in connection with collection of Canals Revenue, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Six hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Indian Affairs:—To pay *F. K. Byshe* for services as packer during the years 1888-89 and 1889-90, at \$330 per annum, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay for care and cleaning of Departmental Buildings, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight hundred and fifty dollars and fifty-one cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Post Office Department, viz:—Amount required to complete payment for the annual balancing of depositors' accounts in the Post Office Savings Bank on the 30th June, 1888, insufficiently voted in the Estimates for 1889-90, \$176.13; Amount required to defray cost of changing the calculations of interest in the depositors' accounts in the Post Office Savings Bank on the 1st of October, 1889, caused by the adoption of the new rate (3½ per cent.), \$574.38; Amount required to pay for firing Noon Gun, for the fiscal year ending 30th June, 1890, (which may be paid to a member of the Civil Service, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Civil Service Act) \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Agriculture:—To pay *H. H. Bailey*, Patent Examiner, the difference between \$1,200 a year, from the 1st January, 1886, to 30th June, 1890, plus statutory increments, and the amounts paid him since that date, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and eight dollars and thirty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Exchequer Court, as follow, viz.:—Exchequer Court Staff—To provide for salary of *John McDonald*, 3rd Class Clerk, at \$2 per day, \$730, less salary allowed under "The Civil Service Act." \$400,—\$330; Salary of the Judge of the Vice-Admiralty Court, *Prince Edward Island*, from 13th November, 1889, to 30th June, 1890, \$378.35, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dominion Police:—To provide for the payment and clothing of additional men (4) occasioned by the Force taking over the care of the Printing Bureau and the extension of the Mail Service, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

12. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for purchasing in *England* and distributing in *Canada*, two-rowed barley for seed purposes (Arts, Agriculture and Statistics), for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for "Patent Record"—Additional amount required in consequence of greater augmentation in number of Patents than estimated, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards Immigration and Immigration expenses, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay sessional indemnity of the late *J. S. Thompson*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand four hundred and seven dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the following items, viz.:—Extra French Translators—To cover amount expended for French translation between 1st July, 1889, and 15th January, 1890, \$1,557; Stationery—Additional amount required, \$1,000; Miscellaneous—To provide for the payment of two expresses between House and Government Printing Office, \$600; Newspapers—Additional amount required, \$250, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide a gratuity to the family of the late *Dr. Wilson*, Law Clerk of the House of Commons, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Canadian Pacific Railway—Construction, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty-five thousand eight hundred and twenty-eight dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the following expenses in connection with Intercolonial Railway:—*Pictou Town Branch*—To pay *Dennis Bros.* for advertisement, \$28; *St. Charles Branch*, \$200,000; *Rivière du Loup Town Branch*, \$600; *Dartmouth Branch*, \$6,000; Increased accommodation at *Moncton*, \$20,000; Air brakes for freight cars, \$13,000; Increased accommodation at *St. John*, \$3,000; Heating cars by steam from engine, \$11,200; Construction (old), \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for construction and equipment, *Oxford and New Glasgow Railway*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for construction and equipment, *Cape Breton Railway*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Grand Narrows Bridge*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Trent River Works*—Dam and dry dock, *Bobcaygeon*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-three dollars and thirty-four cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *John Logan's* claim for services rendered in connection with *Fort Frances Canal*, as certified by *Hugh Sutherland*, the person then in charge of the work, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet the expenses incurred in connection with an investigation, authorized by Parliament last Session, of the management of the *Welland Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairing Culvert, *Rivière aux Iroquois*, dredging, &c., *Chambly Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs to Lockgates and bridges, *Williamsburgh Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Lachine Canal*:—To pay two months' gratuity to the widow of late *P. Boulay*, draughtsman in the Department of Railways and Canals, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

29. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Railway Surveys and inspections, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

30. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fourteen thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide a special car for His Excellency the Governor General, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported, from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings *Nova Scotia*—*Halifax Dominion Building*—Improvements, &c., \$300; *Halifax Examining Warehouse*, \$50; *Sydney (South)*—Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$4,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and eighty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *New Brunswick*, viz:—*Fredericton Post Office*—Repairs, \$80; *Woodstock Post Office*, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand five hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Quebec*, as follow:—*Coaticook*—Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$3,000; *Montreal* Custom House, Renewals, repairs, &c., \$2,500; *Montreal* Post Office—Granolithic pavement, &c., the city authorities contributing one-half the cost of the new pavement, \$1,000; *Quebec* Post Office—Improvements, \$300; *Montreal* Post Office—Improvements, \$300; *Three Rivers* Custom House—Repairs to retaining wall, &c., \$425; *St. Vincent de Paul* Penitentiary, \$13,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty thousand eight hundred and twenty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings *Ontario*, as follow, viz:—*Guelph* Public Building—Improvements, \$220; *Brampton*—Public Building, \$6,000; *Napanee* Post Office, Custom House, &c., to complete, \$5,500; *Strathroy*—Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$5,000; *Trenton*—Public Building, \$5,500; *Lindsay*—Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$3,400; Departmental Buildings, *Ottawa*—Increased and improved vault accommodation in Eastern Block for Finance Department, \$45,000; *London* Custom House, to complete, \$1,500; *Pembroke*—Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$4,000; *Stratford* Post Office—Improvements, &c., to complete, \$1,900; *St. Thomas* Post Office and Custom House—Improvements to heating apparatus, &c., to complete, \$1,100; Government Printing Bureau, \$1,000; Temporary observatory, Cliff Street, *Ottawa*, \$350; *Toronto* Post Office, Sanitary works, \$350, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fourteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Manitoba*, viz.:—*Brandon*—Post Office, \$10,000; *Manitoba* Penitentiary, \$4,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *North-West Territories*, viz:—*Calgary*—Court House, Jail, &c., \$10,000; *Regina*—Residence for Lieutenant Governor, \$12,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs, furniture, heating, &c.—*Halifax* Post Office—New safe, &c., \$900; Public Buildings, *Ottawa*—Improvements in Western Departmental Block, \$1,800; Lieutenant Governor's Residence, *Regina*—Well, pump, &c., \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Barrington* Passage Pier (Harbours and Rivers), for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs to breakwater, *Quaco, N. B.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for general Repairs and Improvements, Harbours and Rivers, Maritime Provinces generally, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-one thousand nine hundred and fourteen dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Quebec*, viz.:—*Rivière du Lièvre*, \$20,000; *Rivière Nicolet*, \$1,500; *Trois Pistoles* Pier, \$140; *St. Adelaïde de Pabos (Little Pabos)* \$4,850; *Percé* Pier, \$4,000; *Murray Bay, Ile aux Coudres, Les Eboulements*—Repairs to piers, &c., \$880; *New Carlisle*, \$5,244; *St. Timothée*—Piers, \$1,300; *Grand Pabos*, to complete pierwork, &c., \$1,000; General repairs and improvements, Harbours and Rivers, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand four hundred and sixty-nine dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Ontario*, viz.:—*McGregor's Creek*, to complete, \$300; *Portsmouth*—Repairs to pier, \$1,054; River *Ottawa*—Improvement of steamboat channel through Narrows of *Petawawa*, above *Pembroke*, \$820; *Rideau* River—Dredging branch, \$95; River *Thames* entrance channel, \$4,200, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for general repairs and improvements, Harbours and Rivers, *Manitoba*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for removal of *Nicol Rock*, *Nanaimo*, *British Columbia*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required for Harbours and Rivers generally, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Telegraph Lines—*Ontario*, as follows:—Telegraphic communication between *Pointe Pelée Island*, *Lake Erie*, and the mainland—to connect Government telephone office with storm signal station at lighthouse—Revote of lapsed amount, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Telegraph Lines, *British Columbia*:—To connect *Bonilla Point* and *Cape Beale* with *Victoria*—Revote of lapsed amount, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the Dominion Telegraph Company for the additional length of line from *Canso* to *Dartmouth*, built in 1879–80, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for new Dredging Plant, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Miscellaneous Surveys and Inspections, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand nine hundred and forty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fisheries, as follow, viz.:—To pay for services performed by *D. A. McLennan*, in connection with the Fisheries Intelligence Bureau, \$125; To cover cost of herring delegation, \$1,800; To pay reward to *Charles Adams* for procuring, in *Lake Huron*, a true specimen of the *Salmo Salar*, \$20, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for "Lighthouse and Coast Service," as follow:—To compensate *Mr. George Georgeson* for his services in saving the lighthouse and buildings at *East Point*, *Saturna Island*, *B. C.*, from being burned on 14th June, 1889, \$30; To pay gratuity to *F. H. Ford*, authorized by Order in Council, whose office as keeper at *South Rustico Light* has been abolished, \$50, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fourteen thousand seven hundred and twenty-one dollars and fifty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Ocean and River Service, as follow:—To pay a gratuity to the members of the *Montreal Water Police Force*, according to their length of service, consequent upon the abolition of that force; allowing one year's salary for those with twenty years' service and over, and six months' salary for those of ten year's service and under twenty, \$2,793.90; To provide for Tidal Observations, \$2,000; To provide for the claim of *Jotham O'Brien* for extras in connection with the building of the steamers "*Princess Louise*" in 1883, and "*Lansdowne*" in 1884, as per Order in Council, 9th December, 1889, \$8,844.32; To meet expenses in connection with survey of ship channel between *Garry Bush* and *New Westminster*, on the *Fraser River*, *B. C.*, \$500; To pay a gratuity of seven months' salary to *John Giblin*, consequent upon the abolition of his office as Deputy Shipping Master of *Quebec*, on the 30th June, 1889, \$583.33, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand eight hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Quarantine, *Grosse Isle*, \$5,000; Quarantine, *Chatham*, *N. B.*, \$475; *Tracadie*

Lazaretto, \$400; Public health, \$2,000; Cattle quarantine, Province of Quebec, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand and sixteen dollars and sixty-six cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Marine Hospitals, as follow, viz:—To pay gratuity to *Thomas Wood*, keeper of Marine Hospital at *Victoria, B.C.*, on retirement after sixteen years as keeper of above hospital, \$250; To pay a gratuity to *Mrs. A. Rowand*, widow of the late *Dr. A. Rowand*, *Quebec Marine Hospital*, 2 months, \$66.66; To pay one year's salary as a gratuity to *Mrs. Mossman*, matron of *Quebec Marine Hospital*, on abolition of office, \$300; To provide for one year's salary as gratuity to *Dr. C. Robitaille*, chairman of Commissioners, \$200; *Dr. C. A. Parke*, Commissioner, \$200; *Dr. C. E. Lemieux*, visiting physician, \$400, and *Dr. N. E. Dionne*, visiting physician, \$400; consequent on the abolition of their offices at the *Quebec Marine Hospital*, from 1st August, 1889, as per Order in Council, 28th June, 1889, \$1,200; To pay gratuity of two years' salary to *Dr. P. A. Wells*, his services as secretary of *Quebec Marine Hospital* being dispensed with, from 1st January, 1890, owing to abolition of office as per Order in Council, 17th December, 1889, \$1,200, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nineteen thousand three hundred and eighty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *British Columbia*, as follow:—To assist in the erection of the buildings in connection with the school for Indian girls to be conducted under the auspices of the Church of *England* at *Yale, British Columbia*, \$1,500; and for the purchase of land as a site for that school, \$500; For clearing land and fencing school farm at *Metlakahtla*, \$600; For outfit of steam launch belonging to the Department:—Sails and masts, \$200, wages of crew, October, 1889, to June, 1890, \$1,080, furniture, bedding, cooking utensils, &c., \$600—\$1,880; For repairs of Indian Office, *Kamloops*, \$400; To complete *Kuper Island* and *Kamloops Industrial Schools*:—Cost of building, \$17,277; Transferred by Indian Department to Department of Public Works for purposes of construction, \$8,122; required say, \$9,200; Further grant to complete buildings, *Kootenay Industrial School*, \$4,500; *Kamloops Industrial School*, \$800, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-nine thousand five hundred and thirty-eight dollars and eighty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Manitoba* and the *North-West Territories*, as follow:—To pay *P. Aylin, M. D.*, for vaccinating 83 Indians on *Red Pheasant's Reserve* in March, 1889, at 25 cents each, \$20.75; 72 Indians on *Little Pine's Reserve*, \$18; 107 Indians on *Sweet Grass' Reserve*, \$26.75; 127 Indians on *Stony Reserve*, \$31.75; 100 Indians on *Thunderchild's Reserve*, \$25; 64 Indians on *Moosomin's Reserve*, \$16; 75 Indians on *Poundmaker's Reserve*, \$18.75—\$157; To pay the wages of Interpreter, acting also as teamster for the *Fort Pelly* agency, \$480; For maintenance of 20 pupils at \$100 each per annum at the *Elkhorn Industrial School*, \$2,000; and for the maintenance of 25 pupils at the *St. Paul's Industrial School* at \$100 each per annum, \$2,500—\$4,500; For equipment of *St. Paul's*, \$4,000; To improve road from *Prince Albert* to *Montreal Lake* by opening 15 miles not constructed, \$200; For purchase of 4 work oxen for the *Sarcee Reserve*, \$300; To purchase 30 tons of hay for the cattle at *Qu'Appelle Industrial School*, the hay crop having failed owing to drought in summer of 1889, \$240; To aid in re-building schoolhouse on *Enoch La Potac's Reserve*, destroyed by prairie fire in spring of 1889, \$100; To purchase three additional acres of land for *St. Paul's Industrial School*, being part of lot 18, D.L. Survey, *St. Paul's Parish*, to facilitate drainage of school premises, \$300; To complete the construction of the *St. Paul's Industrial School*, \$2,600; To complete the *Regina Industrial School*, \$3,500; Industrial schools generally, \$534.75; To pay *John Russell* for services in guarding wood seized for having been cut in trespass on *St. Peter's Reserve*, \$442.10; Estimated cost of cess-pool and water closet and connections, 12 x 12 x 14, at *Qu'Appelle Industrial School*, \$500; To provide seed grain for Indians in the *North-West Territories*, rendered necessary by the almost total failure of the crops in 1889, owing to drought,

\$11,285; Provision for a second school (Roman Catholic) on the *Ebb and Flow Lake Reserve* (teacher's salary, \$300; in aid of building, \$100), \$400, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand seven hundred dollars and one cent be granted to Her Majesty, to supplement the Indian Fund, "*Ontario and Quebec*," as follow:—Estimated cost of material and workmanship necessary to repair the Girl's School at *Pic River, Lake Superior, Ontario*, \$144.25; To enable the Department to pay the salary of a teacher for the Indian School at *Stony Point*, under the control of the Department, \$200; A grant in aid of the *Muncey Agricultural Society*, \$60; To aid the *White Fish River Indians* (North Shore *Lake Huron*) to build a combined Church and Schoolhouse, they having no funds for the purpose, \$300; Amount necessary to complete an Indian School at *Bécancour*, \$75; To pay salary to a teacher of a School which may be established at *White Fish Bay*, near *White Fish Lake Reserve*, \$200; To enable the Department to buy a small piece of land at *Cacouna* as a Reserve for the Indians of *Cacouna*, \$100; To pay the over-expenditure in passing *Robinson Treaty* annuities during five years, from 1884 to 1889, \$2,620.76, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

29. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to supplement the Indian Fund, *Nova Scotia*, as follow:—To increase the annual salary of Reverend *D. McIsaac* from \$50 to \$100 per annum, \$50; To enable the Department to pay certain accounts for medical services which the appropriation for 1889-90 was insufficient to cover, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

30. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to supplement the Indian Fund, *New Brunswick*, viz.:—To enable the Department to pay certain accounts for medical services which the appropriation for 1889-90 was not sufficient to cover, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

31. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Geological Survey—Towards cost of artesian well at *Deloraine*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

32. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand six hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *North-West Mounted Police*, viz.:—To compensate *R. Belcher* for loss of a building by fire at *Fort Saskatchewan*, whilst occupied by the *North-West Mounted Police*, \$650; Further amount required to meet expenditure of the year, \$30,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

33. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand four hundred and forty-one dollars and eight cents be granted to Her Majesty, to cover expenditure in connection with the *Skeena Expedition*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

34. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Amount required to pay the cost of the suits of the *St. Catharines Milling and Lumbering Company vs. The Queen*, \$1,500; and *The Queen vs. the St. Catharines Milling and Lumbering Company*, balance of costs, \$300, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

35. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required to pay expenses in connection with the collection of seed grain advances in the *North-West Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

36. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for expenses of Government in the *North-West Territories*:—To pay for the construction of a bridge across *Sturgeon River, Edmonton—North-West Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

37. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet further amount required 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.

38. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for relief of distress among Half-breeds in the *North-West Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

39. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay for 25 copies *Taschereau's* work on "Criminal Laws," for library exchanges, at \$10, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

40. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay for 25 copies of "The Water Lily," for library exchanges, at \$1, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

41. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay for 25 copies l'Abbé *Dugas'* "Mgr. *Provencher* et les missions "de la *Rivière Rouge*," at 50 cents, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

42. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *J. A. Jodoin*, for 25 copies "Histoire de la famille de *Longueuil*," at \$1, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

43. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *P. B. Mignault* for 25 copies "Manuel Parlementaire," at \$1, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported, from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred and forty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *Alphonse Desjardins* for 40 copies "Débats Parlementaires de *Québec*, for 1888 and 1889," at \$8, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards aiding in publication of seventh volume of "Le Dictionnaire Généalogique des familles Canadiennes," for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay additional amount required for plant for Government Printing Bureau, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for classification of old Records, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the payment, as a gratuity, to the widow of the late Judge *Jellet*, County of *Prince Edward, Ontario*, an equivalent to two months of his salary, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay costs of appeal to Privy Council in case of Attorney General of *British Columbia vs. Attorney General of Canada*, in the matter of the title to precious metals in the Railway Belt, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand three hundred and eighty-one dollars and forty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Customs, viz.:—Customs Miscellaneous—Amount required to pay Customs share (one-half) of cost of repairs and maintenance of Government steam yacht "Cruiser," during the season of 1889, \$2,631.45; To pay *John Dyke*, Government Agent, at *Liverpool, England*, for services rendered and expenses in procuring information for use of the Customs Department, \$500; To pay Mr. *William Doyle*, late Preventive Officer in Her Majesty's service, at *Dalhousie, New Brunswick*, a gratuity on his retirement from the service, as per Order in Council of 9th September, 1889, \$100; To pay Mr. *R. Robichau*, Sub-Collector in Her Majesty's Customs, at *Meteghan, Nova Scotia*, a gratuity equal to 18 months' salary on his retirement from the service, \$150, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Excise, viz.:—To pay *Archie Gillis*, Constable, *Port Hood, Nova Scotia*, as compensation for loss of time, &c., resulting from a gun shot wound received while performing constabulary

duties for the Inland Revenue Department, \$100; To bring the salary of *T.B. Blair*, to \$1,400, from 1st January, 1889, the date of his removal from *Hamilton* to *Toronto*. The estimates only provided for \$1,400, from 1st July, 1889; \$100; To *Patrick Cullen*, Messenger and Caretaker, *Montreal* Inland Revenue office, an additional sum of \$200, for services during current year, \$200, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eleven thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for culling timber, as follow, viz.:—Further amount required, \$11,000; To pay the widow of the late *J. Gilchrist* a gratuity, \$200, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand two hundred and ninety-seven dollars and forty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required to pay law costs, commission and sale of Ordnance Lands, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

11. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding One hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *A. Code*, Inspector of Weights and Measures, *Ottawa*, for performing the duties of the late *H. J. Hubertus*. Gas Inspector, *Ottawa*, from the 3rd March, 1889, the date of his death, to 1st July, 1889, when a successor was appointed, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet further amount required for *Prince Edward Island* Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirteen thousand three hundred and fifty-six dollars and eighty-eight cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Railways and Canals, viz.:—*Lachine*—To pay Miss *Elizabeth O'Neil* a gratuity of two months' pay of her late father, *Wm. O'Neil*, \$76.25; *Beauharnois*—To pay Lockmaster *Louis Bertrand*, salary from 14th February to 28th June, 1887, \$150; *Chambly*—Rebuilding blacksmith's shop destroyed by fire, \$1,000; *Williamsburgh*—To pay *John Reid*, Collector of Canal Tolls at *Cardinal*, as Acting Superintendent, after decease of Superintendent *McDonell*, \$880.63; To pay widow of late *W. B. Forbes*, Superintendent, arrears of travelling expenses, from 1st July, 1873, to 1st October, 1879, \$1,250; To additional pay to persons permanently employed in the public service, and remuneration to any other persons for services rendered for, or in connection with, passing vessels through the canals between *Lake Erie* and *Montreal*, from midnight on Saturdays to 6 a.m. Sundays, and from 9 p.m. Sundays to midnight, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-four thousand four hundred and sixty-one dollars and twenty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Post Office Department, as follow:—To add to the sum provided for a clerkship at \$400 in the Post Office Inspector's Office, *Halifax*, to enable the Postmaster General to increase Mr. *Sydenham Howe's* salary to \$600 a year, \$200; Amount required to pay Canadian Pacific Railway Company for mail service between *Vancouver* and *Victoria* (Re-vote), \$4,000; Amount required to pay Canadian Pacific Railway Company for mail service on Main Line (Re-vote), \$20,261.20, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet further amount required for surveys, examination of survey returns, printing of plans, &c. (Dominion Lands), for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and fifty-five thousand six hundred and nine dollars and eighty-six cents be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required to cover unprovided items for 1888-89, as per Auditor General's Report, page 64—*B*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and twenty-four dollars and forty-six cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Penitentiaries, as follow:—*St. Vincent de Paul*—To pay *Edward Kenny* short allowance in commutation of perquisites, \$100; To pay increase of salary to *D. J. McLellan* and *R. Roger*, \$30 each, from 1st July, 1889, \$60; *Manitoba* Penitentiary—To pay expenses of transfer of convict *Morris Blake* to *England*, \$284.46; *British Columbia* Penitentiary—To pay *J.*

*Fitzgerald*, promoted from Guard to Keeper in 1886, \$100; *Dorchester Penitentiary*—To pay Trade Instructors *W. Hogan* and *H. Godsoe* \$30 each, for 1887-88, 1888-89 and 1889-90, \$180, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand two hundred and fifty-three dollars and thirty-seven cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the depositors in the Savings Bank the amount appropriated by the Assistant Postmaster at *Kings-ton*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and forty dollars and sixty-three cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay gratuity to *Martin Kennedy* for services as Guard in *Halifax Penitentiary*, to 1st July, 1880, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty-four dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Honourable Senator *Montgomery* amount deducted from his sessional allowance for 1889, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand five hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salary (unprovided for) of Dairy Commissioner and Assistant Dairy Commissioner, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Public Buildings, *Quebec*, viz.:—*Joliette* Post Office, balance due on contract works, &c., \$1,060; *St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary*, \$8,000; *Quebec Citadel Buildings*—Renewals and repairs, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to make good expenditure in connection with redistribution of offices in the Eastern, Western and Wellington street Departmental Blocks, among the various Departments of the Public Service—Cleaning, repairs, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for general repairs and improvements, Harbours and Rivers, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dredging—*Nova Scotia*, *Prince Edward Island* and *New Brunswick*, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Bridges—*Ottawa City*:—Over *River Ottawa*, the Slides, *Rideau Canal* and approaches thereto, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Surveys and inspections, \$2,000; Compensation to *M. M. Peloquin* and *Phaneuf* for the loss of their barge "*Germany*" at *Nicolet*, on *Lake St. Peter*, by striking against submerged pilework, the position of which was insufficiently indicated, \$400, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay a gratuity of \$2,000 to *Dr. L. Catellier*, the resident physician and surgeon of the *Quebec Marine Hospital*, whose services are no longer required, the Hospital being now closed, and who has been performing the duties of that office since 1st May, 1865, but does not come within the provisions of the Superannuation Act, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

29. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fourteen thousand six hundred and forty-three dollars and forty-seven cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay expenses incurred between the 1st April, 1888, and 2nd May, 1889, in the re-survey of the *River St. Lawrence*, being one-half of the amount expended by Imperial Government on same, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

30. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required to supplement 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-West* tribes of the Dominion of *Canada*, and especially the tribes and bands of *British Columbia*. for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

31. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-one thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to purchase and supply seed grain to settlers in the *North-West Territories* (this expenditure to be kept in an open account, and refunds to be credited as received). for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Wood* (*Brockville*) reported, from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Territorial Accounts, as follow:—Further amount required \$10,000: To pay *J. A. Gemmill*, barrister, *Ottawa*, administrator of the estate of the late *Francis J. Dickens*, balance due on claim for compensation for losses incurred during *North-West* Rebellion, \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand five hundred and forty-seven dollars and sixteen cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay holders of Dominion Licenses the costs of prosecutions and fines incurred for violations of the Provincial Act, 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, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 24th January, 1890, for a Return of all papers and correspondence between the *Ontario* Manufacturers' Association and the Dominion Government, during the years 1883, 1884 and 1885, on the subject of proposed legislation relating to factories. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 86.)

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 "*H. H. Vivian* and Company (Limited)."

Bill intituled: "An Act further to amend the Act respecting the Inland Revenue, "chapter thirty-four of the Revised Statutes."

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Interpretation Act.'"

Also, the Senate have agreed to the Amendments made by this House to the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the Department of 'The Geological Survey,'" without any amendment.

Mr. *Dewdney*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Correspondence in relation to certain assistance afforded to the Half-breeds at *Fort la Corne* and other places. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 33h.)

Also, statement respecting the purchase of seed-grain (including a schedule of the prices paid for wheat and oats). (*Sessional Papers*, No. 33i.)

Also, statement respecting distribution of seed-grain and instructions as to the distribution thereof. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 33j.)

Also, correspondence, &c., respecting the *St. Albert* Bridge. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 33m.)

Also, a statement regarding the claim of the *Eau Clair* and *Bow* River Lumber Company against the Government for lumber alleged to have been taken off their limits. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 33l.)

And also, a memorandum with reference to the Appropriation Accounts of 1889 for certain of the Provinces and the *North-West Territories*. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 33k.)

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting Banks and Banking;

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

*Friday, 2nd May, 1890.*

After some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

And then The House, having continued to sit till a quarter of an hour after One of the Clock on Friday morning, adjourned till this day.

Friday, 2nd May, 1890.

PRAYERS.

Sir *John A. Macdonald*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 30th January, 1890, for copy of report made and evidence taken by the Court of Enquiry ordered by the Department of Marine to investigate the loss of the steamer "*Quinté*," which was burned on Bay of *Quinté*, in the autumn of 1889. (*Sessional Papers, No. 87.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 21st April, 1890, for a statement of the amount of subsidies voted to the *Canada Atlantic Railway Company* for the construction of their bridge over the *St. Lawrence River*, between *Coteau* and *Valleyfield*, the amount paid by the Government up to date, and the amount unearned or still to be paid. (*Sessional Papers, No. 42b.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 14th April, 1890, for copies of all agreements made between the Government, or the Minister of Railways, and the *Western Union Telegraph Company*, respecting the construction and operation of a telegraph line along the *Cape Breton Railway*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 88.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 21st April, 1890, for a statement of the amount of subsidies voted by Parliament to the *Beauharnois Junction Railway Company*, the amount paid by the Government up to date, and the amount still due or unearned. (*Sessional Papers, No. 42c.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 14th April, 1890, for copies of the petitions, letters, and the plans and Engineers' reports respecting the projected dam at "*Hungry Bay*," in the County of *Beauharnois*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 89.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 21st April, 1890, for copies of all petitions and other documents relating to the building of the proposed branch railway to *Matane*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 90.*)

And also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 5th March, 1890, for a Return of all claims made by the Government since Confederation against individuals, companies or corporations for damages done to Government property by steamers, vessels or other craft; giving the names of vessels, &c., their owners, dates and items of each claim, distinguishing those paid and unpaid. (*Sessional Papers, No. 87a.*)

The Order of the Day being read, for the House in Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting a Bounty on Pig Iron;

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;

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 Amendment made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to confer on the Commissioner of Patents certain powers for the relief of *George T. Smith*," 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 then resumed the Debate on the Question, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (for the House in Committee on proposed Resolution respecting a Bounty on Pig Iron).

And the Question being put;

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Resolved, That it is expedient to provide by law that a Bounty of Two dollars per ton be paid on all Pig Iron manufactured in *Canada* from Canadian Ore between the first day of July, 1892, and the thirtieth day of June, 1897, inclusive.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received on Monday next.

*John Charles Rykert*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of *Lincoln* and the Town of *Niagara*, rose in his place and stated, that he resigned his seat in the House of Commons as Member for the said Electoral District; and then he withdrew.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend "The Seamen's Act," chapter seventy-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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was, on Thursday, 10th April last, proposed, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Steamboat Inspection Act,' chapter "seventy-eight of the Revised Statutes," be now read a second time;

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And the Question being again proposed:—The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

Mr. *Colby* moved, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*, 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 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. *Wood* (*Brockville*) reported, That the Committee had made some progress, and directed him to move for leave sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, 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 to amend the Acts respecting the *North-West Territories*,” to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

On motion of Mr. *Deudney*, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: “An Act to amend the “Acts respecting the *North-West Territories*,” 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.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting Banks and Banking.

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

*Saturday, 3rd May, 1890.*

After some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood* (*Brockville*) 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.

And then The House, having continued to sit till ten minutes after Twelve of the Clock on Saturday morning, adjourned till Monday next.

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Monday, 5th May, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Daly*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of *Deloraine*; the Petition of the Municipal Council of *Glenwood*, County of *Brandon*; and the Petition of the Municipal Council of *Louise*, County of *Rock Lake*, all of *Manitoba*.

By Mr. *Curran*,—The Petition of the Society for the Protection of Women and Children, *Montreal*.

Mr. Speaker informed the House, That *John Charles Rykert*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of *Lincoln* and *Niagara*, having, in his place in the House, resigned his seat, 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. *Davin*, 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:—

Your Committee would respectfully beg leave to report the following Resolution as a recommendation,—Resolved, That in the opinion of this Committee the Amanuenses to the Official Reporters are insufficiently paid when considering the nature as well as the arduous character of the work they are called upon to perform, and that they should, as regards salary, be placed on the same footing as the extra Sessional Clerks. Should the foregoing suggestion be adopted by the House the additional payment should be made from the commencement of the present Session.

Your Committee would further recommend that, commencing with next Session, the employment as Amanuenses of members of the Civil Service be discontinued.

Mr. *Girouard*, from the Select Standing Committee on Privileges and Elections, presented to the House the First Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

The Select Standing Committee to whom was referred all the questions involved in certain documents, letters and statements, published during the present Session in the Votes and Proceedings of this House, under the dates of the 14th February, 18th February and the 10th March, relating to the connection of *John Charles Rykert*, Esquire, Member for the County of *Lincoln* and *Niagara*, with a grant of certain Timber Limits in the *North-West Territories*, with instructions to enquire into all the facts and merits of the case, and into the conduct of the said *John Charles Rykert* in relation thereto, beg leave to present as their Report, the Report of their Sub-Committee, to which they have unanimously agreed.

Your Committee also beg to submit herewith the Minutes of their Proceedings, together with all evidence adduced before, and Exhibits filed with the Committee. (*Appendix No. 4.*)

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

*Ordered*, That all Rules and Orders of this House be suspended, as regards a Bill respecting the *Hereford* Railway Company and the *Maine* Central Railway Company.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Ives* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Hereford* Railway Company and the *Maine* Central Railway 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 referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Chapleau* have leave to bring in a Bill to provide for the collection and publishing of Labour Statistics.

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. *Costigan*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Liquor License Act, 1883, memorandum of claims for fines, cost, &c., imposed on holders of Dominion Licenses for violations of the Provincial License Act. (*Sessional Papers, No. 91.*)

The Order of the Day being read, for the third reading of the Bill to amend—"The Seamen's Act," chapter seventy-four of the Revised Statutes;

Mr. *Colby* moved, seconded by Mr. *Dewdney*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Mr. *Wilson (Elgin)* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Bain (Wentworth)*, 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, for the purpose of amending" the same by providing that the right of appeal granted by the general law against "summary convictions shall also apply to summary convictions pronounced under "the said Seamen's Act," 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.

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. *Wood (Brockville)* reported, from the Committee of the Whole House to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting a Bounty on Pig Iron, a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:—

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to provide by law that a Bounty of Two dollars per ton be paid on all Pig Iron manufactured in *Canada* from Canadian Ore between the first day of July, 1892, and the thirtieth day of June, 1897, inclusive;

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*, and the Question being put, That the said Resolution be now read a second time; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

YEAS :

Messieurs

<i>Amyot,</i>	<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.)</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria)</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>

<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Montague,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville),</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>	<i>Wood (West'm'land), and</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wright.—69.</i>
<i>Curran,</i>			

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## Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Neveux,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>De St. Georges,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>
<i>Bécharé,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Blake,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Scriven,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Welsh, and</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin).—45.</i>
<i>Couture,</i>			

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The said Resolution was accordingly read a second time and agreed to.

*Ordered,* That Mr. *Foster* have leave to bring in a Bill to provide for the payment of a Bounty on Pig Iron made from Canadian Ore.

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

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

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take again into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act relating to Bills of Exchange, Cheques and Promissory Notes," and the same were read, as follow:—

1. Page 1, line 27.—After "consideration" insert "(k) The expression 'defence' includes counter-claim."
2. Page 4, line 20.—After "Sunday" insert "(or other non-judicial day)."
3. Page 6, line 24.—After "stated" insert "but an acceptance to pay at a particular specified place is not conditional or qualified."
4. Page 6, line 26.—Leave out from "drawn" to "(d)" in line 31.
5. Page 8, line 8.—After "forgery" insert "And provided also, that if a cheque, payable to order, is paid by the drawee upon a forged endorsement out of the funds of the drawer, or is so paid and charged to his account, the drawer shall have no right of action against the drawee for the recovery back of the amount so paid, or no defence to any claim by the drawee for the amount so paid, as the case may be, unless he gives notice in writing of such forgery to the drawee within one year from the date at which he has received notice of such payment, by the delivery to him of such cheque, of any book or statement containing an entry of such payment, or otherwise; and in case of failure by the drawer to give such notice within the said period, such cheque shall be held to have been paid in due course, as respects every other party thereto or named therein, who has not previously instituted proceedings for the protection of his rights."

6. Page 9, line 24.—Leave out “but” and insert “and.”
7. Page 9, line 25.—Leave out “and” and insert “but.”
8. Page 9, line 38.—After “bill” insert “or note.”
9. Page 9, line 43.—After “right” insert “and without such words thereon, “such instrument and any renewal thereof, shall be void, except in the hands of a “holder, in due course without notice of such consideration.”
10. Page 10, line 41.—Leave out from “adding” to “his.”
11. Page 13, line 25.—Leave out from “or” to “the” in line 26, and insert “within two days thereafter.”
12. Page 15, line 5.—After “bill” insert “or acceptance.”
13. Page 15, line 38.—After “drawer” insert “acceptor.”
14. Page 17, line 17.—After “office” insert “with the postage paid thereon.”
15. Page 17, line 23.—After “posted” insert “as above provided.”
16. Page 18, line 3.—After “but” insert “subject to the provisions of this Act “with respect to notice of dishonour.”
17. Page 18, line 8.—After “for” insert “non-acceptance or;” after “non-pay-ent,” insert “as the case may be.”
18. Page 18, line 38.—After “returned” insert “not later than on the day of its “return or the next juridical day.”
19. Page 18, line 41.—Leave out “sub-section (b).”
20. Page 19, line 19.—After “diligence” insert “(10) No clerk, teller or agent “of any bank shall act as a notary in the protesting of any bill or note payable at the “bank, or at any of the branches of the bank, in which he is employed.”
21. Page 19, line 20.—Leave out from “when” to “presentment” and insert “no place of payment is specified in the bill or acceptance.”
22. Page 19, line 23.—Leave out from “when” to “acceptance” and insert “a “place of payment is specified in the bill or.” Leave out from “acceptance” to the “first “the” in line 24.
23. Page 19, line 27.—After “matures” insert “but if any suit or action be in-stituted thereon before presentation, the cost thereof shall be in the discretion of the “court.”
24. Page 20, line 27.—After “course” insert “and is subject to all the provisions “of this Act respecting endorsers.”
25. Page 25, line 26.—After “payable” insert “(b) If a bill or note, presented “for acceptance, or payable out of *Canada*, is protested for non-acceptance or non-pay-ment, a notarial copy of the protest and of the notice of dishonour, and a notarial “certificate of the service of such notice, shall be received in all courts as *primâ facie* “evidence of such protest, notice and service.”
26. Page 28, line 29.—Leave out from “place” to “presentment,” in line 30, and insert “But the maker is not discharged by the omission to present the note for “payment on the day that it matures. But if any suit or action is instituted thereon “against him before presentation, the costs thereof shall be in the discretion of the “court, if no place of payment is specified in the body of the note.”
27. Page 29, line 13.—Leave out from “thereof” to “Part V,” and insert “is “unnecessary, except for the preservation of the liability of endorsers.”
28. Page 29, line 25.—After “is” insert “duly.”
29. Page 30, line 1.—Leave out “having” and insert “and shall have.”
30. Page 30, line 42.—Leave out from “therein” to “97,” in line 47.
31. In the first Schedule, page 35, in “Form J.”—Leave out the words “a house-“holder in the said district.”

The first Four Amendments being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Fifth Amendment being read a second time, was amended by leaving out the words “of any book or statement containing an entry of such payment or other-“wise;”

Mr. Blake moved, seconded by Mr. Mackenzie, That the said Amendment be further amended by leaving out the words “year from the date at which he has

“received notice of such payment by the delivery to him of such cheque,” and inserting instead thereof, the words “month after he has acquired notice of such forgery”;

And the Question being put on the Amendment, as amended, viz:—

5. Page 8, line 8.—After “forgery” insert “And provided also, that if a cheque, payable to order, is paid by the drawee upon a forged endorsement out of the funds of the drawer, or is so paid and charged to his account, the drawer shall have no right of action against the drawee for the recovery back of the amount so paid, or no defence to any claim by the drawee for the amount so paid, as the case may be, unless he gives notice in writing of such forgery to the drawee within one month after he has acquired notice of such forgery; and, in case of failure by the drawer to give such notice within the said period, such cheque shall be held to have been paid in due course, as respects every other party thereto or named therein, who has not previously instituted proceedings for the protection of his rights;” the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS :

## Messieurs

<i>Armstrong,</i>	<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Neveux,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>
<i>Blake,</i>	<i>Davies,</i>	<i>Kirk,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Riopel,</i>
<i>Borden,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Edgar,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John)</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Cameron,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John)</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt, and</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John)—58.</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>		

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Amyot,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>McDonald (Victoria),</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Bain (Wentworth),</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>Montague,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>Mulock,</i>	<i>White (Renfrew),</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin),</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Purcell,</i>	<i>Wood (Brookville), and</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Kirkpatrick,</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'd).—43.</i>
<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.)</i>	<i>Semple,</i>	

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The subsequent Amendments being read a second time, were 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, with an Amendment, 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 chapter one hundred and twenty seven of the Revised Statutes of Canada, intituled: ‘An Act respecting Interest,’”

and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 further to amend the "Criminal Law," with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting Banks and Banking, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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, resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting the *Calgary* and *Edmonton* Railway Company.

(*In the Committee.*)

*Resolved*, That it is expedient, in order to enable the *Calgary* and *Edmonton* Railway Company to construct a railway from the Town of *Calgary* to some point on the North *Saskatchewan* River, at or near *Edmonton*, 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, such payment to be computed from the date of the completion of the said railway.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported the Resolution accordingly, and the same was read, as followeth:—

*Resolved*, That it is expedient, in order to enable the *Calgary* and *Edmonton* Railway Company to construct a railway from the Town of *Calgary* to some point on the North *Saskatchewan* River, at or near *Edmonton*, 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, such payment to be computed from the date of the completion of the said railway.

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

*Ordered*, That Sir *John A. Macdonald* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting a certain agreement therein mentioned with the *Calgary* 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.

The Order of the Day being read, for the House in Committee on the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for better securing the safety of certain Fishermen;"

Mr. *Jones (Halifax)* moved, seconded by Mr. *Eisenhauer*, and the Question being proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair;

Mr. Colby moved, in amendment to the Question, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*, That all the words after "That," to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole, on the said Bill this day six months," inserted instead thereof;

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

Tuesday, 6th May, 1890.

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Bill was accordingly committed to a Committee of the Whole House, this day six months.

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 facilitate the purchase by the *Pontiac* Pacific Junction "Railway Company from the Canadian Pacific Railway Company of the Branch Line " of Railway between *Hull* and *Aylmer*."

Bill intituled. "An Act respecting the *Ontario* Pacific Railway Company."

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, 6th May, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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*, 6th May, 1890.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the ninth day of April, instant, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *John Sweetland*, Esquire, Sheriff, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of the City of *Ottawa*, 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 *William G. Perley*, Esquire, deceased; *Charles Herbert Mackintosh*, Esquire, of the City of *Ottawa*, Publisher, 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, C.M.G., LL.D.,  
Clerk of the House of Commons of *Canada*.

*Charles Herbert Mackintosh*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of the City of *Ottawa*, 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 the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend the Acts respecting the *North-West Territories*."

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. *Wood* (*Brockville*) 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 a Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting Railways, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend the Indian "Advancement Act," chapter forty-four of the Revised Statutes," with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

On motion of Sir *John A. Macdonald*, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act respecting Railways," 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. *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, 1891; 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. 3.*)

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

*Ottawa, 6th May, 1890.*

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.

Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 14th April, 1890, for copies of all correspondence between the Department of Militia and Defence and the officers of the staff of Military District No. 1 regarding the pay and allowances of said officers. (*Sessional Papers, No. 92.*)

Also, Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 21st April, 1890, for copies of all Orders in Council making appointments, promotions and changes in the Department of Militia and Defence, for the year ending 31st December, 1889. (*Sessional Papers, No. 92a.*)

Mr. *Bowell*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 21st April, 1890, for a Return of the quantity and value of eggs imported into and exported from the Provinces of *Ontario* and *Quebec* since 1st January last; also, the Countries they have been imported from and exported to. (*Sessional Papers, No. 93.*)

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *Resolved*, That a duty of two cents per pound be placed on live hogs imported into *Canada*.

2. *Resolved*, That section 276 of 49 *Victoria*, Chapter 33, be repealed, and that it be enacted: That glove leathers when imported by glove manufacturers for use in their factories in the manufacture of gloves, viz.:—

Kid, buck, deer, antelope and water hog, tanned or dressed, coloured or uncoloured, 10 per cent.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)*, reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported the Resolutions accordingly, and the same were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a duty of two cents per pound be placed on live hogs imported into *Canada*.

2. *Resolved*, That section 276 of 49 *Victoria*, Chapter 33, be repealed, and that it be enacted: That glove leathers when imported by glove manufacturers for use in their factories in the manufacture of gloves, viz.:—

Kid, buck, deer, antelope and water hog, tanned or dressed, coloured or uncoloured, 10 per cent.

The said Resolutions being read a second time, were agreed to, and referred to the Committee of the Whole on Bill to amend the Acts respecting Customs Duties, with instructions that they have power to amend the same accordingly.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* also acquainted the House that he was directed to move, That the Committee on Ways and Means may have leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend the Acts respecting Customs Duties;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House, together with the Resolutions adopted in Committee of Ways and Means, this day.

*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. *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 read the third time To-morrow.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Wednesday, 7th May, 1890.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. Ross,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of *St. Andrews*, County of *Lisgar*; and the Petition of the Municipal Council of *Springfield*, County of *Selkirk*, all of *Manitoba*.

By Mr. *La Rivière*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of *Cartier*, County of *d'Iberville*, *Manitoba*.

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

Of the Municipal Council of *Deloraine*; of the Municipal Council of *Glenwood*, County of *Brandon*; and of the Municipal Council of *Louise*, County of *Rock Lake*, all of *Manitoba*; severally praying the House to consider the advisability of aiding the construction of the *Winnipeg* and *Hudson Bay* Railway.

Of the Society for the Protection of Women and Children, *Montreal*; praying for certain amendments to the Bill now before Parliament, intituled: "An Act further to amend the Criminal Law."

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, from the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, presented to the House the Seventeenth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth :—

Your Committee have had under consideration Bill respecting the *Hereford* Railway Company and the *Maine* Central Railway Company, and have agreed to report the same with Amendments.

Your Committee recommend that, owing to the advanced period of the Session, this Bill be placed on the Orders of this day for consideration in Committee of the Whole House immediately after Routine Proceedings.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return (in part) to an Order of this House, dated 23rd January, 1890, for a Return showing the amount of money expended by the Dominion in each Province since Confederation to the 30th June, 1889, under the following heads :—

1st. Subsidies to Railways in each Province, excepting the *Canadian Pacific* main line and *Sault* branch;

2nd. The several Railways built by the Dominion in each Province, including the Intercolonial branches and extensions, but not the main line as originally constructed;

3rd. The buildings erected or purchased in each Province, their location and cost. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 96.)

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,  
*Ordered*, That the Bill respecting the *Hereford* Railway Company and the *Maine* Central Railway Company be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration in Committee of the Whole House immediately after Routine Proceedings, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Seventeenth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The House accordingly resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the *Hereford* Railway Company and the *Maine* Central 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 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. *Laurier*, seconded by Mr. *Weldon (St. John)*,

*Ordered*, That the Report of the Select Committee appointed to enquire into the statements made in reference to furs taken from *Charles Bremner*, a Half-breed, residing at *Battleford*, together with the Minutes of Proceedings and Evidence, be printed for the use of Members; and that Rule 94 be suspended in relation thereto.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting Banks and Banking, 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 read a third time To-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read, for the third reading of the Bill to amend the Acts respecting Customs Duties;

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Sir *Richard J. Cartwright* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Mitchell*, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "in view of the official statement of the Minister of Finance showing a surplus revenue for the past year and a probable surplus for the present and succeeding year, the increased taxation proposed to be inflicted upon the people by this Bill "is unjustifiable and unnecessary;" 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>Cook,</i>	<i>Jones (Halifax),</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>
<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>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Langelier (Montmorency)</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Beausoleil,</i>	<i>Doyon,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Eisenhauer,</i>	<i>Lavergne,</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Berner,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Semple,</i>
<i>Blake,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>

<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Huron),</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Bowman,</i>	<i>Gauthier,</i>	<i>McMillan (Huron),</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Waldie,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Richard),</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Weldon (St. John),</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>	<i>Welsh, and</i>
<i>Charlton,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Neveux,</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin).—62</i>
<i>Choquette,</i>	<i>Innes.</i>		

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Davin,</i>	<i>Jamieson,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby)</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>Kenny,</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Shanty,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector),</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl),</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Dewdney,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Sproule,</i>
<i>Broun,</i>	<i>Dickinson,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John),</i>	<i>Stevenson,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>Mackintosh,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>McCarthy,</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Ferguson (Welland),</i>	<i>McDougald (Pictou),</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Tisdale,</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Tyrwhitt,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Girouard,</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Vanasse,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Gordon,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Mills (Annapolis),</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>White (Cardwell),</i>
<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Monplaisir,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>O'Brien,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox),</i>
<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville), and</i>
<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Hudspeth,</i>	<i>Putnam,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'd.).—93.</i>
<i>Daly,</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 further to amend the "Criminal Law," and the same were read, as follow:—

1. Page 1, line 14.—Leave out from "time" to "be" in line 15.
2. Page 2, line 2.—After "sub-section" insert "or if the term of his imprisonment or detention has expired."
3. Page 2, line 37.—Leave out "thirteen" and insert "fourteen."
4. Page 2, line 42.—Leave out "thirty" and insert "twenty-one."
5. Page 3, line 12.—After "who" insert "wilfully."
6. Page 3, line 19.—Leave out "thirteen" and insert "fourteen."
7. Page 3, line 22.—Leave out from "who" to "cohabit" in line 23.
8. Page 3, line 33.—Leave out from "woman" to "(1)."

9. Page 3, line 36.—After the second “the” insert “defilement, seduction or.”

10. Page 3, line 37.—Leave out “thirteen” and insert “fourteen.”

11. Page 3, line 40.—Leave out “thirteen” and insert “fourteen.”

12. Page 3, line 41.—After “imprisonment” insert the following as sub-sections “2 and 3.”

“2. Every one who procures, or attempts to procure, any girl or woman under twenty-one years of age, not being a common prostitute or of known immoral character, to have unlawful carnal connection, either within or without *Canada*, with any other person or persons; or (2) Procures, or attempts to procure, any woman or girl to become, either within or without *Canada*, a common prostitute; or (3) Procures, or attempts to procure, any woman or girl to leave *Canada* with intent that she may become an inmate of a brothel elsewhere; or (4) Procures any woman or girl to come to *Canada* from abroad with intent that she may become an inmate of a brothel in *Canada*; or (5) Procures, or attempts to procure, any woman or girl to leave her usual place of abode in *Canada*, such place not being a brothel, with intent that she may become an inmate of a brothel within or without *Canada*; is guilty of a misdemeanor, and liable to two years’ imprisonment with hard labour.”

“3. Every person who by threats or intimidation procures, or attempts to procure, any woman or girl to have any unlawful carnal connection, either within or without *Canada*, or by false pretences or false representations procures any woman or girl, not being a common prostitute or of known immoral character, to have any unlawful carnal connection, either within or without *Canada*, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and liable to two years’ imprisonment with hard labour.”

13. Page 3, line 42.—Leave out “2” and insert “4.”

14. Page 4, line 27.—After “married” insert “to another.”

15. Page 4, line 42.—After the first “any” insert “charge or.”

16. Page 5, line 16.—Leave out “thirteen” and insert “fourteen.”

17. Page 5, line 20.—Leave out “thirteen” and insert “fourteen.”

18. Page 6, line 44.—Leave out “of” and insert “not exceeding.”

19. Page 9, line 20.—After “and” insert “shall.”

20. Page 10, line 27.—Leave out “*North-West*” and insert “Western,” after “Territories” insert “of *Canada*.”

21. Page 10, line 28.—Leave out “*North-West*” and insert “Western.”

22. Page 13, line 7.—Leave out “sub-section” and insert “sub-sections.”

23. Page 13, line 15.—After “made” insert the following as sub-section “3” :—

“3. Proceedings under this Act commenced before any Judge, may, where such Judge is, for any reason, unable to act, be continued before any other Judge competent to try prisoners under this Act in the same county, union of counties, or judicial district, and such last mentioned Judge shall have the same powers with respect to such proceedings as if such proceedings had been commenced before him, and may cause such portion of the proceedings to be repeated before him as he shall deem necessary.”

24. Page 16, line 38.—After “unexpired” insert the following sub-sections, “84, 85, 86 and 87.”

“84. Any sheriff or other person having the custody of any offender sentenced to imprisonment in the said reformatory, may detain the offender in the common jail of the county or district in which such offender is sentenced, or other place of confinement in which such offender is, until some person lawfully authorized in that behalf requires such offender’s delivery for the purpose of being conveyed to such reformatory.”

“85. Whenever the time of any offender’s sentence in such reformatory, under any law within the legislative authority of the Parliament of *Canada*, expires on a Sunday, such offender shall be discharged on the previous Saturday, unless such offender desires to remain until the Monday following.”

“86. The Governor in Council may make such regulations as he considers advisable for the discharge, after the expiration of the final term of sentence, of

prisoners confined in such reformatory under any Act of the Parliament of *Canada*; and such discharge may be either absolute or upon probation, subject to such conditions as are imposed under the authority of the said regulations."

"87. The judge of any judicial district or any police magistrate may, upon satisfactory proof that any boy who was sentenced under the provisions of any Act of the Parliament of *Canada*, and who has been discharged on probation, has violated the conditions of his discharge, order such boy to be re-committed to such reformatory, and thereupon such boy shall be detained therein under his original sentence as if such boy had never been discharged."

25. Page 16.—After the next preceding amendment, insert the following as Clauses A and B:—

#### CLAUSE A.

"40. The provisions of this Act in respect to the *Manitoba* Reformatory for boys shall not come into force until the same shall have been proclaimed by the Governor in Council."

#### CLAUSE B.

##### EXTRA JUDICIAL OATHS.

"41. Section three of Chapter one hundred and forty-one of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, intituled: 'An Act respecting Extra Judicial Oaths,' is repealed, and the following section substituted therefor:—

"Any judge, justice of the peace, police or stipendiary magistrate, recorder, commissioner authorized to take affidavits to be used either in Provincial or Dominion courts, or any other functionary authorized by law to administer an oath in any matter, may receive the solemn declaration of any person voluntarily making the same before him, in the form in the schedule to this Act, in attestation of the execution of any writing, deed or instrument, or of the truth of any allegation of fact, or of any account rendered in writing."

The first Fourteen Amendments, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Fifteenth Amendment, being read a second time, was postponed for further consideration.

The next Two Amendments, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Eighteenth Amendment, being read a second time, was postponed for further consideration.

The Nineteenth Amendment, being read a second time, was agreed to.

The next Two Amendments, being read a second time, were postponed for further consideration.

The Twenty-second and Twenty-third Amendments, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Twenty-fourth Amendment, being read a second time, was postponed for further consideration.

The Twenty-fifth Amendment, being read a second time, was agreed to.

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. *Hickey* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question, be left out, and the words "inasmuch as on the 4th of May, 1886, *John Charlton*, the then Member for *North Norfolk*, delivered a speech in this House, in which he stated, referring to a Return presented on the 27th March, 1886, in respect of Timber Limit Licenses, that 'I have gone through it carefully, and some of the results of that investigation I will give to the House later on;'"

“That later on in a list, tabulated by himself, under the heading of ‘Members of the House of Commons and Senate who have received Timber Limits by Order in Council for themselves,’ he specifies that *C. E. Hickey*, M. P. (co-applicant with *William Broder*), O.C. for self and partner, fifty miles, Lake *Kaogasikok*, *Manitoba*. “April 30th, 1884;”

“That at the Village of *Lynedoch*, on the 14th February, 1887, the said *John Charlton* made a solemn affidavit, declaring, among other things, ‘that the said returns contained an application from *William Broder*, that *Charles E. Hickey*, M.P., was a co-applicant; that the application was made April 20th, 1883, and that an Order in Council, for fifty miles on the south side of Lake *Kaogasikok*, was issued upon said application, April 30th, 1884;”

“That on the 11th of March, 1890, *John Charlton*, the present Member for *North Norfolk*, repeated the same specific statement;”

“That inasmuch as the said *Charles E. Hickey* has not at any time made an application for a Timber Limit License for himself, nor has he at any time been a partner, in any sense of *William Broder*, and, therefore, could not have been a co-applicant with him, and was not with any other person, and that *William Broder* made the said application himself and for himself. All of which the correspondence fully sustains.”

“That no Order in Council was ever issued granting a Timber Limit License to the said *Charles E. Hickey*, as has been stated and sworn to have been by the said *John Charlton*, the Member for *North Norfolk* ;”

“Therefore, the conduct of the said *John Charlton*, in the premises, was, and is, discreditable, dishonest and scandalous.” inserted instead thereof;

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

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

*Thursday, 8th May, 1890.*

Then the main Question being put ;

*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-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for one Statutory increase, Privy Council Office, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Secretary of State, to pay *F. Colson*, the difference between his salary as a 1st Class Clerk and that which he received from 1st July, 1888, anything in the Civil Service Act to the contrary notwithstanding, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Railways and Canals, as follow, viz. :— To provide for the position of Accountant, *S. L. Shannon*, omitted from the main Estimates, 1890-91, \$1,500; Additional amount required for Contingencies, Department of Railways and Canals, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand four hundred and forty dollars and thirty-eight cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Finance, amount required to pay balance of cost of printing statistical diagrams, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Interior, as follow :—To increase the salary of *H. H. Rowat*, from 1st July, 1890, to 30th June, 1891, \$200; To pay the

salary of *A. H. Whitchee*, D.L.S., Agent of Dominion Lands, *Winnipeg*, who is to be transferred to Department at headquarters as a First Class Clerk, \$1,700, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Department of Public Works—To provide for the transfer of *E. T. Smith*, appointed July 12, 1889, collector of the slide and boom dues, *Ottawa*, with a salary of \$1,200, and hitherto paid out of the appropriation "Collection of Slide and Boom Dues," to the permanent staff of the Public Works Department, as a Second Class Clerk, \$1,200; To provide for the transfer of *James Slater*, appointed November 14, 1889, as assistant to the collector of slide and boom dues, *Ottawa*, with a salary of \$850, and hitherto paid out of the appropriation "Collection of Slide and Boom Dues," to the permanent staff of the Public Works Department as a Third Class Clerk, \$850, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Post Office Department—To provide for statutory increases of two additional First Class Clerks, at \$50 each, \$100; To provide for re-appointment of *Mr. M. Finn*, as Third Class Clerk, whose salary at the time he left the Service was \$650 per annum, \$650, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Customs Department:—To provide for an additional Third Class Clerk, to be appointed at the rate of \$550, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand six hundred and forty-three dollars and two cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Department of Indian Affairs:—To appoint *F. R. Byshe*, a Packer at \$500 per annum, from 1st July, 1890, \$500; To provide six months' statutory increase for *Miss Maxwell*, which was inadvertently omitted in main Estimates, \$25; To provide the usual allowance for *Miss Lyon*, who passed in one optional, \$50: To provide that proportion of the usual allowance for having passed in one optional subject to *Miss Ogilvie*, from 20th February to 30th June, 1890, \$18.02; and for her increase on account of this optional subject for 1890-91, \$50, \$68.02; To supplement the sum of \$7,000 already granted in the main estimates, which sum is insufficient to meet the annual expenditure for contingencies, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand one hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies:—Further amount required for care and cleaning of Departmental Buildings, including amount required to pay for firing noon gun, \$100, which amount may be paid to a member of the Civil Service, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Civil Service Act, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salary of the Judge of the Vice-Admiralty Court, *Prince Edward Island*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and *Mr. Wood (Brockville)* 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. Wood (Brockville)* 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 communicate to this House the following Resolution:—

*Resolved*, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons, by one of the Masters in Chancery, to acquaint that House, that the Senate doth not concur in the Amendment made by the House of Commons to the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill sent up from the House of Commons, intituled: "An Act relating to Bills of Exchange, Cheques and Promissory Notes, for the following reasons:—

Because the limitation of the right of action by the drawer against the drawee provided for by the Amendment of the House of Commons to the Amendments made by the Senate to "Clause twenty-four" of the said Bill, to the period of one month after the drawer has acquired notice of such forgery, is too short for the proper protection of his rights and of the rights and interests of other parties who may be affected by such limitation.

And further to acquaint that House, that for the said reasons, the Senate hath amended the said Amendment made by the House of Commons, by substituting therein the word "year" for the word "month," to which Amendment the Senate doth desire their concurrence.

And then The House, having continued to sit till ten minutes before Two of the Clock on Thursday morning, adjourned till this day.

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Thursday, 8th May, 1890.

PRAYERS.

Mr. *White (Renfrew)*, from the Select Standing Committee on Agriculture and Colonization, presented to the House the First and Final Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee examined, during its sittings, the Reverend *Leo. Gaetz*, farmer, settled near the *Red Deer River*, in the District of *Alberta*; Mr. *John Lowe*, Deputy Minister of the Department of Agriculture; *W. A. Webster*, an *Ontario* farmer, at present engaged as an agent by the Department of Agriculture, for the purpose of promoting migration and immigration to the *North-West Territories*; Mr. *A. J. McMillan*, an agent of the Government of the Province of *Manitoba*, for promoting immigration to that Province; and Mr. *William Saunders*, the Director of the Experimental Farms of the Dominion.

The evidence of these gentlemen, as taken by the short-hand reporters, is herewith appended, and submitted as a part of the Committee's report.

The evidence of Mr. *Gaetz*, based on his own experience of six years as a farmer, in the District of *Alberta*, gives a very highly favourable view of the capabilities of that, at present, but little known region of the Dominion, at the base of the *Rocky Mountains*, in relation to soil, mineral resources, water and climate. Mr. *Gaetz* selected the *Red Deer* country, in the District of *Alberta*, as a field for settlement, for the reason that he was compelled by ill-health to give up the ministry in the Methodist Church in the older Provinces of the Dominion. He was unused to farming, but he reported to the Committee that his operations had been successful and that he was entirely satisfied with his selection. His statements, containing new information, are of interest.

Mr. *Lowe* furnished information, in a detailed statement of the operations of the Department of Agriculture, with respect to immigration during the calendar year 1889. The figures which he gave showed that while there was a very marked check

in the number of immigrants to *Canada* coming, during the year, from points beyond the sea, there was a considerable increase in the numbers reported from the *United States*. The figures in detail are furnished in the report of his evidence herewith. The total expenditure by the Department for the calendar year, including the cost of all establishments in the *United Kingdom* and *Canada*, amounted to \$126,043, a sum much less than the expenditure of previous years. The total number of immigrants during the year given by Mr. *Lowe*, as reported by the agents, was 52,983, and as reported with settlers' goods by the Custom Houses from across the *United States* frontier 38,617, making a total of 91,600. Particulars respecting the entry of these immigrants are contained in the evidence appended.

Mr. *W. A. Webster's* evidence contains a report of his travels in different parts of the Dominion, and also in the adjoining *United States*, particularly *Dakota*, where the Canadians who have emigrated have largely settled. Mr. *Webster* stated that the farming conditions of the parts of *Dakota* which he visited were very greatly inferior to those on the Canadian side of the frontier. He also stated that there is a decided movement among the Canadians in the *United States*, whom he visited, to return to *Canada*. He showed that the failure of crops in *Dakota* had led to the very greatest distress.

Mr. *McMillan* gave a report of his operations, particularly in the Province of *Ontario*, to induce the class of emigrants who formerly went to the *United States*, to settle instead in *Manitoba*. He stated that increasing numbers are beginning to settle in the Province of *Manitoba*, and apparently with the best results.

Mr. *Saunders*, the Director of Experimental Farms, furnished to the Committee with as much detail as possible at one sitting, an account of the operations of the several Experimental Farms in the Dominion. He gave detailed explanations with reference to the experiments which had been made with the cereals, supplementing the information which he gave to the Committee last Session with the facts established by the experimental operations during the year 1889. He furnished particular information regarding the experiments with wheat and barley, his statements showing that the experiments with the two-rowed variety of barley had proved successful, and pointed to the advantages which would be likely to accrue to the farmers of the Dominion from the introduction of this variety, arising from the fact of its marked superiority to the six-rowed for malting purposes, and its suitability for export to *England*. For detail of the information furnished by Mr. *Saunders*, reference is made to the report of his evidence.

Your Committee have also had before them a proposition submitted by the "United British Women's Emigration Society" for the assisting of emigration from *Great Britain* by the loans of moneys to pay the passages of suitable emigrants, which proposition was referred to a sub-committee whose report is submitted herewith. (*Appendix No. 5.*)

Mr. *Desjardins* moved, seconded by Mr. *Davin*, and the Question being proposed, That the Third Report of the Select Committee appointed to supervise the Official Report of the Debates of this House during the present Session, be now concurred in;

Mr. *Curran* moved, in amendment to the Question, seconded by Mr. *Lépine*, That the words "concurréd in" be left out, and the words "referred back to the Committee with instructions to amend it so as to ensure to the translators of the "*Hansard* salaries adequate to the work they have to perform," 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. *Colby* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Acts respecting the Harbour of *Pictou*.

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* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider certain proposed Resolutions respecting subsidies to certain Railways and Railway Companies 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.

Mr. *Chapleau* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting the Bureau of Labour Statistics.

Mr. *Chapleau*, 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 third reading of the Bill respecting Banks and Banking;

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Mr. *Armstrong* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *McMullen*, 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 the following clause:—

"That all branches of the various Banks chartered under this Act be kept open for business on Saturdays until three o'clock in the afternoon, save and except when a statutory holiday falls upon a Saturday," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and it passed in the Negative.

And the Question being again proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Mr. *Lavergne* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Guay*, 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 fifty-four of the said Bill, by leaving out all the words after 'insolvency' in the said "Section," 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 proceeded to take into further consideration the Amendments, Fifteen, Eighteen, Twenty, Twenty-one and Twenty-four, made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act further to amend the Criminal Law," which were yesterday postponed; and the same were again read, as follow:—

15. Page 4, line 42.—After the first "any" insert "charge or."

18. Page 6, line 44.—Leave out "of" and insert "not exceeding."

20. Page 10, line 27.—Leave out "North-West" and insert "Western," after "Territories" insert "of Canada."

21. Page 10, line 28.—Leave out “North-West” and insert “Western.”

24. Page 16, line 38.—After “unexpired” insert the following sub-sections, “84, 85, 86 and 87.”

“84. Any sheriff or other person having the custody of any offender sentenced to imprisonment in the said reformatory, may detain the offender in the common jail of the county or district in which such offender is sentenced, or other place of confinement in which such offender is, until some person lawfully authorized in that behalf requires such offender's delivery for the purpose of being conveyed to such reformatory.”

“85. Whenever the time of any offender's sentence in such reformatory, under any law within the legislative authority of the Parliament of *Canada*, expires on a Sunday, such offender shall be discharged on the previous Saturday, unless such offender desires to remain until the Monday following.”

“86. The Governor in Council may make such regulations as he considers advisable for the discharge, after the expiration of the final term of sentence, of prisoners confined in such reformatory under any Act of the Parliament of *Canada*; and such discharge may be either absolute or upon probation, subject to such conditions as are imposed under the authority of the said regulations.”

“87. The judge of any judicial district or any police magistrate may, upon satisfactory proof that any boy who was sentenced under the provisions of any Act of the Parliament of *Canada*, and who has been discharged on probation, has violated the conditions of his discharge, order such boy to be re-committed to such reformatory, and thereupon such boy shall be detained therein under his original sentence as if such boy had never been discharged.”

The Fifteenth Amendment being read a second time, was agreed to.

The Eighteenth Amendment being read a second time;

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Mr. *Chapleau*,

*Resolved*, That the said Amendment be disagreed to for the reason that it is expedient to leave the degree of punishments under this Act to be regulated by the Statute relating to Punishments, Pardons and the Commutation of Sentences.

The Twentieth and Twenty-first Amendments being read a second time;

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Mr. *Chapleau*,

*Resolved*, That the said Amendments be disagreed to for the reason, that it is not expedient to change the expression “*North-West Territories*” until a Statute shall be passed to give effect to such change as respects all matters relating to the Territories.

The Twenty-fourth Amendment being read a second time;

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Mr. *Chapleau*,

*Resolved*, That the portion of the said Amendment which proposes to add sub-sections 86 and 87, be disagreed to for the reason, that it is not expedient that the regulation therein referred to should be authorized to be made wholly by Orders in Council and without some more explicit indication of the will of Parliament as to the nature and effect of the Orders in Council so authorized to be made.

The remaining sub-sections (numbered 84 and 85 of the said Amendments, were then agreed to.

*Resolved*, That a Message be sent to the Senate acquainting their Honours, That this House hath disagreed to some of their Amendments to the foregoing Bill and communicating the Reasons for so disagreeing.

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

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendment made by the Senate to the Amendment made by this House, to the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: “An Act relating to Bills of Exchange, “Cheques and Promissory Notes,” 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 House again in the Committee of Supply;

Mr. *Bowell* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, and the Question being proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair;

Mr. *McMullen* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Lang*, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "it having come to the knowledge of this House that Lieutenant General *Laurie*, Member for *Shelburne*, *Nova Scotia*, has drawn \$631 for mileage from *England* to *Canada* to attend the present Session of Parliament, this House affirms that no Member or Senator should draw or be permitted to draw mileage for any distance coming to attend Parliament beyond the limits of this Dominion," 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.

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

Friday, 9th May, 1890.

The House accordingly again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee.)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand five hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Kingston* Penitentiary, as follow:—Amount required for construction of new separate ward, \$775; Allowance to family of late Hospital Overseer at *Kingston*, \$750, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and ten dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. Vincent de Paul* Penitentiary, viz.:—To pay increase of \$30 each to Guards *H. Roger* and *D. J. McLellan*, for year 1890-91, \$60; To pay *J. G. Mcylan* for services on Royal Commission in making an investigation at *St. Vincent de Paul* Penitentiary with Mr. *Baillairgé*, \$250, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand seven hundred and sixty-two dollars and eighty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—*Manitoba* Penitentiary—For maintenance and repairs of buildings, \$5,362.85; To increase salaries of Chaplains at *Stony Mountain* Penitentiary, on condition of their whole time being given to the prisoners, \$200 each, \$400, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *British Columbia* Penitentiary:—Amount required to place *W. H. Keary*, Accountant, Storekeeper and Schoolmaster, at the maximum of his class, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand one hundred and eighty-two dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet the following items in connection with Legislation, viz.:—To pay Honourable *D. Mills* amount of Sessional indemnity deducted during Session of 1884, \$232; To provide for annual increment of \$50 to Deputy Sergeant-at-Arms, omitted from main estimates, \$50; To provide an increase of \$50 each to eight clerks, in addition to amount voted in the main estimates, these increases being omitted in main estimates, \$400; To provide that the salary of *F. McGillivray* and *F. B. Hayes*, Chief Clerks, be fixed at \$2,200, thus placing them on the same footing as officers of like standing, \$700; To provide for the promotion of *J. H. McLeod*, permanent Sessional Clerk, to the rank of 3rd Class Clerk, in charge of Committee on Agriculture and Colonization, at a salary of \$900 per annum, \$900; Stationery—Additional amount required, \$1,000; Miscellaneous—To provide for the payment of two expresses between House and Government Printing Office, \$600; Newspapers—Additional amount required, \$250; To provide for an increase of \$50 per annum to *G. A. Boudreault*, the Clerk's messenger, \$50, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Senate Debates and short-hand writers, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.
7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for two monuments to be erected on battle-fields of *Canada*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.
8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards completion of the *Tay Canal* (Re-vote), for the year ending 30th June, 1891.
9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards construction of a wharf, *St. Peter's Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.
10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Canadian Pacific Railway:—Construction, \$24,900; 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, \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.
11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eleven thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Electric Light Plant, *Lachine Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.
12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand six hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Beauharnois Canal*, as follow:—Renewal of six bridges over drains leading from the Canal, \$950; Electric light, \$1,000; Fences, ditches and repairs to drains on the north side of the Canal, \$4,700; To deepen the bed of the River below the dam for the passage of the water discharged by the mills, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.
13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Cornwall Canal*:—Additional sum required to provide a residence and an office for the Collector at *Cornwall*, \$1,500; To pay township of *Cornwall* for damages to road during break in 1888, \$700, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.
14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand four hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Welland Canal*:—For the purchase of certain rights to remove a dam situated in a watercourse leading to the *Chippawa River* at a place about a mile from the Village of *Marshville*, \$700; Towards the extension of the *Welland Railway*, \$2,000; Towards the construction, working and maintaining a Floating Bridge between *Dunnville* and *Stromness*, and cleaning Outlet, \$750; Towards the re-construction of the Culvert at *Stromness*, \$7,500; Towards constructing a new Swing Bridge between *Stromness* and the *Buffalo* and *Brantford Railway Crossing*, \$2,000; Cleaning and deepening the back ditch on the north side of the Feeder, \$2,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.
15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Rideau Canal*:—Survey of the *Rideau Canal* above *Kings-ton Mills*, \$1,500; Towards deepening the basin at *Ottawa*, \$5,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.
16. *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 December, 1890, in superintending *St. Peter's Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.
17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards settlement of claims and the removal of obstructions, *Culbute Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.
18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs, *Carillon* and *Grenville Canals*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards paying a gratuity of two months' salary to the widow of the late *Vernon Smith*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 a Bill, intituled: "An Act further to amend 'The Indian Act,' chapter forty-three of the Revised Statutes, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act further to amend the Revised Statutes, chapter five, respecting the Electoral Franchise," with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

On motion of Mr. *Dewdney*, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act further to amend 'The Indian Act,' chapter forty-three of the Revised Statutes," 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. *Bowell*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Report of the Social Economy Section of the Universal International Exhibition of 1889 at *Paris*, prepared by *Jules Helbronner*, Member of the Royal Labour Commission. (*Sessional Papers, No. 20.*)

And then The House, having continued to sit till a quarter of an hour before One of the Clock on Friday morning, adjourned till this day.

Friday, 9th May, 1890.

#### PRAYERS.

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

Of the Municipal Council of *St. Andrews*, County of *Inisgar*; of the Municipal Council of *Springfield*, County of *Selkirk*; and of the Municipal Council of *Cartier*, County of *d'Iberville*, all of *Manitoba*; severally praying the House to consider the advisability of aiding the construction of the *Winnipeg* and *Hudson Bay* Railway.

Mr. *Chapleau* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, and the Question being put, That the Select Committee appointed to examine and report upon newly invented Ballot Papers and Ballot Boxes to be used in Parliamentary Elections, have power to send for persons, &c.; the House divided:—and it passed in the Negative.

Mr. *Chapleau*, from the Select Committee appointed to examine and report upon newly invented ballot papers and ballot boxes to be used in Parliamentary Elections; and also, on the best means of securing the secrecy of the vote, presented to the House the Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have carefully considered the questions submitted for their consideration, and also, have examined a number of ballot papers and mechanical ballot boxes, and, after mature consideration, they have agreed upon the following conclusions:—

That the present system of voting is very defective with regard to the secrecy of the vote, the possibility of errors in registering the same and the loss of a number of votes through such errors, committed either by the voter or the Deputy Returning Officer. That it is expedient for Parliament to establish a system of voting, securing the following objects:—(a.) Greater facility in voting, so as to render the exercise of the franchise easy, even for that class of voters least favoured by education or intelligence. (b.) A sure and easy working of the system of voting and guarantee of its keeping in good order. (c.) Prevention of destruction of the box or hindrance to the casting of the vote. (d.) Prevention of errors involving the loss or cancellation of votes given, and of the casting of useless or duplicate votes. (e.) Exclusion in the greatest measure of the possibility or opportunities of fraud. (f.) Greater economy in the holding of each election.

That out of the ballot boxes submitted for examination, your Committee is of opinion, that three of them, to wit: The boxes submitted by *Ernest Fortin*, *Lucien Bance*, and the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, appear to better secure the above mentioned objects: Accordingly your Committee have the honour to recommend:—

1. That "The Dominion Elections Act" be so amended this Session as to permit the use, in such bye-elections as the Government deem expedient, between now and the termination of the present Parliament, of the boxes submitted to your Committee by *Ernest Fortin*, *Lucien Bance*, and the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, and thus demonstrate by practical test, their superiority over the present system of voting, with a view to their adoption for general usage, if the test prove satisfactory.

2. That "The Dominion Elections Act" be also amended so as to provide, in the event of the foregoing test not proving satisfactory, that the number and names of every candidate shall, if practicable, be distinctly printed in ink of different colours on the ballot papers, if on the nomination day the candidates agree as to the colours; and that the Returning Officer shall give to every candidate a certificate setting forth the selection of the colour made by him.

3. That the device invented by Mr. *J. C. Auger*, of *Montreal*, of a padlock with its key enclosed in a small bag made of paper, canvas, or other material, with draw-strings around the outside of the padlock, where it is tied up, and the ends of the strings sealed on the bag by the Returning Officer, so as to prevent the ballot box being tampered with by being opened improperly, be added to the ballot boxes now in use, provided that the cost of each such device to the Government shall be sufficiently moderate to warrant its adoption.

Your Committee were strongly impressed with the ingenious character of the box invented by Mr. *John Waddell*, of *Harriston*, and readily endorse the favourable report of the Chief Mechanical Engineer of the Department of Public Works in reference thereto; but, the great cost of its construction, which, in *Canada*, would reach the figure of \$12, precludes its adoption for use in Dominion Elections.

Sir *John A. Macdonald*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Reports, Railway Statistics of *Canada*, and capital, traffic and working expenditure of the Railways of the Dominion, 1889. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 19a.)

Sir *John A. Macdonald* also presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 10th March, 1890, for a Return showing (a) the names and numbers of officials' cars on the Intercolonial Railway and its branches; (b) the original cost, date, and place of building of each car, or name of person or company from whom purchased; (c) the cost of repairs to, or expenditure in each of such cars since acquired; (d) the names and salaries and expenses of each employee on such official cars; (e) the annual expenses of providing the supplies to each such car. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 41f.)

Mr. *Dewdney*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 21st April, 1890, for a Return, showing:—

1st. The number of acres of pasture land now under lease in the *North-West Territories*.

2nd. The amount paid the Government for rental of grazing leases during the past year.

3rd. The amount due the Government for arrears on pasture leases, and the names of the lessees in arrears for pasture lease rental.

4th. The names of the lessees holding leases of territory upon which settlers are not allowed to take up land without the consent of the lease-holder, with the total area of such leases, and the location of each. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 33n.)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 10th March, 1890, for copies of all correspondence between the Indian Department and the Agent or Chiefs of the *Caughnawaga* Reserve, in relation to any indemnity obtained by the Indians of the Reserve, on the ground that the extent of their Reserve has been considerably diminished by encroachments. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 43c.)

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

*Resolved*, That this House doth concur in the Sixth Report of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, with the exception of the Tenth paragraph, which recommends a mode of collecting accounts due by Members for printing ordered during the Session.

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

*Resolved*, That this House doth concur in the Eighth Report of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament.

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 Indian 'Advancement Act,' chapter forty-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, again resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Steamboat Inspection 'Act,' chapter seventy-eight of the Revised Statutes," 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, 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 Amendments 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 were read, as follow:—

1. Page 2, line 28.—After "form" leave out "G" and insert "I."

2. Page 2, line 29.—Leave out "Form G" and insert "Form I."

3. Page 3, line 37.—After "person" insert the following as sub-section "7."

"7. But no lists now in force shall be deemed illegal on account of any polling district therein described containing a larger number of names of voters than is permitted by 'The Electoral Franchise Act,' and in the case of an election taking place before the next revision of such lists, a sub-division of such polling district may be made in due time for such election by the Returning Officer for the electoral division where such polling district is situated."

4. Page 3, line 43.—After "shall" insert "sign two of such lists as Revising Officer and shall."

5. Page 4, line 42.—After "district" insert "that the name or qualification of the person whose name is objected to is incorrectly entered on such list, but that he possesses such qualification as entitles him to be registered thereon, the Revising Officer shall retain such person's name thereon, making the necessary corrections, or if it appears."

6. Page 4, line 45.—Leave out from "notice" to "to" in line 46.

7. Page 4, line 48.—Leave out from "shall" to "add" in line 50.

8. Page 5, line 15.—After "revision" insert "He shall, when so finally correcting, and before transcribing such lists, make such re-division of the polling districts, as he may find necessary, in compliance with section twenty-three of this Act."

9. Page 5, line 24.—After the second "list" insert "inserting in such list correct information respecting the Post Office address, occupation, qualification, and description of the property or residence of such voters."

10. Page 7, line 6.—Leave out "July" and insert "September."

The first Two Amendments, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Third Amendment, being read a second time,

Mr. *Chapleau* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, That the said Amendment be amended by leaving out from "lists" to "shall" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "existing at the time of the passing of this Act," and by leaving out all the words after "Electoral Franchise Act" to the end of the paragraph."

And the said Amendment, so amended, was agreed to, as followeth:—

3. Page 3, line 37.—After "person" insert the following, as sub-section 7.

7. But no lists existing at the time of the passing of this Act shall be deemed illegal on account of any polling district therein described containing a larger number of names of voters than is permitted by "The Electoral Franchise Act."

Then the subsequent Amendments, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill further to amend "The Fisheries Act," chapter ninety-five of the Revised Statutes;

*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 ninety-one of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, intituled: "An Act respecting "the Protection of Navigable Waters;"

*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 the granting of subsidies in land to certain Railway Companies in *Manitoba* and the *North-West Territories*.

(In the Committee.)

1. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to authorize the Governor in Council to grant to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, Dominion Lands to an extent not exceeding Six thousand four hundred acres per mile for a branch line to be constructed from *Glenboro'* westerly, a distance of about Sixty miles, to a point on the proposed branch railway of the said Company running from *Brandon* south-westerly.

2. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to authorize the Governor in Council to grant to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, Dominion Lands to an extent not exceeding Six thousand four hundred acres per mile for a branch line of railway from a point at or near *Brandon*, on the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, south westerly to or near Township three, Range twenty-seven, West of the First Principal Meridian, and thence westerly, a total distance of One hundred miles; and also, a similar grant at the same rate per mile, for the said Company's proposed branch railway from a point on the line just described, at or near Township three, Range twenty-seven, West of the First Principal Meridian, easterly to *Deloraine*, a distance of about Twenty-five miles, making the total length of railway to which this grant is applicable One hundred and twenty-five miles.

3. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to authorize the Governor in Council to grant to the *Brandon* and South-Western Railway Company, Dominion Lands to an extent not less than Six thousand four hundred acres per mile for the line of railway from a point in Township one, in either Range twenty-three or twenty-four, West of the First Principal Meridian, to *Deloraine*, a distance of about Seventeen miles.

4. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to authorize the Governor in Council to grant to the *Lac Seul* Railway Company, Dominion Lands to an extent not exceeding Six thousand four hundred acres per mile for a line of railway from a point at or near *Shelley* Station, on the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, to a point at or near *White Mud Lake*, on the *Winnipeg* Railway, a distance of about Eighteen miles.

5. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to authorize the Governor in Council to grant to the *Calgary* and *Edmonton* Railway Company, Dominion Lands to an extent not exceeding Six thousand four hundred acres for each mile of the Company's railway from *Calgary* to a point at or near *Edmonton*, on the *North Saskatchewan* River, a distance of about One hundred and ninety miles; and also, a grant of Six thousand four hundred acres for each mile of the Company's railway from *Calgary* to a point on the International boundary, between *Canada* and the *United States*, a distance of about One hundred and fifty miles.

6. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to authorize the Governor in Council to grant to the North-Western Coal and Navigation Company, Dominion Lands to an extent not exceeding Three thousand eight hundred and forty acres for each mile of the Company's railway, from *Lethbridge* to the *Crow's Nest* Pass, a distance of about One hundred miles.

7. *Resolved*, That it is expedient that the said grants be made in aid of the construction of the said railways, respectively, in the proportion and upon the conditions fixed by the Orders in Council made in respect thereof, and that, except as to such conditions, the said grants shall be free grants, subject only to the payment of the grantees, respectively, of the cost of survey of the lands and incidental expenses, at the rate of ten cents per acre in cash on the issue of the patents therefor.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood* (*Brockville*) reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received 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 One hundred and fifty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to complete payments on additional Public Building, *Wellington Street, Ottawa*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Nova Scotia*:—*Halifax* Dominion Building, \$2,500; *Halifax* Immigrant Building, \$2,500; *Dartmouth* Post Office, \$5,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Charlottetown* Dominion Building—Fencing—Revote of lapsed amount, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, as follow, viz.:—*New Brunswick*—*Chatham* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$1,500; *St. John* Custom House—Improvements, &c., \$2,000; *Fredericton* Post Office, &c.—New heating apparatus, \$2,200, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, as follow, viz.:—*Quebec*—*Richmond* Post Office, &c., \$4,000; *Montreal* Custom House—Sanitary works, \$1,150; *Montreal* Examining Warehouse—Improvements and repairs, \$1,300; *Grosse Isle* Quarantine Station, \$20,000; *Montreal* Inland Revenue building—Sanitary works, \$1,400; *St. Hyacinthe* Post Office, Custom House, &c.—Re-vote, \$2,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-eight thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, as follow, viz.:—*Ontario*—*Cornwall* Public Building—Improvements, \$1,750; *Peterborough* Custom House, \$7,000; *Toronto* Examining Warehouse—Additional amount required for purchase of water lots, \$4,000; *Kingston* Military College—New Dormitory, \$10,000; *Toronto* Military Schools—Re-vote, \$3,000—\$3,500; *Petrolia* Public Building, \$4,000; Parliament Buildings, *Ottawa*—Building stairway from Library to rooms in basement fitted for books, &c., \$700; Supreme Court, *Ottawa*—Addition, \$10,000; Public Buildings, *Ottawa*—Re-covering roofs of boiler houses, Parliament and Departmental Buildings, \$3,200; *Smith's Falls* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$4,000; *Brantford* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$700; *Toronto* Post Office—Improvements, \$5,800; Government Printing Bureau—Special fittings in attic for Stationery Office, \$1,400; *Prescott* Post Office and Custom House Buildings—Water service, \$900; Government Printing Bureau—Additional amount required to complete, \$7,000; *Trenton* Public Building, to complete, \$2,200; *Brockville* Public Building—Sanitary works, \$550; *Toronto* Custom House—Sanitary works, &c., \$2,200, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, as follow, viz.:—*Manitoba*—Public Buildings generally, \$2,000; *Winnipeg* Military Buildings—*Fort Osborne*, \$2,750; *Manitoba* Penitentiary—Outbuildings, \$1,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Thirty-one thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, as follow, viz.:—*North-West Territories*—*Edmonton* Registry Office, \$5,000; Court House, lock-up and Police accommodation, \$5,000; Registrar's house and office, *Battleford*, \$1,200; *Regina* Industrial School, to complete, \$2,000; *Regina* water supply, lavatories, baths, &c., \$4,000; *North-West* Council Chamber, *Regina*—Re-vote, \$6,000, \$7,000; Residence for Lieutenant Governor, *Regina*—Fencing and stables, \$4,000; Further aid towards the erection of an hospital at *Medicine Hat*, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-nine thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, as follow, viz.:—*British Columbia*—*Vancouver* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$30,000; *Victoria* Drill Hall—Locality furnishing site free of cost, \$10,000; *Victoria* Post Office—Improve-

ments, \$800; Additional warehouse accommodation at *Victoria* for Customs and Inland Revenue purposes, \$1,200; *Victoria* Dominion Building—Vault, Assistant Receiver General's Office, \$2,500; *Victoria* Military Buildings—Artillery Barracks, \$16,000; *Victoria* Military Buildings—Guard room and gateway, \$2,700; *Victoria* Examining Warehouse, \$6,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand three hundred and ten dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Repairs, Furniture, Heating, &c.—*North-West* Mounted Police Buildings—Fire extinguishers, \$660; Public Buildings, *Ottawa*—Eastern Block, Departmental Buildings, \$1,300; *Charlottetown* Dominion Building, \$800; *Windsor, N.S.*, Public Building, \$200; *Windsor, Ontario*, Public Building, \$225; *Quebec* Inland Revenue Offices, \$700; *St. John, N. B.*, Post Office, \$825; *St. John, N. B.*, Savings Bank, \$800; *Three Rivers* Custom House—Repairs, \$500; *Kingston* Post Office, \$1,150; *Kingston* Custom House, \$650; *Winnipeg* Post Office, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-three thousand one hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Nova Scotia*:—*Summerville*—Repairs to wharf—Re-vote, \$1,500; *Western Head*—Re-vote \$1,500; *South Gut*—Pier, \$1,800; *Ingonish (South)*, \$1,000; *Kennington Cove (Gabarus)*—Boat channel, \$800; *Sand River*—Protection works, \$5,000; *Wreck Cove*, the locality furnishing \$200, \$500; *L'Ardoise*—Breakwater, \$5,000; *French River*—Pier, \$1,500; *Irish Cove*, \$3,500; *West Chezzetcook*, \$5,000; *Barrington* Passage Pier, to complete, \$3,750; *Port Latour*—Passage, \$3,000; River *Sissiboo*—Improvement of channel, *St. Mary's Bay* to *Weymouth*, \$8,000; *Georgeville* Wharf, \$4,000; *Cribbin's Point* Wharf, \$4,000; *Stony Point*—Boat channel, \$500; *Stony Island*, \$3,800; *Louis Head*, \$3,000; *Port Maitland* or *Green Cove*, \$1,000; *Digby*—New pier at the *Raquette*—Re-vote of lapsed amount, \$4,000; *Joggins* breakwater—Repairs, &c., \$2,200; *Tidnish*—Re-vote, \$2,000; *Great Village*, \$2,800; *Big Tracadie*—Re-vote, \$1,000; *Mabou*—Repairs to pier, \$6,000; *Cheticamp*—Dredging, \$2,000; *Lismore*—Extension of pier, \$3,000; *Round Hill*, \$2,000; *Walton*, \$4,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixteen thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, viz.:—*Prince Edward Island*—*Miminegash*, \$3,500; *Brae Harbour*—Aid towards the construction of a breakwater, the locality having contributed \$500, \$1,000; *Souris East*—Breakwater, &c., at *Knight's Point*, \$3,700; *Port Selkirk* Pier, \$1,000; Repairs to Government Piers and Wharves, \$6,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-three thousand three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, viz.:—*New Brunswick*—*Black River*—Repairs to breakwater, \$500; Repairs to breakwater at *Negro Point*, *St. John Harbour*, \$25,000; River *St. John*—Repairs to shear dam at *Oromocto* shoals, \$500; *Caraguet Harbour*—Wharf at the Oyster Grounds, \$1,500; River *St. John*—Improvements between *Woodstock* and *Fredericton*, \$1,500; *Edgett's Landing*—Additional amount required to complete ballast wharf, \$850; *Gray's Island*—Breakwater, \$4,000; *Shediac Harbour*—Improvements at *Point du Chêne* and dredging entrance channel, \$9,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-five thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Quebec*:—*Cacouna*—Pier, \$4,000; *Belœil* Piers, &c.—Repairs, \$1,500; River *St. Louis*, to complete, \$4,500; *Pointe à Valois*—Wharf extension, to complete, \$2,000; *Etang du Nord*, \$1,000; *Grande Rivière*—Addition to breakwater, \$1,500; *Newport River*, to complete, \$450; *Ste. Anne des Monts*, \$5,000; *Pointe St. Pierre*—Removal of reef, \$1,500; *Ste. Anne du Saguenay*, to complete, \$2,500; *Roberval*—Pier, Lake *St. John*, \$4,000; *Trois Pistoles* Pier, to complete, \$3,000; *Isle Verte* Pier, \$3,000; *Isle aux Condres*, \$250; *Berthier (en bas)*—Repairs to pier, \$500; *Beauport* Pier, \$300; *Ste. Anne de la Pérade*, \$2,500; River *Yamaska*—To complete repairs to lock and dam, \$9,000; *Coteau Landing* Pier, \$4,000; *St. François*—*Island of Orleans*—Repairs to pier, \$800:

River Ottawa—Improvement of channel at “*Mille Iles*,” \$1,000; *St. Michel de Bellechasse*—Repairs, \$1,000; *St. Timothée Pier*, \$1,000; *Ste. Famille Pier*—Repairs, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-seven thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Ontario*:—*Owen Sound*—Dredging entrance channel, \$4,000; *Kingsville*—Repairs, \$1,200; *Georgian Bay*—Removal of *Robertson Rocks* in main passage between *Clapperton* and *Croker's Island*, \$3,000; *Little Nation River*—The local authorities providing \$5,000—\$5,500; *Rideau River*—Dredging north branch, to complete, \$2,000; *Belleville*—Dredging, \$6,000; *Beaverton*—Wharf—The local authorities furnishing \$1,500, \$5,000; *McGregor's Creek*, to complete, \$1,500; *Scugog River*—Improvements at *Lindsay*, \$3,000; *Wiarton*—To complete breakwater—*Revote*, \$3,800, \$9,000; *Saugeen River*, \$1,500; *Big Bay*—*North Keppel*, \$2,000; *Thornbury*—Dredging, \$3,000; *Parry Sound Narrows*, \$6,000; *Goderich Harbour*, \$2,500; *Rondeau Harbour*—Repairs, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Red River*—Survey—*Manitoba*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers:—*British Columbia*—*Columbia River*—Improvements between the mouth of the *Kootenay River* and the International Boundary, \$6,000; *Nicomeckle River*, \$500; *Skeena River*, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-nine thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dredging, as follow, viz:—New dredging plant—*Maritime Provinces*, \$16,700; New dredging plant—*Quebec* and *Ontario*, \$2,500; New dredging plant, *British Columbia*, \$5,000; Dredge vessels--Repairs, \$5,100, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

Saturday, 10th May, 1890.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 Two of the Clock on Saturday morning, adjourned till Monday next.

Monday, 12th May, 1890.

PRAYERS.

Mr. *Dewdney*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—  
List of Schools under different denominations in the *North-West Territories*, 1889.  
(*Sessional Papers*, No. 330.)

On motion of Mr. *Girouard*, seconded by Mr. *Joncas*,  
*Resolved*, That this House doth concur in the First Report of the Select Stand-  
ing Committee on Privileges and Elections.

On motion of Mr. *McNeill*, seconded by Mr. *Shanly*,  
*Resolved*, That this House doth concur in the Report of the Select Committee  
appointed to enquire into the statements made in reference to furs taken from *Charles  
Bremner*, a Half-breed, residing at *Battleford*.

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 *Hereford*  
“ Railway Company and the *Maine* Central Railway Company,” without any amend-  
ment.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled : “ An Act to amend ‘ The Gas  
“ ‘ Inspection Act,’ chapter one hundred and one 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 respecting certain  
“ Savings Banks in the Province of *Quebec*,” to which they desire the concurrence of  
this House.

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

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled : “ An Act respecting certain  
“ Savings Banks in the Province of *Quebec*,” 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 certain proposed  
Resolutions respecting subsidies to Railways and Railway Companies therein men-  
tioned.

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 Com-  
mittee.

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

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand dollars be granted  
to Her Majesty, for Slides and Booms, as follow, viz. :—*River Ottawa*—Reconstruc-  
tion of slide at *Grand Calumet Falls*, \$8,000; *Petewawa River*—*Ottawa District*,  
\$5,000; *Ottawa District*—Reconstruction of works at *Des Joachims* and *Calumet*  
Stations, \$8,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Roads and Bridges, as follow, viz.:—Iron bridge over the *Grand River* at *York*, \$20,000; Bridge over the *Rideau Canal* at *Maria Street, Ottawa City*, \$15,000; Bridge across the *River Ottawa*, at the foot of *Lake Témiscamingue*; the Governments of *Ontario* and *Quebec* contributing each \$4,000, \$4,000; For the construction of a free bridge over the *Old Man's River* at *Fort McLeod*—Revote of lapsed amount, \$10,000—\$15,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Telegraphs, as follow, viz.:—Land and cable telegraph lines for the sea coasts and islands of the Lower River and Gulf of *St. Lawrence* and the Maritime Provinces:—Lifting cable from *Grosse Isle* to *Bird Rocks (Magdalen Islands)* and relaying same between *Meat Cove* and *St. Paul's Island*, \$3,000; To connect *Whitehead Island* with *Grand Manan Island*—Bay of *Fundy*, \$3,000; Loop line from *Meat Cove* to *White Point, C.B.*, \$600, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for reconstruction of telegraph line between *Ashcroft* and *Barkerville, B.C.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, being amount required to pay for the conveyance of the mails between *Canada* and the United Kingdom, under contract with Mr. *Andrew Allan*, at the rate of \$125,000 per annum, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *Port Mulgrave*, at the terminus of the Eastern Extension Railway and *East Bay, Cape Breton*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and seventy-three dollars and eighty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for a further amount of \$573.80 in the case of Sergeants *Benjamin Holdbrook* and *Camille Nourrie*, late of the *Montreal River Police*, they being employed throughout the whole year instead of during the season of navigation, as provided for in the Supplementary Estimates of 1889-90, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for a new steamer to replace the "*Sir James Douglas*," employed in the Lighthouse, Buoy and Coast Service in *British Columbia*, which vessel is no longer suitable for service, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-four thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fisheries, as follow, viz.:—To meet the increased expenses of Guardianship owing to the proposed change in system of protection—Fisheries—*Ontario*, \$3,000; *Quebec*, \$2,000; *New Brunswick*, \$3,000; *Nova Scotia*, \$3,000; *Prince Edward Island*, \$500; *Manitoba* and *North-West Territories*, \$3,000; Survey of oyster beds, \$5,000; To cover the cost of building Lobster hatches, \$5,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Ontario* and *Quebec*—To aid the Agricultural Society of the *Oneida* Indians of the *Thames*, to enable the Society to give prizes at the annual exhibition, \$60; To assist the undermentioned schools for Protestant Indian children at *Whitefish, Lake Ontario*, \$200; *Chapleau, Ontario*, \$200—\$400; To aid the Agricultural Society of the *Muncey* Indians of the *Thames*, who have no funds with which to give prizes at their annual exhibition, \$90; To compensate *John Grant*, a squatter on the *Gibson Reserve*, for improvements which he has been compelled to abandon, viz., a house 18 x 16 and five acres cleared, of which 1½ are under cultivation and 3½ are chopped and logged, \$50; To enable the Department to carry on the work of sub-dividing Indian Reserves in *Ontario* and *Quebec* as required, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand seven hundred and eighty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Manitoba* and the *North-West Territories*:—Aid to *Emmanuel College* at *Prince Albert, North-West Territories*, \$1,000; To provide salary for three Indian Dominion Constables now acting to repress the liquor traffic—two on the *Rosseau River Reserve*, and one on the *Sturgeon Lake Reserve*—\$12 each per annum, \$36; For the purchase of nets and fish-hooks for destitute Indians in the *McKenzie* district, \$500; To provide salary for teachers of day schools at *Lac la Ronge*, \$300, and at *Montreal Lake*, \$300, and to aid in the construction of two school-houses at those points, each \$100, \$200—\$800; For repairs and additions to the Industrial School at *High River*, as follow:—Veneering and siding main building, \$2,500, House for employees of the school, Instructors and others, \$1,500—4,000; To provide a salary for Mr. *Tucker*, issuer of rations and Farming Instructor, on the *Sioux Indian Reserve* at *Moose Wood*, \$144; To provide a salary for a teacher for third Day School on the Indian Reserve at *Fort Alexander*, in Treaty No. 1, *Manitoba*, \$300, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand four hundred and eighty-three dollars and eighty-eight cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *British Columbia*:—Aid to Indian Day School now in operation at *Kitkahlta*, about 35 miles from *Port Essington*, under the auspices of the Church of *England Missionary Society*, \$300; To pay to the Department of Marine the wages of the crew of the Dominion Steamer “*Sir James Douglas*” while engaged in the service of the Indian Reserve Commissioner on the North-West Coast of *British Columbia*, from 29th July to the 1st August, 1889, \$123.88; To conduct an Indian School for teaching trades on *Cormorant Island, Alert Bay*:—Wages to carpenter and boat builder, \$900; Blacksmith, \$75 per month, \$900; Shoemaker, \$75 per month, \$900—\$2,700; For maintenance of *Kootenay Industrial School*, \$2,500; To provide a salary for a teacher of the *Kamloops Indian Industrial School*, \$500; To provide for the employment of Mr. *W. H. Robertson*, as Instructor in trades for the Industrial School at *Metlakahlta*:—Salary per annum, \$1,000; Living allowance, \$360—\$1,360, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to enable the Department to pay Reverend *J. D. Cummane*, missionary, for services to the Indians of *Colchester* and *Hants County, Nova Scotia*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Nova Scotia*, viz.:—To enable the Department to pay to Reverend Father *Richard*, missionary, for services to the Indians of *Big Cove, Richibucto County*, \$200; To enable the Department to pay to Reverend Mr. *Smith*, of *Dalhousie*, for services to the Indians of *Eel River, Restigouche County*, \$50; To enable the Department to pay Reverend Father *Murray* for care of Indians, *Carleton County*, \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Geological Survey, as follow:—To pay Mr. *James Fletcher* for services in connection with the entomological collection in the Geological and Natural History Museum, \$100; To provide for the payment of expenses in connection with artesian boring, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for classification of old Records of the late Province of *Canada*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-seven dollars and eighty cents be granted to Her Majesty—Further amount required to provide for payment to the Government of *British Columbia* of costs of the transport of “C” Battery and attendant expenses *re* the *Skeena Expedition*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty to defray expenses of litigation, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Further amount required for assistance in the Registry Offices in the *North-West Territories*, \$1,000; To provide for the payment of the cost of printing and translating revised Ordinances of 1888, \$1,500; To provide for the purchase and distribution of traps for the destruction of gophers in the *North-West Territories*, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the collation and classification of old Records of *Canada* in the Privy Council Office, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Rouveau's Debates of Legislative Council of Quebec*, for 1888, 1889 and 1890, 20 copies each, at \$3, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for "*Le Vieux Lachine*," published by the *Gebhardt-Berthiaume Company*, 50 copies at \$1, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for "*Les Bourgeois du Nord-Ouest*," 25 copies at \$2 each, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Bourinot's Lectures on Comparative Politics*, 25 copies at \$1 per copy, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and thirty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for a Digest of Criminal Law, by Mr. Justice *Burbidge*, 20 copies at \$6.50 per copy, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for "Excise," as follow:—To provide for an increase of salary to the Manager of the Methylated Spirits Warehouse, \$150; To compensate Collector *Nash*, of *Charlottetown*, for extra services performed for three months during the absence of Exciseman *Moore* from the Division, \$125, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Weights and Measures:—To provide for the salary of an Assistant Inspector of Weights and Measures at *Victoria, B. C.*, \$600; To increase the salary of *A. C. Paterson*, Assistant Inspector of Weights and Measures at *Qu'Appelle*, \$100; To increase the salary of *S. Dillon*, Assistant Inspector of Weights and Measures, *Montreal*, \$100; To increase the salary of *M. Kelly*, Assistant Inspector of Weights and Measures, *Quebec*, \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *D. McPhee*, Inspector of Gas, *Hamilton*, for work as Consulting Engineer, fitting up new offices and improving apparatus in several offices, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

29. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required for the construction of roads on Ordnance Lands at *Grand Falls, New Brunswick*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

30. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Railways and Canals—To additional pay to persons permanently employed "in the Public Service" and remuneration to any other persons for services rendered for or in connection with passing vessels through the canals between *Lake Erie* and *Montreal* from midnight on Saturdays to 6 a.m. Sundays, and from 9 p.m. Sundays to midnight, notwithstanding anything in the Civil Service Act to the contrary, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

31. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty—Additional amount required for maintenance and repairs—Public Works—*River Trent* and *Newcastle District*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

32. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty to pay the following items in connection with Post Office Department, viz. :—To provide for one additional first class clerk in the office of the Post Office Inspector at *Stratford*, \$1,200; To increase the salary of Mr. *T. P. French*, Post Office Inspector, *Ottawa*, \$200; To add to the sum provided for to enable the Postmaster General to increase Mr. *Sydenham Howe's* salary to \$600 a year, \$200; To provide for an increase of salary to one first class clerk in the *Toronto* Post Office, \$100; To provide for two additional letter carriers in the *Montreal* Post Office, at \$360 each, \$720; To provide for one first class clerk in the Post Office Inspector's Office, *Winnipeg*, \$1,200; To provide for the difference of salary to *H. Lacken*, messenger in the office of the Post Office Inspector, *Montreal*, being short estimated in main estimates, \$80, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

33. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide an annuity to Miss *Harriet Fraser* of \$250 and to Mr. *Roderick Fraser* of \$150, in recognition of the services of their father in exploring the country which now forms the Province of *British Columbia*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

34. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet further amount required for Central Experimental Farm, for the year ending 30th June, 1891. •

35. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for dairy implements and appliances at the Experimental Farm, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

36. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to aid in publishing yearly reports of the Dominion Dairying and Fruit Growing Associations, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

37. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Mr. *George L. McDonald* for claim for getting out building stones in the Province of *Nova Scotia* for the *Philadelphia* Exhibition, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

38. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to aid in a Canadian representation at the Exhibition to be held at *Jamaica* in 1891, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

39. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required for the *Montreal* and European Short Line Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

40. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet further amount required for Immigration, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

41. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for printing, binding and distributing the Laws, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

42. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-six thousand three hundred and eighty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet further amount required for plant for Printing Bureau, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

*Tuesday, 13th May, 1890.*

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 Bill, intituled : “ An Act to amend “ The Seamen’s “ Act,” chapter seventy-four of the Revised Statutes,” with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting a certain agreement therein mentioned with the *Calgary and Edmonton Railway Company*;

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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 respecting Railways ; ”

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 in 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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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.

And then The House, having continued to sit till a quarter of an hour before Two of the Clock on Tuesday morning, adjourned till this day.

Tuesday, 13th May, 1890.

PRAYERS.

On motion of Mr. *Daly*, seconded by Mr. *Davis*,

*Ordered*, That all Rules and Orders of this House be suspended, as regards a Bill respecting the *Winnipeg and Hudson Bay Railway Company*.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Daly* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Winnipeg and Hudson Bay Railway 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 referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

Sir *John A. Macdonald* moved, seconded by Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, That this House will, this day, resolve itself into a Committee to consider certain proposed Resolutions respecting subsidies to Railways and Railway Companies 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, this day, 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 certain proposed Resolutions respecting subsidies in land to certain Railways and Railway Companies 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.

Mr. *McMullen* moved, seconded by Mr. *Campbell*, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn:—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

A Bill respecting a certain agreement therein mentioned with the *Calgary* and *Edmonton* 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 House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Gas Inspection Act,' chapter one hundred and one 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.

Mr. *Wood* (*Brockville*) reported from the Committee of the Whole House to consider certain proposed Resolutions respecting the granting of subsidies in land to certain Railway Companies in *Manitoba* and the *North-West Territories*, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to authorize the Governor in Council to grant to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, Dominion Lands to an extent not exceeding Six thousand four hundred acres per mile for a branch line to be constructed from *Glenboro'* westerly, a distance of about Sixty miles, to a point on the proposed branch railway of the said Company running from *Brandon* south-westerly.

2. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to authorize the Governor in Council to grant to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, Dominion Lands to an extent not exceeding Six thousand four hundred acres per mile for a branch line of railway from a point at or near *Brandon*, on the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, south-westerly to or near Township three, Range twenty-seven, West of the First Princi-

pal Meridian, and thence westerly, a total distance of One hundred miles ; and also, a similar grant at the same rate per mile, for the said Company's proposed branch railway from a point on the line just described, at or near Township three, Range twenty-seven, West of the First Principal Meridian, easterly to *Deloraine*, a distance of about Twenty-five miles, making the total length of railway to which this grant is applicable One hundred and twenty-five miles.

3. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to authorize the Governor in Council to grant to the *Brandon* and South-Western Railway Company, Dominion Lands to an extent not less than Six thousand four hundred acres per mile for the line of railway from a point in Township one, in either Range twenty-three or twenty-four, West of the First Principal Meridian, to *Deloraine*, a distance of about Seventeen miles.

4. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to authorize the Governor in Council to grant to the *Lac Seul* Railway Company, Dominion Lands to an extent not exceeding Six thousand four hundred acres per mile for a line of railway from a point at or near *Shelley* Station, on the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, to a point at or near *White Mud Lake*, on the *Winnipeg* Railway, a distance of about Eighteen miles.

5. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to authorize the Governor in Council to grant to the *Calgary* and *Edmonton* Railway Company, Dominion Lands to an extent not exceeding Six thousand four hundred acres for each mile of the Company's railway from *Calgary* to a point at or near *Edmonton*, on the *North Saskatchewan* River, a distance of about One hundred and ninety miles ; and also, a grant of Six thousand four hundred acres for each mile of the Company's Railway from *Calgary* to a point on the International boundary, between *Canada* and the *United States*, a distance of about One hundred and fifty miles.

6. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to authorize the Governor in Council to grant to the North-Western Coal and Navigation Company, Dominion Lands to an extent not exceeding Three thousand eight hundred and forty acres for each mile of the Company's Railway, from *Lethbridge* to the *Crow's Nest Pass*, a distance of about One hundred miles.

7. *Resolved*, That it is expedient that the said grants be made in aid of the construction of the said Railways, respectively, in the proportion and upon the conditions fixed by the Orders in Council made in respect thereof, and that, except as to such conditions, the said grants shall be free grants, subject only to the payment of the grantees, respectively, of the cost of survey of the lands and incidental expenses, at the rate of ten cents per acre in cash on the issue of the patents therefor.

Mr. *Dewdney* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, and the Question being proposed, That the said Resolutions be now read a second time ;

Mr. *Watson* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Bain* (*Wentworth*), 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 for the purpose of providing, as a condition of the free grants authorized to be made to Railways, that the ordinary agricultural lands so granted shall be open for sale in suitable areas, on condition of actual settlement, at prices not exceeding a fixed minimum," 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>Charlton,</i>	<i>Landerkin,</i>	<i>Rinfret,</i>
<i>Bain</i> ( <i>Wentworth</i> ),	<i>Couture,</i>	<i>Lang,</i>	<i>Rowand,</i>
<i>Barron,</i>	<i>Dessaint,</i>	<i>Laurier,</i>	<i>Ste. Marie,</i>
<i>Béchar,</i>	<i>Ellis,</i>	<i>Livingston,</i>	<i>Scriver,</i>
<i>Bernier,</i>	<i>Fiset,</i>	<i>Lovitt,</i>	<i>Simple,</i>

<i>Blake,</i>	<i>Fisher,</i>	<i>Mackenzie,</i>	<i>Somerville,</i>
<i>Bourassa,</i>	<i>Geoffrion,</i>	<i>McMullen,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Brien,</i>	<i>Gillmor,</i>	<i>Meigs,</i>	<i>Trow,</i>
<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Godbout,</i>	<i>Mills (Bothwell),</i>	<i>Turcot,</i>
<i>Cartwright (Sir Richard),</i>	<i>Guay,</i>	<i>Mitchell</i>	<i>Watson,</i>
<i>Casey,</i>	<i>Holton,</i>	<i>Neveux,</i>	<i>Welsh, and</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Innes,</i>	<i>Paterson (Brant),</i>	<i>Wilson (Elgin).—48.</i>

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

<i>Amyot,</i>	<i>Corby,</i>	<i>Haggart,</i>	<i>Patterson (Essex),</i>
<i>Audet,</i>	<i>Costigan,</i>	<i>Hall,</i>	<i>Porter,</i>
<i>Bain (Soulanges),</i>	<i>Coughlin,</i>	<i>Hesson,</i>	<i>Robillard,</i>
<i>Bell,</i>	<i>Coulombe,</i>	<i>Hickey,</i>	<i>Roome,</i>
<i>Bergeron,</i>	<i>Curran,</i>	<i>Joncas,</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Bergin,</i>	<i>Daly,</i>	<i>Jones (Digby),</i>	<i>Shanly,</i>
<i>Boisvert,</i>	<i>Daoust,</i>	<i>Labrosse,</i>	<i>Small,</i>
<i>Bowell,</i>	<i>Davis,</i>	<i>Langevin (Sir Hector)</i>	<i>Smith (Ontario),</i>
<i>Boyle,</i>	<i>Dawson,</i>	<i>La Rivière,</i>	<i>Taylor,</i>
<i>Brown,</i>	<i>Denison,</i>	<i>Laurie (Lieut.-Genl.)</i>	<i>Temple,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Desaulniers,</i>	<i>Lépine,</i>	<i>Thérien,</i>
<i>Burns,</i>	<i>Desjardins,</i>	<i>Macdonald (Sir John)</i>	<i>Thompson (Sir John),</i>
<i>Cargill,</i>	<i>Deudney,</i>	<i>McCulla,</i>	<i>Tyrchitt,</i>
<i>Carling,</i>	<i>Dupont,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Wallace,</i>
<i>Carpenter,</i>	<i>Earle,</i>	<i>McMillan (Vaudreuil),</i>	<i>Ward,</i>
<i>Caron (Sir Adolphe),</i>	<i>Ferguson (Renfrew),</i>	<i>McNeill,</i>	<i>Weldon (Albert),</i>
<i>Chapleau,</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>Madill,</i>	<i>Wilmot,</i>
<i>Cimon,</i>	<i>Gigault,</i>	<i>Masson,</i>	<i>Wilson (Lennox),</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Girouard,</i>	<i>Moncrieff,</i>	<i>Wood (Brockville), and</i>
<i>Cockburn,</i>	<i>Grandbois,</i>	<i>Montague,</i>	<i>Wood (Westm'd.)—83.</i>
<i>Colby,</i>	<i>Guillet,</i>	<i>Montplaisir,</i>	

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put :—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Resolutions were accordingly read a second time, and agreed to.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend the Acts respecting the Harbour of *Pictou* ;

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. *Wood (Brockville)*, 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 make further provision respecting the Bounty on Pig Iron manufactured in *Canada* from Canadian Ore ;

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Bowell*, 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 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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendment made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Seamen's "Act," chapter seventy-four 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 Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to provide for the collection and publishing of Labour Statistics;

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 to provide an appropriation for expenses in connection with the Bureau of Labour Statistics.

*(In the Committee.)*

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to provide that the sum of Ten thousand dollars per annum be appropriated for the expenses in connection with the Bureau of Labour Statistics.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported the Resolution accordingly, and the same was read, as followeth:—

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to provide that the sum of Ten thousand dollars per annum be appropriated for the expenses in connection with the Bureau of Labour Statistics.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to, and referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the Bill to provide for the collection and publishing of Labour Statistics.

The House then resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to provide for the collection and publishing of Labour Statistics (together with the Resolution adopted in Committee of the Whole this day), 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.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, that a Message had been brought from the Senate by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate do not insist on their Amendments, viz:—The Eighteenth, Twentieth, Twenty-first, and that portion of the Twenty-fourth which proposed to add sub-sections 86 and 87, to the Bill, intituled: “An Act further to amend the Criminal “Law,” to which the Commons have disagreed.

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

*Ordered*, That all Rules and Orders of this House be suspended, as regards a Bill respecting the *Wood Mountain* and *Qu'Appelle* Railway Company.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Hesson* 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;

Mr. *Hesson* moved, seconded by Mr. *Curran*, 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 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 from the Senate, intituled: “An Act respecting certain Savings Banks in the Province of “*Quebec*,”

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. *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, 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. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Correspondence respecting the surrender of the *Anderson* contract for the Atlantic Steamship Service. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 94.)

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain proposed Resolutions respecting the granting of subsidies to certain Railways and Railway Companies 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>Montreal and Ottawa</i> Railway Company, for 30 miles of their railway, from the Western end of the 30 miles subsidized by the Act 50-51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 24, towards <i>Ottawa</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, and not exceeding in the whole.....	\$ 96,000
To the <i>Waterloo Junction</i> Railway Company, for 11 miles of their railway, from <i>Waterloo</i> to <i>Elmira</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, and not exceeding in the whole.....	35,200
To the Northern and Pacific Junction Railway Company, for a railway from <i>Gravenhurst</i> to <i>Callander</i> , the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidies granted by the Acts 45 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 14, and 46 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 25, not exceeding in the whole.....	600
For a railway from <i>Woodstock</i> , via <i>London</i> , to <i>Chatham</i> , in the Province of <i>Ontario</i> , 80 miles, in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 49 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 10, for a railway from <i>Ingersoll</i> , via <i>London</i> , to <i>Chatham</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	256,000
To the <i>St. Catharines and Niagara</i> Railway Company, for 14 miles of their railway, from the end of the 20 miles subsidized by the Act 52 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, to <i>Hamilton</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	44,800
To a railway from <i>Ottawa</i> to <i>Morrisburg</i> , 52 miles, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	166,400
To the <i>Erie and Huron</i> Railway Company, for 22 miles of their railway from <i>Petrolia</i> , via <i>Oil Springs</i> , to <i>Dresden</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	70,400
To the <i>Brockville, Westport and Sault Ste. Marie</i> Railway Company, for a railway from <i>Brockville</i> to <i>Westport</i> , the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidy granted by the Act 48-49 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 59, not exceeding in the whole.....	83,000
To the <i>Manitoulin and North Shore</i> Railway Company, for 30 miles of their railway from <i>Little Current</i> to the <i>Algoma</i> Branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	96,000
To the <i>Port Arthur, Duluth and Western</i> Railway Company, for 5 miles of their railway, being a branch from the main line of railway to the <i>Kakabeka Falls</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	16,000
To the <i>Lake Erie and Detroit River</i> Railway Company, for 50 miles of their railway, on a line to be fixed by the Governor General in Council, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	160,000
To the <i>Lindsay, Bobcaygeon and Pontypool</i> Railway Company, for 16 miles of their railway, from <i>Bobcaygeon</i> to the <i>Midland</i> Railway, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	51,200
To the <i>Kingston, Smith's Falls and Ottawa</i> Railway Company, for 36 miles of their railway, from the north-east end of the 20 miles subsidized by the Act 52 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, to <i>Smith's Falls</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	115,200
To the <i>Ottawa and Parry Sound</i> Railway Company, for 30 miles of their railway, from <i>Egansville</i> to <i>Barry's Bay</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	96,000

To the <i>Belleville</i> and <i>Lake Nipissing</i> Railway Company, for 30 miles of their railway, from <i>Belleville</i> to <i>Tweed</i> and thence to <i>Bridge-water</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	\$ 96,000
To the <i>Cobourg, Northumberland</i> and <i>Pacific</i> Railway Company, for 30 miles of their railway, from <i>Cobourg</i> to the <i>Ontario</i> and <i>Quebec</i> Railway, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	96,000
To the <i>St. Stephen</i> and <i>Milltown</i> Railway Company, for 3½ miles of their railway, from the town of <i>St. Stephen</i> to the town of <i>Milltown</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	11,200
To the <i>Woodstock</i> and <i>Centreville</i> Railway Company, for 6 miles of their railway, from the western end of the 20 miles subsidized by the Act, 50-51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 24, to the International Boundary between the Province of <i>New Brunswick</i> and the State of <i>Maine</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	19,200
For a railway from a point at or near <i>Fredericton</i> , <i>via Oromocto</i> , and <i>Gagetown</i> to a point on the <i>New Brunswick</i> Railway west of <i>Westfield</i> Station, for 30 miles thereof, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	96,000
To the <i>Central</i> Railway Company of <i>New Brunswick</i> , for 4½ miles of their railway, the distance which the previous subsidy granted is short of covering, from the head of <i>Grand Lake</i> to the <i>Intercolonial</i> Railway, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	14,400
To the <i>Montreal</i> and <i>Western</i> Railway Company, for 70 miles of their railway, from <i>St. Jérôme</i> , northwesterly towards <i>Désert</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 49 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 10, a subsidy not exceeding \$5,161 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	361,270

Provided, that the subsidy hereby granted to the *Montreal* and *Western* Railway Company may be paid by instalments, on the completion of each section of the railway, as follow, that is to say:—

SECTIONS.	Approximate length in miles.
<i>St. Jérôme</i> to <i>Shawbridge</i> .....	8
<i>Shawbridge</i> to <i>St. Sauveur</i> .....	4
<i>St. Sauveur</i> to <i>Ste. Adèle</i> .....	6
<i>Ste. Adèle</i> to <i>Lac à la Fourche</i> .....	6
<i>Lac à la Fourche</i> to <i>Ste. Agathe</i> .....	6½
<i>Ste. Agathe</i> to <i>St. Faustin</i> .....	14
<i>St. Faustin</i> to <i>St. Jovite</i> .....	7½
<i>St. Jovite</i> to <i>Summit Lake</i> .....	8
<i>Summit Lake</i> to <i>La Chute aux Iroquois</i> .....	7
<i>La Chute aux Iroquois</i> towards <i>Désert</i> .....	3

Such instalments to be proportionate to the value of the portion so completed in comparison with that of the whole work undertaken, to be established as aforesaid.

For 75 miles of the Railway from <i>Shelburne</i> , in the County of <i>Shelburne</i> , and from <i>Liverpool</i> , in the County of <i>Queens</i> , towards <i>Annapolis</i> , in the Province of <i>Nova Scotia</i> , to be so contracted for as to secure the construction to both <i>Shelburne</i> and <i>Liverpool</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	\$ 240,000
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To the <i>Inverness and Richmond Railway Company</i> , for 50 miles of their railway from <i>Port Hawkesbury</i> to <i>Broadcove</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$1,000 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	\$ 50,000
To the <i>International Railway Company</i> , for a railway from <i>Sherbrooke</i> to the <i>International Boundary</i> , the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidy granted by the Act 46 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 25, not exceeding in the whole.....	3,840
For completing the <i>Montreal and Sorel Railway</i> from <i>St. Lambert</i> to <i>Sorel</i> .....	40,000
To the <i>Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway Company</i> , for 7½ miles of their railway, from <i>Hull</i> to <i>Aylmer</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, not exceeding in the whole.....	24,000
To the <i>Montreal and Lake Maskinongé Railway Company</i> , for 3½ miles of their railway, the distance which the subsidy granted by the Act 49 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 10, is short of covering from <i>St. Félix</i> to <i>Lake Maskinongé</i> , in the Parish of <i>St. Gabriel</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	10,200
To the <i>Great Eastern Railway Company</i> , for a bridge over the <i>Nicolet River</i> , and also, a bridge on the <i>St. Francis River</i> , a subsidy of 15 per cent. on the value of the structures, not to exceed.....	37,500
To the <i>Drummond County Railway Company</i> , for 24 miles of their railway, from <i>Drummondville</i> to <i>Ste. Rosalie</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	76,800
To the <i>Great Northern Railway Company</i> , for 15 miles of their railway, from, at or near <i>Montcalm</i> to the <i>Canadian Pacific Railway</i> , between <i>Joliette</i> and <i>St. Félix de Valois</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	48,000
To the <i>Lake Témiscamingue Colonization Railway Company</i> , for 20 miles of their railway, from the northern end of the 15 miles subsidized by the Act 52 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, to the <i>Long Sault</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	64,000
To the <i>Maskinongé and Nipissing Railway Company</i> , for 15 miles of their railway, from the northern end of the 15 miles subsidized by the Act 52 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, towards the point of <i>St. Michel des Saints</i> , on the <i>River Mattawa</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	48,000
To the <i>St. Lawrence and Adirondack Railway Company</i> , for 18 miles of their railway, from <i>Valleyfield</i> to <i>Huntingdon</i> , on the <i>Montreal and Champlain Junction Railway</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	57,600
To the <i>Quebec Central Railway Company</i> , for 90 miles of their railway, from <i>St. Francis Station</i> , on the <i>Quebec Central Railway</i> , to a point on the <i>Atlantic and North-Western Railway</i> , near <i>Moose River</i> , or from a point on the <i>Quebec Central Railway</i> , between the <i>Chaudière River</i> and <i>King Station</i> , to a point on the <i>International Railway</i> , at or near <i>Lake Megantic</i> , in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, a subsidy not exceeding \$21,191.54 per annum for twenty years, or a guarantee of a like sum for a like period, as interest on the bonds of the Company, such annual subsidy for twenty years representing a grant in cash of.....	288,000
To the <i>Quebec and Lake St. John Railway Company</i> , for a railway bridge over the <i>St. Charles River</i> , to give access to the <i>City of Quebec</i> , a subsidy not to exceed in the whole \$30,000 ; also, for 12	

	miles of their railway from <i>Lorette, via Charlesbourg, to Quebec</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole \$38,400.....	\$68,400
For	a railway from <i>Summerside to Richmond Bay</i> , in the Province of <i>Prince Edward Island</i> , 3 miles, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	9,600
To	the <i>Columbia and Kootenay Railway Company</i> , for 35 miles of their railway, from the outlet of <i>Kootenay Lake</i> to a point on the <i>Columbia River</i> , as near as practicable to the junction of the <i>Kootenay and Columbia Rivers</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor to exceed in the whole.....	112,000
For	a railway from a point on the <i>Intercolonial Railway</i> through the <i>Stewiacke Valley</i> , on a line which will afford facilities of communication with the iron mines, <i>Springside, Upper Stewiacke, and Mosquodoboit</i> settlements, 25 miles, in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 49 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 10, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	80,000
For	a railway from <i>Fredericton</i> to the Village of <i>Prince William</i> , in the Province of <i>New Brunswick</i> , 22 miles, in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 49 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 10, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	70,400
To	the <i>St. John Valley and Rivière du Loup Railway Company</i> , for 22 miles of their railway, from the Village of <i>Prince William</i> towards the town of <i>Woodstock</i> , in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 50-51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 24, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	70,400

2. *Resolved*, The subsidies hereinbefore mentioned as to be granted to Companies named for that purpose, shall be granted to such Companies, respectively; the other subsidies, including subsidies granted for railways over a line extending beyond a point to which any company hereinbefore mentioned by name is authorized to construct their railway, shall be granted to such Companies as shall be approved by the Governor in Council as having established to his satisfaction their ability to construct and complete the said railways, respectively; all the lines for the construction of which subsidies are granted, shall be commenced within two years from the first day of July next, and completed within a reasonable time, not to exceed four years, to be fixed by Order in Council, except the *Erie and Huron Railway*, which shall be completed within two years from the first day of July next; 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 specifying 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, 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 the completion of the work subsidized, except as regards the *Erie and Huron Railway Company*, upon which payment shall be made only upon the completion of the work; except also, as regards the subsidies to the *Inverness and Richmond Railway*, which shall be paid on the completion of each 10 mile section, in accordance, as nearly as practicable, with the agreement between the company and the Municipality of *Inverness*, and with section four of the Act of the Legislature of *Nova Scotia*, 1890, intituled: "An Act to enable the County of *Inverness* to borrow money;" except also, as regards the subsidies to the *Great Eastern Railway Company* for bridges over the *Nicolet and St. Francis Rivers*, and to the *Quebec and Lake St. John Railway Company* for

the bridge over the *St. Charles* River, upon which shall be paid fifteen per cent. of the value of work done, on monthly progress estimates, certified by the Chief Engineer, and upon the approval of the Minister of Railways and Canals; and excepting also, the subsidy granted to the *Quebec Central Railway* Company, the first annual payment upon which shall be made at the end of twelve months from the date of the Chief Engineer's certificate of the completion of the work, and each subsequent payment at the end of each twelve months thereafter, for the term of twenty years.

3. *Resolved*, The granting of such subsidies to the Companies mentioned, respectively, shall be subject to such condition for securing running powers or traffic arrangement or other rights, as will afford all reasonable facilities and equal mileage rates to all railways connecting with those subsidized, as the Governor in Council determines.

Resolutions to be reported.

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Wednesday morning:

Wednesday, 14th May, 1890.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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:—

To the <i>Montreal and Ottawa</i> Railway Company, for 30 miles of their railway, from the Western end of the 30 miles subsidized by the Act 50-51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 24, towards <i>Ottawa</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, and not exceeding in the whole.....	\$ 96,000
To the <i>Waterloo Junction</i> Railway Company, for 11 miles of their railway, from <i>Waterloo</i> to <i>Elmira</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, and not exceeding in the whole.....	35,200
To the Northern and Pacific Junction Railway Company, for a railway from <i>Gravenhurst</i> to <i>Callander</i> , the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidies granted by the Acts 45 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 14, and 46 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 25, not exceeding in the whole.....	600
For a railway from <i>Woodstock</i> , <i>via</i> <i>London</i> , to <i>Chatham</i> , in the Province of <i>Ontario</i> , 80 miles, in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 49 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 10, for a railway from <i>Ingersoll</i> , <i>via</i> <i>London</i> , to <i>Chatham</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	256,000
To the <i>St. Catharines</i> and <i>Niagara</i> Railway Company, for 14 miles of their railway, from the end of the 20 miles subsidized by the Act 52 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, to <i>Hamilton</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	44,800
To a railway from <i>Ottawa</i> to <i>Morrisburg</i> , 52 miles, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	166,400
To the <i>Erie</i> and <i>Huron</i> Railway Company, for 22 miles of their railway from <i>Petrolia</i> , <i>via</i> <i>Oil Springs</i> , to <i>Dresden</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	70,400
To the <i>Brockville</i> , <i>Westport</i> and <i>Sault Ste. Marie</i> Railway Company, for a railway from <i>Brockville</i> to <i>Westport</i> , the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidy granted by the Act 48-49 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 59, not exceeding in the whole.....	83,000

To the <i>Manitoulin</i> and North Shore Railway Company, for 30 miles of their railway from <i>Little Current</i> to the <i>Algoma</i> Branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	\$ 96,000
To the <i>Port Arthur, Duluth</i> and Western Railway Company, for 5 miles of their railway, being a branch from the main line of railway to the <i>Kakabeka Falls</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	16,000
To the <i>Lake Erie</i> and <i>Detroit River</i> Railway Company, for 50 miles of their railway, on a line to be fixed by the Governor General in Council, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	160,000
To the <i>Lindsay, Bobcaygeon</i> and <i>Pontypool</i> Railway Company, for 16 miles of their railway, from <i>Bobcaygeon</i> to the <i>Midland</i> Railway, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	51,200
To the <i>Kingston, Smith's Falls</i> and <i>Ottawa</i> Railway Company, for 36 miles of their railway, from the north-east end of the 20 miles subsidized by the Act 52 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, to <i>Smith's Falls</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	115,200
To the <i>Ottawa</i> and <i>Parry Sound</i> Railway Company, for 30 miles of their railway, from <i>Egansville</i> to <i>Barry's Bay</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	96,000
To the <i>Belleville</i> and <i>Lake Nipissing</i> Railway Company, for 30 miles of their railway, from <i>Belleville</i> to <i>Tweed</i> and thence to <i>Bridge-water</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	96,000
To the <i>Cobourg, Northumberland</i> and <i>Pacific</i> Railway Company, for 30 miles of their railway, from <i>Cobourg</i> to the <i>Ontario</i> and <i>Quebec</i> Railway, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	96,000
To the <i>St. Stephen</i> and <i>Milltown</i> Railway Company, for 3½ miles of their railway, from the town of <i>St. Stephen</i> to the town of <i>Milltown</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	11,200
To the <i>Woodstock</i> and <i>Centreville</i> Railway Company, for 6 miles of their railway, from the western end of the 20 miles subsidized by the Act, 50-51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 24, to the International Boundary between the Province of <i>New Brunswick</i> and the State of <i>Maine</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	19,200
For a railway from a point at or near <i>Fredericton, via Oromocto</i> and <i>Gagetown</i> , to a point on the <i>New Brunswick</i> Railway west of <i>Westfield</i> Station, for 30 miles thereof, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	96,000
To the <i>Central</i> Railway Company of <i>New Brunswick</i> , for 4½ miles of their railway, the distance which the previous subsidy granted is short of covering, from the head of <i>Grand Lake</i> to the <i>Intercolonial</i> Railway, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	14,400
To the <i>Montreal</i> and <i>Western</i> Railway Company, for 70 miles of their railway, from <i>St. Jérôme</i> , north-westerly towards <i>Désert</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 49 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 10, a subsidy not exceeding \$5,161 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	361,270

Provided, that the subsidy hereby granted to the *Montreal* and Western Railway Company may be paid by instalments, on the completion of each section of the railway, as follow, that is to say:—

SECTIONS.	Approximate length in miles.
<i>St. Jérôme to Shawbridge</i> .....	8
<i>Shawbridge to St. Sauveur</i> .....	4
<i>St. Sauveur to Ste. Adèle</i> .....	6
<i>Ste. Adèle to Lac à la Fourche</i> .....	6
<i>Lac à la Fourche to Ste. Agathe</i> .....	6½
<i>Ste. Agathe to St. Faustin</i> .....	14
<i>St. Faustin to St. Jovite</i> .....	7½
<i>St. Jovite to Summit Lake</i> .....	8
<i>Summit Lake to La Chute aux Iroquois</i> .....	7
<i>La Chute aux Iroquois towards Désert</i> .....	3

Such instalments to be proportionate to the value of the portion so completed in comparison with that of the whole work undertaken, to be established as aforesaid.

For 75 miles of the Railway from <i>Shelburne</i> , in the County of <i>Shelburne</i> , and from <i>Liverpool</i> , in the County of <i>Queens</i> , towards <i>Annapolis</i> , in the Province of <i>Nova Scotia</i> , to be so contracted for as to secure the construction to both <i>Shelburne</i> and <i>Liverpool</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	\$ 240,000
To the <i>Inverness</i> and <i>Richmond</i> Railway Company, for 50 miles of their railway from <i>Port Hawkesbury</i> to <i>Broadcove</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$1,000 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	50,000
To the International Railway Company, for a railway from <i>Sherbrooke</i> to the International Boundary, the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidy granted by the Act 46 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 25, not exceeding in the whole .....	3,840
For completing the <i>Montreal</i> and <i>Sorel</i> Railway from <i>St. Lambert</i> to <i>Sorel</i> .....	40,000
To the <i>Pontiac</i> Pacific Junction Railway Company, for 7½ miles of their railway, from <i>Hull</i> to <i>Aylmer</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	24,000
To the <i>Montreal</i> and Lake <i>Maskinongé</i> Railway Company, for 3½ miles of their railway, the distance which the subsidy granted by the Act 49 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 10, is short of covering from <i>St. Félix</i> to Lake <i>Maskinongé</i> , in the Parish of <i>St. Gabriel</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	10,200
To the Great Eastern Railway Company, for a bridge over the <i>Nicolet</i> River, and also, a bridge on the <i>St. Francis</i> River, a subsidy of 15 per cent. on the value of the structures, not to exceed .....	37,500
To the <i>Drummond</i> County Railway Company, for 24 miles of their railway, from <i>Drummondville</i> to <i>Ste. Rosalie</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	76,800
To the Great Northern Railway Company, for 15 miles of their railway, from, at or near <i>Montcalm</i> to the Canadian Pacific Railway, between <i>Joliette</i> and <i>St. Félix de Valois</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	48,000
To the Lake <i>Témiscamingue</i> Colonization Railway Company, for 20 miles of their railway, from the northern end of the 15 miles subsidized by the Act 52 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, to the <i>Long Sault</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole .....	64,000

To the <i>Maskinongé</i> and <i>Nipissing</i> Railway Company, for 15 miles of their railway, from the northern end of the 15 miles subsidized by the Act 52 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, towards the point of <i>St. Michel des Saints</i> , on the River <i>Mattawa</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole .....	\$ 48,000
To the <i>St. Lawrence</i> and <i>Adirondack</i> Railway Company, for 18 miles of their railway, from <i>Valleyfield</i> to <i>Huntingdon</i> , on the <i>Montreal</i> and <i>Champlain</i> Junction Railway, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	57,600
To the <i>Quebec</i> Central Railway Company, for 90 miles of their railway, from <i>St. Francis</i> Station, on the <i>Quebec</i> Central Railway, to a point on the Atlantic and North-Western Railway, near <i>Moose</i> River, or from a point on the <i>Quebec</i> Central Railway, between the <i>Chaudière</i> River and <i>King</i> Station, to a point on the International Railway, at or near Lake <i>Megantic</i> , in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, a subsidy not exceeding \$21,191.54 per annum for twenty years, or a guarantee of a like sum for a like period, as interest on the bonds of the Company, such annual subsidy for twenty years representing a grant in cash of.....	288,000
To the <i>Quebec</i> and Lake <i>St. John</i> Railway Company, for a railway bridge over the <i>St. Charles</i> River, to give access to the City of <i>Quebec</i> , a subsidy not to exceed in the whole \$30,000 ; also, for 12 miles of their railway from <i>Lorette, viâ Charlesbourg</i> , to <i>Quebec</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole \$38,400.....	68,400
For a railway from <i>Summerside</i> to <i>Richmond Bay</i> , in the Province of <i>Prince Édouard Island</i> , 3 miles, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	9,600
To the <i>Columbia</i> and <i>Kootenay</i> Railway Company, for 35 miles of their railway, from the outlet of <i>Kootenay</i> Lake to a point on the <i>Columbia</i> River, as near as practicable to the junction of the <i>Kootenay</i> and <i>Columbia</i> Rivers, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor to exceed in the whole.....	112,000
For a railway from a point on the <i>Intercolonial</i> Railway through the <i>Stewiacke</i> Valley, on a line which will afford facilities of communication with the iron mines. <i>Springside</i> , <i>Upper Stewiacke</i> , and <i>Mosquodoboit</i> settlements, 25 miles, in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 49 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 10, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	80,000
For a railway from <i>Fredericton</i> to the Village of <i>Prince William</i> , in the Province of <i>New Brunswick</i> , 22 miles, in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 49 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 10, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	70,400
To the <i>St. John Valley</i> and <i>Rivière du Loup</i> Railway Company, for 22 miles of their railway, from the Village of <i>Prince William</i> towards the town of <i>Woodstock</i> , in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 50-51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 24, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	70,400

2. Resolved, The subsidies hereinbefore mentioned as to be granted to Companies named for that purpose, shall be granted to such Companies, respectively; the other subsidies, including subsidies granted for railways over a line extending beyond a point to which any company hereinbefore mentioned by name is authorized to construct their railway, shall be granted to such Companies as shall be approved by the Governor in Council as having established to his satisfaction their ability to construct and complete the said railways, respectively; all the lines for the construction of which subsidies are granted, shall be commenced within two years from the

first day of July next, and completed within a reasonable time, not to exceed four years, to be fixed by Order in Council, except the *Erie* and *Huron* Railway, which shall be completed within two years from the first day of July next; 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 specifying 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, 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 the completion of the work subsidized, except as regards the *Erie* and *Huron* Railway Company, upon which payment shall be made only upon the completion of the work; except also, as regards the subsidies to the *Inverness* and *Richmond* Railway, which shall be paid on the completion of each 10 mile section, in accordance, as nearly as practicable, with the agreement between the company and the Municipality of *Inverness*, and with section four of the Act of the Legislature of *Nova Scotia*, 1890, intituled: "An Act to enable the County of *Inverness* to borrow money;" except also, as regards the subsidies to the Great Eastern Railway Company for bridges over the *Nicolet* and *St. Francis* Rivers, and to the *Quebec* and *Lake St. John* Railway Company for the bridge over the *St. Charles* River, upon which shall be paid fifteen per cent. of the value of work done, on monthly progress estimates, certified by the Chief Engineer, and upon the approval of the Minister of Railways and Canals; and excepting also, the subsidy granted to the *Quebec* Central Railway Company, the first annual payment upon which shall be made at the end of twelve months from the date of the Chief Engineer's certificate of the completion of the work, and each subsequent payment at the end of each twelve months thereafter, for the term of twenty years.

3. *Resolved*, The granting of such subsidies to the Companies mentioned, respectively, shall be subject to such condition for securing running powers or traffic arrangements or other rights, as will afford all reasonable facilities and equal mileage rates to all railways connecting with those subsidized, as the Governor in Council determines.

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 respecting subsidies to Railways and Railway Companies; 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>Temiscouata</i> Railway Company, for 16 miles of their railway, from the west end of the 20 miles of their branch railway from <i>Edmundston</i> , subsidized by the Act 51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, towards the <i>St. Francis</i> River, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	\$51,200
For a railway from the north end of the 14 miles for which a subsidy was granted by the Act 50 and 51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 24, to the <i>Tobique</i> Valley Railway Company, from <i>Perth</i> Centre towards <i>Plaster Rock</i> Island, 11 miles, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	35,200
To the <i>Orford</i> Mountain Railway Company, for 31 miles of their railway, between <i>Eastman</i> and <i>Kingsbury</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....	99,200

For a railway from *Lachine Bank*, on the line of the Grand Trunk Railway, to a point at or near *Rivière des Prairies*, a distance of 15 miles, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole..... \$ 48,000

2. *Resolved*, The subsidies hereinbefore mentioned as to be granted to Companies named for that purpose, shall be granted to such Companies, respectively; the other subsidies, including subsidies granted for railways over a line extending beyond a point which any company hereinbefore mentioned by name is authorized to construct their railway, shall be granted to such Companies as shall be approved by the Governor in Council as having established to his satisfaction their ability to construct and complete the said railways, respectively; all the lines for the construction of which subsidies are granted, shall also be commenced within two years from the first day of July 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 specifying 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, 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 the completion of the work subsidized.

3. *Resolved*, The granting of such subsidies to the Companies mentioned, respectively, shall be subject to such condition for securing running powers or traffic arrangement or other rights, as will afford all reasonable facilities and equal mileage rates to all railways connecting with those subsidized, as the Governor in Council determines.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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:—
  - To the *Témiscouata* Railway Company, for 16 miles of their railway, from the west end of the 20 miles of their branch railway from *Edmundston*, subsidized by the Act 51 *Victoria*, chapter 3, towards the *St. Francis* River, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole..... \$51,200
  - For a railway from the north end of the 14 miles for which a subsidy was granted by the Act 50 and 51 *Victoria*, chapter 24, to the *Tobique* Valley Railway Company, from *Perth* Centre towards *Plaister Rock* Island, 11 miles, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole..... 35,200
  - To the *Orford* Mountain Railway Company, for 31 miles of their railway, between *Eastman* and *Kingsbury*, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole..... 99,200
  - For a railway from *Lachine* Bank, on the line of the Grand Trunk Railway to a point at or near *Rivière des Prairies*, a distance of 15 miles, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole..... 48,000

2. *Resolved*, The subsidies hereinbefore mentioned as to be granted to Companies named for that purpose, shall be granted to such Companies, respectively; the other subsidies, including subsidies granted for railways over a line extending beyond a point which any company hereinbefore mentioned by name is authorized to construct their railway, shall be granted to such Companies as shall be approved by the Governor in Council as having established to his satisfaction their ability to construct and complete the said railways, respectively; all the lines for the construction of which subsidies are granted, shall also be commenced within two years from the first day of July 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 specifying 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, 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 the completion of the work subsidized.

3. *Resolved*, The granting of such subsidies to the Companies mentioned, respectively, shall be subject to such condition for securing running powers or traffic arrangement or other rights, as will afford all reasonable facilities and equal mileage rates to all railways connecting with those subsidized, as the Governor in Council determines.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were 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; and ordered to be read a second time this day.

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 three hundred and two dollars and fifty-three cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Militia, viz.:—The estate of the late Major *R. S. King*, *Welland Field Battery*:—Rent of building to store guns, &c., of the Battery, from 1862 to 1883, 22 years, at \$100 per annum, \$2,200; Transport of ammunition, stores and arms of the Battery (Order in Council, 6th January, 1890), \$102.53, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand six hundred and five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Preparation of report upon Labour Congress in *Paris*, and index, \$2,500; Translating and proof-reading, 720 pages, \$1,080; Stationery supplies, \$25, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled : " An Act further to amend ' The Indian Act,' " chapter forty-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. 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, 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.

And then The House, having continued to sit till a quarter of an hour after Two of the Clock on Wednesday morning, adjourned till this day.

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Wednesday, 14th May, 1890.

PRAYERS.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, from the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, presented to the House the Eighteenth 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 :

Bill respecting the *Winnipeg* and *Hudson Bay* Railway Company, with Amendments, and

Bill respecting the *Wood Mountain* and *Qu'Appelle* Railway Company, without amendment.

Your Committee recommend that owing to the advanced period of the Session these Bills be placed on the Orders of the Day, of this day, for consideration in Committee of the Whole, immediately after Routine Proceedings.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill respecting the *Winnipeg* and *Hudson Bay* Railway Company, and the Bill respecting the *Wood Mountain* and *Qu'Appelle* Railway Company, be placed on the Orders of the Day, of this day, for consideration in Committee of the Whole House, immediately after Routine Proceedings, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Eighteenth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the *Winnipeg* and *Hudson Bay 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 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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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.

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:

*Montreal and Ottawa Railway Company* (late *Vaudreuil and Prescott Railway Company*).

*Waterloo Junction Railway Company*.

*Northern Pacific Junction Railway Company*.

*Ottawa, Morrisburg and New York Railway Company*.

*Erie and Huron Railway Company*.

*Brockville, Westport and Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company*.

*Manitoulin and North Shore Railway Company*.

*Port Arthur, Duluth and Western Railway Company*.

*Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway* (formerly *Amherstburg, Lake Shore and Blenheim Railway Company*).

*Lindsay, Bobcaygeon and Pontypool Railway Company*.

*Kingston, Smith's Falls and Ottawa Railway Company*.

*Ottawa and Parry Sound Railway Company*.

*Bay of Quinté and Lake Nipissing Railway Company*.

*Cobourg, Northumberland and Pacific Railway Company*.

*St. Stephen and Milltown Railway Company*.

*Woodstock and Centreville Railway Company*.

*St. John River Railway Company, N.B.*

*Central Railway Company, N.B.*

*Shelburne and Liverpool to Annapolis Railway Company*.

*Inverness and Richmond Railway Company*.

*International Railway Company*.

*Montreal and Sorel Railway Company*.

*Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway Company*.

*Montreal and Lake Maskinongé Railway Company*.

*Great Eastern Railway Company*.

*Drummond County Railway Company*.

*Orford Mountain Railway Company*.

*Maskinongé and Nipissing Railway Company*.

*Jacques Cartier Union Railway Company*.

Quebec Central Railway Company.  
 Quebec and Lake St. John Railway Company.  
 Stewiacke Valley and Lansdowne Railway Company.  
 Témiscouata Railway Company.  
 Tobique Valley Railway Company.  
 (*Sessional Papers, No. 42d.*)

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

(*In the Committee.*)

*Resolved*, That item 203 of Bill No. 143, of the present Session, intituled: "An Act to amend the Acts respecting the Duties of Customs," be amended so as to read as follows:—

203. Yeast Cakes and Baking Powders in packages weighing one pound or over; and Compressed Yeast in packages weighing one pound or over, but not over fifty pounds, six cents per pound—the 6c. p. lb. weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty.  
 Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported the Resolution accordingly, and the same was read, as followeth:—

*Resolved*, That item 203 of Bill No. 143, of the present Session, intituled: "An Act to amend the Acts respecting the Duties of Customs," be amended so as to read, as follows:—

203. Yeast Cakes and Baking Powders in packages weighing one pound or over; and Compressed Yeast in packages weighing one pound or over, but not over fifty pounds, six cents per pound—the 6c. p. lb. weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty.

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

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

*Resolved*, That this House will, this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Foster* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act of the present Session, intituled: "An Act to amend the Acts respecting the Duties of Customs."

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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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. *Colby*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Report of Lieut. *Gordon*, R.N., into the conduct of the master and mate of the steamship "*Baltic*," in connection with the outrage perpetrated on one *Charles Hambly*, a deck-hand of the said vessel, on the 26th August, 1889. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 87b.)

Mr. *Wood* (*Brockville*) reported, from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for one Statutory increase, Privy Council Office, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Secretary of State, to pay *F. Colson*, the difference between his salary as a 1st Class Clerk and that which he received from 1st July, 1888, anything in the Civil Service Act to the contrary notwithstanding, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Railways and Canals, as follow, viz.:—To provide for the position of Accountant, *S. L. Shannon*, omitted from the main Estimates, 1890-91, \$1,500; Additional amount required for Contingencies, Department of Railways and Canals, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand four hundred and forty dollars and thirty-eight cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Finance, amount required to pay balance of cost of printing statistical diagrams, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Interior, as follow:—To increase the salary of *H. H. Rowat*, from 1st July, 1890, to 30th June, 1891, \$200; To pay the salary of *A. H. Whitchee*, D.L.S.; Agent of Dominion Lands, *Winnipeg*, who is to be transferred to Department at headquarters as a First Class Clerk, \$1,700, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Department of Public Works—To provide for the transfer of *E. T. Smith*, appointed July 12, 1889, collector of the slide and boom dues, *Ottawa*, with a salary of \$1,200, and hitherto paid out of the appropriation "Collection of Slide and Boom Dues," to the permanent staff of the Public Works Department, as a Second Class Clerk, \$1,200; To provide for the transfer of *James Slater*, appointed November 14, 1889, as assistant to the collector of slide and boom dues, *Ottawa*, with a salary of \$850, and hitherto paid out of the appropriation "Collection of Slide and Boom Dues," to the permanent staff of the Public Works Department as a Third Class Clerk, \$850, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Post Office Department—To provide for statutory increases of two additional First Class Clerks, at \$50 each, \$100; To provide for re-appointment of Mr. *M. Finn*, as Third Class Clerk, whose salary at the time he left the Service was \$650 per annum, \$650, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Customs Department:—To provide for an additional Third Class Clerk, to be appointed at the rate of \$550, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand six hundred and forty-three dollars and two cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Department of Indian Affairs:—To appoint *F. R. Byshe*, a Packer at \$500 per annum, from 1st July, 1890, \$500; To provide six months' statutory increase for Miss *Maxwell*, which was inadvertently omitted in main Estimates, \$25:

To provide the usual allowance for Miss *Lyon*, who passed in one optional, \$50 : To provide that proportion of the usual allowance for having passed in one optional subject to Miss *Ogilvie*, from 20th February to 30th June, 1890, \$18.02; and for her increase on account of this optional subject for 1890-91, \$50, \$68.02; To supplement the sum of \$7,000 already granted in the main estimates, which sum is insufficient to meet the annual expenditure for contingencies, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand one hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies :—Further amount required for care and cleaning of Departmental Buildings, including amount required to pay for firing noon gun, \$100, which amount may be paid to a member of the Civil Service, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Civil Service Act, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salary of the Judge of the Vice-Admiralty Court, *Prince Edward Island*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow;—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand five hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Kingston* Penitentiary, as follow :—Amount required for construction of new separate ward, \$775; Allowance to family of late Hospital Overseer at *Kingston*, \$750, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and ten dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. Vincent de Paul* Penitentiary, viz. :—To pay increase of \$30 each to Guards *H. Roger* and *D. J. McLellan*, for year 1890-91, \$60; To pay *J. G. Moylan* for services on Royal Commission in making an investigation at *St. Vincent de Paul* Penitentiary with Mr. *Baillairgé*, \$250, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand seven hundred and sixty-two dollars and eighty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz. :—*Manitoba* Penitentiary—For maintenance and repairs of buildings, \$5,362.85; To increase salaries of Chaplains at *Stony Mountain* Penitentiary, on condition of their whole time being given to the prisoners, \$200 each, \$400, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *British Columbia* Penitentiary :—Amount required to place *W. H. Keary*, Accountant, Storekeeper and Schoolmaster, at the maximum of his class, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand one hundred and eighty-two dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet the following items in connection with Legislation, viz. :—To pay Honourable *D. Mills* amount of Sessional indemnity deducted during Session of 1884, \$232; To provide for annual increment of \$50 to Deputy Sergeant-at-Arms, omitted from main estimates, \$50; To provide an increase of \$50 each to eight clerks, in addition to amount voted in the main estimates, these increases being omitted in main estimates, \$400; To provide that the salary of *F. McGillivray* and *F. B. Hayes*, Chief Clerks, be fixed at \$2,200, thus placing them on the same footing as officers of like standing, \$700; To provide for the promotion of *J. H. McLeod*, permanent Sessional Clerk, to the rank of 3rd Class Clerk, in charge of Committee on Agriculture and Colonization, at a salary of \$900 per annum, \$900; Stationery—Additional amount required, \$1,000; Miscellaneous—To provide for the payment of two expresses between House and Government Printing Office, \$600; Newspapers—Additional amount required, \$250; To provide for an increase of \$50 per annum to *G. A. Boudreault*, the Clerk's messenger, \$50, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Senate Debates and short-hand writers, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for two monuments to be erected on battle-fields of *Canada*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards completion of the *Tay Canal* (Revote), for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards construction of a wharf, *St. Peter's Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Canadian Pacific Railway:—Construction, \$24,900; 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, \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eleven thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Electric Light Plant, *Lachine Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand six hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Beauharnois Canal*, as follow:—Renewal of six bridges over drains leading from the Canal, \$950; Electric light, \$1,000; Fences, ditches and repairs to drains on the north side of the Canal, \$4,700; To deepen the bed of the River below the dam for the passage of the water discharged by the mills, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Cornwall Canal*:—Additional sum required to provide a residence and an office for the Collector at *Cornwall*, \$1,500; To pay township of *Cornwall* for damages to road during break in 1888, \$700, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand four hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Welland Canal*:—For the purchase of certain rights to remove a dam situated in a watercourse leading to the *Chippawa River* at a place about a mile from the Village of *Marshville*, \$700; Towards the extension of the *Welland Railway*, \$2,000; Towards the construction, working and maintaining a Floating Bridge between *Dunnville* and *Stromness*, and cleaning Outlet, \$750; Towards the re-construction of the Culvert at *Stromness*, \$7,500; Towards constructing a new Swing Bridge between *Stromness* and the *Buffalo* and *Brantford Railway Crossing*, \$2,000; Cleaning and deepening the back ditch on the north side of the Feeder, \$2,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Rideau Canal*:—Survey of the *Rideau Canal* above *Kings-ton Mills*, \$1,500; Towards deepening the basin at *Ottawa*, \$5,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

16. *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 December, 1890, in superintending *St. Peter's Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards settlement of claims and the removal of obstructions, *Culbute Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs, *Carillon* and *Grenville Canals*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards paying a gratuity of two months' salary to the widow of the late *Vernon Smith*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

The first Nine Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Tenth Resolution, being read a second time, was amended, by leaving out the second item: "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, \$100;"

And the said Resolution, so amended, was agreed to, as followeth:—

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-four thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, in connection with Canadian Pacific Railway construction, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

Then the subsequent Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to complete payments on additional Public Building, *Wellington Street, Ottawa*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Nova Scotia*:—*Halifax* Dominion Building, \$2,500; *Halifax* Immigrant Building, \$2,500; *Dartmouth* Post Office, \$5,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Charlottetown* Dominion Building—Fencing—Revote of lapsed amount, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, as follow, viz.:—*New Brunswick—Chatham* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$1,500; *St. John* Custom House—Improvements, &c., \$2,000; *Fredericton* Post Office, &c.—New heating apparatus, \$2,200, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, as follow, viz.:—*Quebec—Richmond* Post Office, &c., \$4,000; *Montreal* Custom House—Sanitary works, \$1,150; *Montreal* Examining Warehouse—Improvements and repairs, \$1,300; *Grosse Isle* Quarantine Station, \$20,000; *Montreal* Inland Revenue building—Sanitary works, \$1,400; *St. Hyacinthe* Post Office, Custom House, &c.—Revote, \$2,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-eight thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, as follow, viz.:—*Ontario—Cornwall* Public Building—Improvements, \$1,750; *Peterborough* Custom House, \$7,000; *Toronto* Examining Warehouse—Additional amount required for purchase of water lots, \$4,000; *Kingston* Military College—New Dormitory, \$10,000; *Toronto* Military Schools—Revote, \$3,000—\$3,500; *Petrolia* Public Building, \$4,000; Parliament Buildings, *Ottawa*—Building stairway from Library to rooms in basement fitted for books, &c., \$700; Supreme Court, *Ottawa*—Addition, \$10,000; Public Buildings, *Ottawa*—Re-covering roofs of boiler houses, Parliament and Departmental Buildings, \$3,200; *Smith's Falls* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$4,000; *Brantford* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$700; *Toronto* Post Office—Improvements, \$5,800; Government Printing Bureau—Special fittings in attic for Stationery Office, \$1,400; *Prescott* Post Office and Custom House Buildings—Water service, \$900; Government Printing Bureau—Additional amount required to complete, \$7,000; *Trenton* Public Building, to complete, \$2,200; *Brockville* Public Building—Sanitary works, \$550; *Toronto* Custom House—Sanitary works, &c., \$2,200, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, as follow, viz.:—*Manitoba*

—Public Buildings generally, \$2,000; *Winnipeg* Military Buildings—Fort Osborne, \$2,750; *Manitoba* Penitentiary—Outbuildings, \$1,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-one thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, as follow, viz.:—*North-West Territories*—*Edmonton* Registry Office, \$5,000; Court House, lock-up and Police accommodation, \$5,000; Registrar's house and office, *Battleford*, \$1,200; *Regina* Industrial School, to complete, \$2,000; *Regina* water supply, lavatories, baths, &c., \$4,000; *North-West* Council Chamber, *Regina*—Revote, \$6,000, \$7,000; Residence for Lieutenant Governor, *Regina*—Fencing and stables, \$4,000; Further aid towards the erection of an hospital at *Medicine Hat*, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-nine thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, as follow, viz.:—*British Columbia*—*Vancouver* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$30,000; *Victoria* Drill Hall—Locality furnishing site free of cost, \$10,000; *Victoria* Post Office—Improvements, \$800; Additional warehouse accommodation at *Victoria* for Customs and Inland Revenue purposes, \$1,200; *Victoria* Dominion Building—Vault, Assistant Receiver General's Office, \$2,500; *Victoria* Military Buildings—Artillery Barracks, \$16,000; *Victoria* Military Buildings—Guard room and gateway, \$2,700; *Victoria* Examining Warehouse, \$6,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

10. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand three hundred and ten dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Repairs, Furniture, Heating, &c.—*North-West* Mounted Police Buildings—Fire extinguishers, \$660; Public Buildings, *Ottawa*—Eastern Block, Departmental Buildings, \$1,300; *Charlottetown* Dominion Building, \$800; *Windsor, N.S.*, Public Building, \$200; *Windsor, Ontario*, Public Building, \$225; *Quebec* Inland Revenue Offices, \$700; *St. John, N. B.*, Post Office, \$825; *St. John, N. B.*, Savings Bank, \$800; *Three Rivers* Custom House—Repairs, \$500; *Kingston* Post Office, \$1,150; *Kingston* Custom House, \$650; *Winnipeg* Post Office, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

11. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-three thousand one hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Nova Scotia*:—*Summerville*—Repairs to wharf—Revote, \$1,500; *Western Head*—Revote \$1,500; *South Gut*—Pier, \$1,800; *Ingonish* (South), \$1,000; *Kennington Cove*, (*Gabarus*)—Boat channel, \$800; *Sand River*—Protection works, \$5,000; *Wreck Cove*, the locality furnishing \$200, \$500; *L'Ardoise*—Breakwater, \$5,000; *French River*—Pier, \$1,500; *Irish Cove*, \$3,500; *West Chezzetcook*, \$5,000; *Barrington* Passage Pier, to complete, \$3,750; *Port Latour*—Passage, \$3,000; *River Sissiboo*—Improvement of channel, *St. Mary's Bay* to *Weymouth*, \$8,000; *Georgeville* Wharf, \$4,000; *Cribbin's Point* Wharf, \$4,000; *Stony Point*—Boat channel, \$500; *Stony Island*, \$3,800; *Louis Head*, \$3,000; *Port Maitland* or *Green Cove*, \$1,000; *Digby*—New pier at the *Raquette*—Revote of lapsed amount, \$40,000; *Joggins* breakwater—Repairs, &c., \$2,200; *Tidnish*—Revote, \$2,000; *Great Village*, \$2,800; *Big Tracadie*—Revote, \$1,000; *Mabou*—Repairs to pier, \$6,000; *Cheticamp*—Dredging, \$2,000; *Lismore*—Extension of pier, \$3,000; *Round Hill*, \$2,000; *Walton*, \$4,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixteen thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, viz.:—*Prince Edward Island*—*Miminegash*, \$3,500; *Brae* Harbour—Aid towards the construction of a breakwater, the locality having contributed \$500, \$1,000; *Souris* East—Breakwater, &c., at *Knight's Point*, \$3,700; *Port Selkirk* Pier, \$1,000; Repairs to Government Piers and Wharves, \$6,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-three thousand three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, viz.:—*New Brunswick*—*Black River*—Repairs to breakwater, \$500; Repairs to breakwater at *Negro Point*, *St. John* Harbour, \$25,000; *River St. John*—Repairs to shear dam at *Oromocto* shoals, \$500; *Caraquet* Harbour—Wharf at the Oyster Grounds, \$1,500;

River *St. John*—Improvements between *Woodstock* and *Fredericton*, \$1,500; *Edgett's Landing*—Additional amount required to complete ballast wharf, \$850; *Gray's Island*—Breakwater, \$4,000; *Shediac Harbour*—Improvements at *Point du Chêne* and dredging entrance channel, \$9,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-five thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Quebec*:—*Cacouna*—Pier, \$4,000; *Belœil Piers*, &c.—Repairs, \$1,500; River *St. Louis*, to complete, \$4,500; *Pointe à Valois*—Wharf extension, to complete, \$2,000; *Etang du Nord*, \$1,000; *Grande Rivière*—Addition to breakwater, \$1,500; *Newport River*, to complete, \$450; *Ste. Anne des Monts*, \$5,000; *Pointe St. Pierre*—Removal of reef, \$1,500; *Ste. Anne du Saguenay*, to complete, \$2,500; *Roberval*—Pier, Lake *St. John*, \$4,000; *Trois Pistoles Pier*, to complete, \$3,000; *Isle Verte Pier*, \$3,000; *Isle aux Coudres*, \$250; *Berthier (en bas)*—Repairs to pier, \$500; *Beauport Pier*, \$300; *Ste. Anne de la Pérade*, \$2,500; River *Yamaska*—To complete repairs to lock and dam, \$9,000; *Coteau Landing Pier*, \$4,000; *St. François—Island of Orleans*—Repairs to pier, \$800; River *Ottawa*—Improvement of channel at “*Mille Îles*,” \$1,000; *St. Michel de Bellechasse*—Repairs, \$1,000; *St. Timothée Pier*, \$1,000; *Ste. Famille Pier*—Repairs, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-seven thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Ontario*:—*Owen Sound*—Dredging entrance channel, \$4,000; *Kingsville*—Repairs, \$1,200; *Georgian Bay*—Removal of *Robertson Rocks* in main passage between *Clapperton* and *Croker's Island*, \$3,000; *Little Nation River*—The local authorities providing \$5,000—\$5,500; *Rideau River*—Dredging north branch, to complete, \$2,000; *Belleville*—Dredging, \$6,000; *Beaverton*—Wharf—The local authorities furnishing \$1,500, \$5,000; *McGregor's Creek*, to complete, \$1,500; *Scugog River*—Improvements at *Lindsay*, \$3,000; *Warton*—To complete breakwater—Revote, \$3,800, \$9,000; *Saugeen River*, \$1,500; *Big Bay*—*North Keppel*, \$2,000; *Thornbury*—Dredging, \$3,000; *Parry Sound Narrows*, \$6,000; *Godérich Harbour*, \$2,500; *Rondeau Harbour*—Repairs, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Red River*—Survey—*Manitoba*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers:—*British Columbia*—*Columbia River*—Improvements between the mouth of the *Kootenay River* and the International Boundary, \$6,000; *Nicomeckle River*, \$500; *Skeena River*, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-nine thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dredging, as follow, viz.:—New dredging plant—Maritime Provinces, \$16,700; New dredging plant—*Quebec* and *Ontario*, \$2,500; New dredging plant, *British Columbia*, \$5,000; Dredge vessels—Repairs, \$5,100, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. Wood (*Brockville*) reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Slides and Booms, as follow, viz.:—River *Ottawa*—Reconstruction of slide at *Grand Calumet Falls*, \$8,000; *Petewawa River*—*Ottawa District*, \$5,000; *Ottawa District*—Reconstruction of works at *Des Joachims* and *Calumet Stations*, \$8,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Roads and Bridges, as follow, viz.:—Iron bridge over the *Grand River* at *York*, \$20,000; Bridge over the *Rideau Canal* at *Maria Street, Ottawa City*,

\$15,000; Bridge across the River *Ottawa*, at the foot of Lake *Témiscamingue*; the Governments of *Ontario* and *Quebec* contributing each \$4,000, \$4,000; For the construction of a free bridge over the *Old Man's River* at *Fort McLeod*—Revote of lapsed amount, \$10,000—\$15,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Telegraphs, as follow, viz.:—Land and cable telegraph lines for the sea coasts and islands of the Lower River and Gulf of *St. Laurence* and the Maritime Provinces:—Lifting cable from *Grosse Isle* to *Bird Rocks* (*Magdalen Islands*) and relaying same between *Meat Cove* and *St. Paul's Island*, \$3,000; To connect *Whitehead Island* with *Grand Manan Island*—Bay of *Fundy*, \$3,000; Loop line from *Meat Cove* to *White Point, C.B.*, \$600, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for reconstruction of telegraph line between *Ashcroft* and *Barkerville, B.C.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, being amount required to pay for the conveyance of the mails between *Canada* and the United Kingdom, under contract with Mr. *Andrew Allan*, at the rate of \$125,000 per annum, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *Port Mulgrave*, at the terminus of the Eastern Extension Railway and *East Bay, Cape Breton*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and seventy-three dollars and eighty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for a further amount of \$573.80 in the case of Sergeants *Benjamin Holdbrook* and *Camille Nourrie*, late of the *Montreal River Police*, they being employed throughout the whole year instead of during the season of navigation, as provided for in the Supplementary Estimates of 1889-90, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for a new steamer to replace the "*Sir James Douglas*," employed in the Lighthouse, Buoy and Coast Service in *British Columbia*, which vessel is no longer suitable for service, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-four thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fisheries, as follow, viz.:—To meet the increased expenses of Guardianship owing to the proposed change in system of protection—Fisheries—*Ontario*, \$3,000; *Quebec*, \$2,000; *New Brunswick*, \$3,000; *Nova Scotia*, \$3,000; *Prince Edward Island*, \$500; *Manitoba* and *North-West Territories*, \$3,000; Survey of oyster beds, \$5,000; To cover the cost of building Lobster hatcheries, \$5,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Ontario* and *Quebec*—To aid the Agricultural Society of the *Oneida* Indians of the *Thames*, to enable the Society to give prizes at the annual exhibition, \$60; To assist the undermentioned schools for Protestant Indian children at *Whitefish, Lake Ontario*, \$200; *Chapleau, Ontario*, \$200—\$400; To aid the Agricultural Society of the *Muncey* Indians of the *Thames*, who have no funds with which to give prizes at their annual exhibition, \$90; To compensate *John Grant*, a squatter on the *Gibson Reserve*, for improvements which he has been compelled to abandon, viz., a house 18 x 16 and five acres cleared, of which 1½ are under cultivation and 3½ are chopped and logged, \$50; To enable the Department to carry on the work of sub-dividing Indian Reserves in *Ontario* and *Quebec* as required, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand seven hundred and eighty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Manitoba* and the *North-West Territories*:—Aid to *Emmanuel College* at *Prince Albert, North-West Territories*, \$1,000; To provide salary for three Indian Dominion Constables now acting to repress the liquor traffic—two on the *Rosseau River Reserve*, and one on the *Sturgeon Lake Reserve*—\$12 each per annum, \$36; For the purchase of nets and fish-hooks for

destitute Indians in the *McKenzie* district, \$500; To provide salary for teachers of day schools at *Lac la Ronge*, \$300, and at *Montreal Lake*, \$300, and to aid in the construction of two school-houses at those points, each \$100, \$200—\$800; For repairs and additions to the Industrial School at *High River*, as follow:—Veneering and siding main building, \$2,500, House for employees of the school, Instructors and others, \$1,500—4,000; To provide a salary for Mr. *Tucker*, issuer of rations and Farming Instructor, on the *Sioux* Indian Reserve at *Moose Wood*, \$144; To provide a salary for a teacher for third Day School on the Indian Reserve at *Fort Alexander*, in Treaty No. 1, *Manitoba*, \$360, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand four hundred and eighty-three dollars and eighty-eight cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *British Columbia*:—Aid to Indian Day School now in operation at *Kitkahtla*, about 35 miles from *Port Essington*, under the auspices of the Church of *England* Missionary Society, \$300; To pay to the Department of Marine the wages of the crew of the Dominion Steamer "*Sir James Douglas*" while engaged in the service of the Indian Reserve Commissioner on the North-West Coast of *British Columbia*, from 29th July to the 1st August, 1889, \$123.88; To conduct an Indian School for teaching trades on *Cormorant Island*, *Alert Bay*:—Wages to carpenter and boat builder, \$900; Blacksmith, \$75 per month, \$900; Shoemaker, \$75 per month, \$900—\$2,700; For maintenance of *Kootenay* Industrial School, \$2,500; To provide a salary for a teacher of the *Kamloops* Indian Industrial School, \$500; To provide for the employment of Mr. *W. H. Robertson*, as Instructor in trades for the Industrial School at *Metlakatla*:—Salary per annum, \$1,000; Living allowance, \$360—\$1,360, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to enable the Department to pay Reverend *J. D. Cummane*, missionary, for services to the Indians of *Colchester* and *Hants County*, *Nova Scotia*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Nova Scotia*, viz.:—To enable the Department to pay to Reverend Father *Richard*, missionary, for services to the Indians of *Big Cove*, *Richibucto* County, \$200; To enable the Department to pay to Reverend Mr. *Smith*, of *Dalhousie*, for services to the Indians of *Eel River*, *Restigouche* County, \$50; To enable the Department to pay Reverend Father *Murray* for care of Indians, *Carleton* County, \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Geological Survey, as follow:—To pay Mr. *James Fletcher* for services in connection with the entomological collection in the Geological and Natural History Museum, \$100; To provide for the payment of expenses in connection with artesian boring, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for classification of old Records of the late Province of *Canada*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-seven dollars and eighty cents be granted to Her Majesty—Further amount required to provide for payment to the Government of *British Columbia* of costs of the transport of "C" Battery and attendant expenses *re* the *Skeena* Expedition, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty to defray expenses of litigation, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Further amount required for assistance in the Registry Offices in the *North-West Territories*, \$1,000; To provide for the payment of the cost of printing and translating revised Ordinances of 1888, \$1,500; To provide for the purchase and distribution of traps for the destruction of gophers in the *North-West Territories*, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the collation and classification of old Records of *Canada* in the Privy Council Office, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Rouleau's* Debates of Legislative Council of *Quebec*, for 1888, 1889 and 1890, 20 copies each, at \$3, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for "*Le Vieux Lachine*," published by the *Gebhardt-Berthiaume* Company, 50 copies at \$1, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for "*Les Bourgeois du Nord-Ouest*," 25 copies at \$2 each, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Bourinot's* Lectures on Comparative Politics, 25 copies at \$1 per copy, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and thirty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for a Digest of Criminal Law, by Mr. Justice *Burbidge*, 20 copies at \$6.50 per copy, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for "Excise," as follow :—To provide for an increase of salary to the Manager of the Methylated Spirits Warehouse, \$150; To compensate Collector *Nash*, of *Charlottetown*, for extra services performed for three months during the absence of Exciseman *Moore* from the Division, \$125, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Weights and Measures :—To provide for the salary of an Assistant Inspector of Weights and Measures at *Victoria*, *B. C.*, \$600; To increase the salary of *A. C. Paterson*, Assistant Inspector of Weights and Measures at *Qu'Appelle*, \$100; To increase the salary of *S. Dillon*, Assistant Inspector of Weights and Measures, *Montreal*, \$100; To increase the salary of *M. Kelly*, Assistant Inspector of Weights and Measures, *Quebec*, \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *D. McPhee*, Inspector of Gas, *Hamilton*, for work as Consulting Engineer, fitting up new offices and improving apparatus in several offices, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

29. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required for the construction of roads on Ordnance Lands at *Grand Falls, New Brunswick*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

30. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Railways and Canals—To additional pay to persons permanently employed "in the Public Service" and remuneration to any other persons for services rendered for or in connection with passing vessels through the canals between Lake *Erie* and *Montreal* from midnight on Saturdays to 6 a.m. Sundays, and from 9 p.m. Sundays to midnight, notwithstanding anything in the Civil Service Act to the contrary, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

31. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty—Additional amount required for maintenance and repairs—Public Works—*River Trent* and *Newcastle* District, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

32. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty to pay the following items in connection with Post Office Department, viz. :—To provide for one additional first class clerk in the office of the Post Office Inspector at *Stratford*, \$1,200; To increase the salary of Mr. *T. P. French*, Post Office Inspector, *Ottawa*, \$200; To add to the sum provided for to enable the Postmaster General to increase Mr. *Sydenham Howe's* salary to \$600 a year, \$200; To provide for an increase of salary to one first class clerk in the *Toronto* Post Office,

\$100; To provide for two additional letter carriers in the *Montreal* Post Office, at \$360 each, \$720; To provide for one first class clerk in the Post Office Inspector's Office, *Winnipeg*, \$1,200; To provide for the difference of salary to *H. Lacken*, messenger in the office of the Post Office Inspector, *Montreal*, being short estimated in main estimates, \$80, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

33. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide an annuity to Miss *Harriet Fraser* of \$250 and to Mr. *Roderick Fraser* of \$150, in recognition of the services of their father in exploring the country which now forms the Province of *British Columbia*, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

34. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet further amount required for Central Experimental Farm, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

35. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for dairy implements and appliances at the Experimental Farm, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

36. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to aid in publishing yearly reports of the Dominion Dairying and Fruit Growing Associations, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

37. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Mr. *George L. McDonald* for claim for getting out building stones in the Province of *Nova Scotia* for the *Philadelphia* Exhibition, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

38. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to aid in a Canadian representation at the Exhibition to be held at *Jamaica* in 1891, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

39. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required for the *Montreal* and European Short Line Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

40. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet further amount required for Immigration, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

41. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for printing, binding and distributing the Laws, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

42. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-six thousand three hundred and eighty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet further amount required for plant for Printing Bureau, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to,

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions, which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand three hundred and two dollars and fifty-three cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Militia, viz.:—The estate of the late Major *R. S. King*, *Welland* Field Battery:—Rent of building to store guns, &c., of the Battery, from 1852 to 1883, 22 years, at \$100 per annum, \$2,200; Transport of ammunition, stores and arms of the Battery (Order in Council, 6th January, 1890), \$102.53, for the year ending 30th June, 1890.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand six hundred and five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items' viz.:—Preparation of report upon Labour Congress in *Paris*, and index, \$2,500; Translating and proof-reading, 720 pages, \$1,080; Stationery supplies, \$25, for the year ending 30th June, 1891.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The House, according to Order, again 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, 1890, the sum of \$2,038,168.96 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, 1891, the sum of \$25,564,944.95 be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of *Canada*.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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, 1890, the sum of \$2,038,168.96 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, 1891, the sum of \$25,564,944.95 be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of *Canada*.

The said Resolutions being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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.

*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 years ending, respectively, the 30th June, 1890, and the 30th June, 1891, 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.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill to authorize the granting of subsidies in aid of the construction of the lines of railway 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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 certain proposed Resolutions respecting the granting of certain subsidies in land for the construction of the Railways therein mentioned.

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to authorize the Governor in Council to grant to the Lake *Manitoba* Railway and Canal Company, Dominion Lands to an extent not exceeding 6,400 acres per mile, for a line of railway from *Portage la Prairie* to Lake *Winnipegosis*, at or near *Meadow Portage*, a distance of about 125 miles.

2. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to authorize the Governor in Council to grant to the *Manitoba* South-Eastern Railway Company, Dominion Lands to an extent not exceeding 6,400 acres per mile, for a line of railway from *Winnipeg* southerly or south-easterly to a point on the west side of the Lake of the *Woods*, a distance of about 110 miles.

3. *Resolved*, That it is expedient that the said grants and each of them may be made in aid of the construction of the said railways, respectively, in the proportion and upon the conditions fixed by the Orders in Council made in respect thereof, and, except as to such conditions, the said grants shall be free grants, subject only to the payment by the grantees, respectively, of the cost of survey of the lands and incidental expenses at the rate of 10 cents per acre cash, on the issue of the patents therefor.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Wood* (*Brockville*) reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. *Wood* (*Brockville*) 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 to the Lake *Manitoba* Railway and Canal Company, Dominion Lands to an extent not exceeding 6,400 acres per mile, for a line of railway from *Portage la Prairie* to Lake *Winnipegosis*, at or near *Meadow Portage*, a distance of about 125 miles.

2. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to authorize the Governor in Council to grant to the *Manitoba* South-Eastern Railway Company, Dominion Lands to an extent not exceeding 6,400 acres per mile, for a line of railway from *Winnipeg* southerly or south-easterly to a point on the west side of the Lake of the *Woods*, a distance of about 110 miles.

3. *Resolved*, That it is expedient that the said grants and each of them may be made in aid of the construction of the said railways, respectively, in the proportion and upon the conditions fixed by the Orders in Council made in respect thereof, and, except as to such conditions, the said grants shall be free grants, subject only to the payment by the grantees, respectively, of the cost of survey of the lands and incidental expenses at the rate of 10 cents per acre cash, on the issue of the patents therefor.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Dewdney* 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. *Wood (Brockville)* 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 a Committee on the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend chapter one hundred and twenty-seven of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, intituled: 'An Act respecting Interest,'" 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 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.

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 Friday morning next, at Eleven o'clock.

Mr. *Chapleau*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented—Return to an Order of this House, dated 24th January, 1890, for a return showing the total amount of expenditure to date on the Government Printing Bureau building, the total expenditure to date on type, presses, and all other printing and binding machinery and material placed in the Bureau; also, the total amount paid in salaries and wages to officers and employes in the Bureau, from the 1st July, 1889, to 1st January, 1890. (*Sessional Papers, No. 95.*)

The Order of the Day being read, for the House in Committee on the Bill further to amend chapter fifty-one of the Revised Statutes "The Territories Real Property Act;"

*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 authorizing the Transfer of certain Public Property to the Provincial Governments;

*Ordered*, That the said Order be discharged.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be withdrawn.

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 to amend 'The Pilotage Act,' chapter eighty of the Revised Statutes," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the 'York County Bank,'" with an Amendment, 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 further to amend the Revised Statutes, chapter five, respecting the Electoral Franchise," without any amendment.

Also, the Senate have agreed to the Amendments made by this House to the following Bills:—

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the 'Steamboat Inspection Act,' chapter seventy-eight of the Revised Statutes."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting certain Savings Banks in the Province of *Quebec*."

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting a certain agreement therein mentioned with the *Calgary* and *Edmonton* Railway Company," without any amendment.

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*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendment.

On motion of Mr. *Colby*, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Pilotage Act,' chapter eighty of the Revised Statutes," be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Friday next.

And then The House adjourned till Friday next, at Eleven of the Clock, A.M.

Friday, 16th May, 1890.

#### PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *LaRivière*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of *Taché*, County of *La Verandrye*, *Manitoba*.

By Mr. *Brown*,—The Petition of the *Hamilton* Trades and Labour Council.

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*, *Joliette* and *Montmagny*, for the year 1889. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 100.)

Also, Statement of the affairs of the British Canadian Loan and Investment Company, on 31st December, 1889. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 44.)

Mr. *Bergin*, 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 respectfully recommend that the following documents be printed, viz. :—

31a. 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. 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.*)

36a. Return to an Order of the House for a list of timber limits granted by the Dominion Government, since March 1st, 1885; the names of the parties to whom granted, with date of grant; the area of each limit granted; whether granted to highest bidder at public competition, and the amount of bonus, if any, in each case received. (*Sessional Papers.*)

42a. An amended Return (*in part*) to a Return presented to the House on the 26th February last, showing the amount of money expended by the Dominion in each Province since Confederation, to the 30th June, 1889, under the following heads:—

1st. Subsidies to Railways in each Province, excepting the Canadian Pacific main line and Sault Branch;

2nd. The several Railways built by the Dominion in each Province, including the Intercolonial branches and extensions, but not the main line as originally constructed;

3rd. The buildings erected or purchased in each Province, their location and cost. (*Distribution and Sessional Papers.*)

96. Return (*in part*) to an Order of the House of the 23rd January last, for a Return showing the amount of money expended by the Dominion in each Province since Confederation to the 30th of June, 1889, under the following heads:—

1st. Subsidies to Railways in each Province, excepting the Canadian Pacific main line and Sault branch;

2nd. The several Railways built by the Dominion in each Province, including the Intercolonial branches and extensions, but not the main line as originally constructed;

3rd. The buildings erected or purchased in each Province, their location and cost. (*Distribution and Sessional Papers.*)

87. Return to an Order of the House of the 30th January last, for copy of report made and evidence taken by the Court of Enquiry ordered by the Department of Marine to investigate the loss of the steamer "*Quinté*," which was burned on Bay of *Quinté*, in the autumn of 1889. (*Sessional Papers.*)

91. Liquor License Act, 1883, memorandum of claims for fines, costs, &c., imposed on holders of Dominion Licenses for violations of the Provincial License Act. (*Sessional Papers.*)

93. Return to an Order of the House of the 21st ultimo, for a Return of the quantity and value of eggs imported into, and exported from, the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec since 1st January last; also, the Countries they have been imported from and exported to. (*Sessional Papers.*)

The Committee would also recommend that the following documents be not printed, viz. :—

31. Correspondence with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, covering a copy of list of all lands sold by that Company during the year ending 1st day of October last, in compliance with section 8 of 49 Victoria, chapter 9.

33h. Correspondence in relation to certain assistance afforded to the Half-breeds at Fort la Corne and other places.

33i. Statement respecting the purchase of seed-grain (including a schedule of the prices paid for wheat and oats).

33j. Statement respecting distribution of seed-grain and instructions as to the distribution thereof.

33k. A memorandum with reference to the Appropriation Account of 1889 for certain of the Provinces and the *North-West Territories*.

33l. A statement regarding the claim of the *Eau Clair* and *Bow River* Lumber Company against the Government for lumber alleged to have been taken off their limits.

33m. Correspondence, &c., respecting the *St. Albert* Bridge.

33n. Return to an Order of the House of the 21st ultimo, for a return showing :—

1st. The number of acres of pasture land now under lease in the *North-West Territories*.

2nd. The amount paid the Government for rental of grazing leases during the past year.

3rd. The amount due the Government for arrears on pasture leases, and the names of the lessees in arrears for pasture lease rental.

4th. The names of the lessees holding leases of territory upon which settlers are not allowed to take up land without the consent of the lease-holder, with the total area of such leases, and the location of each.

33o. List of Schools under different denominations in the *North-West Territories*, 1889.

41b. Return to an Order of the House of the 10th ultimo, for copies of all petitions to the Minister of Railways, since 1st January, 1889, from employees of the Intercolonial Railway workshops at *Moncton* and the *Prince Edward Island* Railway, asking for an increase of wages; and also, for copies of all answers to the same from the Department of Railways or any official thereof.

41c. Return to an Order of the House of the 10th ultimo, for copies of all petitions forwarded to the Government by Messieurs *Nazaire Ouellet*, *George Voyer*, *Alfred Ouellet*, *F. Côté* and others, in relation to damages caused to their properties by the Intercolonial Railway.

41d. Return to an Order of the House of the 10th ultimo, for a Return showing the past operation of the Intercolonial Railway employees insurance scheme, and specially, (a) the annual receipts and expenditure, including salaries of officials for each year the scheme has been in operation; (b) the amounts paid each year out of the fund to the employees or their representatives, and whether for death or injury; (c) the surplus (if any) now on hand of such fund.

41e. Return to an Order of the House of the 24th February last, for a Return of the casualties to trains on the Intercolonial Railway, arising from collision, broken rails or otherwise, for the calendar year 1889, the respective causes and dates, the amount of damage (if any) in each case to property, the amount of compensation paid to owners of property destroyed or damaged, as well as amount of claims for loss or damage to property (if any) unsettled.

41f. Return to an Order of the House of the 10th March last, for a Return showing (a) the names and number of officials' cars on the Intercolonial Railway and its branches; (b) the original cost, date, and place of building of each car, or name of person or company from whom purchased; (c) the cost of repairs to, or expenditure in, each of such cars since acquired; (d) the names and salaries and

expenses of each employee on such official cars; (e) the annual expenses of providing the supplies to each such car.

42b. Return to an Order of the House of the 21st ultimo, for a statement of the amount of subsidies voted to the *Canada Atlantic Railway Company*, for the construction of their bridge over the *St. Lawrence River*, between *Coteau* and *Valley-field*, the amount paid by the Government up to date, and the amount unearned or still to be paid.

42c. Return to an Order of the House of the 21st ultimo, for a statement of the amount of subsidies voted by Parliament to the *Beauharnois Junction Railway Company*, the amount paid by the Government up to date, and the amount still due or unearned.

43c. Return to an Order of the House of the 10th March last, for copies of all correspondence between the Indian Department and the Agent or Chiefs of the *Caughnawaga Reserve*, in relation to any indemnity obtained by the Indians of the Reserve, on the ground that the extent of their Reserve has been considerably diminished by encroachments.

46c. Supplementary Report of *A. F. Wood*, Esquire, of the *Welland Canal Investigation*, with suggestions as to changes in the present system of management.— (Senate.)

51b. Return to an Order of the House of the 26th ultimo, for a statement showing:—

1. The date when Private *C. T. Hurrel* was notified by the Government of the passing of the Order in Council of the 13th November, 1888, granting him a pension.
2. The amounts paid him by way of gratuity or pension, and the dates of such payments.

51c. Copy of a declaration made by *Antoine Valiquette*, father of the late *Primat Valiquette*, Sergeant in the 65th Battalion.

56b. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th February last, for copies of all petitions, letters, &c., to the Department at *Ottawa*, praying for a Post office at *Palmer Road, Prince Edward Island*; also, all correspondence to and from the Post Office Department at *Ottawa* and the Post Office Inspector at *Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island*, on the same subject.

66a. Return to an Order of the House of the 24th February last, for a Return showing the names of all parties in arrears for hydraulic and other rents up to the 1st instant, and the amounts, respectively, due by such parties.

82. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 22nd January last, for copies of all correspondence between the officers of the Temperance Colonization Company and the officers of the *Saskatchewan Land and Homestead Company* and the Department of the Interior, or any Member of the Government; and all correspondence between the Reverend *Alexander Sutherland* and *John T. Moore* and the Department of the Interior, or any Member of the Government, in relation to the location of lands and claims for placing immigrants on lands, and compensation for assisting immigration to the said lands, together with all Orders in Council relating to such claims.

82a. Supplementary Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 22nd January last, for copies of all correspondence between the officers of the Temperance Colonization Company and the officers of the *Saskatchewan Land and Homestead Company* and the Department of the Interior, or any Member of the Government; and all correspondence between the Reverend *Alexander Sutherland* and *John T. Moore* and the Department of the Interior, or any Member of the Government, in relation to the location of lands and claims for placing immigrants on lands, and compensation for assisting immigration to the said lands, together with all Orders in Council relating to such claims.

83. Return to an Order of the House of the 10th ultimo, for copies of all petitions and correspondence respecting the placing of a floating light opposite *Yama-chiche*, in Lake *St. Peter*, River *St. Lawrence*.

83a. Return to an Order of the House of the 19th ultimo, for copies of all petitions, correspondence and documents whatsoever respecting the placing of a floating light on the *St. Lawrence*, opposite the Church of *Ste. Croix*, in the County of *Lotbinière*, in place of the buoy now located there.

84. Report of *Collingwood Schreiber*, Esquire, Chief Engineer and General Manager of Government Railways, on the completion of the location survey of the proposed line of railway between *Harvey Station*, on the *New Brunswick Railway*, and a point on the Intercolonial Railway near *Moncton*, *viâ Fredericton*, known as the "*Harvey-Moncton Section of the Short Line Railway.*"

85. Return to an Order of the House of the 10th ultimo, for copies of forms of advertisement and of tender, of tenders received of the contract entered into in connection with a steam service between any ports in the Maritime Provinces and any *West India* ports; also, all correspondence connected therewith between any of the Public Departments and any persons interested in the establishment of the said service.

86. Return to an Order of the House of the 24th January last, for a Return of all papers and correspondence between the *Ontario Manufacturers' Association* and the Dominion Government, during the years 1883, 1884 and 1885, on the subject of proposed legislation relating to factories.

87a. Return to an Order of the House of the 5th March last, for a Return of all claims made by the Government since Confederation against individuals, companies or corporations, for damages done to Government property by steamers, vessels or other craft; giving the names of vessels, &c., their owners, dates and items of each claim, distinguishing those paid and unpaid.

88. Return to an Order of the House of the 14th ultimo, for copies of all agreements made between the Government, or the Minister of Railways, and the *Western Union Telegraph Company*, respecting the construction and operation of a telegraph line along the *Cape Breton Railway*.

89. Return to an Order of the House of the 14th ultimo, for copies of the petitions, letters, and the plans and Engineers' reports respecting the projected dam at "*Hungry Bay*," in the County of *Beauharnois*.

90. Return to an Order of the House of the 21st ultimo, for copies of all petitions and other documents relating to the building of the proposed branch railway to *Matane*.

92. Return to an Order of the House of the 14th ultimo, for copies of all correspondence between the Department of Militia and Defence and the officers of the staff of Military District No. 1 regarding the pay and allowances of said officers.

92a. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 21st ultimo, for copies of all Orders in Council making appointments, promotions and changes in the Department of Militia and Defence, for the year ending 31st December, 1889.

The Committee would also beg to report the following Resolutions as recommendations:—

*Resolved*, That 7,000 copies of the Report of the Select Standing Committee on Agriculture and Colonization be printed in the English and French languages in the usual ratio.

*Resolved*, That 10,000 copies of the Report of the Sub-Committee of the Select Standing Committee on Agriculture and Colonization, being a circular and appendix in relation to assisting Immigrants by loans from the "*United British Women's Emigration Association*" in *England*, be printed in the English and French languages, in the usual ratio—to be distributed by the Department of Agriculture, with a request to the municipalities to co-operate.

*Resolved*, That 50,000 copies of the late Report of the "*Dairymen's Association*," and 25,000 copies of the last Report of the "*Fruit Growers Association*," be printed in the English and French languages, in the usual ratio, to be wrapped up singly for distribution to Members of Parliament.

*Resolved*, That the Patent Office Reports, instead of being distributed as at present, be bound and distributed once a year, commencing the 1st of July next.

*Resolved*, That in place of the large Trunk now distributed sessionally to each Senator and Member of Parliament, there be substituted one of a better quality to be distributed next Session, and thereafter only at the first Session of each Parliament.

*Resolved*, That the supply of Stationery for the use of Members, &c., in future be of a better quality, such as was formerly issued.

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

*Resolved*, That this House doth concur in the Seventh and Ninth Reports of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament.

Mr. *Costigan*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 10th March, 1890,—

1. For a Return, in detail, of all expenses attending the passage and enforcement of the "Liquor License Act" of 1883 up to date.

2. The amount of all law costs *re* its constitutionality.

3. The names of all the legal firm or firms employed by the Government, and the amount paid said firm or firms. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 91a.)

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 "*Winnipeg* and *Hudson Bay* Railway Company," with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the Amendment made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the *Winnipeg* and *Hudson Bay* 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.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate transmits to this House, a copy of the Fifth Report of the Select Committee on Contingent Accounts of the Senate, calling attention to the several clauses of that Report referring to the expenditure upon Contingencies of the Senate during the past year.

Mr. *Bowell*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 10th March, 1890, for copies of all papers connected with the seizure of the tug "*Rooth*" at *Amherstburg*, in July or August last, having a raft in tow, and bound from *French River* to *Fort Erie*. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 99.)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 31st March, 1890, for a statement showing the number of barrels of Canadian flour brought by sea or directly, or through the *United States of America*, into the several Provinces of *Nova Scotia*, *New Brunswick* and *Prince Edward Island*, during the year 1889. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 97.)

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 Acts respecting the Duties of Customs."

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Acts respecting the Harbour of *Pictou*."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the *Wood Mountain* and *Qu'Appelle* Railway Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act of the present Session, intituled: "An Act to amend the Acts respecting the Duties of Customs.'"

Bill intituled: "An Act to provide for the collection and publishing of Labour "Statistics."

Bill intituled: "An Act to make further provision respecting the Bounty on "Pig Iron manufactured in *Canada* from Canadian Ore."

Bill intituled: "An Act to authorize the granting of subsidies in aid of the con- "struction of the lines of Railway therein mentioned."

Bill intituled: "An Act to authorize the granting of subsidies in Land to cer- "tain Railway Companies."

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, 1890, and the 30th June, 1891, and for "other purposes relating to the Public Service."

Also, the Senate have agreed to the Amendments made by this House to the following Bills:—

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend chapter one hundred and twenty-seven, of the Revised Statutes of "*Canada*, intituled: 'An Act respecting Interest."

Bill intituled: "An Act further to amend 'The Indian Act,' chapter forty-three of the Revised Statutes."

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amend- ments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting Banks and "Banking," 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. *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 Depart- ment of Public Printing and Stationery for the Dominion of *Canada*, for the year ending 30th June, 1889. (*Sessional Papers, No. 7c.*)

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Statements and correspondence in reference to the Harbour Works at *Quebec*, Graving Dock at *Esquimalt*, &c. (*Sessional Papers, No. 59g.*)

Mr. Speaker communicated to the House the following letter:—

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S SECRETARY,  
Ottawa, May, 1890.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that His Excellency the Governor Gen- eral will proceed to the Senate Chamber to prorogue the Session of the Dominion Parliament on May 16th (Friday), at 4 o'Clock.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

C. J. JONES,

*For the Governor General's Secretary.*

The Honourable

The Speaker of the House of Commons.

Mr. *Chapleau*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return (in part) to an Order of this House, dated 5th March, 1890, for a Return of all claims made by the Government since Confederation against individuals, companies or cor- porations for damages done to Government property by steamers, vessels or other craft; giving the names of vessels, &c., their owners, dates and items of each claim, distinguishing those paid and unpaid. (*Sessional Papers, No. 87c.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 12th February, 1890, for a Return showing the names of the six Pagans returned for the Parish of *Ste. Elizabeth*, in the County of *Joliette* and Province of *Quebec*, in the census returns of 1881, as appears from the original schedule of the enumerator for that parish. (*Sessional Papers, No. 98.*)

Mr. *Haggart*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 12th February, 1890, for copies of two enquiries made by Messieurs *Bourgeois*, *King* and *Bolduc*, respecting the Post office at *Pierreville, P. Q.* (*Sessional Papers, No. 56c.*)

Mr. *Dewdney*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 17th March, 1890, for a Return of all correspondence, memorials and agreements between the Government and the Temperance Colonization Company, together with correspondence of settlers, employees and members of the Company, relative to the operations of the said Company. (*Sessional Papers, No. 82b.*)

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*, Resolved, That the Accountant of this House be instructed to pay the balance of the indemnity of the late *Adam Hudspeth*, Esquire., to his legal representatives, and that the indemnity of *Samuel Barton Burdett*, Esquire, M. P., be paid to him in full, he having been obliged to leave town on account of illness.

A Message was received from His Excellency the Governor General, by *René 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 respecting the *Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway Company*.
- An Act respecting the *Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada*.
- An Act to amend "The Exchequer Court Act."
- An Act to incorporate the *Dominion Safe Deposit, Warehousing and Loan Company (Limited)*.
- An Act to incorporate the *Home Life Association of Canada*.
- An Act further to amend "The *Canada Temperance Act*."
- An Act respecting *Fishing Vessels of the United States of America*.
- An Act respecting *Grants of Public Lands*.
- An Act for the relief of *Hugh Forbes Keefer*.
- An Act for the relief of *Christiana Filman Glover*.
- An Act to amend an Act concerning *Marriage with a Deceased Wife's Sister*.
- An Act respecting *H. H. Vivian and Company (Limited)*.
- An Act further to amend the Act respecting the *Inland Revenue*, chapter thirty-four of the *Revised Statutes*.
- An Act to amend "The *Interpretation Act*."
- An Act respecting the *Department of the Geological Survey*.
- An Act to facilitate the purchase by the *Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway Company* from the *Canadian Pacific Railway Company* of the *Branch Line of Railway* between *Hull* and *Aylmer*.
- An Act respecting the *Ontario Pacific Railway Company*.

An Act to confer on the Commissioner of Patents certain powers for the relief of *George T. Smith*.

An Act respecting the *Hereford* Railway Company and the *Maine Central* Railway Company.

An Act relating to Bills of Exchange, Cheques and Promissory Notes.

An Act further to amend the Criminal Law.

An Act to amend "The Indian Advancement Act," chapter forty-four of the Revised Statutes.

An Act to amend "The Gas Inspection Act," chapter one hundred and one of the Revised Statutes.

An Act respecting Railways.

An Act to amend "The Seamen's Act," chapter seventy-four of the Revised Statutes.

An Act to amend "The Steamboat Inspection Act," chapter seventy-eight of the Revised Statutes.

An Act further to amend the Revised Statutes, chapter five, respecting the Electoral Franchise.

An Act respecting certain Savings Banks in the Province of *Quebec*.

An Act respecting a certain agreement therein mentioned with the *Calgary* and *Edmonton* Railway Company.

An Act to amend the Acts respecting the Harbour of *Pictou*.

An Act to amend the Acts respecting the Duties of Customs.

An Act respecting the *Wood Mountain* and *Qu'Appelle* Railway Company.

An Act to amend the Act of the present Session, intituled: "An Act to amend the Acts respecting the Duties of Customs."

An Act further to amend "The Indian Act," chapter forty-three of the Revised Statutes.

An Act to incorporate the *York County* Bank.

An Act to provide for the collection and publishing of Labour Statistics.

An Act to make further provision respecting the Bounty on Pig Iron manufactured in *Canada* from Canadian Ore.

An Act to amend chapter one hundred and twenty-seven of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, intituled: "An Act respecting Interest."

An Act to authorize 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 respecting Banks and Banking.

An Act respecting the *Winnipeg* and *Hudson Bay* Railway Company.

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, 1890, and the 30th June, 1891, 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 bringing to a close this somewhat protracted Session of Parliament I desire to convey to you my best thanks for the diligence with which you have applied yourselves to your important duties.

The negotiations respecting The *Behring Sea Question* are still in progress at *Washington* with good prospects of an equitable settlement. Meanwhile, the continuance for another year of what is known as "*The Modus Vivendi*," will serve to show our earnest desire to cultivate the most friendly relations with the *United States Government* and people.

The re-adjustment of the *Customs Tariff*, intended to promote the development of our agricultural, manufacturing and other industries, will, I have reason to hope, operate for the general benefit of all classes.

I am glad to believe that the Act relating to Banking has been most carefully considered, and will be found to guard the interests of the public and to be sufficiently liberal to those who are more immediately affected by its provisions.

The measure relating to *Bills of Exchange, Cheques and Promissory Notes* will, doubtless, render more certain and plain the law relating to these instruments and make the law in that regard uniform in almost all respects throughout *Canada*.

The amendments to the *Criminal Law* include a great number and variety of provisions, all of which will probably be found useful, and several of which were urgently demanded for the public welfare.

The creation of the *Bureau of Labour Statistics* will promote the investigation and study of the questions which affect the relations of *Capital and Labour*, and which are now engaging the attention of all great Nations. It will likewise aid the diffusion of information on all that concerns the occupations and well-being of the working classes. In some other measures of the present Session your desire to improve the laws which apply particularly to those engaged in industrial pursuits will likewise be recognized.

The various provisions to amend the laws relating to *Railways, Patents, Copyrights and Trade-Marks* and to the *Department of Inland Revenue*, and, likewise, the enactments to improve the Statutes for the management of our *Indian population* are well adapted to promote the efficient administration of the Departments to which they relate, while the large amount of private *Railway Legislation* indicates a spirit of enterprise throughout the Country, which, it is to be hoped, will lead to a substantial development of the railway works of the Country.

*Gentlemen of the House of Commons :*

I thank you for the liberal provision which you made for the requirements of the *Public Service*.

*Honourable Gentlemen of the Senate :*

*Gentlemen of the House of Commons :*

I take leave of you for the present, with the earnest hope that in the coming season our people in every part of *Canada* may be blessed with an abundant reward for their labours and may witness a marked advance in the prosperity of the Dominion.

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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 Monday, the Twenty-third day of June next, to be here holden, and this Parliament is accordingly prorogued until Monday, the Twenty-third day of June next.

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68. Return showing persons tried for selling liquor to Indians in County of Grey or Bruce during 1888-89. ( <i>Not printed</i> , 263.) ( <i>S. Papers</i> , No. 43a.)	By Order 11	167
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103. Return showing receipts and expenses of each Registry Office in the North-West Territories from 1887. ( <i>Not printed</i> , 296.) (S. Papers, No. 33g.)	By Order 113	222
104. Copies of memorials sent by J. Holden and J. Shera respecting Second Homesteads in the North-West Territories. ( <i>Not printed</i> , 296.) (S. Papers, No. 33f.)	By Order 113	222
105. Return showing number of acres of pasture land in North-West Territories now under lease, &c. ( <i>Not printed</i> , 499.) (S. Papers, No. 33n.)	By Order 323	453
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112. <i>Pagans</i> :—Return showing names of six Pagans returned for Parish of Ste. Elizabeth, P.Q., in Census returns of 1881. ( <i>Not printed</i> .) (S. Papers, No. 98.)	By Order 82	504
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118. Copy of Form 93, Police Returns, in which payments for contingencies were paid to L. W. Herchmer.	By Order 298	—
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120. <i>Port Stanley</i> :—Statement of all Tolls collected by different Railway Companies at Port Stanley.	By Order '44	—
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126. Statement of number of registered letters sent to Dead Letter Office during 1887, 1888 and 1889. ( <i>Not printed, 67.</i> )	By Order 22	40
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127. Correspondence respecting the robbery of the Post Office at Pembroke on 19th April, 1890.	By Order 44	—
128. Correspondence respecting the carriage of Mails between Campbellton, N. B., and Gaspé Basin, P. Q. ( <i>Not printed, 138.</i> )	By Order 56	68
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129. Copy of contract for construction of Post Office and Custom House at Annapolis, N. S. ( <i>Not printed, 265.</i> )	By Order 62	166
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130. Copies of two Enquiries respecting the Post Office at Pierreville, P. Q. ( <i>Not printed.</i> )	By Order 83	504
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131. Copies of Petitions, &c., respecting a Post Office at Palmer Road, Prince Edward Island. ( <i>Not printed, 500.</i> )	By Order 83	322
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132. Correspondence, &c., respecting the delivery by railway of the Mails at St. Gabriel and St. Damien.	By Order 84	—
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135. Correspondence respecting the change in carrying the Mail from Craig's Road Station, G. T. Railway, to Leeds, and from Tiggins Post Office to Lower Leeds.	By Order 125	—

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