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

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 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 TWELFTH day of AUGUST, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and in the Fifty-sixth 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.]

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

**W**HEREAS Our Parliament of Canada stands prorogued to the TWENTY-SEVENTH  
day of the month of SEPTEMBER, instant, at which time, at Our CITY of  
OTTAWA, you were held and constrained to appear; Now KNOW YE, that for divers  
causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience  
of Our Loving Subjects, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Privy  
Council for Canada, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time  
aforesaid, hereby convoking and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you,  
on MONDAY, the SEVENTH 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  
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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-SIXTH day of SEPTEMBER, in the year of Our Lord  
One thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and in the  
Fifty-sixth year of Our Reign.

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

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*Deputy Governor.*

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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 SEVENTH 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  
MONDAY, the NINETEETH day of the month of DECEMBER next, to meet Us in Our  
Parliament of Canada, at Our CITY of OTTAWA, there to take into consideration the

state and welfare of Our said Dominion of Canada, and therein to do as may seem necessary. **HEREIN FAIL NOT.**

**IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF,** We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed. **WITNESS,** JOHN J. MCGEE, Esquire, Deputy of Our Right Trusty and Well-Beloved the Right Honourable Sir FREDERICK ARTHUR STANLEY, Baron Stanley of Preston, in the County of Lancaster, in the Peerage of 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 **FOURTH** day of **NOVEMBER**, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and in the Fifty-sixth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

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

*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 **NINETEENTH** day of **DECEMBER**, instant, nevertheless, for certain causes and considerations, We have thought fit further to prorogue the same to **THURSDAY**, the **TWENTY-SIXTH** day of the month of **JANUARY** next, so that neither you, nor any of you on the said **NINETEENTH** day of **DECEMBER**, instant, 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 **TWENTY-SIXTH** 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, in Our said Dominion, this **SIXTEENTH** day of **DECEMBER**, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and in the Fifty-sixth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

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



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Thursday, 26th January, 1893.

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.

Mr. Speaker communicated to The House the following letter:—

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S SECRETARY,  
Ottawa, 24th January, 1893.

SIR,

I have the honour to inform you that His Excellency the Governor General will proceed to the Senate Chamber to open the Session of the Dominion Parliament, on Thursday, the 26th instant, at Three o'Clock, P.M.

I have the honour to be, Sir,  
Your obedient servant,

J. Sr. AUBYN, Major,  
*Governor General's Secretary.*

The Honourable  
The Speaker of the House of Commons.

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 he had received from the Judges selected for the trial of Election Petitions, pursuant to "The Dominion Controverted Elections Act," a Certificate and Report relating to the Election:—

For the Electoral District of *Soulanges* :

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

(*Translation.*)

SOULANGES CONTROVERTED ELECTION-

*Montreal*, 21st November, 1892.

To the Honourable *Peter White*,  
Speaker, House of Commons, *Ottawa*.

SIR,—We have the honour to transmit herewith an authentic copy of the final judgment rendered by us, on the 11th instant, in the matter of the Controverted Election for the Electoral District of *Soulanges*.

We have, moreover, the honour to report to you:—

1st. That it has not been proved that corrupt practices were committed at the said election by or with the knowledge and consent of any candidate;

2nd. That, nevertheless, candidate *James W. Bain* has admitted that corrupt practices sufficient to void his election were committed by his agents, without his knowledge and without his consent;

3rd. That there is not reason to believe that corrupt practices extensively prevailed during the said election;

4th. We are of opinion that the inquiry into the circumstances of the election has not been rendered incomplete by the action of any of the parties to the petition and that further enquiry as to whether corrupt practices extensively prevailed at the said election is not desirable.

We have the honour to be, Mr. Speaker,

Your obedient servants,

CHARLES GILL,

*J. S. C.*

S. PAGNUELO,

*J. S. C.*

Province of *Quebec*. }  
District of *Montreal*. }

*In the Superior Court.*

THE CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT AND AMENDMENTS.

Election of a Member of the House of Commons of *Canada* for the Electoral District of *Soulanges*, in the Judicial District of *Montreal*, held on the 27th day of January and the 3rd day of February, 1892, the same being the nomination day and polling day, respectively.

The eleventh day of November, 1892.

*Present :*

Honourable Mr. Justice GILL.

do do PAGNUELO.

ALEXANDER COOKER, junr., Painter, of the City of *Montreal*, and ELIE E. BOURBONNAIS, Medical Student, of the Parish of *St. Clet*, in the said District,

*Petitioners ;*

and

JAMES WILLIAM BAIN, Merchant, of the Parish of *St. Polycarpe* in the said District, and Member of the House of Commons for the said Electoral District of *Soulanges*,

*Respondent.*

We, the undersigned Judges of the Superior Court for the Province of *Quebec*, sitting in and for the District of *Montreal*, for the trial and adjudication of the

Election Petition in this matter, after hearing the Petitioners and Respondent at the time and place appointed for the trial, examining the admission of the Respondent and the procedure of record, and duly deliberated;

Considering the admission filed by Respondent and duly communicated to Petitioners, whereby Respondent admits that corrupt practices sufficient to void his election were committed by his agents without his knowledge and consent;

Considering that Petitioners have produced no evidence to show that corrupt practices were committed by Respondent himself, nor by his agents with his knowledge;

Do hereby declare that that part of the conclusions of the said petition whereby Petitioners ask that Respondent be disqualified, is not well founded in fact, and the same is hereby rejected;

That that part of the conclusions of the said petition whereby it is asked that the said election be annulled, ought to be and the same is hereby granted; and we declare the said election void and of no effect, with costs against the said Respondent, deduction being nevertheless made of costs for witnesses summoned subsequently to the notice given by the Respondent admitting acts of corruption by agents, including summoning.

CHARLES GILL,

*J. S. C.*

S. PAGNUELO,

*J. S. C.*

(A true Copy.)

L. H. COLLARD,  
*Dep. Proth. S. C.*

Canada, }  
Province of Quebec, } *In the Superior Court.*  
District of Montreal. }

THE DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT AND AMENDMENTS.

*In re* the Election of a Member of the House of Commons of Canada, for the Electoral District of *Soulanges*.

ALEXANDER COOKER, junr., *et al.*,  
*Petitioners*;

and

JAMES W. BAIN,  
*Respondent.*

Respondent, without admitting the legality of the procedure in this cause, nor the jurisdiction of the tribunal, admits that corrupt practices sufficient to void his election were committed by his agents, without his knowledge and consent.

MONTREAL, 4th November, 1892.

(Signed) J. W. BAIN.  
(Signed) BISAILLON, BROSSEAU & LAJOIE,  
*Counsel for Respondent.*

Received notice, 7th November, 1892.

Reserving all rights, and without prejudice as to costs incurred.

(Signed) F. X. CHOQUET.

(A true Copy.)

L. H. COLLARD,  
*Dep. Proth. S. C.*

Mr. Speaker also informed the House, That in conformity with Chapter 9, Section 46, of the Revised Statutes, he had issued his Warrant to the Clerk of the

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

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

For the Electoral District of *Yarmouth* ;

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| do | do | <i>Peel</i> ;                                       |
| do | do | <i>Pictou</i> ;                                     |
| do | do | <i>Bonaventure</i> ;                                |
| do | do | <i>Charlotte</i> ;                                  |
| do | do | <i>King's, N.B.</i> ;                               |
| do | do | the South Riding of the County of <i>Perth</i> ;    |
| do | do | <i>Argenteuil</i> ;                                 |
| do | do | the North Riding of the County of <i>Perth</i> ;    |
| do | do | <i>Welland</i> ;                                    |
| do | do | the East Riding of the County of <i>York</i> ;      |
| do | do | the East Riding of the County of <i>Hastings</i> ;  |
| do | do | <i>Lennox</i> ;                                     |
| do | do | <i>Monck</i> ;                                      |
| do | do | <i>Beauce</i> ;                                     |
| do | do | the West Riding of the County of <i>Huron</i> ;—and |
| do | do | the East Riding of the County of <i>Simcoe</i> .    |

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

#### YARMOUTH, N. S., CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

*In the Supreme Court.*

#### THE DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT.

Election of a Member for the House of Commons for *Yarmouth*.

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

Between

CHARLES WHITE,

*Petitioner* ;

and

THOMAS B. FLINT,

*Respondent*.

We, *J. Norman Ritchie* and *Charles J. Townshend*, Puisne Judges of the Supreme Court of *Nova Scotia*, do hereby certify to the Honourable the Speaker of the House of Commons of the Dominion of *Canada*, our determination made and delivered in open Court at the conclusion of the trial of the Election Petition above mentioned, on the 5th day of July, 1892, which determination or judgment is as follows:—

This petition coming on for trial before us at *Yarmouth*, on the 5th day of July, A.D. 1892, pursuant to law, after hearing read the petition and the statement in open Court by the Counsel for the Petitioner that he had no evidence to offer in support of the charges contained in the petition, it is adjudged that the Respondent has been duly elected a Member of the House of Commons ; and, on motion of Counsel for the

Respondent, it is ordered that the petition be dismissed with costs to be paid by the Petitioner.

We append hereto a copy of the notes of the trial.

In testimony whereof, we have hereto subscribed our names, this fourteenth day of July, A.D. 1892.

J. NORMAN RITCHIE,  
CHARLES J. TOWNSHEND.

HALIFAX, N.S., 14th July, 1892.

SIR,—In addition to the certificate of our determination on the petition against *Thomas B. Flint*, Esquire, a candidate at the last election held at *Yarmouth*, and who was returned as Member, we have the honour to report as follows:—

(a.) No corrupt practice has been proved to have been committed by or with the knowledge and consent of any candidate at such election.

(b.) At the trial no persons were proved to have been guilty of corrupt practices.

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

(d.) Except by the refusal of the Petitioner to proceed with the trial, the enquiry into the circumstances of the election has not, in our opinion, been rendered incomplete by the action of any of the parties to the petition, and no further inquiry as to whether corrupt practices have extensively prevailed is desirable.

We have no special report to make as to any matters arising on the trial.

We have the honour to be, sir,

Your obedient servants,

J. N. RITCHIE,  
CHARLES J. TOWNSHEND.

The Honourable  
The Speaker of the House of Commons.

#### PEEL CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

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

#### THE DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT.

Election of a Member for the House of Commons for the Electoral District of the County of *Peel*, holden on the 4th and 11th days of February, A.D. 1892.

Dominion of *Canada*, }  
Province of *Ontario*, }  
To Wit: }

Between

JOSEPH PHAIR,

*Petitioner;*

and

JOSEPH FEATHERSTON,

*Respondent.*

We, the Honourable *William Glenholme Falconbridge* and the Honourable *William Purvis Rochfort Street*, two of the Judges of the Queen's Bench Division of the High Court of Justice, and the Judges before whom the Election Petition herein was tried on the ninth day of July, A.D. 1892, do hereby certify that, at the conclusion of the trial of the said petition, we determined that the said *Joseph Featherston* was duly returned and elected.

And we do further certify that no evidence was offered at said trial in support of the said petition.

And we do hereby report that no corrupt practice has been proved to have been committed by or with the knowledge and consent of any candidate at such election.

And we do further report that no evidence was adduced to show that corrupt practices have, and we therefore have no reason to believe, that corrupt practices have extensively prevailed at the said election.

And we have no reason to believe that the inquiry into the circumstances of the said election has been rendered incomplete by the action of any of the parties to the petition, or that further inquiry as to whether corrupt practices have extensively prevailed is desirable.

Dated the 19th day of July, A.D. 1892.

W. G. FALCONBRIDGE,  
J.

WM. P. R. STREET,  
J.

PICTOU, N.S., CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

*In the Supreme Court.*

THE DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT.

Election of a Member for the House of Commons for *Pictou*.

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

Between

JEFFERY McCOLL,

*Petitioner :*

and

CHARLES H. TUPPER,

*Respondent.*

We, *Robert L. Weatherbe* and *J. Norman Ritchie*, Puisne Judges of the Supreme Court of *Nova Scotia*, do hereby certify to the Honourable the Speaker of the House of Commons of *Canada*, our determination made and delivered in open Court at the conclusion of the trial of the Election Petition above mentioned, on the 12th day of July, 1892, which determination or judgment is as follows :—

“ This petition coming on before us for trial at *Pictou*, on the 12th July, 1892, pursuant to law, after hearing read the petition, and on the statement of Petitioner's Counsel that he had no evidence to offer in support of the petition, we adjudge and determine that the Respondent, the Honourable *Charles H. Tupper*, has been duly elected and returned as one of the Members of the House of Commons for *Pictou*, and we dismiss the petition with costs to be paid by Petitioner.”

We append hereto a copy of the notes of trial.

In testimony whereof, we have hereto subscribed our names this 21st day of July, A.D. 1892.

ROB. L. WEATHERBE,  
J. NORMAN RITCHIE.

HALIFAX, N.S., 21st July, 1892.

SIR,—In addition to the certificate of our determination on the petition against the Honourable *Charles H. Tupper*, who was returned elected as one of the Members of the House of Commons for *Pictou*, we have the honour to report as follows:—

(a.) No corrupt practice has been proved to have been committed by or with the knowledge and consent of any candidate at such election.

(b.) At the trial no persons were proved to have been guilty of corrupt practices.

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

(d.) Except by the refusal of the Petitioner to proceed with the trial, the inquiry into the circumstances of the election has not, in our opinion, been rendered incomplete by the action of any of the parties to the petition, and no further inquiry as to whether corrupt practices have extensively prevailed is desirable.

We have no special report to make as to any matters arising on the trial.

We have the honour to be, Sir,  
Your obedient servants,

ROB. L. WEATHERBE,  
J. N. RITCHIE.

The Honourable  
The Speaker of the House of Commons.

(Translation.)

BONAVENTURE CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

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

*In the Superior Court.*

THE DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT.

Election of a Member for the Electoral District of *Bonaventure*, held on the 26th day of February, for the nomination of candidates, and the 5th March, for the polling of votes, in the year 1891.

HENRY WELLMAN, Gardener, of the Parish of *St. Etienne de New Carlisle*,  
*Petitioner*;

and

WILLIAM LE BOUTHILLIER FAUVEL, Merchant, of *Paspébiac*,  
*Respondent*.

The undersigned Judges of the Superior Court, who presided at the trial of the petition, have the honour to report that the Petitioner having furnished no evidence in support of the allegations of his petition, the same was rejected, and the said *William Le Bouthillier Fauvel* declared elected, with costs against Petitioner, as shown by the copy hereunto annexed of the judgment, and that no evidence was produced to show that corrupt practices were committed during the election to which the said petition relates.

L. B. CARON,  
*J. S. C.*

L. A. BILLY,  
*J. S. C.*

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

(Translation.)

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

*In the Superior Court.*

DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT.

Election of a Member for the House of Commons for the Electoral District of  
*Bonaventure.*

NEW CARLISLE, 23rd July, 1892.

*Present :*

Honourable Mr. Justice L. B. CARON,  
do do L. A. BILLY.

HENRY WELLMAN, Gardener, of the Parish of *St. Etienne de New Carlisle*,  
*Petitioner ;*

and

WILLIAM LE BOUTHILLIER FAUVEL, Merchant, of *Paspébiac*,  
*Respondent.*

The court, after having heard the parties by their respective counsel, on the merits of a motion made by the said Respondent for the rejection of the Election Petition in this cause, examined the said petition, the procedure and exhibits filed, and deliberated :

Considering that Respondent asks for the rejection of this petition and alleges that the trial thereof was first fixed for the 30th November last, and that no witness has since been examined ;

Considering that the trial was fixed anew before the last session of the Dominion Parliament, in order that the parties might proceed in this matter on the 19th July, instant ;

Considering that on the 19th July, instant, no witness was summoned by Petitioner, and that, moreover, no witness was summoned for yesterday or for this day, notwithstanding that the law requires that the trial of an Election Petition be prosecuted from day to day until it is concluded, and that Petitioner has taken no action in the case ;

Considering that the affidavit filed by the Petitioner does not show that the ends of justice rendered an adjournment necessary ;

And considering that Petitioner has not proved the essential allegations of his petition ;

Grants that said motion, and rejects the said Election Petition with costs, Respondent being in consequence declared to have been duly elected at the last election for the Dominion of *Canada.*

G. T. MAGUIRE,  
*P. S. C.*

(A true Copy.)



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 CHARLOTTE, N.B., CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

Dominion of *Canada*, }  
 Province of *New Brunswick*. }

## CHARLOTTE COUNTY CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

 Chapter 9, Revised Statutes of *Canada*, and Amending Acts.

 Election of a Member for the House of Commons for the Electoral District of the County of *Charlotte*, in the Province of *New Brunswick*, holden on the 5th day of March, A.D. 1891.

Between

WILLIAM OLIVE,

*Petitioner ;*

and

ARTHUR HILL GILLMOR,

*Respondent.*

To the Honourable

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

We, the undersigned, two of Her Majesty's Justices of the Supreme Court of the said Province and the Judges before whom the Election Petition herein was tried on the 6th day of January, A.D. 1892, and on the 19th day of July, A.D. 1892 :

Do hereby certify that, at the conclusion of the trial of the said petition, we determined that the said *Arthur Hill Gillmor* was duly elected and returned as the Member for the House of Commons for the said Electoral District at the said election, and that consequently he is entitled to hold the said seat, and we accordingly dismissed the said petition and ordered the said Petitioner to pay the costs thereof;

And we hereby report that no corrupt practices had been committed by or with the knowledge of any candidate at the said election, or otherwise; and we further report that there was no evidence before us of any corrupt practices at said election, and that further inquiry as to whether corrupt practices have prevailed is not desirable.

We certify that appended hereto is a copy of the notes of the proceedings at the trial of the said Election Petition.

All of which is humbly certified.

A. L. PALMER,

*J. S. C.*

GEORGE E. KING,

*J. S. C.*

ST. JOHN, N.B., 30th July, 1892.

## KING'S, N.B., CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

*Province of New Brunswick—In the Supreme Court.*

 In the matter of the Election for the Electoral District of the County of *King's*.

WILLIAM H. BAXTER and GEORGE WRIGHT,

*Petitioners ;*

and

GEORGE E. FOSTER,

*Respondent.*

To the Honourable

The Speaker of the House of Commons.

We, the undersigned Justices of the Supreme Court of the Province of *New Brunswick*, assigned under the Dominion Controverted Elections Act to try Election

Petitions in and for the Electoral District of the said County of *King's*, do hereby certify that the Court for the trial of the above petition was opened before us at the Court House at *Hampton*, in the said County of *King's*, on Tuesday, the twenty-third day of February last, at Ten of the Clock in the forenoon of that day.

The Petitioners and Respondent were both represented by Counsel.

We intimated to Counsel that the present sitting of the Election Court was being held merely for the purpose of hearing an application from the Petitioners, if they were desirous of making an application for the postponement of the trial to such a time as would enable them meantime to take an appeal to the Supreme Court of *Canada*, from a judgment of the Supreme Court of the Province ordering the above petition to be dismissed and removed from the files of the Supreme Court, because such petition had not been brought to trial within the six months limited for that purpose, and the entry of which judgment on the records of the Supreme Court had been stayed until the 1st March, 1892, to enable the petitioners to make an application to the Election Court for a postponement of the trial.

After such intimation, Counsel for the Petitioners made an application to us for an adjournment of the Election Court, and the first Tuesday in August, 1892, was finally appointed as the day on which the adjourned Election Court should meet.

That on that day, being the second day of August, instant, at 10 o'Clock, a.m., the said Election Court was opened at the Court House in *Hampton* aforesaid, when Counsel appeared for the Petitioners and for the Respondent.

The Supreme Court of this Province having, in Easter Term last, caused their judgment, already referred to, to be entered of record, making absolute the rule to remove from the files of the Court the Election Petition in this matter, and ordering the petition to be dismissed because it had not been brought to trial within the six months limited for that purpose, we were of opinion that as an Election Court we had no jurisdiction to proceed with the trial of the petition, and therefore declined to hear evidence in support of the petition, and considered as the Supreme Court had ordered the petition to be removed from the files of the Court and to be dismissed, that the election and return of the said *George E. Foster* would remain undisturbed, and we report it therefore to be our opinion that the said *George E. Foster* was duly elected and returned as a Member of the said County of *King's* in the House of Commons.

As we had not, in our opinion, for the reasons above stated, any jurisdiction to hear the petition or make inquiry into the circumstances of the election, we did not make any such inquiry and cannot therefore make report thereon as required by the 44th section of the Dominion Controverted Elections Act.

Appended hereto is a minute of the proceedings had before us at the said Election Courts, held on the 23rd day of February last, and the 2nd day of August, instant.

Dated this 13th day of August, A.D. 1892.

JNO. JAS. FRASER,

*J. S. C.*

W. H. TUCK,

*J. S. C.*

## SOUTH PERTH CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

*In the High Court of Justice—Chancery Division.*

## THE DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT.

Election of a Member for the House of Commons for the Electoral District of the South Riding of the County of *Perth*, holden on the third day of March, 1892, and on the tenth day of March, 1892.

Between

ARCHIBALD ANDERSON ELLIS,  
*Petitioner ;*

and

WILLIAM PRIDHAM,  
*Respondent.*

And (by cross-petition)

Between

WILLIAM PRIDHAM,  
*Petitioner ;*

and

JAMES TROW,  
*Respondent.*

We, the Honourable *John Alexander Boyd*, Chancellor of *Ontario*, and the Honourable *Richard Martin Meredith*, one of the Judges of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice for *Ontario*, being the Judges assigned to try the said petition and cross-petition, do hereby certify that, on the 8th day of September, 1892, at the City of *Stratford*, in the County of *Perth*, we held a Court for the trial of the said petitions.

And that, at the said Court, Counsel appeared for the said Petitioners, respectively, and stated that, upon investigation of the charges made, they had found that they could not hope to succeed in establishing in evidence a case sufficient to entitle the Petitioners to succeed, and therefore had determined not to offer any evidence. And Counsel for the Respondent, *Pridham*, stating that he did not ask for costs against the Petitioner *Ellis*, and Counsel for the Respondent *Trow* claiming costs against the Petitioner *Pridham*, and no evidence being offered in support of either petition, we therefore held and determined that the said William *Pridham*, the Member whose election and return were complained of by the said petition, was duly elected and returned, and dismissed the said petition without costs, and the said cross-petition with costs.

In the said petition and cross-petition charges having been made that corrupt practices had been committed at the said election, we also report as follows:—

(a) That (no evidence whatever having been given as before mentioned) no corrupt practice was proved before us to have been committed with the knowledge and consent of any candidate at such election; and

(b) That we have no reason to believe that corrupt practices extensively prevailed at such election.

Given at *Osgoode Hall*, this 17th day of September, 1892.

J. A. BOYD,  
*J.*  
R. M. MEREDITH,  
*J.*

To the Honourable  
The Speaker of the House of Commons.

(Translation.)

ARGENTEUIL CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

JUDGES' CHAMBERS, *Montreal*, 26th September, 1892.

To the Honourable *Peter White*,  
Speaker, House of Commons, *Ottawa*.

SIR,—We have the honour to transmit to you herewith an authentic copy of our judgment, dated the 24th instant, dismissing the Election Petition *in re* the *Argenteuil* Controverted Election.

We have also the honour, in pursuance of section 44 of the Dominion Controverted Elections Act, to report:—

1st. That it has not been proved that corrupt practices were committed by any candidate at the said election, or with the knowledge and consent of any such candidate.

2nd. That no person was found guilty during the said enquiry of having committed corrupt practices.

3rd. That there is no reason to believe that corrupt practices were committed to any extent whatever at the said election.

4th. That we are not of opinion that the enquiry into the circumstances of the election has been rendered incomplete by the act of any of the parties to the petition, and that we consider further enquiry as to whether corrupt practices extensively prevailed at the said election is not desirable.

We have the honour to be, Mr. Speaker,

Your obedient servants,

HENRI T. TASCHEREAU,  
*J. S. C.*

CHARLES GILL,  
*J. S. C.*

Canada,  
Province of *Quebec*, }  
District of *Terrebonne*. }

*In the Superior Court.*

DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT AND AMENDMENTS.

STE. SCHOLASTIQUE, 24th September, 1892.

*Present :*

Honourable Mr. Justice TASCHEREAU,  
do do GILL.

GEORGE MORRISON, Farmer, of the Parish of *St. Jérusalem d'Argenteuil*, in the County of *Argenteuil*, and WILLIAM RICHARD MACKAN, Clerk, of the Village of *Grenville*, in the County of *Argenteuil*, electors for the House of Commons of *Canada*,  
*Petitioners ;*

and

THOMAS CHRISTIE, Physician, of the Town of *Lachute*, in the Electoral District of *Argenteuil*, in the Judicial District of *Terrebonne*, and Member of the House of Commons of *Canada* for the Electoral District of *Argenteuil*,

*Respondent.*

The Court, having heard the parties by their respective attorneys, on the merits of the Election Petition filed in this case, examined the procedure and all the exhibits filed, and on the whole duly deliberated:

Considering that the Petitioners have not established in evidence any of the allegations of their said petition;

And in view of the consent of the parties given, in Court, as to the adjudication of costs;

Doth dismiss the said Election Petition, each party to pay their own costs, save those already adjudged during the case, and doth in consequence declare that Respondent, *Thomas Christie*, was duly elected and returned at the said election, to wit: at the election of a Member of the House of Commons of *Canada*, to represent the Electoral District of *Argenteuil*, held on the 26th February, 1891, for the nomination of candidates, and the 5th March of the same year, for the polling of votes.

(By the Court.)

(A true Copy.)

J. A. C. ETHIER,  
*Dep. P. S. C.*

### NORTH PERTH CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

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

#### THE DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT.

Election of a Member for the House of Commons for the Electoral District of the North Riding of the County of *Perth*, holden on the 12th and 19th days of May, 1892.

Between

JOHN A. GARDNER,

*Petitioner;*

and

JAMES GRIEVE,

*Respondent.*

The 24th day of October, 1892.

To the Honourable

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

We, the Honourable *William Glenholme Falconbridge* and the Honourable *William Purvis Rochfort Street*, Justices of the Queen's Bench Division of the High Court of Justice, do certify that, pursuant to the Dominion Controverted Elections Act, on the 15th day of October, 1892, we held a Court at the City of *Stratford*, in the County of *Perth*, for the trial of the Election Petition between the above parties respecting the above election, at which election the said *James Grieve* had been returned as duly elected, and that no evidence having been offered in support of the said petition, we determined and adjudged that the said *James Grieve* was duly returned or elected at the said election.

We hereby further certify and report that no evidence having been offered as aforesaid a corrupt practice has not been proved to have been committed by or with the knowledge and consent of any candidate at the said election.

And that we have no reason to believe that corrupt practices extensively prevailed at the said election, nor have we any reason to believe that the inquiry into the circumstances of the said election has been rendered incomplete by the action of any of the parties to the petition, or that further inquiry as to whether corrupt practices have extensively prevailed is desirable.

W. G. FALCONBRIDGE,  
*J.*

WM. P. R. STREET,  
*J.*

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WELLAND CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

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

THE DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT.

Election of a Member for the House of Commons for the Electoral District of the County of *Welland*, holden on the 22nd day of April, 1892, and the 29th day of April, 1892.

Between

JOHN BRENNAN,  
*Petitioner ;*

and

JAMES A. LOWELL,  
*Respondent.*

And between

JAMES ALFRED LOWELL,  
*Petitioner ;*

and

JAMES LAWSON,  
*Respondent.*

We, the Honourable *William Glenholme Falconbridge* and the Honourable *William Purvis Rockford Street*, two of the Judges of the Queen's Bench Division of the High Court of Justice, before whom the Election Petition and the counter-petition herein were tried on the 29th day of October, 1892, do hereby certify that, at the conclusion of the said trial of said petition and counter-petition, we determined that the said *James A. Lowell* was duly returned and elected.

And we do further certify that no evidence was offered at said trial in support of the said petition or of the counter-petition.

And we do hereby report that no corrupt practice has been proved to have been committed by or with the knowledge and consent of any candidate at such election.

And we do further report that no evidence was adduced to show that corrupt practices have, and we therefore have no reason to believe, that corrupt practices have extensively prevailed at the said election.

And we have no reason to believe that the inquiry into the circumstances of the said election has been rendered incomplete by the action of any of the parties to the petition, or that further inquiry as to whether corrupt practices have extensively prevailed is desirable.

Dated this 8th day of November, 1892.

W. G. FALCONBRIDGE,  
*J.*

WM. P. R. STREET,  
*v.*

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EAST YORK CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

*In the High Court of Justice—Chancery Division.*

THE DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT.

Election of a Member for the House of Commons for the Electoral District of the East Riding of the County of *York*, holden on the 4th and 11th days of May, 1892.

Between

ANDREW LAWLOR,

*Petitioner ;*

and

WILLIAM F. MACLEAN,

*Respondent.*

We, the Honourable *John Alexander Boyd*, Chancellor of *Ontario*, and the Honourable *Richard Martin Meredith*, one of the Judges of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice for *Ontario*, being the Judges assigned to try the said petition, do hereby certify that, on the 7th day of November, A.D. 1892, at the Village of *Markham*, in the County of *York*, we held a Court for the trial of the said petition.

And at the said Court, Counsel appeared for the said Petitioner and stated that, upon investigation of the charges made, he had found that he could not hope to succeed in establishing in evidence a case sufficient to prove the petition and entitle the Petitioner to succeed, and therefore had determined not to offer any evidence.

And Counsel for the Respondent *Maclean* stated that he did not ask for costs against the Petitioner *Lawlor*.

And no evidence being offered in support of the said petition, we thereupon held and determined that the said *William F. Maclean*, the Member whose election and return were complained of by the said Petitioner, was duly elected and returned, and dismissed the said petition without costs.

In the said petition charges having been made that corrupt practices had been committed at the said election, we also report as follows :—

(a). That (no evidence whatever having been given as before mentioned) no corrupt practice was proved before us to have been committed with the knowledge and consent of any candidate at such election.

(b). That we have no reason to believe that corrupt practices extensively prevailed at such election.

Dated at *Osgoode Hall*, this sixteenth day of November, 1892.

J. A. BOYD,

*J.*

R. M. MEREDITH,

*J.*

To the Honourable  
The Speaker of the House of Commons.

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EAST HASTINGS CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

*In the High Court of Justice—Queen's Bench Division. (Assigned to the Common Pleas Division for trial.)*

THE DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT.

Election of a Member for the House of Commons for the Electoral District of the East Riding of the County of *Hastings*, holden on the 13th and 20th days of February, 1892.

Between

PHILIP OWEN ROBLIN,

*Petitioner ;*

and

WILLIAM BARTON NORTHRUP,

*Respondent.*

We, the Honourable *John Edward Rose* and the Honourable *Hugh MacMahon*, two of the Justices of the Common Pleas Division of the High Court of Justice for *Ontario*, being the Judges assigned to try the said petition, do hereby certify that, on the 15th day of November, 1892, at the City of *Belleville*, we held a Court for the trial of the said petition.

And that at the said Court, the Respondent, *William Barton Northrup*, appeared in person, no one appearing on behalf of *Philip Owen Roblin*, the Petitioner, and the Respondent waiving any claim for costs in respect of the said petition, we thereupon held and determined that the said *William Barton Northrup*, the Member whose election and return were complained of by the said petition, was duly elected and returned, and dismissed the said petition without costs.

In the said petition charges having been made that corrupt practices had been committed at the said election, we also report as follows:—

(a.) That (no evidence having been given) no corrupt practice was proved before us to have been committed by or with the knowledge and consent of either of the candidates at such election.

(b.) That we have no means of forming a belief whether corrupt practices have or have not extensively prevailed at the said election.

(c.) That we are of the opinion that the inquiry into the circumstances of the election has been rendered incomplete by the action of the parties to the petition, and we have no evidence before us to say whether or not an inquiry as to whether corrupt practices extensively prevailed at the said election is desirable.

Given at *Osgoode Hall*, in the City of *Toronto*, this twenty-first day of November, 1892.

JOHN E. ROSE,

*J.*

H. MACMAHON,

*J.*

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

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## LENNOX CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

*In the High Court of Justice—Queen's Bench Division. (Assigned to the Common Pleas Division for trial.)*

## THE DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT.

Election of a Member for the House of Commons for the Electoral District of the County of *Lennox*, holden on the 28th day of January, 1892, and the 4th day of February, 1892.

Between

GEORGE LLOYD,

*Petitioner;*

and

URIAH WILSON,

*Respondent.*

We, the Honourable *John Edward Rose* and the Honourable *Hugh MacMahon*, two of the Justices of the Common Pleas Division of the High Court of Justice for *Ontario*, being the Judges assigned to try the said petition, do hereby certify that, on the 14th day of November, 1892, at the Town of *Napanee*, we held a Court for the trial of the said petition.

And that at the said Court, Counsel appeared for the said Petitioner and stated that, upon investigation of the charges made, he had found that he could not hope to succeed in establishing in evidence a case sufficient to entitle the Petitioner to succeed, and therefore had determined not to offer any evidence.

And Counsel for the Respondent, *Wilson*, stating that he did not ask for costs against the Petitioner *Lloyd*, and no evidence being offered in support of the said petition, we thereupon held and determined that the said *Uriah Wilson*, the Member whose election and return were complained of by the said petition, was duly elected and returned, and dismissed the said petition without costs.

In the said petition charges having been made that corrupt practices had been committed at the said election, we also report as follows:—

(a.) That (no evidence whatever having been given as before mentioned) no corrupt practice was proved before us to have been committed by or with the knowledge and consent of either of the candidates at such election.

(b.) That we have no means of forming a belief whether corrupt practices have or have not extensively prevailed at the said election.

(c.) That we are of the opinion that the inquiry into the circumstances of the election has been rendered incomplete by the action of the parties to the petition, and we have no evidence before us to say whether or not an inquiry as to whether corrupt practices extensively prevailed at the said election is desirable.

Given at *Osgoode Hall*, in the City of *Toronto*, this twenty-first day of November, 1892.

JOHN E. ROSE,  
*J.*

H. MACMAHON,  
*J.*

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

MONCK CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

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

THE DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT.

Election of a Member for the House of Commons for the Electoral District of *Monck*, holden on the 5th and 12th days of March, 1892.

Between

JOHN HUGHES,

*Petitioner ;*

and

ARTHUR BOYLE,

*Respondent.*

And between

ARTHUR BOYLE,

*Petitioner ;*

and

JOHN BROWN,

*Respondent.*

The 22nd day of November, 1892.

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

We, the Honourable *William Glenholme Falconbridge* and the Honourable *William Purvis Rochfort Street*, Justices of the Queen's Bench Division of the High Court of Justice, do certify that, pursuant to the Dominion Controverted Elections Act, on the 12th day of November, 1892, we held a Court at the Town of *Cayuga*, in the County of *Haldimand*, for the trial of the Election Petition between the above parties, *John Hughes* and *Arthur Boyle*, and of the cross-petition between the above parties, *Arthur Boyle* and *John Brown*, respecting the above election, at which election the said *Arthur Boyle* had been returned as duly elected, and that no evidence having been offered in support of the said petition or of the said cross-petition, we determined and adjudged that the said *Arthur Boyle* was duly returned or elected at the said election.

We further certify and report that a corrupt practice has not been proved to have been committed by or with the knowledge and consent of any candidate at the said election, and that no evidence having been offered before us, we have therefore no reason to believe that corrupt practices extensively prevailed at the said election, or that the inquiry into the circumstances of the said election has been rendered incomplete by the action of any of the parties to the said petition, or the said cross-petition, or that further inquiry as to whether corrupt practices have extensively prevailed is desirable.

W. G. FALCONBRIDGE,  
*J.*

WM. P. R. STREET,  
*J.*

(*Translation.*)

BEAUCE CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

*Quebec*, 6th December, 1892.

To the Honourable *P. White*,  
Speaker of the House of Commons,  
*Canada*.

SIR,—In the matter of the Controverted Dominion Election for the Electoral District of *Beauce*, we have the honour to report to you:—

1st. That sitting at *St. Joseph de la Beauce* on the 19th day of November last, 1892, we dismissed the Election Petition against the sitting Member, *Joseph Godbout*,

Esquire, because neither the election to which the said petition relates, nor the qualification of the Petitioners, was proved, a copy of which decision accompanies this report.

2nd. That from the evidence laid before us, it was not proved that corrupt practices were committed at the said election by or with the knowledge and consent of any candidate.

3rd. That from the said evidence it appears that some acts of the offence of treating were committed at the said election by some person working in the interest of the said *Joseph Godbout*, Esquire; but, that the said acts are neither numerous nor important enough to constitute a general system of treating nor to have affected in any way the result of the election; and that the said acts were committed during the said election by *Hubert Gosselin*, carpenter, *George Lessard*, farmer, and *Etienne Nadeau*, farmer, all of *St. Ephrem de Tring*; by *Joseph Paré*, farmer, and *Johnny Poulin*, of *St. Victor de Tring*; by *Louis Jacques*, fils, merchant and hotel-keeper, of *St. Joseph de la Beauce*; by *Barnabé Tanguay*, merchant, of *St. Honoré de Shenley*; and by one *Paquet*, hotel-keeper, and *Joseph Bernard*, of *St. François de la Beauce*.

4th. That we are of opinion further enquiry as to whether corrupt practices extensively prevailed thereat is not desirable.

We have the honour to be, sir,

Your obedient servants,

H. C. PELLETIER,

*J. S. C.*

JULES E. LARUE,

*J. S. C.*

### WEST HURON CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

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

#### THE DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT.

Election of a Member for the House of Commons for the Electoral District of the West Riding of the County of *Huron*, holden on the sixteenth and twenty-third days of February, 1892.

Dominion of *Canada*, }  
Province of *Ontario*, }  
To Wit:

Between

GEORGE FREDERICK BLAIR,

*Petitioner;*

and

JAMES COLEBROOKE PATTERSON,

*Respondent.*

And (by cross-petition)

Between

JAMES COLEBROOKE PATTERSON,

*Petitioner;*

and

MALCOLM COLIN CAMERON,

*Respondent.*

We, the Honourable *William Glenholme Falconbridge* and the Honourable *William Purvis Rochfort Street*, two of the Judges of the Queen's Bench Division of the High Court of Justice for *Ontario*, certify:

1. That on the 12th day of December, 1892, at the Town of *Goderich*, in the County of *Huron*, we held a Court for the trial of the Election Petition and cross-petition between the said parties respecting the above election.

2. At the said Court, Counsel appeared for the said Petitioners, respectively, and stated that they were not prepared to offer any evidence in support of the said petitions, and no evidence was in fact offered in respect of the same;

We therefore held and determined that the said *James Colebrooke Patterson*, the Member whose election and return were complained of by the said Petition of *George Frederick Blair*, was duly elected and returned, and we dismissed the said petition and cross-petition without costs.

In the said petition and cross-petition charges were made that corrupt practices had been committed at the election; but no evidence whatever having been given at the said trial, we report that no corrupt practice was proven before us to have been committed with the knowledge and consent of any of the candidates at the said election, and that we have no means of forming any belief whether corrupt practices have or have not prevailed at the said election.

Given at *Osgoode Hall*, this 21st day of December, 1892.

W. G. FALCONBRIDGE,

J.

WM. P. R. STREET,

J.

The Honourable

The Speaker of the House of Commons.

#### EAST SIMCOE CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

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

#### THE DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT.

Election of a Member for the House of Commons for the Electoral District of the East Riding of the County of *Simcoe*, holden on the 18th and 25th days of February, A.D. 1892.

Between

SAMUEL CHARLES WARNER,

*Petitioner;*

and

WILLIAM H. BENNETT,

*Respondent.*

We, the Honourable *John Alexander Boyd*, Chancellor of *Ontario*, and the Honourable *Richard Martin Meredith*, one of the Judges of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice for *Ontario*, being the Judges assigned to try the said petition, do hereby certify that, on the 15th day of December, A.D. 1892, at the Town of *Orillia*, in the County of *Simcoe*, we held a Court for the trial of the said petition.

And, at the said Court, Counsel appeared for the said Petitioner, and stated that as no particulars of the corrupt practices had been filed by the Petitioner, he was not in a position to offer evidence to prove the petition, and entitle the Petitioner to succeed.

And the Respondent, *William H. Bennett*, appeared in person and stated that he did not ask for costs against the Petitioner *Warner*.

And no evidence being offered in support of the said petition, we thereupon held and determined that the said *William H. Bennett*, the Member whose election and return were complained of by the said petition, was duly elected and returned, and we dismissed the said petition without costs.

In the said petition charges having been made that corrupt practices had been committed at the said election, we also report as follows:—

(a.) That no evidence whatever having been given as before mentioned, no corrupt practice was proved before us to have been committed with the knowledge and consent of any candidate at such election.

(b.) That we have no reason to believe that corrupt practices extensively prevailed at such election.

Dated at *Osgoode Hall*, this 24th day of December, 1892.

J. A. BOYD,

R. M. MEREDITH,

J.

J.

To the Honourable

The Speaker of the House of Commons.

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 *St. John City and County, Hochelaga, L'Islet, Selkirk, Kent* (N.B.), *Assiniboia* (East), *Hastings* (North Riding), *Terrebonne, Sherbrooke, Montreal* (Centre), *Brockville*, and *York, Ontario*, (West Riding); and that he had issued his Warrants to the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery to make out new Writs of Elections for the said Electoral Districts, respectively.

To the Honourable *Peter White*,

Speaker of the House of Commons, *Canada*.

SIR,—I hereby resign my seat as a Member of the House of Commons of *Canada* representing the Electoral District of the City and County of *Saint John*, in the Province of *New Brunswick*.

Given under my hand and seal the thirteenth day of September, A.D. 1892.

Signed and sealed in the  
presence of  
HARRIS G. FENETY,  
A. W. MACRAE. }

CHARLES N. SKINNER. [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 *Hochelaga, P.Q.*, by reason of *Alphonse Desjardins*, Esquire, having been summoned to the Senate, he having accepted the appointment.

Given under our hands and seals, at the City of *Ottawa*, this third day of October, 1892.

M. BOWELL. [L.S.]

Member for the Electoral District of *North Hastings*.

J. A. CHAPLEAU. [L.S.]

Member for the Electoral District of *Terrebonne, P.Q.*

*(Translation.)*

Quebec, 11th October, 1892.

To the Honourable *Peter White*, M.P.,  
Speaker of the House of Commons of *Canada*, *Ottawa*.

SIR,—I have the honour to state to you that I hereby resign my seat as a Member representing the Electoral District of *L'Islet* in the House of Commons of *Canada*, I make this declaration in presence of the witnesses whose names are signed hereunder.

I have the honour to be, Mr. Speaker,  
Your obedient servant,

L. G. DESJARDINS.

Witnesses :

HECTOR L. LANGEVIN, M.P.,  
JNO. HEARN, M.P.

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 *Selkirk* in the Province of *Manitoba* consequent upon the acceptance of the Office of Minister of the Interior by the sitting Member, the Honourable *Thomas Mayne Daly*.

Given under our hands and seals, at the City of *Ottawa*, this 17th day of October, 1892.

JOHN S. D. THOMPSON, [L.S.]  
Member for the Electoral District of *Antigonish, N.S.*

JOHN HAGGART, [L.S.]  
Member for the Electoral District of *South Lanark, Ont.*

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 *Kent* in the Province of *New Brunswick*, on account of the death of *Edward H. Léger*.

Given under our hands and seals, at the City of *Ottawa*, this 9th day of November, 1892.

JOHN COSTIGAN, [L.S.]  
Member for the Electoral District of *Victoria, N.B.*

JOHN HAGGART, [L.S.]  
Member for the Electoral District of *South Lanark, Ont.*

Ottawa, 26th October, 1892.

To the Honourable *Peter White*,  
Speaker of the House of Commons,  
Ottawa.

SIR,—I hereby declare my intention to resign my seat as Member of Parliament in the House of Commons for the Electoral District of *East Assiniboia*, and I hereby resign the said seat.

I have the honour to be, sir,  
Your obedient servant,  
EDGAR DEWDNEY. [L.S.]

Witnesses :

J. D. REID.  
GEO. HILLARDAWELL.

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 North Riding of *Hastings*, in the Province of *Ontario*, on account of the Honourable *Mackenzie Bowell*, the sitting Member therefor, having been called to the Senate.

Given under our hands and seals, at the City of Ottawa, this 6th day of December, 1892.

JOHN S. D. THOMPSON, [L.S.]  
Member for the Electoral District of *Antigonish, N.S.*

GEORGE E. FOSTER, [L.S.]  
Member for the Electoral District of *King's, N.B.*

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 *Terrebonne*, in the Province of *Quebec*, on account of the acceptance of the Office of Lieutenant Governor of the Province of *Quebec* by the Honourable *J. A. Chapleau*, the sitting Member therefor.

Given under our hands and seals, at the City of Ottawa, this 6th day of December, 1892.

JOHN S. D. THOMPSON, [L.S.]  
Member for the Electoral District of *Antigonish, N.S.*

GEORGE E. FOSTER, [L.S.]  
Member for the Electoral District of *King's, N.B.*

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 *Sherbrooke*, in

the Province of *Quebec*, consequent upon the acceptance of an office of emolument under the Crown by the sitting Member, *William Bullock Ives*.

Given under our hands and seals, at the City of *Ottawa*, this 5th day of December, 1892.

JOHN S. D. THOMPSON, [L.S.]  
Member for the Electoral District of *Antigonish, N.S.*  
J. ALD. OUMET, [L.S.]  
Member for the Electoral District of *Laval*.

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

To the Honourable  
The Speaker of the House of Commons.

We, the undersigned, hereby give notice that a vacancy hath occurred in the representation in the House of Commons, for the Electoral District of *Montreal Centre*, in the Province of *Quebec*, consequent upon the acceptance of an office of emolument under the Crown by the sitting Member therefor, *John Joseph Curran*.

Given under our hands and seals, at the City of *Ottawa*, this 5th day of December, 1892.

JOHN S. D. THOMPSON, [L.S.]  
Member for the Electoral District of *Antigonish, N.S.*  
J. ALD. OUMET, [L.S.]  
Member for the Electoral District of *Laval*.

*Ottawa*, 7th December, 1892.

To the Honourable *Peter White*,  
Speaker of the House of Commons of *Canada*,  
*Ottawa*.

SIR,—I hereby declare my intention to resign my seat as Member of Parliament in the House of Commons for the Electoral District of *Brockville*, in the Province of *Ontario*, and I hereby resign the said seat.

Given under my hand and seal the 7th day of December, A.D. 1892.

JOHN FISHER WOOD. [L. S.]

Signed and sealed in the }  
presence of }  
J. J. CURRAN,  
SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU.

*Ottawa*, 7th December, 1892.

To the Honourable *Peter White*,  
Speaker of the House of Commons of *Canada*,  
*Ottawa*.

SIR,—I hereby declare my intention to resign my seat as Member of Parliament in the House of Commons, for the Electoral District of the West Riding of *York*, in the Province of *Ontario*, and I hereby resign the said seat.

Given under my hand and seal the 7th day of December, A.D. 1892.

NATHANIEL CLARKE WALLACE. [L. S.]

Signed and sealed in the }  
presence of }  
SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU,  
J. J. CURRAN.



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

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, *Canada*,  
Ottawa, 21st July, 1892.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election dated the second day of July, instant, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *William Patterson Smith*, Esquire, of *Portage la Prairie, Manitoba*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of *Marquette*, in the Province of *Manitoba*, for the Election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District in the House of Commons of *Canada*, in the present Parliament, in the room of *Robert Watson*, Esquire, who has resigned; *Nathaniel Boyd*, Esquire, of *North Cypress, Manitoba*, rancher, 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, 17th September, 1892.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election dated the eighteenth day of July last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General and addressed to *François Xavier Gosselin*, Esquire, Prothonotary of *Chicoutimi*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of the Counties of *Chicoutimi* and *Saguenay*, 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 *P. V. Savard*, Esquire, whose election has been declared void; *Louis de Gonzague Belley*, Esquire, Attorney, of *Chicoutimi, 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, 29th October, 1892.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election dated the fifth day of October last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *Louis N. Dumouchel*, Esquire, N.P., of *Montreal*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of *Hochelaga*, 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 *Alphonse Desjardins*, Esquire, who has been summoned to the Senate; *Séverin Lachapelle*, Esquire, M.D., of the Town of *St. Henri, 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, 19th November, 1892.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election dated the nineteenth day of October last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *Robert Rogers*, Esquire, of *Clearwater, Manitoba*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of *Selkirk*, in the Province of *Manitoba*, for the Election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District in the House of Commons of *Canada*, in the present Parliament, in the room of *Thomas Mayne Daly*, Esquire, who has accepted an office of emolument under the Crown; Honourable *Thomas Mayne Daly*, Minister of the Interior, has been duly returned as such representative, as appears by the Return to the said Writ, deposited of record in my office.

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

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

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, *Canada*,  
Ottawa, 25th November, 1892.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the twenty-ninth day of October last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *George B. Murphy*, Esquire, Sheriff of *Moosomin, N.W.T.*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of the East Riding of *Assiniboia*, in the *North-west Territories*, for the Election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District in the House of Commons of *Canada*, in the present Parliament, in the room of Honourable *Edgar Dewdney*, who has resigned his seat; *William Walter McDonald*, Esquire, of Section 22, Range 30, Township 12, West of 1st Principal Meridian, *North-west Territories*, 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, 3rd December, 1892.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the twenty-seventh day of October last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *James A. Harding*, Esquire, Sheriff of *St. John, N.B.*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of *St. John City and County*, in the Province of *New Brunswick*, 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 N. Skinner*, Esquire, who has resigned his seat; *John A. Chesley*, *St. John, N.B.*, manufacturer, 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, 22nd December, 1892.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the ninth day of November last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *C. C. Carlyle*, Esquire, of *Kingston, N.B.*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of *Kent*, in the Province of *New Brunswick*, 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 H. Léger*, Esquire, who hath departed this life; *George Valentine McInerney*, Esquire, of *Richibucto, N.B.*, Barrister-at-Law, has been duly returned as such representative, as appears by the Return to the said Writ, deposited of Record in my office.

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

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

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, *Canada*,  
Ottawa, 22nd December, 1892.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the eighth day of December instant, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *Edward Pellew Felton*, Esquire, N.P., of *Sherbrooke, P.Q.*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of *Sherbrooke*, 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 *William Bullock Ives*, Esquire, who has accepted an office of emolument under the Crown; Honourable *W. B. Ives*, President of the Privy Council of *Canada*, 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, 24th December, 1892.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the eighth day of December instant, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *Joseph P. Clark*, Esquire, of *Montreal*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of *Montreal Centre*, 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 *John Joseph Curran*, Esquire, who has accepted an office of emolument under the Crown; *John Joseph Curran*, Esquire, Solicitor General of *Canada*, 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, 26th December, 1892.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the twenty-fourth day of November last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *Roger Duckett*, Esquire, of *Coteau, P.Q.*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of *Soulanges*, 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 *James William Bain*, Esquire, whose election hath been declared void; *James William Bain*, Esquire, of *St. Polycarpe, P.Q.*, 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, 28th December, 1892.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the eighth day of December instant, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *Donald McKenzie*, Esquire, of *Woodbridge, Ontario*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of the West Riding of the County of *York*, 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 *Nathaniel Clarke Wallace*, Esquire, who has resigned his seat; *Nathaniel Clarke Wallace*, Esquire, Controller of Customs, 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, 6th January, 1893.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the eighth day of December last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *David Mansell*, Esquire, of *Brockville, Ontario*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of *Brockville*, 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 *John Fisher Wood*, Esquire, who has resigned his seat; *John Fisher Wood*, Esquire, Controller of Inland Revenue, 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, 19th January, 1893.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the twenty-seventh day of December last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *Louis de Gonzague Lachaine*, Esquire, of *St. Jérôme, P.Q.*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of *Terrebonne*, 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 Honourable *J. A. Chapleau*, who has accepted the Office of Lieutenant Governor of the Province of *Quebec*; *Pierre Leclair*, Esquire, Advocate, of *Montreal*, 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, 25th January, 1893.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the tenth day of December last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *James White*, Esquire, of *Madoc, Ontario*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of the North Riding of *Hastings*, in the Province of *Ontario*, for the Election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District in the House of Commons of *Canada*, in the present Parliament, in the room of Honourable *Mackenzie Bowell*, who has been called to the Senate; *Alexander Williamson Carscallen*, of the Village of *Marmora*, in the County of *Hastings*, Banker, 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*.

The Honourable *Thomas Mayne Daly*, Member for the Electoral District of *Selkirk*; *Nathaniel Clarke Wallace*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of the West Riding of the County of *York*; *John Fisher Wood*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of *Brockville*; *John Joseph Curran*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of *Montreal Centre*; *Louis de Gonzague Belley*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of *Chicoutimi* and *Saguenay*; *James William Bain*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of *Soulanges*; *John A. Chesley*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of *St. John*, City and County; *George Valentine McInerney*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of *Kent, N.B.*; *William Walter McDonald*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of the East Riding of *Assiniboia*; *Séverin Lachapelle*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of *Hochelaga*; *Pierre Leclair*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of *Terrebonne*; and *Alexander Williamson Carscallen*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of the North Riding of the County of *Hastings*, 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 Thompson* 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.

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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 meeting you at the commencement of another Session of Parliament, it affords me pleasure to congratulate you on the continued progress which the history of the past year unfolds with regard to *Canada*.

The increase in trade, as illustrated by the exports and imports during the period for which the Official Returns have been prepared, has been most gratifying, and that increase has continued down to the present time, with promise that the volume of trade during the current year will exceed that of any year in the history of the Dominion.

The revenues of the Country have likewise provided for all the services for which Parliament has made appropriation, and the operation of the Government railways has been less burdensome, as regards the difference between income and expenditure than has been the case for a long term of years previously.

In *Manitoba* and the *North-west Territories* the increase in immigration has been decidedly encouraging, both as regards the number of persons who have come from other Countries and as regards the number of Homestead entries made by settlers of all nationalities.

Measures have been taken to carry into effect the agreements arrived at with the *United States* on the subjects of the boundary of *Alaska*, the boundary line in *Passamaquoddy Bay*, and the prevention of destructive methods of fishing and the preservation and increase of fish life. With regard to reciprocity in wrecking and towing, a correspondence has taken place which indicates that privileges are demanded for *United States* vessels in Canadian Canals, which were not anticipated, but it is not impossible that a satisfactory conclusion of the discussion may yet be reached.

During the recess a friendly conference took place between delegates from my Government and from the Government of *Newfoundland* on the questions which were pending between the two Countries. It is hoped and expected that the interchange of views which then took place will be productive of beneficial results and lead to an amicable adjustment of those questions.

The Statutes of 1887 relative to a Department of Trade and Commerce and to the Office of Solicitor General having been brought into force, the appointments were made which were contemplated by these Acts.

It is to be regretted that the Government of the *United States* were unable to accept the suggestions made by my Government on the subject of Canal tolls, and that the President should have thought it necessary to impose exceptional tolls on Canadians using the *Sault Sainte Marie* Canal, which has so long been free to the people of both Countries. My Government, while ready to consider in a friendly spirit any proposals which may be made by the Government of the *United States*, have caused efforts to be made to hasten the completion of the Canadian Canal works, which will soon afford to the commerce of the Dominion a highway within our own Country.

Measures will be laid before you for the improvement of the Franchise Act, for the amendment of the laws relating to the Civil Service, and the superannuation of Civil Servants, for regulating the admission of evidence in causes and matters under the control of the Parliament of *Canada*, for extending the system of voting by ballot to the *North-west Territories*, and for simplifying the laws relating to lands and land transfers in the Territories.

*Gentlemen of the House of Commons :*

The Public Accounts of the past year and the Estimates for the ensuing year will be laid before you without delay, and I trust it will be seen that ample provision may be made for the public service without increasing taxation.

*Honourable Gentlemen of the Senate :**Gentlemen of the House of Commons :*

I have every confidence that all these matters will receive your best attention and that your deliberations will keep in view, above all other considerations, the welfare and stability of the Country.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,  
*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 on Monday next.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,  
*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 inquire into all such matters and things as may be referred to them by the House; and to report from time to time their observations and opinions thereon; with power to send for persons, papers and records.

Mr. Speaker communicated to the House, The Report of the Joint Librarians of Parliament, on the state of the Library of Parliament. (*Sessional Papers, No. 17.*)

Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* 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, 1892: Part I., Excise, &c. (*Sessional Papers, No. 6.*)

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Friday, 27th January, 1893.

## PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Hazen*,—The Petition of the *Nova Scotia Permanent Benefit Building Society and Savings Fund*; and the Petition of *Hugh McLennan* and others, of the City and District of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Girouard (Jacques Cartier)*,—The Petition of *James P. Dawes*, merchant, of *Lachine*, and others of other places.

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

By Mr. *Sproule*,—The Petition of the Municipal Councils of the Township of *Collingwood* and of the Town of *Thornbury*, County of *Grey, Ontario*.

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The Honourable *William Bullock Ives*, Member for the Electoral District of *Sherbrooke*, having previously taken the Oath according to Law and subscribed before the Commissioners the Roll containing the same, took his seat in the House.

Sir *John 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, 1892. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 18.)

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—The Public Accounts of *Canada*, for the fiscal year ended 30th June, 1892. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 2.)

Also laid before the House,—Report of the Auditor-General on Appropriation Accounts, for the year ended 30th June, 1892. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 1.)

Mr. *Wallace* 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 the 30th June, 1892, compiled from Official Returns. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 5.)

Mr. *Wood* (*Brockville*) 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, 1892: Part III., Adulteration of Food. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 6b.)

Mr. *Costigan*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council laid before the House,—Rules of the Exchequer Court of *Canada* in respect to any proceeding that may be had or taken in the Exchequer Court of *Canada* to impeach any patent issued under "The Patent Act." (*Sessional Papers*, No. 25.)

Mr. *Costigan* also presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 23rd March, 1892, for a Return showing the number and names of men and vessel-owners applying for bounties for the years 1889, 1890 and 1891, and not receiving the same, giving the reasons why such applications were not granted; also, whether any were refused and afterwards granted, the names, amounts and reasons given why such were afterwards granted; also, all papers and correspondence since 1888 in reference to the bounty system and in regard to applications granted and ungranted. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 20.)

Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 2nd May, 1892, for a Return giving all papers, letters, petitions, applications, and every other document relating to the dismissal of the Postmaster of *McIntyre*, and the appointment of his successor. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 21.)

Mr. *Costigan*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Twenty-fifth Annual Report of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, for the fiscal year ended 30th June, 1892. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 10.)

And then The House adjourned till Monday next.

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Monday, 30th January, 1893.

PRAYERS.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,  
*Resolved*, That the stages of Committee and of Report upon the Address be henceforth discontinued, and the Address be agreed to, with or without amendment, in the form for presentation to His Excellency the Governor General.

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. *McInerney* moved, seconded by Mr. *Leclair*, and the Question being proposed; That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General to offer the respectful thanks of this House to His Excellency for the gracious Speech he has been pleased to make to both Houses of Parliament, namely:—

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 the Session.

We receive with much pleasure Your Excellency's congratulations, at the commencement of another Session of Parliament, on the continued progress which the history of the past year unfolds with regard to *Canada*.

We learn with great satisfaction that the increase in trade, as illustrated by the exports and imports during the period for which the Official Returns have been prepared, has been most gratifying, and that that increase has continued down to the present time, with promise that the volume of trade during the current year will exceed that of any year in the history of the Dominion.

We are glad to be informed that the revenues of the Country have likewise provided for all the services for which Parliament has made appropriation, and that the operation of the Government railways has been less burdensome, as regards the difference between income and expenditure, than has been the case for a long term of years previously.

It is very gratifying to us to learn that in *Manitoba* and the *North-west Territories* the increase in immigration has been decidedly encouraging, both as regards the number of persons who have come from other Countries and as regards the number of Homestead entries made by settlers of all nationalities.

We thank Your Excellency for informing us that measures have been taken to carry into effect the agreements arrived at with the *United States* on the subjects of the boundary of *Alaska*, the boundary line in *Passamaquoddy Bay*, and the prevention of destructive methods of fishing and the preservation and increase of fish life.

Your Excellency having been pleased to inform us that with regard to reciprocity in wrecking and towing, a correspondence has taken place which indicates that privileges are demanded for *United States* vessels in Canadian Canals, which were not anticipated, we learn with satisfaction that it is not impossible that a satisfactory conclusion of the discussion may yet be reached.

It affords us much pleasure to be informed that during the recess a friendly conference took place between delegates from Your Excellency's Government and

from the Government of *Newfoundland*, on the questions which were pending between the two Countries, and that it is hoped and expected that the interchange of views which then took place will be productive of beneficial results and lead to an amicable adjustment of those questions.

We learn with interest that the Statutes of 1887 relative to a Department of Trade and Commerce and to the Office of Solicitor General having been brought into force, the appointments have been made which were contemplated by these Acts.

We share the regret expressed by Your Excellency that the Government of the *United States* were unable to accept the suggestions made by Your Excellency's Government on the subject of Canal tolls, and that the President should have thought it necessary to impose exceptional tolls on Canadians using the *Sault Sainte Marie Canal*, which has so long been free to the people of both Countries; and that it affords us much satisfaction to be informed that Your Excellency's Government, while ready to consider in a friendly spirit any proposals which may be made by the Government of the *United States*, have caused efforts to be made to hasten the completion of the Canadian Canal works, which will soon afford to the commerce of the Dominion a highway within our own Country.

Your Excellency may rest assured that we will give our earnest attention to any measures laid before us for the improvement of the Franchise Act, for the amendment of the laws relating to the Civil Service and the superannuation of Civil Servants, for regulating the admission of evidence in causes and matters under the control of the Parliament of *Canada*, for extending the system of voting by ballot to the *North-west Territories* and for simplifying the laws relating to lands and land transfers in the Territories.

We thank Your Excellency for informing us that the Public Accounts of the past year, and the Estimates for the ensuing year will be laid before us without delay, and we are confident that ample provision may be made for the public service without increasing taxation.

We assure Your Excellency that all these matters will receive our best attention, and that our deliberations will keep in view, above all other considerations, the welfare and stability of the country;

Mr. *Laurier* moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Mills (Bothwell)*, That the following paragraph be added to the proposed Address:—

“We feel bound to represent to Your Excellency, that in the present condition of the people of *Canada*, substantial reductions should be made in the taxation which presses so heavily on the great bulk of the community, and we regret that in the Speech from the Throne Your Excellency was not advised to hold out promises of reductions in the oppressive duties now imposed;”

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

|                           |            |                    |                   |
|---------------------------|------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Allan,                    | Christie,  | Grieve,            | Mulock,           |
| Bain (Wentworth),         | Colter,    | Guay,              | Paterson (Brant), |
| Beausoleil,               | Davies,    | Landerkin,         | Perry,            |
| Béchar, d,                | Dawson,    | Laurier,           | Proulx,           |
| Beith,                    | Delisle,   | Leduc,             | Rider,            |
| Bernier,                  | Devlin,    | Lowell,            | Rowand,           |
| Borden,                   | Edgar,     | Macdonald (Huron), | Sanborn,          |
| Bowers,                   | Edwards,   | McGregor,          | Scriver,          |
| Bowman,                   | Flint,     | McMillan (Huron),  | Semple,           |
| Brodeur,                  | Fraser,    | McMullen,          | Somerville,       |
| Bruneau,                  | Geoffrion, | Mignault,          | Sutherland,       |
| Carroll,                  | Gillmor,   | Mills (Bothwell),  | Vaillancourt, and |
| Cartwright (Sir Richard), | Godbout,   | Monet,             | Yeo.—53.          |
| Choquette,                |            |                    |                   |

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

|                      |                          |                          |                         |
|----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| Adams,               | Denison,                 | Langevin (Sir Hector),   | Patterson (Colchester), |
| Bain (Soulanges),    | Dickey,                  | LaRivière,               | Patterson (Huron),      |
| Baird,               | Dugas,                   | Leclair,                 | Pope,                   |
| Baker,               | Dupont,                  | Lépine,                  | Pridham,                |
| Belley,              | Dyer,                    | Macdonald (King's),      | Prior,                  |
| Bennett,             | Earle,                   | Mackintosh,              | Putman,                 |
| Bergeron,            | Fairbairn,               | Macleam (York),          | Reid,                   |
| Bergin,              | Ferguson (Renfrew),      | McAlister,               | Roome,                  |
| Boyle,               | Foster,                  | McDonald (Assiniboia),   | Rosamond,               |
| Bryson,              | Fréchette,               | McDonald (Victoria),     | Ross (Dundas),          |
| Burns,               | Gillies,                 | McDougald (Pictou),      | Ross (Lisgar),          |
| Cameron,             | Girouard (Two Mount'ns), | McDougall (Cape Breton), | Simard,                 |
| Cargill,             | Grandbois,               | McInerney,               | Smith (Ontario),        |
| Carling,             | Guillet,                 | McKay,                   | Sproule,                |
| Carpenter,           | Haggart,                 | McLean (King's),         | Taylor,                 |
| Caron (Sir Adolphe), | Hazen,                   | McLennan,                | Temple,                 |
| Carscallen,          | Hearn,                   | McMillan (Vaudreuil),    | Thompson (Sir John),    |
| Chesley,             | Henderson,               | McNeill,                 | Tisdale,                |
| Cochrane,            | Hodgins,                 | Mara,                    | Tyrwhitt,               |
| Cockburn,            | Hughes,                  | Marshall,                | Wallace,                |
| Corby,               | Hutchins,                | Miller,                  | White (Cardwell),       |
| Costigan,            | Ingram,                  | Mills (Annapolis),       | Wilmot,                 |
| Craig,               | Ives,                    | Moncrieff,               | Wilson,                 |
| Curran,              | Jeannotte,               | Northrup,                | Wood (Brockville), and  |
| Daly,                | Joncas,                  | O'Brien,                 | Wood (Westmorel'd)—103  |
| Davis,               | Lachapelle,              | Quimet,                  |                         |

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put :—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

*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 Sir *John Thompson*,

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider of the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty.

On motion of Mr. *Foster*, seconded by Sir *John Thompson*,

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, 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, 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, 1894, 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. 2a.*)

## GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

Ottawa, 30th January, 1893.

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

*Ordered*, That the said Message, together with the Estimates accompanying the same, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Statement of Governor Gen-

eral's Warrants issued since last Session of Parliament, in accordance with the Consolidated Revenue and Audit Act, section 32, subsection *b*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 22.*)

Also, laid before the House, Statement of expenditure on account of Miscellaneous Unforeseen Expenses. (*Sessional Papers, No. 23.*)

And also, laid before the House, Ten Days' Statement of the Receipts and Payments of *Canada*, from the 11th to the 20th January, 1892, and from the 11th to the 20th January, 1893. (*Sessional Papers, No. 24.*)

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,

*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 last, the 20th instant, and that Sir *John Thompson*, Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*, Sir *Richard J. Cartwright*, and Messieurs *Costigan, Haggart, Laurier* and *Mills (Bothwell)*, do compose the said Committee.

Sir *John Thompson*, 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 Honourable *George Eulas Foster*, Minister of Finance, the Honourable *Charles Hibbert Tupper*, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, the Honourable *John Graham Haggart*, Minister of Railways and Canals, and the Honourable *Joseph Aldric Ouimet*, Minister of Public Works, 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, 27th January, 1893.

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

*Resolved*, That a Select Committee composed of Messieurs *Beausoleil, Béchard, Cameron, Charlton, Davin, Hazen, Innes, La Rivière, Lépine, Prior, Scriver, Somerville, Taylor, Weldon, 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. *Costigan*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Report on the Oyster Fisheries of *Canada*, 1892. (*Sessional Papers, No. 10b.*)

Mr. *Costigan* also presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 27th May, 1891, for a Return giving a comparative statement for the years 1882 to 1891, inclusive, (by Provinces) of:—

- (a.) Total number of bounty claims received by department;
- (b.) Total number paid;
- (c.) Number of vessels, tonnage, and number of men entitled to bounty in each year;
- (d.) Number of boats among which bounty was distributed, and number of men engaged in boat-fishing receiving bounty;
- (e.) Total number of men receiving bounty;
- (f.) Total annual payments of fishing bounty. (*Sessional Papers, No. 20a.*)

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Tuesday, 31st January, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Coatsworth*,—The Petition of the Dominion Building and Loan Association.

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

By Mr. *McKay*,—Three Petitions of Boot and Shoe Workers' International Union, No. 31, *Hamilton, Ontario*; and the Petition of the *Hamilton* Provident and Loan Society.

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

By Mr. *Bergeron*,—The Petition of the *St. Lawrence* and *Adirondack* Railway Company.

By Mr. *Langelier*,—Three Petitions of Champlain Assembly, No. 10581.

By Mr. *Devlin*,—Three Petitions of La Canadienne Assembly, No. 2676, Knights of Labour, *Hull, Quebec*.

By Mr. *Paterson (Brant)*,—The Petition of *John Mason* and others, of *Brantford* and other places, *Ontario*.

By Mr. *Mara*,—The Petition of *M. Lumby* and others, of *British Columbia*.

By Mr. *Davis*,—The Petition of *Peter Turner Bone* and others, of the Town of *Calgary*, District of *Alberta, North-west Territories*.

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

Of the *Nova Scotia* Permanent Benefit Building Society and Savings Fund; praying for the repeal or amendment of section 11 of the Act, Chapter 114 of 1887, respecting the disposal of real estate held by the said Society.

Of *Hugh McLennan* and others, of the City and District of *Montreal*; praying for the passing of an Act to revive the Act of Incorporation of the "Equity Insurance Company," and to change its name to that of the "*St-Lawrence* Insurance Company."

Of *James P. Dawes*, merchant, of *Lachine*, and others, of other places; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the Automatic Telephone and Electric Company of *Canada*.

Of the Grand Trunk, *Georgian Bay* and *Lake Erie* Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act to extend the time for the completion of certain branch lines of their Railway, and for other purposes.

Of the Municipal Councils of the Township of *Collingwood* and of the Town of *Thornbury*, County of *Grey, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act to legalize and confirm an Agreement entered into by them respecting the joint ownership of a certain storehouse and wharf situated in the latter municipality.

Mr. Speaker informed the House, That he had received a notification of a vacancy which had occurred in the representation of the Electoral District of the South Riding of the County of *Middlesex*, by the demise of *James Armstrong*, Esquire.

To the Honourable

The Speaker of the House of Commons.

We, the undersigned, being two Members of the House of Commons, hereby notify you that *James Armstrong*, Member of the House of Commons for the South

Riding of the County of *Middlesex*, died on the 26th January, 1893, and that his seat is now vacant.

Dated at *Ottawa*, 30th January, 1893.

JAMES SUTHERLAND, [L.S.]  
Member for the Electoral District, North *Oxford*.  
J. D. EDGAR, [L.S.]  
Member for the Electoral District, West *Ontario*.

Mr. Speaker also informed the House, That in conformity with Chapter 13, Section 8, 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.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Weldon* have leave to bring in a Bill to disfranchise electors who have taken bribes.

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

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Costigan* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Wrecks and Salvage 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. *Choquette* have leave to bring in a Bill in further amendment of 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.

Mr. *Patterson* (*Huron*), a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Report of the Department of Militia and Defence of the Dominion of *Canada*, for the half-year ended 30th June, 1892. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 19.)

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 fifty-eight thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray Charges of Management, as follow, viz :—Inspector, \$1,700; Office of the Assistant Receiver-General, *Toronto*, \$7,100; Office of the Assistant Receiver-General, *Montreal*, \$5,600; Office of the Assistant Receiver-General, *Halifax*, \$8,300; Office of the Assistant Receiver-General, *St. John*, \$6,600; Office of the Assistant Receiver-General, *Winnipeg*, \$6,600; Office of the Assistant Receiver-General, *Victoria*, \$4,000; Office of the Assistant Receiver-General, *Charlottetown*, \$4,600; Country Savings Banks, *New Brunswick*, *Nova Scotia* and *Prince Edward Island*—Salaries, \$11,650; Contingencies, \$1,750; Commission for payment of Interest on Public Debt, purchase of Sinking Funds and transfer of Stock, \$30,350; Brokerage on purchase of Sinking Funds, \$5,100; English Bill Stamps, Postage, Telegrams, &c., \$3,000; Expenses in connection with the issue and redemption of Dominion Notes, irrespective of the provisions of the Civil Service Act, \$5,000; Printing Dominion Notes, \$45,000; Printing, advertising, inspection, expressage and miscellaneous charges, including commutation of Stamp duty, \$12,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand six hundred and sixty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for the Governor General's Secretary's Office, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-nine thousand three hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the Office of the Queen's Privy Council for *Canada*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-two thousand eight hundred and seventy dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the Department of Justice, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand four hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the Department of Justice, Penitentiary Branch, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-five thousand four hundred and sixty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Militia and Defence, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-two thousand two hundred and eighty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Secretary of State, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand five hundred and seventy-four dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Printing and Stationery, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand seven hundred and forty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for the Office of the Comptroller of the *North west* Mounted Police, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand nine hundred and fifty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for the Department of Indian Affairs, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-six thousand nine hundred and seventeen dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for the Office of the Auditor-General, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand five hundred dollars, be granted to Her Majesty, for the Department of Finance and Treasury Board, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-five thousand one hundred and thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for the Department of Customs, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-nine thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the Department of Inland Revenue, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and six thousand seven hundred and ten dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the Post Office Department, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-two thousand three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the Department of Agriculture, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand and five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the Department of Marine and Fisheries, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand five hundred and fifty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the Department of Public Works, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-nine thousand six hundred and sixty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for the Department of Railways and Canals, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand seven hundred and thirty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Geological Survey, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Trade and Commerce, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

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

Mr. *Bergeron* 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, 1st February, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Davis*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the Town of *Calgary*; and the Petition of *John Lineham* and others, of the Town of *Calgary* and other places, *North-west Territories*.

By Mr. *Cockburn*,—The Petition of the Manufacturers' Accident Insurance Company; the Petition of the *British America Assurance Company*; and three Petitions of Stone Masons' International Union No. 1, *Toronto, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Coatsworth*,—Three Petitions of Local Assembly, No. 5743, Knights of Labour (Bookbinders).

By Mr. *Sutherland*,—The Petition of *J. Hamilton* and others, of *Woodstock, County of Oxford, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Sproule*,—The Petition of *James Cleland* and others.

By Mr. *McKay*,—The Petition of the *Canada Life Assurance Company*.

*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.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Costigan* have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend the Steam-boat Inspection 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. *Mulock* moved, seconded by Mr. *Charlton*, and the Question being proposed, That it is expedient to place Binding Twine on the Free List;

And a Debate arising thereupon;

Mr. *O'Brien* moved, seconded by Mr. *Gillies*, That the Debate be adjourned.

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.*

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 one thousand one hundred and forty-six dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of the Interior, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Office of High Commissioner for *Canada*—Salaries, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, rent and insurance on office, income tax, fuel, light, stationery, &c., and amount—\$2,000—required towards the contingent expenses (water, light, fuel, carriage hire, cabs and railway fare) of the High Commissioner, and \$1,200 for contingencies, rates, taxes, insurance, ground rent, &c., of the official residence, including income tax, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Post Office Department—Amount required to pay those officers of the Savings Bank Branch, engaged in the balancing of and computing interest on depositors' accounts to 30th June, 1893, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty—Amount required for salaries of Board of Examiners and other expenses under the Civil Service Act, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

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

Mr. *Bergeron* 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.

Thursday, 2nd February, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Paterson (Brant)*,—Three Petitions of Iron Moulders' Union, No. 29, *Brantford, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Moncrieff*,—The Petition of the *London and Port Stanley Railway Company*, and of the Municipal Council of the City of *London, Ontario*.

By Mr. *White (Cardwell)*,—Two Petitions of *Thomas Hewitt*, Esquire, Barrister-at-law, of the Inner Temple, and others, of *London and Chislehurst, England*, and other places.

By Mr. *Lowell*,—The Petition of the *Buffalo and Fort Erie Bridge Company*.

By Mr. *Roome*,—The Petition of *John Berdun* and others, of *Strathroy* and other places, County of *Middlesex, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Taylor*,—The Petition of *Grant Howard Burrows* and others, Manufacturers, of the City of *Cincinnati*, State of *Ohio*, and other places.

By Mr. *Sproule*,—The Petition of *R. Thibaudeau* and others.

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

Of the Dominion Building and Loan Association; praying for the passing of an Act to enable them to do business throughout the Dominion, with the powers of a Loan and Building Society, in addition to their powers under their Provincial charter, and for other purposes,

Of the *Hamilton* Provident and Loan Society; praying for the passing of an Act to amend the Act 48 *Victoria*, Chapter 30, authorizing them to increase their Capital Stock to \$3,000,000, and for other purposes.

Of the *St. Lawrence* and *Adirondack* Railway Company; praying for an amendment of their Act of Incorporation.

Of *John Mason* and others, of *Brantford* and other places, *Ontario*; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The Woodmen of the World."

Of *Peter Turner Bone* and others, of the Town of *Calgary*, District of *Alberta*, *N.W.T.*; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The *Calgary* Irrigation Company."

Of Iron Moulders' Union, No. 136, *Oshawa*; of Boot and Shoe Workers' International Union, No. 31, *Hamilton*; and of Maple Leaf Assembly, No. 2622, all of *Ontario*; of *Champlain* Assembly, No. 10581; and of *La Canadienne* Assembly, No. 2676, Knights of Labour, *Hull*, all of *Quebec*; severally praying for the passing of an Act prohibiting the admission of Chinese immigrants into *Canada*, imposing a poll tax on Chinese residents, and for other purposes.

Of Iron Moulders' Union, No. 136, *Oshawa*; of Boot and Shoe Workers' International Union, No. 31, *Hamilton*; and of Maple Leaf Assembly, No. 2622, all of *Ontario*; of *Champlain* Assembly, No. 10581; and of *La Canadienne* Assembly, No. 2676, Knights of Labour, *Hull*, all of *Quebec*; severally praying for the passing of an Act providing for the adoption of the system known as the "Initiative and Referendum" in matters of legislation in the Dominion of *Canada*.

Of Iron Moulders' Union, No. 136, *Oshawa*; of Boot and Shoe Workers' International Union, No. 31, *Hamilton*; and of Maple Leaf Assembly, No. 2622, all of *Ontario*; of *Champlain* Assembly, No. 10581; and of *La Canadienne* Assembly, No. 2676, Knights of Labour, *Hull*, all of *Quebec*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation into *Canada* of workmen under contract.

Of *M. Lumby* and others, of *British Columbia*; praying for such legislation as will tend to give to the District of *Kootenay*, railway connection with the *United States* and elsewhere.

Ordered, That Mr. *Charlton* have leave to bring in a Bill to repeal the Electoral Franchise Act and to make certain provisions in place thereof.

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. *Amyot* have leave to bring in a Bill to make Voting Compulsory.

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. *Choquette* have leave to bring in a Bill in further amendment of 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. *Coatsworth* 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.

The House resumed the Debate on the Question which was yesterday proposed, That it is expedient to place Binding Twine on the Free List;

And proposed Motion, That the Debate be adjourned;

And the Question being put on the Motion for the adjournment of the Debate; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

## YEAS :

## Messieurs

|                      |                          |                          |                         |
|----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| Adams,               | Denison,                 | Lippé,                   | Pridham,                |
| Bain (Soulanges),    | Desaulniers,             | Macdonald (King's),      | Prior,                  |
| Baird,               | Dickey,                  | Mackintosh,              | Putnam,                 |
| Belley,              | Dugas,                   | Maclean (York),          | Reid,                   |
| Bennett,             | Dupont,                  | McDonald (Victoria),     | Robillard,              |
| Bergeron,            | Earle,                   | McDougald (Pictou),      | Roome,                  |
| Bergin,              | Fairbairn,               | McDougall (Cape Breton), | Rosamond,               |
| Boyle,               | Ferguson (Renfrew),      | McInerney,               | Ross (Dundas),          |
| Burns,               | Foster,                  | McKay,                   | Ross (Lisgar),          |
| Cameron,             | Fréchette,               | McLean (King's),         | Ryckman,                |
| Cargill,             | Gillies,                 | McLennan,                | Simard,                 |
| Carpenter,           | Girouard (Two Mount'ns), | McMillan (Vaudreuil),    | Smith (Ontario),        |
| Caron (Sir Adolphe), | Guillet,                 | Madill,                  | Sproule,                |
| Carscallen,          | Haggart,                 | Mara,                    | Stevenson,              |
| Chesley,             | Hazen,                   | Marshall,                | Taylor,                 |
| Coatsworth,          | Hearn,                   | Masson,                  | Thompson (Sir John),    |
| Cochrane,            | Henderson,               | Metcalfe,                | Tisdale,                |
| Cockburn,            | Hodgins,                 | Miller,                  | Tyrwhitt,               |
| Corbould,            | Hughes,                  | Mills (Annapolis),       | Wallace,                |
| Corby,               | Ingram,                  | Monerjeff,               | White (Cardwell),       |
| Costigan,            | Ives,                    | Northrup,                | Wilmot,                 |
| Curran,              | Joncas,                  | Ouimet,                  | Wilson,                 |
| Daly,                | Langevin (Sir Hector),   | Patterson (Colchester),  | Wood (Brockville), and  |
| Davin,               | LaRivière,               | Patterson (Huron),       | Wood (Westmore'ld).—99. |
| Davis,               | Leclair,                 | Pelletier,               |                         |

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

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|---------------------------|------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Bain (Wentworth),         | Davies,    | Leduc,             | Perry,       |
| Béchar, d,                | Dawson,    | Legris,            | Préfontaine, |
| Beith,                    | Devlin,    | Lister,            | Proulx,      |
| Bernier,                  | Edgar,     | Livingston,        | Rider,       |
| Borden,                   | Flint,     | Lowell,            | Rinfret,     |
| Bourassa,                 | Fraser,    | Macdonald (Huron), | Rowand,      |
| Bowers,                   | Geoffrion, | McGregor,          | Sanborn,     |
| Bowman,                   | Gillmor,   | McMillan (Huron),  | Seriver,     |
| Brown,                    | Godbout,   | McMullen,          | Semple,      |
| Campbell,                 | Grieve,    | Mignault,          | Somerville,  |
| Carroll,                  | Guay,      | Mills (Bothwell),  | Sutherland,  |
| Cartwright (Sir Richard), | Innes,     | Monet,             | Vallancourt, |
| Charlton,                 | Landerkin, | Mulock,            | Welsh, and   |
| Christie,                 | Langelier, | Paterson (Brant),  | Yeo.—58.     |
| Colter,                   | Laurier,   |                    |              |

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Mr. *Bergeron*,

*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, memorials, departmental orders and Orders in Council, not already laid before the House, respecting the North-western, Northern and Eastern boundaries of the Province of *Quebec*, together with all reports of surveys or explorations ordered thereon or in connection therewith, by the Government of *Canada*, since last Session of Parliament, including the instructions for said surveys or explorations.

*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. *Taylor* moved, seconded by Mr. *Sproule*, and the Question being proposed, That in the opinion of this House it is expedient that legislation be enacted during the present Session of Parliament to prohibit the importation into *Canada*, or the manufacture therein, of lard adulterated with cotton-seed oil or other injurious ingredients;

And a Debate arising thereupon;

On motion of Mr. *Wallace*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,

*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

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Friday, 3rd February, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

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

By Mr. *Hazen*,—Two Petitions of *William C. Van Horne* and *William Farwell*, Trustees of the Bondholders of the South-eastern Railway Company.

By Mr. *McKay*,—The Petition of *James Balfour*, of the City of *Hamilton*, in the County of *Wentworth*, Province of *Ontario*, Architect.

By Mr. *White (Cardwell)*,—The Petition of the *Montreal Mining Company*; the Petition of *John A. Grose* and others; and the Petition of *James Frederick Doran*, of the Town of *Lachine*, in the County of *Jacques Cartier*, Province of *Quebec*, clerk, the lawful husband of *Mary Augusta Wood*, lately of *Winnipeg, Manitoba*, now of *Paris, France*.

By Mr. *Costigan*,—The Petition of the *Témiscouata Railway Company*.

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

Of *John Lineham* and others, of the Town of *Calgary* and other places, *North-west Territories*; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The *Calgary Street Railway Company*."

Of the Municipal Council of the Town of *Calgary*; praying for the passing of an Act empowering them to dam the waters of the *Bow* and *Elbow* Rivers, within and near the said Town, for the creating and maintaining of water power for boating and other industrial purposes; also, to build bridges, street railways and tramways, and for other objects connected with the carrying out of their various contemplated works.

Of the Manufacturers' Accident Insurance Company; praying for the passing of an Act granting them additional corporate powers, and changing their name to that of "The Manufacturers' Guarantee and Accident Insurance Company."

Of the British *America Assurance Company*; praying for certain amendments of the Act 45 *Victoria*, chapter 99, relating to the said *Company*.

Of *James Cleland* and others; praying for the passing of an Act to extend the time for the commencement and completion of the *Mount Forest, Markdale and Meaford Railway*, and for other purposes connected therewith.

Of the *Canada Life Assurance Company*; praying for the passing of an Act to confirm their right to hold certain real estate properties now owned by them in *Ontario* and *Quebec*; also, to enable them to acquire real estate in the other Provinces of *Canada*, and for other purposes.

Of Stonemasons' International Union, No. 1; and of Local Assembly, No. 5743, Knights of Labour (Bookbinders), all of *Toronto*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation into *Canada* of workmen under contract.

Of Stonemasons' International Union, No. 1; and of Local Assembly, No. 5743, Knights of Labour (Bookbinders), all of *Toronto*; severally praying for the passing of an Act providing for the adoption of the system known as the "Initiative and Referendum," in matters of legislation in the Dominion of *Canada*.

Of Stonemasons' International Union, No. 1; and of Local Assembly, No. 5743, Knights of Labour (Bookbinders), all of *Toronto*; severally praying for the passing of an Act prohibiting the admission of Chinese immigrants into *Canada*, imposing a poll tax on Chinese residents, and for other purposes.

Of *J. Hamilton* and others, of *Woodstock*, County of *Oxford*, *Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act to incorporate a Benevolent Provident Society under the name of "The Woodmen of the World."

Mr. *LaRivière*, 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 recommend that their Quorum be reduced from eight to five Members.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,

*Ordered*, That the time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills be extended until Tuesday, 14th instant; and for presenting Private Bills until Friday, 17th instant.

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

*Resolved*, That this House doth concur in the First Report of the Select Committee appointed to supervise the Official Report of the Debates of this House during the present Session.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Foster* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting Government Civil Service Insurance.

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

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

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirteen thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Governor General's Secretary's Office, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand five hundred and forty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies—the Queen's Privy Council for *Canada*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Justice—Penitentiaries Branch—Contingencies, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

4. *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, 1894.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies—Department of the Secretary of State, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies—Department of Printing and Stationery, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

7. *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, 1894.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies—Department of Indian Affairs, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies—Office of the Auditor General, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies—Department of Finance and Treasury Board, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

11. *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, 1894.

12. *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, 1894.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies—Department of Public Works, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies—Department of Agriculture (including \$912.50 each to Messieurs *Skead* and *Dewhurst*, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Civil Service Act) for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies—Department of Marine and Fisheries, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies—Department of Railways and Canals, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies—Department of Trade and Commerce, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for care and cleaning of Departmental buildings, including amount, \$100, required to pay for firing the noon gun, 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, 1894.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Printing Bureau, cleaning, etc., for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-four thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Administration of Justice—Miscellaneous expenditure, including *North-west Territories*,

\$37,000; Travelling expenses of Judges in the *North-west Territories*, \$4,000; Circuit allowances, *British Columbia*, \$7,000; Travelling allowances, Court of Queen's Bench and County Court Judges, *Manitoba*, \$2,500; Circuit allowances to Judges *ad hoc*, \$500; To pay two official Arbitrators, \$1,000 each, \$2,000; Travelling expenses of Official Arbitrators, \$500; Expenditure under Cap. 181, R.S.C., \$700, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventeen thousand four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with the Supreme Court of *Canada*—The Reporter, \$2,400; The Assistant Reporter, 1st Class Clerk, \$1,450; Clerk in the office of the Registrar, 3rd Class Clerk, \$1,000; Second Clerk in the office of the Registrar, 3rd Class Clerk, \$600; Librarian, \$1,000; Caretaker, \$700; Three Messengers, at \$500 each, \$1,500; Contingencies and disbursements, Judges' travelling expenses, also, salaries of officers (Sheriff, Registrar as Editor and Publisher of Reports, Usher, &c.), and \$150 for books for Judges, \$3,500; Printing, binding and distributing the Supreme Court Reports, \$2,750; For the purchase of Law Reports and Text Books for the Supreme Court Library, \$2,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand seven hundred and eighty-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with the Exchequer Court of *Canada*—2nd Class Clerk, \$1,300; 3rd Class Clerk, \$950; Messenger, \$337.50; Contingencies, Judge's and Registrar's travelling expenses, salary of Sheriffs, printing, stationery, &c., and \$50 for Judge's books, \$4,000; Printing, binding and distributing Exchequer Court Reports, \$1,000; Additional to Registrar as Editor and Publisher of Reports, \$300; To pay increase of salary to Mr. *L. A. Audette*, from 1st July, 1893, to 30th June, 1894, \$100; Salary of Registrar in Admiralty, *Quebec*, \$666.66; Salary of Marshal in Admiralty, *Quebec*, \$333.34; To provide accommodation when necessary for Exchequer Court in Admiralty, \$300; Travelling allowance for Local Judges and other officers, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dominion Police, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and two thousand three hundred and thirty-one dollars and twenty-nine cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. Vincent de Paul* Penitentiary, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-six thousand four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Dorchester* Penitentiary, for the year ending 30th June 1894.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-seven thousand four hundred and forty-six dollars and thirty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *Manitoba* Penitentiary, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-nine thousand, four hundred and forty-nine dollars and fifteen cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *British Columbia* Penitentiary, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fourteen thousand five hundred and twenty-eight dollars and seventy cents, be granted to Her Majesty, for *Regina* Jail, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

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

Mr. *Bergeron* 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.

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Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General.—The Report of the Postmaster General, for the year ended 30th June, 1892. (*Sessional Papers, No. 12.*)

And then The House adjourned till Monday next.

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Monday, 6th February, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Sproule*,—The Petition of *Annette Marion Goff*, of the City and District of *Montreal*, Province of *Quebec*, the lawful wife of *Edward Robert Taché Rowand*, of the City of *Winnipeg, Manitoba*, Gentleman; and the Petition of *John Francis Schwaller*, of the Town of *Thorold*, County of *Welland*, and Province of *Ontario*, Merchant, the lawful husband of *Florence Schwaller*, sometimes known as *Florence J. Schwaller*, now residing at the Town of *Niagara Falls*, in the aforesaid County of *Welland*.

By Mr. *Denison*,—The Petition of *William Glockling* and others, of *Toronto, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Roome*,—The Petition of *Charles R. Jones* and others, of the City of *Cleveland*, State of *Ohio, United States of America*.

By Mr. *Ryckman*,—The Petition of *Hamilton Typographical Union, No. 129*.

By Mr. *Patterson (Colchester)*,—The Petition of *John R. Culgin* and others, of *Economy*; and the Petition of *Jonathan M. Corbett* and others, of *Five Islands*, all of the County of *Colchester, Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. *Semple*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Wellington, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Marshall*,—The Petition of *William Fuller*, of the Township of *London*, County of *Middlesex*, and others, of other places; and the Petition of *W. J. Logie, M.D.*, and others, of *London, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Moncrieff*,—The Petition of *David R. Wier*, and others, of *Petrolea*, County of *Lambton, Ontario*.

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

Of the *London and Port Stanley Railway Company* and the Municipal Council of the City of *London, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act to confirm a lease entered into between the aforesaid Railway company and certain other parties, for the operating of the said railway, and for other purposes.

Of *Thomas Hewitt*, Esquire, Barrister-at-law, of the Inner Temple, and others, of *London and Chislehurst, England*, and other places; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The Ocean Accident Insurance Corporation."

Of *Thomas Hewitt*, Esquire, Barrister-at-law, of the Inner Temple, and others, of *London and Chislehurst, England*, and others, of other places; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The Ocean Fidelity Guarantee Corporation."

Of the *Buffalo and Fort Erie Bridge Company*; praying for an amendment of their Act of Incorporation, empowering them to construct a Tunnel under the *Niagara*



River, and to reduce their Capital Stock; also, to extend the time for the commencement and completion of their undertakings, and for other purposes.

Of *Grant Howard Burrows* and others, Manufacturers, of the City of *Cincinnati*, State of *Ohio*, and other places; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The *Canada Carriage Company*."

Of *R. Thibaudeau* and others; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The *Atlantic and Pacific Railway Company*."

Of the *Canadian Pacific Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act to confirm an agreement entered into by the said Company with the *Grand Trunk Railway Company* and the Municipal Council of the City of *Toronto*, touching certain properties and railway works in the said City.

Of *William C. Van Horne* and *William Farwell*, trustees of the bondholders of the *South-eastern Railway Company*; praying for the repeal of section 16, of the Act 54-55 *Victoria*, Chapter 68; relating to the *Montreal* and *Atlantic Railway Company*, in regard to the sale of the railway and other properties of the said Company.

Of *William C. Van Horne* and *William Farwell*, trustees of the bondholders of the *South-eastern Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act empowering them to issue Bonds or Debentures to meet certain contemplated expenditures for necessary repairs and improvements connected with the aforesaid railway, and to mortgage its properties as security therefor.

Of *James Balfour*, of the City of *Hamilton*, in the County of *Wentworth*, Province of *Ontario*, Architect; praying for the passing of an Act to declare his marriage with *Georgina Catherine Balfour*, his wife, to be dissolved, and that he be divorced from her.

Of *James Frederick Doran*, of the Town of *Lachine*, in the County of *Jacques-Cartier*, Province of *Quebec*, clerk, the lawful husband of *Mary Augusta Wood*, lately of *Winnipeg*, *Manitoba*, now of *Paris*, *France*; praying for the passing of an Act to declare his marriage with the said *Mary Augusta Wood*, his wife, to be dissolved, and that he be divorced from her.

Of *John A. Grose* and others; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the *Dominion Burglary Guarantee Company (Limited)*.

Of the *Montreal Mining Company*; praying for the passing of an Act for the winding-up of the affairs of the said Company.

Of the *Témiscouata Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act empowering them to extend their line of railway from *Edmundston*, the present terminus, to a point at or near *Saint Leonard's*, in the Province of *New Brunswick*.

Of *John Berdun* and others, of *Strathroy* and other places, County of *Middlesex*, *Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act to incorporate a Benevolent Provident Society, under the name of "The *Woodmen of the World*."

Of *Iron Moulders' Union*, No. 29, *Brantford*, *Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act prohibiting the admission of Chinese immigrants into *Canada*, imposing a poll tax on Chinese residents, and for other purposes.

Of *Iron Moulders' Union*, No. 29, *Brantford*, *Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act providing for the adoption of the system known as the "Initiative and Referendum" in matters of legislation in the Dominion of *Canada*.

Of *Iron Moulders' Union*, No. 29, *Brantford*, *Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation into *Canada* of workmen under contract.

Mr. Speaker informed the House, That he had received from the Honourable Mr. Justice *Loranger* and the Honourable Mr. Justice *Malhiot*, two of the Judges selected for the trial of Election Petitions, pursuant to the Dominion Controverted Elections Act, and Amendments thereto, a Report and Judgment relating to the Election for the Electoral District of *Pontiac*.

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

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PONTIAC CONTROVERTED ELECTION.

*Aylmer*, 28th January, 1893.

To the Honourable *P. White*,  
Speaker of the House of Commons,  
*Ottawa*.

SIR,—We have the honour to transmit you herewith a copy of the final judgment by us rendered on the twenty-third day of January, instant, rejecting the Election Petition tried before us in conformity with the Dominion Controverted Elections Act, *re* Election of the Electoral District of *Pontiac*.

We have the honour to make the following Report:—That no proof has been made that corrupt practices have been committed at such election by any of the candidates or their agents, or with the sanction or connivance of any of said candidates. We have reason to believe that the said election was free from any corrupt practices on the part of any candidate or their agents.

We have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient servants,

L. O. LORANGER,

*J. S. C.*

H. G. MALHIOT,

*J. S. C.*

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The 23rd January, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

*Canada*,  
Province of *Quebec*, }  
District of *Ottawa*. }

*Superior Court*.

*Present :*

The Honourable Mr. Justice LORANGER,  
do do MALHIOT.

DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT.

Election of a Member for the House of Commons of *Canada*, for the Electoral District of the County of *Pontiac*, begun and holden on the 21st and 28th days of June last, wherein

MICHAEL JOHN MCLEAN,

*Petitioner ;*

and

JOHN BRYSON,

*Respondent.*

The Court, having heard the parties by their Counsel, the Petitioner having by his Counsel declared that he had no evidence to adduce in support of his petition, doth dismiss the said petition, hence without costs.

(True Copy.)

T. J. O. GRONDIN,

*Dep. Prothonotary, S. C.*

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Sir *John Thompson* 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 Adams, Amyot, Baker, Beausoleil, Bruneau, Caron (Sir Adolphe P.), Choquette, Coatsworth, Costigan, Curran,

Daly, Davies, Desaulniers, Dickey, Edgar, Flint, Fraser, Girouard (Jacques-Cartier), Ives, Langelier, Langevin (Sir Hector L.), Laurier, Lavergne, Leclair, Lister, McCarthy, McDonald (Victoria), McLeod, Masson, Mills (Bothwell), Moncrieff, Mulock, Northrup, Ouimet, Patterson (Huron), Pelletier, Préfontaine, Thompson (Sir John), Tupper, Weldon, and Wood (Brockville).—41.

2. ON EXPIRING LAWS.—Messieurs Bain (Soulanges), Belley, Bennett, Cameron, Cargill, Carroll, Corbould, Dawson, Delisle, Dugas, Ferguson (Renfrew), Flint, Gillies, Girouard (Two Mountains), Grieve, Henderson, Hutchins, Legris, McDonald (Victoria), McMillan (Vaudreuil), Pridham, Pope, Reid, Robillard, Ryckman, Simard, Somerville, Temple, and Tyrwhitt.—29. And that the Quorum of the said Committee do consist of Seven Members.

3. ON RAILWAYS, CANALS AND TELEGRAPH LINES.—Messieurs Adams, Allan, Amyot, Bain (Soulanges), Baird, Baker, Barnard, Beausoleil, Béchard, Belley, Bennett, Bergeron, Bergin, Bernier, Borden, Bourassa, Bowman, Boyd, Boyle, Brown, Bruneau, Bryson, Burnham, Burns, Calvin, Cameron, Campbell, Carignan, Carling, Carpenter, Caron (Sir Adolphe P.), Cartwright (Sir Richard J.), Casey, Charlton, Choquette, Christie, Cleveland, Coatsworth, Cochrane, Cockburn, Corbould, Corby, Costigan, Craig, Curran, Daly, Davies, Davin, Davis, Delisle, Denison, Desaulniers, Devlin, Dickey, Dupont, Edgar, Fairbairn, Fauvel, Ferguson (Leeds and Grenville), Fraser, Fréchette, Geoffrion, Gibson, Gillies, Girouard (Jacques-Cartier), Girouard (Two Mountains), Godbout, Gordon, Grandbois, Guay, Guillet, Haggart, Hazen, Hearn, Henderson, Hodgins, Hughes, Ingram, Innes, Ives, Jeannotte, Joncas, Kaulbach, Kenny, Lachapelle, Landerkin, Langelier, Langevin (Sir Hector L.), LaRivière, Laurier, Lavergne, Leclair, Leduc, Lépine, Lippé, Lister, Livingston, Macdonald (King's), Macdonald (Winnipeg), Macdonell (Algoma), Mackintosh, Maclean (York), McAlister, McCarthy, McDonald (Assiniboia) McDougald (Pictou), McDougall (Cape Breton), McInerney, McKay, McKeen, McLean (King's), McLennan, McLeod, McMillan (Huron), McMillan (Vaudreuil), McMullen, Madill, Mara, Masson, Metcalfe, Mignault, Mills (Annapolis), Mills (Bothwell), Montague, Mulock, Northrup, Ouimet, Paterson (Brant), Patterson (Colchester), Perry, Pope, Préfontaine, Prior, Proulx, Putnam, Reid, Rider, Rinfret, Robillard, Roome, Ross (Dundas), Ross (Lisgar), Ryckman, Sanborn, Scriver, Simard, Smith (Ontario), Smith (Sir Donald A.), Sproule, Stairs, Stevenson, Sutherland, Temple, Thompson (Sir John), Tisdale, Turcotte, Tyrwhitt, Vaillancourt, Wallace, Weldon, White (Cardwell), White (Shelburne), Wilmot, Wood (Brockville), Wood (Westmoreland), and Yeo.—166.

4. ON MISCELLANEOUS PRIVATE BILLS.—Messieurs Allan, Bain (Soulanges), Baker, Barnard, Beith, Belley, Bennett, Borden, Bourassa, Boyd, Brodeur, Campbell, Carpenter, Caron (Sir Adolphe P.), Carroll, Casey, Chesley, Choquette, Cleveland, Cochrane, Corbould, Corby, Craig, Davies, Delisle, Denison, Dickey, Dupont, Edwards, Fairbairn, Featherston, Frémont, Geoffrion, Gillmor, Girouard (Jacques-Cartier), Guillet, Hazen, Hodgins, Ives, Joncas, Kenny, LaRivière, Lavergne, Leduc, Legris, Lépine, Macdonald (Huron), Macdonell (Algoma), McAlister, McDougall (Cape Breton) McInerney, McKay, McKeen, McMillan (Vaudreuil), Madill, Marshall, Mignault, Miller, Moncrieff, Monet, Northrup, Ouimet, Pelletier, Prior, Robillard, Roome, Rosamond, Ross (Dundas), Smith (Ontario), Stairs, Vaillancourt, Weldon, White (Shelburne), and Yeo.—74. And that the Quorum of the said Committee do consist of Seven Members.

5. ON STANDING ORDERS.—Messieurs Bain (Wentworth), Bergeron, Bourassa, Bowers, Brodeur, Brown, Burnham, Cargill, Colter, Desaulniers, Dyer, Earle, Ferguson (Leeds and Grenville), Ferguson, (Renfrew), Gillmor, Girouard (Two Mountains), Grieve, Hodgins, Hughes, Hutchins, Ingram, Landerkin, Lavergne, Macdowall, McInerney, McKeen, McNeill, Marshall, Masson, Miller, Mills (Annapolis), Monet, O'Brien, Paterson (Brant), Patterson (Colchester), Perry, Pridham, Rinfret, Rosamond, Rowand, Scriver, Semple, Stevenson, Wilmot, Wilson, and Wood (Brockville).—46. And that the Quorum of the said Committee do consist of Seven Members.

6. ON PRINTING.—Messieurs Amyot, Bergin, Bourassa, Charlton, Costigan, Davin, Grandbois, Innes, Kaulbach, Landerkin, LaRivière, Lépine, Mackintosh, Maclean (York), McLean (King's), McMullen, Putnam, Rider, Somerville, Stevenson, Sutherland, Taylor and Tisdale.—23.

7. ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.—Messieurs Adams, Baker, Béchard, Bergeron, Bergin, Boyle, Bryson, Cameron, Campbell, Caron (Sir Adolphe P.), Carscallen, Cartwright (Sir Richard J.), Charlton, Chesley, Coatsworth, Cochrane, Corby, Costigan, Daly, Davies, Devlin, Ferguson (Leeds and Grenville), Forbes, Foster, Fraser, Gordon, Haggart, Hearn, Hughes, Jeannotte, Joncas, Landerkin, Langelier, Lister, Lowell, Macdonald (Huron), Macdonell (Algoma), McDougald (Pictou), McGregor, McKay, McMullen, Madill, Mills (Annapolis), Mills (Bothwell), Moncreiff, Montague, Mulock, Ouimet, Paterson (Brant), Rinfret, Scriver, Somerville, Sproule, Taylor, Tisdale, Tupper, Wallace, White (Cardwell), Wood (Brockville), and Wood (Westmoreland).—60. And that the Quorum of the said Committee do consist of Nine Members.

8. ON BANKING AND COMMERCE.—Messieurs Allan, Amyot, Bain (Wentworth), Baird, Barnard, Beausoleil, Béchard, Beith, Bernier, Borden, Bowers, Bowman, Boyd, Boyle, Bruneau, Burnham, Burns, Calvin, Cargill, Carignan, Caron (Sir Adolphe P.), Carscallen, Cartwright (Sir Richard J.), Charlton, Chesley, Cleveland, Coatsworth, Cochrane, Cockburn, Colter, Corby, Craig, Curran, Daly, Davies, Devlin, Dickey, Dugas, Dyer, Earle, Edgar, Edwards, Featherston, Flint, Forbes, Foster, Fraser, Fréchette, Geoffrion, Gibson, Gillies Girouard (Jacques-Cartier), Guay, Guillet, Haggart, Hazen, Hearn, Henderson, Ives, Joncas, Kaulbach, Kenny, Lachapelle, Langelier, Langevin (Sir Hector L.), Laurier, Lister, Livingston, Lowell, Macdonald (King's), Macdonald (Winnipeg), Macdowall, McAlister, McCarthy, McDonald (Victoria), McDougald (Pictou), McDougall (Cape Breton), McKay, McLennan, McLeod, McNeill, Mara, Masson, Metcalfe, Mills (Bothwell), Moncreiff, Mulock, Northrup, O'Brien, Ouimet, Paterson (Brant), Patterson (Huron), Pelletier, Pope, Préfontaine, Prior, Putnam, Rider, Rowand, Ryckman, Sanborn, Scriver, Semple, Smith (Sir Donald A.), Stairs, Sutherland, Temple, Thompson (Sir John), Tisdale, Turcotte, Wallace, Welsh, White (Cardwell), White (Shelburne), Wilson, Wood (Westmoreland), and Yeo.—118. And that the Quorum of the said Committee do consist of Nine Members.

9. ON AGRICULTURE AND COLONIZATION.—Messieurs Bain (Soulanges), Bain (Wentworth), Beith, Bergeron, Bernier, Bowers, Bowman, Boyd, Brodeur, Burnham, Burns, Calvin, Cameron, Carignan, Carling, Carpenter, Casey, Choquette, Christie, Cleveland, Cochrane, Corbould, Daly, Davin, Davis, Dawson, Desaulniers, Dugas, Dupont, Dyer, Earle, Edwards, Fairbairn, Fauvel, Featherston, Ferguson (Leeds and Grenville), Ferguson (Renfrew), Forbes, Fréchette, Frémont, Gibson, Gillies, Gillmor, Girouard (Two Mountains), Godbout, Gordon, Grieve, Guay, Henderson, Hodgins, Hutchins, Ingram, Innes, Jeannotte, Joncas, LaRivière, Leduc, Legris, Lépine, Lippé, Livingston, Macdonald (Huron), Macdonald (King's), Macdowall, Mackintosh, McDonald (Assiniboia), McGregor, McLean (King's), McLennan, McMillan (Huron), McNeill, Mara, Marshall, Metcalfe, Mignault, Miller, Montague, O'Brien, Paterson (Brant), Patterson (Colchester), Perry, Pope, Pridham, Putnam, Reid, Robillard, Roome, Rosamond, Ross (Dundas), Ross (Lisgar), Rowand, Sanborn, Semple, Smith (Ontario), Sproule, Sutherland, Taylor, Turcotte, Tyrwhitt, Wilmot, Wilson, and Wood (Westmoreland).—102. And that the Quorum of the said Committee do consist of Seven Members.

On motion of Sir John Thompson, seconded by Sir Adolphe P. Caron,  
*Resolved*, That this House doth concur in the said Report.

On motion of Sir John Thompson, seconded by Sir Adolphe P. Caron,  
*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, Charlton, Costigan, Davin, Grandbois, Innes, Kaulbach, Landerkin, LaRivière, Lépine, Mackintosh, Maclean (York), McLean, (King's), McMullen Putnam, Rider, Somerville, Stevenson, Taylor and Tisdale* 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.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,  
*Resolved*, That a Select Committee composed of Sir *Adolphe P. Caron* and Messieurs *Amyot, Cockburn, Davies, Davin, Edgar, Fraser, Laurier, McNeill, Mills (Bothwell), O'Brien, Rinfret, Scriver, Weldon and White (Shelburne)*, 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.

*Ordered*, 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.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Lépine* have leave to bring in a Bill to determine the hours of daily labour of workmen and others in the employ of the Government or of Government contractors.

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, 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, a copy of the Report of the Commissioners appointed by Royal Commission to take evidence as to the truth or falsity of certain charges made against Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*, Member of the House of Commons and of the Queen's Privy Council for *Canada*, with copies of the evidence and exhibits thereto pertaining. (*Sessional Papers, No. 27.*)

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

Ottawa, 6th February, 1893.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*.

*Ordered*, That the foregoing Message, Report, evidence, etc., be printed forthwith, and that the 94th Rule of this House be suspended in relation thereto.

Mr. *Costigan*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Statement in reference to Fishing Bounty Payments\* for 1891-92, required by Chapter 96 of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 20b.*)

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Statement of the Receipts and Payments of *Canada*, 1891-92 and 1892-93, to 31st January. (*Sessional Papers, No. 24a.*)

On motion of Mr. *LaRivière*, seconded by Mr. *Girouard (Two Mountains)*,

*Resolved*, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying His Excellency to cause to be laid before this House, copy of all petitions, memorials, appeals, and of any other documents addressed to His Excellency in Council, since the 15th March, 1892, relating to the *Manitoba School Acts*

of 1890, and to section 22 of the "*Manitoba Act*," and section 93 of the "*British North America Act*;" also, copy of all reports to and of all Orders in Council in reference to the same; also, copies of all correspondence in connection 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. *La Rivière*, seconded by Mr. *Girouard (Two Mountains)*,

*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 judgment of the Judicial Committee of Her Majesty's Privy Council in the appealed case of *Barrett vs. the City of Winnipeg*, commonly known as the "*Manitoba School Case*;" also, copy of factums, reports and other documents in connection 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 Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Mr. *Bergeron*,

*Resolved*, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying His Excellency to cause to be laid before this House, all correspondence, documents, reports and Orders in Council about a special commission to enquire into the most feasible means of completing the telegraphic system of the Empire.

*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 Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Mr. *Bergeron*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a list of the names of all tenderers for Section eight of the *Soulanges Canal*; also, of the residence of each such tenderers, and of the amount of each tender.

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

*Resolved*, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying His Excellency to cause to be laid before this House, a Return of all letters, correspondence, reports and all other matter on record, passed between the Department of Agriculture and the High Commissioner of *Canada* in *London*, the Imperial Board of Trade or any other officials of an authoritative body in reference to the scheduling of Canadian cattle in the ports of *Great Britain* and *Ireland*, on and after 20th October 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.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Mr. *Baker*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Statement showing the revenue of the Intercolonial Railway for the years 1890-91 and 1891-92, and from the 1st July, 1892, to the 31st December, inclusive, under the following headings, viz.:—

Passengers,

Freight,

Mails and sundries;

giving, also, the number of passengers and the number of tons of freight carried in each of the above named years.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Mr. *Baker*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Statement of the working expenses of the Intercolonial Railway for the year 1890-91; and also, for the year 1891-92, and from the 1st July, 1892, to the 31st December, inclusive, under the following headings, viz.:—

Locomotive power,

Car expenses,

Maintenance of way and works,  
Station expenses,  
General charges,  
Car mileage.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of all petitions, documents and letters in relation to a request made for increased mail service at the *Harkaway* Post office, during the past six years.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the quantity of pig iron produced in *Canada* in the years 1881, 1882, 1883, 1884, 1885, 1886, 1887, 1888, 1889, 1890, 1891, 1892; and the bounty paid for the production in each of those years.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of the Receipts and Expenditures in detail, chargeable to the Consolidated Fund, from the first day of July, 1892, to the thirty-first day of January, 1893; and comparative statements from the first day of July, 1891, to the thirty-first day of January, 1892.

On motion of Mr. *Béchar*d, seconded by Mr. *Vaillancourt*,

*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 any Order in Council or other document which gave power to the "*Stanstead, Shefford and Chambly* Railway Company" or their successors "*The Vermont Central Railroad Company*" to build a bridge across the *Richelieu* River, at *St. John's*, Province of *Quebec*.

*Ordered*, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency by such Members of this House as are of the Queen's Privy Council.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return, in the form used in the statements usually published in the *Gazette*, of the Exports and Imports from the first day of July, 1892, to the first day of January, 1893, distinguishing the products of *Canada* and those of other Countries; and comparative statements from the first day of July, 1891, to the first day of January, 1892.

On motion of Mr. *Guay*, seconded by Mr. *Godbout*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all letters and petitions forwarded to the Post Office Department by certain inhabitants of the Parish of *St. Etienne de Lauzon*, in the County of *Lévis*, complaining of maladministration in relation to the *Baillargeon* Post office in the said Parish.

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

*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 showing total amount of money paid by years, since Confederation, on each of the following accounts.—

- (a.) Salary of Governor General.
- (b.) Travelling expenses of Governor General.
- (c.) Expenditure on *Rideau* Hall on capital account.
 

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- (d.) Expenditure on furnishings of all kinds for *Rideau* Hall.
- (e.) Allowance to Governor General for coal and light.

(f.) Expenditure on any other account in connection with the office of Governor General.

(g.) Expenditure on any other account in connection with *Rideau Hall* and grounds.

(h.) Total expenditure of every kind, since Confederation, in connection with the office of Governor General.

(i.) Total expenditure of every kind in connection with *Rideau Hall* and grounds.

*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. *Vaillancourt*, seconded by Mr. *Godbout*,

*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 whatsoever respecting the granting of a subsidy to the *Quebec Oriental Railway*.

*Ordered*, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency by such Members of this House as are of the Queen's Privy Council.

On motion of Mr. *Welsh*, seconded by Mr. *Davies*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a copy of the Report of Government surveys on *Wood Island Breakwater*, *Prince Edward Island*.

On motion of Mr. *Rinfret*, seconded by Mr. *Leduc*.

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence between Mr. *Robertson*, Dairy Commissioner for *Canada*, and the Department of Agriculture, in relation to a certain Resolution adopted by a Committee of the Board of Trade of *Bristol, England*, against accepting as Canadian cheese, cheese designated by the said Committee under the name of "French cheese" and manufactured in the Province of *Quebec*; copies of all speeches, letters and reports made by the said Dairy Commissioner, Mr. *Robertson*, on the value of cheese manufactured in the Provinces of *Quebec* and *Ontario*.

On motion of Mr. *Smith (Ontario)*, seconded by Mr. *Fairbairn*,

*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 now in force regulating the slaughtering of swine for exportation in bond, passed under authority of an Act respecting Customs, Chapter 32, Revised Statutes, Section 93; and for a copy of the quarantine regulations governing the importation of such swine into *Canada* for the purpose of slaughtering in bond.

*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. *Tisdale*, seconded by Mr. *Bryson*,

*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, papers and documents, not already laid before the House, in reference to negotiations and communications between the Government and the *United States*, in reference to reciprocity, canal tolls, and wrecking and towing.

*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. *Borden*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of all correspondence, telegrams and documents in reference to the suspension of Deputy Adjutant General *Villiers*; and also, as to his restoration to office.



On motion of Mr. *Flint*, seconded by Mr. *Colter*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all letters, petitions, surveys and reports in the possession of the Government, relating to the threatened destruction of, and claims for, repairs on the breakwater at *Sandford*, in the County of *Yarmouth, Nova Scotia*.

On motion of Mr. *Borden*, seconded by Mr. *Landerkin*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence, reports of Engineers and commissions authorizing the expenditure of money since the year 1890, relating to *Pickets Pier, Nova Scotia*, together with a statement of the wharfage collected thereat, annually, during said period.

On motion of Mr. *McMullen*, seconded by Mr. *Campbell*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the birth place, national origin, creed or church of each person at present employed in the Civil Service of *Canada* both in the inside and outside service.

On motion of Mr. *Fraser*, seconded by Mr. *Borden*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence, telegrams or other papers relating to irregularities and frauds in payment of fishing bounties in the County of *Victoria, Nova Scotia*, with the report of the commissioner or commissioners appointed to make the investigation.

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 *Allan, Almon, Botsford, DeBoucherville, Drummond, Gowan, Landry, MacInnes (Burlington), Masson, McClelan, Miller, Murphy, Poirier, Power, Scott* 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.

Also, the Senate acquaint this House, That they have appointed the Honourable Messieurs *Bernier, Casgrain, Desjardins, Dever, Dobson, Gowan, Guévremont, Kaubach, Lougheed, McClelan, McKindsey, Macfarlane, Ogilvie, Perley, Pelletier, Power, Primrose, Read (Quinté), Sullivan, 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 then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

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Tuesday, 7th February, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Robillard*,—The Petition of the Central Counties Railway Company.

By Mr. *Coatsworth*,—The Petition of *Toronto Lodge, No. 235*.

By Mr. *McLennan*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the United Counties of *Stormont, Dundas* and *Glengarry*.

By Mr. *Denison*,—The Petition of *William C. Van Horne* and others, of the City of *Montreal* and other places.

By Mr. *Davis*,—The Petition of the Honourable Sir *Alexander T. Galt*, G.C.M.G., of the City of *Montreal*, and others, of other places; the Petition of the *Alberta Railway and Coal Company*; and the Petition of *George Alexander* and others, of the Town of *Calgary, North-west Territories* and other places.

By Mr. *Devlin*,—The Petition of *Isidore Lafrance* and others, of the City of *Hull*, County of *Ottawa, Quebec*.

By Mr. *Bergin*,—The Petition of *John Brook* and others, of *Cornwall, Ontario*,

By Mr. *McGregor*,—Two Petitions of the *Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway Company*.

By Mr. *Hearn*,—Three Petitions of *Montgomery Assembly No. 4003, Knights of Labour*.

By Mr. *Flint*,—The Petition of the *Western Counties Railway Company*.

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

By Mr. *Macdonell (Algoma)*,—The Petition of the *Port Arthur, Duluth and Western Railway Company*.

*Nathaniel Boyd*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of *Marquette*, having previously taken the Oath according to Law, and subscribed before the Commissioners the Roll containing the same, took his seat in the House.

Mr. *Mills (Annapolis)*, 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 Automatic Telephone and Electric Company of *Canada*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *St. Lawrence and Adirondack Railway Company*, for power to lease their railway to the *Central Vermont Railroad Company*, or to the *Ogdensburg and Lake Champlain Railroad Company*; of the *Hamilton Provident and Loan Society*, for power to increase their Capital Stock; of the *Calgary Street Railway Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the Corporation of the Town of *Calgary*, for power to dam the *Bow* and *Elbow* Rivers and to construct tramways; of the *Mount Forest, Markdale and Meaford Railway Company*, for an extension of time for the construction of their railway; of the *Montreal Mining Company*, for an Act to wind up their affairs; of the *Dominion Burglary Guarantee Company (Limited)*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *Buffalo and Fort Erie Bridge Company*, for authority to construct a tunnel under the *Niagara River*, and to reduce their Capital Stock; of the *Canadian Pacific Railway Company*, for an Act to confirm an agreement entered into with the *Grand Trunk Railway Company* and the Corporation of the City of *Toronto* touching certain property and railway works in the said City of *Toronto*; of *James Balfour*, of the City of *Hamilton*, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with *Georgina Catherine Balfour*, his wife; and of *James Frederick Doran*, of *Lachine*, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with *Mary Augusta Wood*, his wife.

Ordered, That Mr. *Tisdale* have leave to bring in a Bill to give effect to an agreement between the *Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada*; the *Canadian Pacific Railway Company* and the Corporation of the City of *Toronto*.

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

Ordered, That Mr. *White (Cardwell)* have leave to bring in a Bill to wind up the *Montreal Mining Company*.

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

*Ordered*, That Mr. *White (Cardwell)* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the Dominion Burglary Guarantee 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. *Sproule* have leave to bring in a Bill to revive and amend the Act 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. *Bergeron* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *St. Lawrence* and *Adirondack* 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. *Davin* have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend the Customs 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. *Foster*, seconded by Mr. *Wood (Brockville)*,

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting the Civil Service Superannuation Act.

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 ninety thousand four hundred and forty three dollars and sixty-six cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *Kingston* Penitentiary, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-one thousand four hundred and eighty-eight dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salaries and contingent expenses of the Senate, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

3. *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, 1894.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy thousand six hundred and sixty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salaries—House of Commons, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirteen thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay expenses of Committees, Sessional and Extra Clerks, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-three thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, House of Commons, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for publishing Debates, House of Commons, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-three thousand seven hundred and thirty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to meet estimate of Serjeant-at-Arms, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventeen thousand and forty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for salaries of the officers of the Library (page 31), for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the Library, as follow, viz. :—Books: For the General

Library, \$10,000; for the Library of American History, \$1,000; Contingencies, \$2,800; Binding newspapers, &c., \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for printing, binding and distributing the Laws, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for printing, printing' paper and binding, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Archives, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Patent Record, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Collection and Compilation of Criminal Statistics, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Statistics, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for World's Columbian Exposition, *Chicago*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

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

Mr. *Bergeron* 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. *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, etc., for year ended 31st December, 1892. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 28.)

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Wednesday, 8th February, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Tisdale*,—The Petition of *William T. Jennings* and others, Provisional Directors of the Canadian Power Company.

By Mr. *Miller*,—The Petition of *V. S. Clerke*, M.D., and others, of *Lucan*, County of *Middlesex*, Ontario.

By Mr. *Cleveland*,—The Petition of the *Drummond County Railway Company*.

By Mr. *Corbould*,—The Petition of *Vancouver Typographical Union*, No. 226.

By Mr. *McDougald (Pictou)*,—The Petition of *John F. Stairs*, M.P., and others, of the City and County of *Halifax, Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. *Bruneau*,—The Petition of the Reverend *A. Smith*, Curé, and others, of *Yamaska*, and other places, *Quebec*.

By Mr. *Gibson*,—Three Petitions of Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, No. 4; three Petitions of International Builders', Labourers' Union, No. 3; two Petitions of *Niagara District Assembly*, No. 207, Knights of Labour; and the Petition of *Andrew Dobbing* and others, all of *St. Catharines*, County of *Lincoln, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Denison*,—Three Petitions of Mayflower Assembly, No. 6564, Knights of Labour, *Toronto, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Macdonald (Winnipeg)*,—Three Petitions of Journeymen Tailors' Union of *America*, No. 70; and three Petitions of Bricklayers' and Masons' International Union, No. 1, all of *Winnipeg, Manitoba*.

By Mr. *Baker*,—The Petition of *Edmund Holyoake Heward*, of the Town of *St. John's*, in the District of *Iberville*, Province of *Quebec*, Manager of the Branch of the Merchants Bank of *Canada* at *St. John's* aforesaid, the lawful husband of *Dame Marie Louise Elwes*, presently of the City of *Chicago*, in the State of *Illinois*, one of the *United States of America*.

By Mr. *Bergin*,—Three Petitions of Local Assembly, No. 6583, Knights of Labour, *Cornwall, Ontario*.

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

Of *Annette Marion Goff*, of the City and District of *Montreal*, Province of *Quebec*, the lawful wife of *Edward Robert Taché Rowand*, of the City of *Winnipeg, Manitoba*, Gentleman; praying for the passing of an Act to declare her marriage with the said *Edward Robert Taché Rowand*, to be dissolved, and that she be divorced from him.

Of *John Francis Schwaller*, of the Town of *Thorold*, County of *Welland*, and Province of *Ontario*, Merchant, the lawful husband of *Florence Schwaller*, sometimes known as *Florence J. Schwaller*, now residing at the Town of *Niagara Falls*, in the aforesaid County of *Welland*; praying for the passing of an Act to declare his marriage with the said *Florence Schwaller* (or *Florence J. Schwaller*), his wife, to be dissolved, and that he be divorced from her.

Of *Charles R. Jones* and others, of the City of *Cleveland*, State of *Ohio, United States of America*; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The *Cleveland, Port Stanley and London Transportation and Railway Company*," and for the confirmation of a certain agreement made by them with the *London and Port Stanley Railway Company*.

Of *William Fuller*, of the Township of *London*, County of *Middlesex*, and others, of other places; of *W. J. Logie*, M.D., and others, of *London*; and of *David R. Weir* and others, of *Petrolea*, County of *Lambton*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to incorporate a Benevolent Provident Society under the name of "The Woodmen of the World."

Of *William Glockling* and others, of *Toronto*; and of *Hamilton Typographical Union*, No. 129, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to provide for the grouping of constituencies and cumulative voting, in the election of Members of the House of Commons.

Of *John R. Culgin* and others, of *Economy*; and of *Jonathan M. Corbett* and others, of *Five Islands*, all of the County of *Colchester, Nova Scotia*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit trawl fishing in the Basin of *Minas*.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Wellington, Ontario*; praying that binding twine, coal oil and all articles manufactured or sold in *Canada*, subject to a combine, be admitted free of duty.

*Mr. LaRivière*, 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 had under consideration a communication from the Chief Reporter of the Official Report of the Debates, requesting the temporary appointment of a stenographer to replace Mr. *Thomas J. Richardson*, one of the members of the reporting staff, who, owing to injuries received, has become incapacitated for the present from performing his official duties.

Your Committee, with a view of keeping up the efficiency of the staff, recommend that Mr. *A. C. Campbell* be appointed to perform the work until such time as Mr. *Richardson* is able to resume his duties.

The amount of the remuneration to be paid Mr. *Campbell* for his services to be subsequently determined by Your Committee and reported for the approval of the House.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *McKay* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Hamilton Provident and Loan Society*.

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

On motion of Mr. *La Rivière*, seconded by Mr. *Cameron*,

*Resolved*, That this House doth concur in the Second Report of the Select Committee appointed to supervise the Official Report of the Debates of this House during the present Session.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Lowell* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the *Buffalo and Fort Erie 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. *Davis* have leave to bring in a Bill to confer certain powers on the Corporation of the Municipality of the Town of *Calgary*.

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. *White (Cardwell)* have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend the tenth Chapter of the Consolidated Statutes for Lower *Canada*, respecting seditious and unlawful associations and oaths.

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 Witnesses and Evidence.

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, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 30th May, 1892, for a copy of all correspondence, papers and reports relating to the investigation into the conduct of *William Prosser*, fishery overseer for the district fronting the County of *Essex*, on Lake *Erie*, and his dismissal from office. (*Sessional Papers, No. 20c.*)

Mr. *Pope* moved, seconded by Mr. *Cleveland*, and the Question being proposed, That it is expedient to place Corn on the Free List;

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 to incorporate the Dominion Burglary Guarantee Company (Limited);

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to revive and amend the Act 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.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the *St. Lawrence and Adirondack* Railway Company;

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

Sir *John Thompson*, 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, a Copy of the proceedings of the conference recently held at Halifax between delegates from the Governments of *Canada* and *Newfoundland* upon the Fishery question and other questions between the two Governments. (*Sessional Papers, No. 20d.*)

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

*Ottawa*, 8th February, 1893.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,

Ordered, That the foregoing Message and accompanying papers be printed forthwith, and that the 94th Rule of this House be suspended in relation thereto.

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 four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Pensions, as follow, viz.:—For amount of annuity to Lady *Cartier*, \$1,200; Mrs. *Delaney*, \$400; Mrs. *Gowanlock*, \$400; Miss *Harriet Fraser*, \$250; Mr. *Roderick Fraser*, \$150, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand one hundred and forty-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Pensions, payable on account of Fenian Raid, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet probable amount required for Veterans of War of 1812, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and eighteen dollars and thirty-eight cents be granted to Her Majesty, for compensation to Pensioners in lieu of land, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Pensions payable to Militiamen on account of Rebellion of 1885, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven dollars and twenty-eight cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Pensions, payable to Mounted Police, *Prince Albert* Volunteers and Police Scouts, on account of Rebellion of 1885, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and forty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Extra (Superannuation) Allowance to *W. Wallace*, ex-Postmaster at *Victoria, B.C.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Aid to Agricultural Societies, *North-west Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the *Haras National*, for the use of six stallions for the Experimental Farms, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Salaries and Contingencies for Organized (Quarantine) Districts, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet possible expenses in connection with Public Health, and with Cholera and other infectious diseases, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty for *Tracadie Lazaretto*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Winnipeg* and *St. Boniface* Hospitals, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Cattle Quarantines, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

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

Mr. *Bergeron* 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.

Thursday, 9th February, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Wilson*,—The Petition of *Francis Van de Bogart* and others.

By Mr. *Hazen*,—The Petition of *G. Frederick Fisher* and others.

By Mr. *Stevenson*,—Two Petitions of Excelsior Lodge, No. 286, *Peterborough, Ontario*.



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

Of the Central Counties Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act to amend their Act of Incorporation, and the Act amending the same.

Of *William C. Van Horne* and others, of the City of *Montreal* and other places; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The *Canada North-west Land Company (Limited)*."

Of the Honourable Sir *Alexander T. Galt*, G.C.M.G., of the City of *Montreal*, and others, of other places; praying for the passing of an Act to incorporate a Company to construct and operate irrigation ditches or canals in a certain portion of the District of *Alberta, N.W.T.*; as also sundry other works conducive to the purposes of the said Company.

Of the *Alberta Railway and Coal Company*; praying for the passing of an Act to extend the time for the completion of their railway to *Fort Macleod*, and thence to *Crow's Nest Pass* and *British Columbia*, and for other purposes.

Of *George Alexander* and others, of the Town of *Calgary, N.W.T.*, and other places; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the "*Calgary Hydraulic Company*."

Of the *Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway Company*, (incorporated by the Parliament of the Dominion of *Canada*); praying for the passing of an Act to confirm an agreement for amalgamation between the said Company and the Railway Company bearing the same name, incorporated by the Ontario Legislature, and for other purposes.

Of the *Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway Company*, (incorporated by the Legislature of the Province of *Ontario*); praying for the passing of an Act to confirm an agreement for amalgamation between the said Company and the Railway Company bearing the same name, incorporated by the Dominion Parliament, and for other purposes.

Of the *Western Counties Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act to confirm an agreement between the said Company and *Arthur Anderson et al*, and to change the name of the Company to that of "The *Yarmouth and Annapolis Railway Company*," and for other purposes.

Of the *Manitoba and South-eastern Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act repealing section 1 of the Act 55-56 *Victoria*, chapter 46, and substituting therefor a provision to extend the time for the completion of a certain portion of their railway, and for other purposes.

Of the *Port Arthur, Duluth and Western Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act empowering them to make working arrangements with, or to lease or acquire running powers over the lines of other Railway Companies.

Of the Municipal Council of the United Counties of *Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry*; praying for the repeal of the Dominion Franchise Act, and the enactment of a law providing that the Dominion Voters' lists shall in future be prepared by the officials of the local municipalities.

Of *Toronto Lodge, No. 235*; of *John Brook* and others, of *Cornwall*, all of *Ontario*; and of *Isidore Lafrance* and others, of the City of *Hull*, County of *Ottawa, Quebec*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to provide for the grouping of constituencies and cumulative voting, in the election of Members of the House of Commons.

Of *Montgomery Assembly, No. 4,003, Knights of Labour*; praying for the passing of an Act prohibiting the admission of Chinese immigrants into *Canada*, imposing a poll tax on Chinese residents, and for other purposes.

Of *Montgomery Assembly, No. 4,003, Knights of Labour*; praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation into *Canada* of workmen under contract.

Of *Montgomery Assembly, No. 4,003, Knights of Labour*; praying for the passing of an Act providing for the adoption of the system known as the "Initiative and Referendum" in matters of legislation in the Dominion of *Canada*.

Mr. *Daly*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, a Return of Orders in Council of 1892 relating to the Department of the Interior, in accordance with Clause 91 of the Dominion Lands Act, Chapter 54, Revised Statutes of Canada. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 29.)

Mr. *Daly*, also presented Return under Resolution of the 20th February, 1882, in so far as the same is furnished by the Department of the Interior, respecting the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 30.)

Mr. *Costigan*, 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 papers respecting the enforcement by the *Newfoundland* authorities against Canadian vessels of the *Newfoundland* Act respecting the sale of bait to foreign fishing vessels. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 20e.)

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

Ottawa, June, 1892.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*.

Ordered, That the foregoing Message and accompanying papers be printed forthwith, and that the 94th Rule of this House be suspended in relation thereto.

Mr. *Costigan*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—List of Public Officers to whom Commissions have issued under Chapter 19 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, during the past year 1892. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 31.)

Ordered, That Mr. *Lavergne* have leave to bring in a Bill, further to amend Chapter One hundred and thirty-five of the Revised Statutes, intituled: "An Act respecting the Supreme and Exchequer Courts."

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,—The Civil Service List of Canada, 1892. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 16a.)

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to disfranchise electors who have taken bribes;

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 make Voting Compulsory;

Mr. *Amyot* moved, seconded by Mr. *Davin*, and the Question being put, That the Bill be now read a second time; the House divided: and it passed in the Negative.

Mr. *Cleveland* moved, seconded by Mr. *Pope*, and the Question being proposed, That it is expedient to place Coal Oil on the Free List;

And a Debate arising thereupon;

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

Mr. *Daly*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—a List of all Lands sold by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company from the 1st October, 1891, to the 1st October last. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 30a.)

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Friday, 10th February, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Paterson (Brant)*,—Three Petitions of the *Brantford* Trades Council.

By Mr. *Ingram*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Elgin*; and the Petition of *Charles F. Heidt* and others, of *Frome* and other places, County of *Elgin, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Corbould*,—Three Petitions of *Vancouver* Typographical Union, No. 226; and three Petitions of Building Labourers' Union of *Vancouver, British Columbia*.

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

Of *William T. Jennings* and others, Provisional Directors of the Canadian Power Company; praying for an amendment of the Act of Incorporation of the aforesaid Company and the Act amending the same.

Of the *Drummond County Railway* Company; praying for the passing of an Act confirming their Charter, granted by the Legislature of *Quebec*, and granting them additional corporate powers.

Of *John F. Stairs, M.P.*, and others, of the City and County of *Halifax, N.S.*; praying for the passing of an Act incorporating them as a Company with all the powers usually vested in Trust Companies.

Of *Edmund Holyoake Heward*, of the Town of *St. John's*, in the District of *Iberville*, Province of *Quebec*, Manager of the Branch of the Merchants Bank of *Canada*, at *St. John's* aforesaid, the lawful husband of *Dame Marie Louise Elwes*, presently of the City of *Chicago*, in the State of *Illinois*, one of the *United States of America*; praying for the passing of an Act to declare his marriage with the aforesaid *Dame Marie Louise Elwes* his wife, to be dissolved, and that he be divorced from her.

Of *H. S. Clerke, M.D.*, and others, of *Lucan*, County of *Middlesex, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act to incorporate a Benevolent Provident Society under the name of "The Woodmen of the World."

Of *Vancouver* Typographical Union, No. 226, *British Columbia*; and of *Andrew Dobbing* and others, of *St. Catharines*, County of *Lincoln, Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to provide for the grouping of constituencies and cumulative voting, in the election of Members of the House of Commons.

Of Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, No. 4; of International Builders' Labourers' Union, No. 3; and of *Niagara District Assembly*, No. 207, Knights of Labour, all of *St. Catharines*, County of *Lincoln*; of *Mayflower Assembly*, No. 6564, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; and of *Local Assembly*, No. 6583, Knights of Labour, *Cornwall*, all of *Ontario*; of Bricklayers' and Masons' International Union, No. 1; and of Journeymen Tailors' Union of *America*, No. 70, all of *Winnipeg, Manitoba*; severally praying for the passing of an Act prohibiting the admission of Chinese immigrants into *Canada*, imposing a poll tax on Chinese residents, and for other purposes.

Of Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, No. 4; and of International Builders' Labourers' Union, No. 3; all of *St. Catharines*, County of *Lincoln*; of *Mayflower Assembly*, No. 6564, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; and of *Local Assembly*, No. 6583, Knights of Labour, *Cornwall*, all of *Ontario*; of Bricklayers' and Masons' International Union, No. 1; and of Journeymen Tailors' Union of *America*, No. 7, all of *Winnipeg, Manitoba*; severally praying for the passing of an Act providing

for the adoption of the system known as the "Initiative and Referendum" in matters of legislation in the Dominion of *Canada*.

Of Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, No. 4; of International Builders' Labourers' Union, No. 3; and of *Niagara* District Assembly, No. 207, Knights of Labour, all of *St. Catharines*, County of *Lincoln*; of Mayflower Assembly, No. 6564, Knights of Labour, *Toronto*; and of Local Assembly, No. 6583, Knights of Labour, *Cornwall*, all of *Ontario*; of Bricklayers' and Masons' International Union, No. 1; and of Journeymen Tailors' Union of *America*, No. 70, all of *Winnipeg*, *Manitoba*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation into *Canada* of workmen under contract.

The Petition of the Reverend *A. Smith*, Curé, and others, of *Yamaska* and other places, *Quebec*, presented on Wednesday last; praying the House to grant a sum of money to aid in the building of a railway bridge over the *Yamaska* River, *Quebec*, being read;

Mr. Speaker said, That as the granting of the prayer of this Petition would involve the expenditure of public money, it cannot be received.

Mr. *Haggart*, 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 the 1st July, 1891, to the 30th June, 1892. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 9.)

Mr. *Patterson* (*Huron*), a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 17th March, 1892, for copy of all correspondence between the Imperial Government and the Canadian Government concerning the defences of *Esquimalt*. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 32.)

Mr. *Mills* (*Annapolis*), 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 *John Francis Schwaller*, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with *Florence J. Schwaller*, his wife; of the *Lake Erie* and *Detroit* River Railway Company, incorporated by the Dominion Parliament, and of the *Lake Erie* and *Detroit* River Railway Company, incorporated by the Legislature of *Ontario*, for an Act to confirm a certain agreement entered into by the said Companies; of the *Western Counties* Railway Company, for power to issue debenture stock in lieu of their present debenture stock; and of the *Canada* Life Assurance Company, for an Act to define and extend their powers of holding real estate.

Your Committee have also examined the Notices given on the following Petitions, and find that while they are regular in other respects, they are somewhat short in point of time; but, as they will have fully matured before the Bills founded thereon can be considered in Committee, Your Committee recommend that they be deemed sufficient, viz.:—

Of the *Grand Trunk*, *Georgian Bay* and *Lake Erie* Railway Company, for an extension of time for construction of certain branch lines of railway; and of the Municipal Councils of the Township of *Collingwood* and of the Town of *Thornbury*, for an Act to confirm an agreement respecting a storehouse and wharf at the mouth of the *Beaver* River.

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. *Sproule* have leave to bring in a Bill relating to the Harbour of *Thornbury*, on the *Georgian Bay*.

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

Mr. *Costigan*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 6th February, 1893, for copy of all petitions, memorials, appeals, and of any other documents addressed to His Excellency in Council, since the 15th March, 1892, relating to the *Manitoba School Acts of 1890* and to section 22 of the "*Manitoba Act*" and section 93 of the "*British North America Act*;" also, copy of all reports to, and of all Orders in Council in reference to the same; also, copies of all correspondence in connection therewith. (*Sessional Papers, No. 33.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 13th April, 1892, for copies of all instructions issued to Professor *Saunders* when he was directed to enquire into the question of the growing of sugar-beet and the manufacture of beet-root sugar in *Canada*, or since that date up to the time when his report was laid before this House. (*Sessional Papers, No. 34.*)

And also, Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 6th February, 1893, for all correspondence, documents, reports and Orders in Council about a special commission to enquire into the most feasible means of completing the telegraphic system of the Empire. (*Sessional Papers, No. 35.*)

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting the Civil Service Superannuation Act.

(*In the Committee.*)

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to amend the Civil Service Superannuation Act, and to provide that the deduction or contribution to the Superannuation Fund, from the salary of every person who enters the Civil Service after the date of the coming into force of such amendment, shall be at the rate of three and one-half per cent per annum on such salary if it is Six hundred dollars or upwards, and of three per cent per annum if it is less than Six hundred dollars.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. *Bergeron* reported the Resolution accordingly, and the same was read as followeth:—

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to amend the Civil Service Superannuation Act, and to provide that the deduction or contribution to the Superannuation Fund, from the salary of every person who enters the Civil Service after the date of the coming into force of such amendment, shall be at the rate of three and one-half per cent per annum on such salary if it is Six hundred dollars or upwards, and of three per cent per annum if it is less than Six hundred dollars.

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

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Foster* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Civil Service Superannuation 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 Monday next.

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

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 second reading of the Bill respecting the *Hamilton Provident and Loan Society*;

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 *Buffalo and Fort Erie Bridge Company*;

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

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The Committee of Supply was then resumed.

*(In the Committee.)*

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and seventy-five thousand seven hundred and eighty-two dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for pay of Staff, Permanent Corps and Active Militia, including allowances, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salaries and wages of civil employees—Militia, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Military properties, works and buildings, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-six thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for warlike and other stores, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for clothing and necessaries—Militia, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and seventy-nine thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for provisions, supplies and re-mounts—Militia, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-eight thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for transport and freight—Militia, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-five thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for grants in aid of Artillery and Rifle Associations and bands, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Miscellaneous and unforeseen contingencies in connection with Militia, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Royal Military College of *Canada*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for monuments for battlefields of *Canada*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

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

Mr. *Bergeron* 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.

Monday, 13th February, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Denison*,—Three Petitions of *Toronto Lodge*, No. 235, International Assembly of Machinists.

By Mr. *Tisdale*,—The Petition of the Grand Trunk Railway Company of *Canada* ; the Petition of the *Cobourg, Blairton and Marmora* Railway and Mining Company ; the Petition of the North *Simcoe* Railway Company ; the Petition of the *Waterloo Junction* Railway Company ; the Petition of the *Wellington, Grey and Bruce* Railway Company ; the Petition of the *Brantford, Norfolk and Port Burwell* Railway Company ; the Petition of the *Galt and Guelph* Railway Company ; the Petition of the *London, Huron and Bruce* Railway Company ; the Petition of the Grand Trunk, *Georgian Bay and Lake Erie* Railway Company ; the Petition of the *Lake Simcoe Junction* Railway Company ; the Petition of the *Peterborough and Chemong Lake* Railway Company ; the Petition of the *Midland Railway of Canada* ; the Petition of the *Beauharnois Junction* Railway Company ; the Petition of the *Montreal and Champlain Junction* Railway Company ; and the Petition of the *Jacques-Cartier Union* Railway Company.

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

By Mr. *Taylor*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the United Counties of *Leeds and Grenville*.

By Mr. *Mara*,—The Petition of the *Nicola Valley* Railway Company.

By Mr. *Corbould*,—The Petition of the *Chilliwack* Railway Company ; and three Petitions of Delegates of the *Vancouver Trades and Labour Council*.

By Mr. *Laurier*,—Three Petitions of *Leather Cutters' Association of Quebec*.

By Mr. *Curran*,—Two Petitions of *Progress Assembly*, No. 6852, Knights of Labour, *Montreal*.

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

Of *G. Frederick Fisher* and others ; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The Canadian Live Stock Insurance Association."

Of *Charles F. Heidt* and others, of *Frome* and other places, County of *Elgin, Ontario* ; praying for the passing of an Act to incorporate a Benevolent Provident Society under the name of "The Woodmen of the World."

Of *Francis Van de Bogart* and others ; praying that a change may be made in the standard weight of the bushel, bag and barrel of onions.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Elgin, Ontario* ; praying for certain amendments of the Indian Act.

Of Excelsior Lodge, No. 286, *Peterborough*; and of the *Brantford Trades Council*, all of *Ontario*; of *Vancouver Typographical Union*, No. 226; and of *Building Labourers' Union*, of *Vancouver*, all of *British Columbia*; severally praying for the passing of an Act prohibiting the admission of Chinese immigrants into *Canada*, imposing a poll tax on Chinese residents, and for other purposes.

Of Excelsior Lodge, No. 286, *Peterborough*; and of the *Brantford Trades Council*, all of *Ontario*; of *Vancouver Typographical Union*, No. 226; and of *Building Labourers' Union*, of *Vancouver*, all of *British Columbia*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation into *Canada* of workmen under contract.

Of *Brantford Trades Council*, *Ontario*; of *Vancouver Typographical Union*, No. 226; and of *Building Labourers' Union*, of *Vancouver*, all of *British Columbia*; severally praying for the passing of an Act providing for the adoption of the system known as the "Initiative and Referendum" in matters of legislation in the Dominion of *Canada*.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Mr. *Foster*,

*Resolved*, That when this House adjourns To-morrow (Tuesday), it do stand adjourned until Thursday next, at Three o'Clock, P.M.

Mr. *Costigan*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,— a detailed Statement of all Bonds and Securities registered in the Department of the Secretary of State of *Canada* since last Return, 1892, submitted to the Parliament of *Canada* under Section 23, Chapter 19, of "The Revised Statutes of *Canada*." (*Sessional Papers*, No. 36.)

*Ordered*, That Mr. *McCarthy* have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend the Acts respecting the *North-west Territories*.

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

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Costigan* have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend the 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. *Belley* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend "The Dominion "Elections Act," and the Acts amending the same.

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 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 relating to the Harbour of *Thornbury*, on the *Georgian Bay*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

Mr. *Davin* moved, seconded by Mr. *McDonald* (*Assiniboia*), and the Question being proposed, That it is the opinion of this House, that the duty on barbed wire, on agricultural implements, on coal oil, and on cottons, should be reduced so as to give no more than reasonable protection, and that the duty on binder twine should be abolished;

And a Debate arising thereupon;

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

*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.



Tuesday, 14th February, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Coatsworth*,—Three Petitions of Builders' Labourers' Union, No. 2, *Toronto, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Mackintosh*,—Three Petitions of *Ottawa Trades and Labour Council*; three Petitions of *Ottawa Typographical Union*, No. 102; and three Petitions of Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, *Ottawa*.

By Mr. *Mara*,—The Petition of *Charles George Major*, of the City of *New Westminster*, and others, of other places, *British Columbia*.

By Mr. *McKay*,—Three Petitions of Painters' Union, No. 27; and the Petition of Local Union, No. 27, Brotherhood of Painters and Decorators of *America*, all of *Hamilton, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Roome*,—The Petition of *G. B. Hoskin* and others, of *Melbourne* and other places, *Ontario*.

By Mr. *Tisdale*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Norfolk, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Masson*,—The Petition of *John W. McRae* and others, of the City of *Ottawa* and other places.

By Mr. *Metcalf*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the City of *Kingston, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Ross (Lisgar)*,—The Petition of *Lewis Edward Morin*, of *Longueuil*, and others, of other places.

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

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, *Canada*,  
*Ottawa*, 14th February, 1893.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election dated the twentieth day of December last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *Antoine Gustave Verreault*, Esquire, of *St. Jean Port Joli*, Province of *Quebec*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of *L'Islet*, 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 *L. G. Desjardins*, Esquire, who has resigned his seat; *Joseph Israël Tarte*, Esquire, Notary and Journalist, of the City of *Montreal*, 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*.

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

Mr. *Mills (Annapolis)*, 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 *Nova Scotia* Permanent Benefit Building Society and Savings Fund, for an amendment of their powers of holding real estate; of the Manufacturers' Accident Insurance Company, for amendments to their Act of Incorporation; of the Ocean Accident Insurance Corporation, for an Act of Incorporation; of the Ocean Fidelity Guarantee Corporation, for an Act of Incorporation; of the Bondholders of the South-eastern Railway Company, for power to raise money for the improvement of their railway; of the *Montreal* and *Atlantic* Railway Company, for the repeal of Section 16 of their Act of Incorporation; of the *Canada* North-west Land Company, for an Act of Incorporation; of *Edmund H. Heward*, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with *Marie Louise Elwes*, his wife; of *Annette Marion Goff*, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with *Edward R. T. Rowand*, her husband; of the Eastern Trust Company, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *Calgary* Hydraulic Company, for an Act of Incorporation; and of the Central Counties Railway Company, for power to construct certain branch lines.

Your Committee have also examined the following Petitions and find that the Notices, though regular in other respects, are about one week short of the time required by the 51st Rule; but, as they will have fully matured before any action can be taken on the Bills in Committee, Your Committee recommend that they be deemed sufficient:—

Of *William Fuller* and others, for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the Woodmen of the World; and of the *Manitoba* and South-eastern Railway Company, for a certain amendment to their Act of Incorporation.

Your Committee have also examined the Petition of the *Calgary* Irrigation Company, for an Act of Incorporation, and find that while the territory in which they propose to carry on their operations is defined in their Petition, as "the northerly portion of Township 23, in Ranges *one or two* west of the Fifth Initial Meridian," &c., it is defined in the notice as "Township 23, Range *one* west of the Initial Meridian," &c., otherwise the Notices are complete.

Your Committee have also examined the Petition of the *Port Arthur, Duluth* and Western Railway Company, for power to amalgamate with, or lease, any other railway that may be authorized to amalgamate with, or be leased to the company, and find that the Notices are sufficient for this purpose as regards the *Port Arthur, Duluth* and Western Railway Company of *Minnesota* only.

Sir *John Thompson*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 6th February, 1893, for a copy of the judgment of the Judicial Committee of Her Majesty's Privy Council in the appealed case of *Barrett vs. the City of Winnipeg*, commonly known as the "*Manitoba* School Case;" also, copy of factums, reports and other documents in connection therewith. (*Sessional Papers, No. 33a.*)

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

*Ordered*, That the Public Accounts of the Dominion of *Canada* for the fiscal year ended the 30th June, 1892, and the Report of the Auditor General on Appropriation Accounts for the same year, and the Statement of Governor General's Warrants issued since last Session of Parliament, be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Public Accounts.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Bain (Soulanges)* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the Central Counties Railway Company.

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

*Ordered*, That Mr. *McKay* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Canada* Life Assurance Company.

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

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Cockburn* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the Manufacturers' Guarantee and Accident Insurance Company, and to change its name to "The Manufacturers' Guarantee and Accident 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 Friday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Marshall* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the Woodmen of the World.

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. *Davis* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the Calgary Irrigation 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. *Davis* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the Calgary Hydraulic 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. *Mills* (*Annapolis*), seconded by Mr. *Taylor*,

*Ordered*, That as the time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills expires To-day, all such Petitions presented to this House on Monday, the 13th instant, be now read and received.

The following Petitions were accordingly read and received:—

Of the Grand Trunk Railway Company of *Canada*; of the *Cobourg*, *Blairton* and *Marmora* Railway and Mining Company; of the North *Simcoe* Railway Company; of the *Waterloo* Junction Railway Company; of the *Wellington*, *Grey* and *Bruce* Railway Company; of the *Brantford*, *Norfolk* and *Port Burwell* Railway Company; of the *Galt* and *Guelph* Railway Company; of the *London*, *Huron* and *Bruce* Railway Company; of the Grand Trunk, *Georgian Bay* and *Lake Erie* Railway Company; of the *Lake Simcoe* Junction Railway Company; of the *Peterborough* and *Chemong* Lake Railway Company; of the *Midland* Railway of *Canada*; of the *Beauharnois* Junction Railway Company; of the *Montreal* and *Champlain* Junction Railway Company; and of the *Jacques-Cartier* Union Railway Company; severally praying for the passing of an Act to confirm an agreement entered into by their several Companies for an amalgamation into one Company under the name of the aforesaid Grand Trunk Railway Company of *Canada*, and for other purposes.

Of *Louis G. de Bertram* and others; praying for the amendment of the Act of Incorporation of the *Moncton* and *Prince Edward Island* Railway and Ferry Company.

Of the *Nicola* Valley Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act empowering them to amalgamate with, or lease or make traffic arrangements with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

Of the *Chilliwack* Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act declaring them to be a body corporate and politic within the jurisdiction of the Parliament of *Canada*, and their railway a work for the general advantage of *Canada*, and for other purposes.

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

*Ordered*, That the Select Standing Committee on Agriculture and Colonization be authorized to employ a short-hand writer, to take down such evidence as the Committee may deem necessary.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,  
*Ordered*, That Messieurs *Hughes* and *Campbell* be added to the Select Standing  
 Committee on Agriculture and Colonization.

On motion of Mr. *Sproule*, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*,  
*Ordered*, That it is desirable that the Select Standing Committee on Agriculture  
 and Colonization be empowered to examine Witnesses under oath or affirmation in  
 relation to the Committee's enquiry into the matter of the scheduling of Canadian  
 cattle in the Ports of *Great Britain* on the 20th October last, by order of the Imperial  
 Board of Trade, and that the Committee be hereby authorized by this House to  
 examine such Witnesses upon oath or affirmation, where affirmation is allowed by  
 law.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Dickey* have leave to bring in a Bill intituled an Act to  
 amend "The Criminal Code of 1892."

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 Thursday next.

Mr. *Costigan* moved, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*, That this House will, on  
 Thursday next, resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Reso-  
 lution respecting the Civil Service Act.

Mr. *Costigan*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, then acquainted the  
 House, That His Excellency the Governor General, having been informed of the  
 subject matter of this Motion, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

*Resolved*, That this House will, on Thursday next, resolve itself into the said  
 Committee.

The Order of the Day being read, for the House in Committee to consider of  
 the Ways and Means for raising the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty;

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, and the Question being proposed,  
 That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair;

Sir *Richard J. Cartwright* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Davies*, That  
 all the words after "That" to the end of the question be left out, and the words: "the  
 present Customs tariff bears heavily and unjustly upon the great consuming  
 classes of the Dominion and should be at once thoroughly reformed in the direc-  
 tion of freer trade, and that the amount of taxes collected be limited to the sum  
 required to meet the necessities of the Government efficiently and economically  
 administered," inserted instead thereof;

And a Debate arising thereupon;

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

*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Mr. *Foster*,

*Ordered*, That the adjourned Debate on the Motion for the House to go into  
 Committee of Ways and Means, and the proposed amendment thereto, be made the  
 First Order on Thursday next, after Questions put by Members, and on each subse-  
 quent day until concluded.

And then The House adjourned till Thursday next.

Thursday, 16th February, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Prior*,—Three Petitions of *Victoria Trades and Labour Council*.

By Mr. *Mignault*,—The Petition of the Reverend *M. Decelles*, Curé, and others of the City of *Sorel, Quebec*.

By Mr. *Frémont*,—The Petition of *A. A. C. LaRivière*, M.P., and others.

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

Of *G. B. Hoskin* and others, of *Melbourne* and other places, *Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act to incorporate a benevolent provident society under the name of "The Woodmen of the World."

Of Local Union, No. 27, Brotherhood of Painters and Decorators of *America, Hamilton, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act to provide for the grouping of constituencies and cumulative voting, in the election of Members of the House of Commons.

Of the Municipal Council of the City of *Kingston, Ontario*; praying for the adoption of free trade with *England*, and the removal of duty on coal, coal oil and certain other articles.

Of the Municipal Council of the United Counties of *Leeds and Grenville*; and of the Municipal Council of the County of *Norfolk*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for an amendment of the Railway Act, making it compulsory on railways under Dominion jurisdiction to make provision for culverts on natural watercourses wherever required.

Of *Toronto Lodge, No. 235, International Assembly of Machinists*; of *Builders' Labourers' Union, No. 2, Toronto*; of *Painters' Union, No. 27, Hamilton*; of *Ottawa Trades and Labour Council*; of *Ottawa Typographical Union, No. 102*; and of *Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, Ottawa*, all of *Ontario*; of *Leather Cutters' Association, of Quebec*; and of *Delegates of the Vancouver Trades and Labour Council*; severally praying for the passing of an Act prohibiting the admission of Chinese immigrants into *Canada*, imposing a poll tax on Chinese residents, and for other purposes.

Of *Toronto Lodge, No. 235, International Assembly of Machinists*; of *Builders' Labourers' Union, No. 2, Toronto*; of *Painters' Union, No. 27, Hamilton*; of *Ottawa Trades and Labour Council*; of *Ottawa Typographical Union, No. 102*; and of *Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, Ottawa*, all of *Ontario*; of *Leather Cutters' Association, of Quebec*; of *Progress Assembly, No. 3852, Knights of Labour, Montreal*; and of *Delegates of the Vancouver Trades and Labour Council*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation into *Canada* of workmen under contract.

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The Petition of *Charles George Major*, of the City of *New Westminster*, and others, of other places, *British Columbia*; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the *Nakusp and Slocan Railway Company*; the Petition of *John W. McRae* and others, of the City of *Ottawa* and other places; praying for the passing of an Act incorporating them as a Company empowered to construct, maintain and operate canals in various places, to improve or connect the water communication between certain ports, and for other purposes; and the Petition of *Lewis Edward Morin*, of *Longueuil*, and others, of other places; praying for the passing of an Act incorporating them as a Company to manufacture, produce, supply and dispose of illuminating gas and electricity for light, heat and power, and for other purposes, all presented on Tuesday last, being severally read;

Mr. Speaker said, That the time for presenting Petitions for Private Bills having expired, they cannot be received.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Flint* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the Western Counties Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to the *Yarmouth and Annapolis 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. *White (Cardwell)* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the Ocean Accident Insurance Corporation.

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. *Denison* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Canada North-west Land 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. *Stairs* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the Eastern Trust 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 Sir *John Thompson* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act to readjust the Representation in the House of Commons.

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

*Ordered*, That Sir *John Thompson* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Criminal Code, 1892.

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. *Wallace* laid before the House,—Statement showing the quantity of and bounty paid on Pig Iron produced in *Canada* since date of last Return to House of Commons, 16th March, 1892. (*Sessional Papers, No. 37.*)

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question, which was on Tuesday last proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (for the House in Committee to consider of the Ways and Means for raising the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty);

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words: "the present Customs tariff bears heavily and unjustly upon the great consuming classes of the Dominion and should be at once thoroughly reformed in the direction of free trade, and that

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“the amount of taxes collected be limited to the sum required to meet the necessities of the Government efficiently and economically administered,” inserted instead thereof;

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

On motion of Mr. *Edgar*, seconded by Mr. *Landerkin*,  
Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

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Friday, 17th February, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Dickey*,—The Petition of *Hugh J. Macdonald*, M.P.

By Mr. *Mills* (*Annapolis*),—The Petition of *John F. Stairs*, M.P., and others.

By Mr. *Davin*,—The Petition of the Liberal Conservative Association of the *Moose Jaw* District, *North-west Territories*.

By Mr. *McGregor*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Essex, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Mara*,—The Petition of *Alexander Ferguson*, of the City of *Ottawa*, Solicitor for the *Columbia* and *Kootenay* Railway and Navigation Company, and others.

Mr. *Mills* (*Annapolis*), 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 Grand Trunk Railway Company of *Canada*: of the *Cobourg, Blairton* and *Marmora* Railway and Mining Company; of the North *Simcoe* Railway Company; of the *Waterloo* Junction Railway Company; of the *Wellington, Grey* and *Bruce* Railway Company; of the *Brantford, Norfolk* and *Port Burwell* Railway Company; of the *Galt* and *Guelp* Railway Company; of the *London, Huron* and *Bruce* Railway Company; of the Grand Trunk, *Georgian Bay* and *Lake Erie* Railway Company; of the *Lake Simcoe* Junction Railway Company; of the *Peterborough* and *Chemong Lake* Railway Company; of the *Midland* Railway of *Canada*; of the *Beauharnois* Junction Railway Company; of the *Montreal* and *Champlain* Junction Railway Company; and of the *Jacques-Cartier* Union Railway Company; severally praying for the passing of an Act to amalgamate the said Companies under the name of the Grand Trunk Railway Company of *Canada*; of the *Alberta* Irrigation Company, for an Act of Incorporation; of the Corporation of the City of *London* and of the *London* and *Port Stanley* Railway Company, for power to sell the *London* and *Port Stanley* Railway; of the *Moncton* and *Prince Edward Island* Railway and Ferry Company, for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation; and of the *Atlantic* and *Pacific* Railway Company, for an Act of Incorporation.

Your Committee have also examined the following Petitions and find that the Notices, though within the requirements of the Rule in other respects, are about ten days short of being complete in point of time; but, as they will have fully matured

before the Bills can be considered in Committee, your Committee recommend that they be deemed sufficient, viz. :—

Of the *Cleveland, Port Stanley and London Transportation and Railway Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; and of the *Alberta Railway and Coal Company*, for power to lease their railway to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

As the time for presenting Private Bills expires To-day, your Committee recommend that the same be extended to Friday next, the 24th instant.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *LaRivière* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Manitoba and South-eastern Railway Company*.

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

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Roome* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Cleveland, Port Stanley and London Transportation and Railway Company*, and to confirm an Agreement respecting the *London and Port Stanley Railway*.

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

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Sproule* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the Ocean Fidelity Guarantee Corporation.

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. *Moncrieff* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *London and Port Stanley 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. *Macdonell (Algoma)* 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. *Bergin* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the Atlantic and Pacific Railway Company.

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

On motion of Mr. *Dickey*, seconded by Mr. *Carpenter*,

*Ordered*, That the Petition of *Hugh J. Macdonald, M.P.*, presented this day, be now read.

And the said Petition was read and received; praying to be permitted to lay before the House the Petition of the *Manitoba and North-western Railway Company of Canada* for the passing of an Act to consolidate and amend the Acts relating to the said Company, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting Petitions for Private Bills.

*Ordered*, That the said Petition be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

On motion of Mr. *Mills (Annapolis)*, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*,

*Ordered*, That the Petitions for Private Bills presented on Tuesday last, the 14th instant, be now read and received.

And the said Petitions were accordingly read and received, and are as follow :—  
Of *Charles George Major*, of the City of *New Westminster*, and others, of other places, *British Columbia*; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the *Nakusp and Slocan Railway Company*.



Of *John W. McRae* and others, of the City of *Ottawa* and other places; praying for the passing of an Act incorporating them as a Company empowered to construct, maintain and operate Canals in various places, to improve or connect the water communication between certain ports, and for other purposes.

Of *Lewis Edward Morin*, of *Longueuil*, and others, of other places; praying for the passing of an Act incorporating them as a Company to manufacture, produce, supply and dispose of illuminating gas and electricity for light, heat and power, and for other purposes.

On motion of Mr. *Mills (Annapolis)*, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*,

*Ordered*, That the time for presenting Private Bills be extended to Friday next, the 24th instant, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Fourth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Tisdale* 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. *Pope* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the South-eastern Railway.

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

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Davis* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Calgary* Street 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 respecting 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. *Davis* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Alberta* Irrigation Company.

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

Mr. *Mills (Bothwell)* moved, seconded by Mr. *Laurier*, and the Question being put, That the House do now adjourn;

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

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, 1893, 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. 2b.*)

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

*Ottawa*, 17th February, 1893.

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

*Ordered*, That the said Message, together with the Estimates accompanying the same, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question, which was on Tuesday last proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (for the House in Committee to consider of the Ways and Means for raising the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty);

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words, "the present Customs tariff bears heavily and unjustly upon the great consuming classes of the Dominion and should be at once thoroughly reformed in the direction of freer trade, and that the amount of taxes collected be limited to the sum required to meet the necessities of the Government efficiently and economically administered," inserted instead thereof;

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

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

*Half-past Seven o'Clock, P.M.*

Private Bills under Rule 19.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to give effect to an Agreement between the Grand Trunk Railway Company of *Canada*, the Canadian *Pacific* Railway Company, and the Corporation of the City of *Toronto*;

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

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill to wind up the *Montreal* Mining Company;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill to confer certain powers on the Corporation of the Municipality of the Town of *Calgary*;

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 Central Counties Railway Company;

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

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the *Canada* Life Assurance Company;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the Manufacturers' Accident Insurance Company, and to change its name to "The Manufacturers' Guarantee and Accident Insurance Company";

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate "The Woodmen of the World";

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 *Calgary* Irrigation 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* Hydraulic 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 Western Counties Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to "The *Yarmouth* and *Annapolis* 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 Ocean Accident Insurance Corporation;

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* North-west Land 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 Eastern Trust Company;

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 Question, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (for the House in Committee to consider of the Ways and Means for raising the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty);

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words, "the present Customs tariff bears heavily and unjustly upon the great consuming classes of the Dominion and should be at once thoroughly reformed in the direction of freer trade, and that the amount of taxes collected be limited to the sum required to meet the necessities of the Government efficiently and economically administered," inserted instead thereof;

On motion of Mr. *Macdonald* (*Huron*), seconded by Mr. *Bain* (*Wentworth*),  
Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Statement of the Receipts and Payments of *Canada*, 1891–92 and 1892–93 to 10th February. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 246.)

And then The House adjourned till Monday next.

Monday 20th February, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Charlton*,—The Petition of the Synod of *Hamilton* and *London* of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*; and the Petition of the Dominion Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

By Mr. *Ryckman*,—Four Petitions of *Hamilton* Typographical Union, No. 129.

By Mr. *Davin*,—The Petition of *John G. Beesley*, President of the Agricultural Society, and others of *Moose Jaw District, North-west Territories*.

By Mr. *Forbes*,—The Petition of *H. L. Chipman* and others.

By Mr. *Fraser*,—The Petition of *Thomas McNeil* and others, of *Victoria Lodge*, No. 22, Provincial Workingmen's Association of *Nova Scotia*.

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

Of *A. A. C. LaRivière*, M. P., and others; praying to be permitted to lay before the House their Petition for the passing of an Act to revive and amend the Act of Incorporation of the North Canadian *Atlantic Railway and Steam-ship Company*, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting Petitions for Private Bills.

Of *John F. Stairs*, M. P., and others; praying to be permitted to lay before the House their Petition for the passing of an Act incorporating a Company for the purpose of carrying on a general manufacturing business, with power to purchase, acquire and hold letters patent of invention and patent rights of all kinds, and for other purposes, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting Petitions for Private Bills.

Of *Alexander Ferguson*, of the City of *Ottawa*, Solicitor for the *Columbia and Kootenay Railway and Navigation Company*, and others; praying to be permitted to lay before the House the Petition of the above named Company for the passing of an Act authorizing them to construct and operate a railway between some point on their present line, between *Robson* and *Nelson*, on the South, and *Revelstoke*, on the North, and for other purposes, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting Petitions for Private Bills.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Essex, Ontario*; praying for the amendment of the Railway Act making it compulsory on railways under Dominion jurisdiction to make provision for culverts on natural watercourses wherever required; and also, for the better protection of persons having occasion to cross such railways.

Of the Liberal Conservative Association of the *Moose Jaw District, N. W. T.*; praying for the reduction or removal of the duty on agricultural implements, binding twine, fence wire and coal oil, and the discontinuance of the bonding privileges enjoyed by the Millers of Eastern *Canada*, in the importation of hard wheat from the North-western States.

Of *Victoria Trades and Labour Council*; praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation into *Canada* of workmen under contract.

Of *Victoria Trades and Labour Council*; praying for the passing of an Act providing for the adoption of the system known as the "Initiative and Referendum" in matters of legislation in the Dominion of *Canada*.

Of *Victoria Trades and Labour Council*; praying for the passing of an Act prohibiting the admission of Chinese immigrants into *Canada*, imposing a poll-tax on Chinese residents, and for other purposes.

The Petition of the Reverend M. *Decelles*, Curé, and others, of the City of *Sorel, Quebec*, presented on Thursday last; praying the House to grant a sum of money to aid in the building of a railway bridge over the *Yamaska* River, *Quebec*, being read;

Mr. Speaker said, That as the granting of the prayer of this Petition would involve the expenditure of public money, it cannot be received.

Sir *John Thompson*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Supplementary Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 6th February, 1893, for a copy of the judgment of the Judicial Committee of Her Majesty's Privy Council in the appealed case of *Barrett vs. the City of Winnipeg*, commonly known as the "*Manitoba School Case*"; also, copy of factums, reports and other documents in connection therewith.—(*Sessional Papers*, No. 33b.)

Mr. *Ouimet*, 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 ended 30th June, 1892, on the works under his control.—(*Sessional Papers*, No. 8.)

Ordered, That Mr. *McGregor* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the Lake *Erie* and *Detroit* River 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. *McInerney* have leave to bring in a Bill to revive and amend the Act 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 To-morrow.

Ordered, That Mr. *Pope* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the *Montreal* and *Atlantic* Railway Company, 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 To-morrow.

Ordered, That Mr. *Girouard (Jacques-Cartier)*, have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the Automatic Telephone and Electric Company of *Canada*.

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

On motion of Mr. *Mills (Annapolis)*, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*,

Ordered, That the Petition of A. A. C. *La Rivière*, M.P., and others; praying to be permitted to lay before the House their Petition for the passing of an Act to revive and amend the Act of Incorporation of the North Canadian *Atlantic* Railway and Steam-ship Company, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting Petitions for Private Bills; also, the Petition of *John F. Stairs*, M.P., and others; praying to be permitted to lay before the House their Petition for the passing of an Act incorporating a Company for the purpose of carrying on a general manufacturing business, with power to purchase, acquire and hold letters patent of invention and patent rights of all kinds, and for other purposes, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting Petitions for Private Bills; and also, the Petition of *Alexander Ferguson*, of the City of *Ottawa*, Solicitor for the *Columbia* and *Kootenay* Railway and Navigation Company, and others; praying to be permitted to lay before the House the Petition of the above named Company for the passing of an Act authorizing them to construct and operate a railway between some point on their present line, between *Robson* and *Nelson*, on the South, and *Revelstoke*, on the North, and for other purposes, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting Petitions for Private Bills, read and received this day, be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

On motion of Mr. *Forbes*, seconded by Mr. *Fraser*,  
*Ordered*, That the Petition of *H. L. Chipman*, and others, presented this day, be now read,

And the said Petition was read and received; praying to be permitted to lay before the House their Petition for the passing of an Act incorporating a Company for the purpose of building, purchasing and owning Steam-ships to ply between a port or ports in *Canada* and a port in the *United States*, 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.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the *Manitoba* and South-eastern Railway Company;

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

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the *Cleveland, Port Stanley* and *London* Transportation and Railway Company, and to confirm an Agreement respecting the *London* and *Port Stanley* Railway;

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

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the Ocean Fidelity Guarantee Corporation;

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 *London* and *Port Stanley* 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 *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 *Atlantic* and *Pacific* Railway Company;

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

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the 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 Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the South-eastern Railway;

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

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the *Calgary* Street Railway Company;

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

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

*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 the Honourable Mr. Justice *Wetmore*, appointed by Royal Commission to enquire into certain charges against *Lawrence Herchmer*, Commissioner of the *North-west Mounted Police*.

*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. *Legrís*, seconded by Mr. *Bourassa*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all letters, correspondence, petitions and other documents received and exchanged by the Government, respecting the dismissal of *Edouard Lesage*, Postmaster of *St. Léon*, in the County of *Maskinongé*, and to any appointment or appointments made to the position since the discharge of the said official.

On motion of Mr. *Macdonald (Huron)*, seconded by Mr. *Flint*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the quantity of Pig Iron produced in *Canada* in the years 1870, 1871, 1872, 1873, 1874, 1875, 1876, 1877, 1878, 1879 and 1880, and bounty paid, if any, during those years.

Also, amount of Pig Iron imported from *Great Britain* and the *United States*, respectively, and the total amount imported during those years.

On motion of Mr. *Davies*, 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, a Return of all correspondence, telegrams, reports and other papers relating to the suspension of Mr. *Edward Hackett*, Inspector of Fisheries, *Prince Edward Island*, in the year 1892; together with copies of the charges made against Mr. *Hackett*, the authority given to the Commissioner in *Prince Edward Island* to take evidence on such charges, together with the evidence taken, and the Report of the Minister of Marine thereon, together with any letters, correspondence, orders or reports relating to the reinstatement of Mr. *Hackett*.

*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. *Bowers*, seconded by Mr. *Flint*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence and reports accumulated between the years 1876 and 1893 in the hands of the Government relating to the *Lurcher Shoal*, near the entrance to the Bay of *Fundy*, and proposed means for the protection of navigation in that vicinity.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, all papers, documents, correspondence, &c., addressed to the Government in relation to the best means to be adopted to prevent the spreading of cholera.,

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, the evidence taken before Mr. *James G. Moylan*, Inspector of Penitentiaries, in connection with the investigation or investigations held by that official at *Kingston Penitentiary*, during the past year which resulted in the dismissal or resignation of certain officials of that institution.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all petitions, letters and documents whatsoever; in relation to the change in the location of the Post office of *Notre-Dame du Rosaire*.

On motion of Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Mr. *Bergeron*,  
*Resolved*, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying His Excellency to cause to be laid before this House, copy of the claims made by Messieurs *F. B. McNamee & Co.*, contractors, in connection with the recommendations made by a Select Committee of the House of Commons, June, 1887, with all reports, Orders in Council and other papers relating thereto.

*Ordered*, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency by such Members of this House as are of the Queen's Privy Council.

On motion of Mr. *Fraser*, seconded by Mr. *Forbes*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of all persons receiving fishery bounties in the Counties of *Victoria* and *Guysborough*, *Nova Scotia*, for the year 1892, with amount paid each.

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

*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 any report to Council made by Honourable *J. A. Chapleau* when Minister of Customs, on the reorganization of the Customs Department or recommending changes regarding that Department.

*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 Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, seconded by Mr. *Bergeron*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a copy of the Questions put and the subjects submitted to the parties who presented themselves for preliminary or qualifying examination, or both, at the last examination of the Civil Service.

On motion of Mr. *Grieve*, seconded by Mr. *Sanborn*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the number of Experimental Farm reports published for the year 1891; the number published in English and French, respectively; the number allotted to each Member of the House of Commons and Senate, and the number still on hand.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question, which was on Tuesday last proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, (for the House in Committee to consider of the Ways and Means for raising the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty);

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words, "the present Customs tariff bears heavily and unjustly upon the great consuming classes of the Dominion and should be at once thoroughly reformed in the direction of freer trade, and that the amount of taxes collected be limited to the sum required to meet the necessities of the Government efficiently and economically administered," inserted instead thereof;

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

On motion of Mr. *Belley*, seconded by Mr. *Turcotte*,

*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned.

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, 1892; also, Preliminary abstract for the year 1892, of the business of Canadian Life Insurance Companies which do business of Life Insurance on the Assessment plan. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 4a.)

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.



Tuesday, 21st February, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Langelier*,—Three Petitions of *Sillery Assembly*, No. 1007, *Quebec*.

By Mr. *Casey*,—Three Petitions of *Quebec* and *Lévis Trades and Labour Council*; and the Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Elgin, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Forbes*,—The Petition of *H. L. Chipman* and others.

By Mr. *Coatsworth*,—The Petition of the *St. Catharines* and *Niagara Central Railway Company*.

By Mr. *Cockburn*,—Three Petitions of United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of *America*, Local Union No. 27, *Toronto, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Frémont*,—The Petition of the North Canadian *Atlantic Railway and Steam-ship Company*.

By Mr. *McCarthy*,—The Petition of *James Begg*, Senr., and others, members of the Patrons of Industry of *North America*, and others; and the Petition of *Archibald McPhail*, and others, members of the Patrons of Industry, and others, of the Dominion of *Canada*.

By Mr. *Macdonald (Winnipeg)*,—The Petition of the *Manitoba* and North-western Railway Company of *Canada*.

By Mr. *Denison*,—Three Petitions of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour, *Toronto, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Mara*,—The Petition of the *Columbia* and *Kootenay Railway and Navigation Company*.

By Mr. *Stairs*,—The Petition of *George Stairs* and others, of the City and County of *Halifax, Nova Scotia*.

By Mr. *Bergin*,—The Petition of *O. K. Fraser*, President, and *Samuel R. Brown*, Secretary, of the Grand Council of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association of *Canada*.

Mr. *Mills (Annapolis)*, 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 following Petitions, viz. :—

Of the *Nakusp* and *Stocan Railway Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; and of the *Canada Carriage Company*, for an Act of Incorporation, and find that the Notices are about two weeks short of the full time required by the 51st Rule; but, as they will have matured before the Bills can be considered in Committee, your Committee recommend that they be deemed sufficient.

With regard to the Petition of the *Canada Carriage Company*, your Committee find that the power to construct boats and canoes mentioned therein is not covered by the Notice.

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

Of *A. A. C. La Rivière*, M.P., and others, on behalf of the North Canadian *Atlantic Railway and Steam-ship Company*; of *John F. Stairs*, M.P., and others, on behalf of the Maritime Manufacturing Company; of *Alexander Ferguson* and others, on behalf of the *Columbia* and *Kootenay Railway and Navigation Company*; of *H. L. Chipman* and others, on behalf of the *Canada Atlantic* and *Plant Steam-ship Company*; and of *H. J. Macdonald*, M.P., on behalf of the *Manitoba* and North-western Railway Company of *Canada*; severally praying for leave to present a Petition for a Private Bill, notwithstanding the expiration of the time limited for receiving such Petitions, and the reasons assigned in every instance justify your Committee in

recommending that that portion of the 49th Rule which limits the time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills be suspended in reference to the said Petitions.

On motion of Mr. *Mills (Annapolis)*, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*,

*Ordered*, That in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Fifth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, that portion of the 49th Rule of this House which limits the time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills be suspended in reference to the following Petitions, presented this day, and that they be read and received forthwith.

The said Petitions were accordingly read and received, viz.:—

Of the North Canadian *Atlantic* Railway and Steam-ship Company; praying for the passing of an Act to revive and amend their Act of Incorporation.

Of *George Stairs* and others, of the City and County of *Halifax, Nova Scotia*; praying for the passing of an Act incorporating them as a Company for the purpose of carrying on a general manufacturing business, with power to purchase, acquire, and hold letters patent of invention and patent rights of all kinds, and for other purposes.

Of the *Columbia and Kootenay* Railway and Navigation Company; praying for the passing of an Act authorizing them to construct and operate a railway between some point on their present line between *Robson* and *Nelson*, on the South, and *Revelstoke*, on the North, and for other purposes.

Of *H. L. Chipman* and others; praying for an Act of Incorporation under the name of the "*Canada, Atlantic and Plant* Steam-ship Company."

Of the *Manitoba* and North-western Railway Company of *Canada*; praying for the passing of an Act to consolidate and amend the Acts relating to the said Company.

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

*Ordered*, That the Order of this House, of Friday, 17th February last, referring Bill to confer certain powers on the Corporation of the Municipality of the Town of *Calgary*, to the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, be discharged, and that the said Bill be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Taylor* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Canada* Carriage 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 Tuesday last proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (for the House in Committee to consider of the Ways and Means for raising the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty);

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words, "the present Customs tariff bears heavily and unjustly upon the great consuming classes of the Dominion and should be at once thoroughly reformed in the direction of freer trade, and that the amount of taxes collected be limited to the sum required to meet the necessities of the Government efficiently and economically administered," inserted instead thereof;

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

On motion of Mr. *Smith (Ontario)*, seconded by Mr. *Fairbairn*,

*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Wednesday, 22nd February, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Maclean* (*York*),—The Petition of *J. T. Jones*, High Constable, and other County Constables, of the County of *York, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Coatsworth*,—The Petition of the *Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo* Railway Company.

By Mr. *Lépine*,—Three Petitions of Shoemakers' Assembly, No. 6023, Knights of Labour; and three Petitions of Central Trades and Labour Council, all of *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Lowell*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Welland, Ontario*.

By Mr. *McKay*,—Four Petitions of Trades and Labour Council, *Hamilton, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Ingram*,—The Petition of *Charles Couse* and others, of *Fingal*; and the Petition of *O. C. Baughner* and others, of *St. Thomas* and other places, all of the County of *Elgin, Ontario*.

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

Of the Synod of *Hamilton and London* of the Presbyterian Church in *Canada*; and of the Dominion Woman's Christian Temperance Union; severally praying that the Canadian Exhibit at the Columbian Exposition may not be opened on Sunday.

Of *John G. Beesley*, President of the Agricultural Society, and others, of *Moose Jaw* District, *North-west Territories*; praying for the removal of the duty on agricultural implements, binding twine, coal oil and barbed wire, and the abolition of combines.

Of *Thomas McNeil* and others, of *Victoria Lodge, No. 22, Provincial Workingmen's Association, of Nova Scotia*; praying for an inspection of the boilers used at the various mines in the aforesaid Province.

Of *Hamilton Typographical Union, No. 129*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament to determine the length of the working day for workmen, &c., may become law.

Of *Hamilton Typographical Union, No. 129*; praying for the passing of an Act providing for the adoption of the system known as the "Initiative and Referendum" in matters of legislation in the Dominion of *Canada*.

Of *Hamilton Typographical Union, No. 129*; praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation into *Canada* of workmen under contract.

Of *Hamilton Typographical Union, No. 129*; praying for the passing of an Act prohibiting the admission of Chinese immigrants into *Canada*, imposing a poll tax on Chinese residents, and for other purposes.

Sir *John Thompson*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 20th February, 1893, for the evidence taken before Mr. *James G. Moylan*, Inspector of Penitentiaries, in connection with the investigation or investigations held by that official at *Kingston* Penitentiary during the past year which resulted in the dismissal or resignation of certain officials of that institution. (*Sessional Papers, No. 38.*)

On motion of Mr. *Bergin*, seconded by Mr. *Reid*,

Ordered, That the Petition of *O. K. Fraser*, President, and *Samuel R. Brown*, Secretary, of the Grand Council of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association of *Canada*, presented yesterday, be now read.

And the said Petition was read and received; praying for an Act of Incorporation by the Parliament of *Canada*, to enable the Association to carry out its objects.

*Ordered*, That the said Petition be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Charlton* have leave to bring in a Bill further 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; and ordered to be read a second time Tomorrow.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question which was on Tuesday, 14th instant, proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (for the House in Committee to consider of the Ways and Means for raising the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty);

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words, "the present Customs tariff bears heavily "and unjustly upon the great consuming classes of the Dominion and should be at "once thoroughly reformed in the direction of freer trade, and that the amount of "taxes collected be limited to the sum required to meet the necessities of the "Government efficiently and economically administered," inserted instead thereof;

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

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

*Half-past Seven o'Clock, P.M.*

Private Bills under Rule 19.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting 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 to incorporate the *Alberta* Irrigation 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 *Lake Erie* and *Detroit* River 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 *Montreal* and *Atlantic* Railway Company, 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 to incorporate the *Canada* Carriage 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 Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (for the House in Committee to consider of the Ways and Means for raising the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty) ;

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words, "the present Customs tariff bears heavily and unjustly upon the great consuming classes of the Dominion and should be at once thoroughly reformed in the direction of freer trade, and that the amount of taxes collected be limited to the sum required to meet the necessities of the Government efficiently and economically administered," inserted instead thereof ;

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

*Thursday, 23rd February, 1893.*

On motion of Mr. *Davies*, seconded by Mr. *Landerkin*,  
*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,  
*Ordered*, That the Return to an Address of the House of Commons, laid on the Table on the 10th instant, containing a copy of a Report of a Committee of the Privy Council to His Excellency the Governor General on the 29th December 1892, on the *Manitoba School Acts*, be printed forthwith, and that the 94th Rule of this House be suspended in relation thereto.

And then The House, having continued to sit till two minutes after Twelve of the Clock on Thursday morning, adjourned till this day.

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Thursday, 23rd February, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

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

By Mr. *Davin*,—The Petition of *Charles Smith* and others, of the District of *Moose Jaw, North-west Territories*.

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

By Mr. *Devlin*,—The Petition of *Samuel R. Brown*, Grand Secretary of the Grand Council of *Canada*.

By Mr. *Stairs*,—The Petition of Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of *America*, Union No. 83, *Halifax, Nova Scotia*.

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

Of the *St. Catharines and Niagara Central Railway Company*; praying to be permitted to lay before the House their Petition for the passing of an Act to amend their Act of Incorporation, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting Petitions for Private Bills.

Of *Sillery Assembly*, No 1007; and of *Quebec and Lévis Trades and Labour Council*, all of *Quebec*; of *United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America*,

Local Union, No. 27; and of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour, all of *Toronto, Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act prohibiting the admission of Chinese immigrants into *Canada*, imposing a poll tax on Chinese residents, and for other purposes.

Of *Sillery* Assembly, No. 1007; and of *Quebec* and *Lévis* Trades and Labour Council, all of *Quebec*; of United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of *America*, Local Union, No. 27; and of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour, all of *Toronto, Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation into *Canada* of workmen under contract.

Of *Sillery* Assembly, No. 1007; and of *Quebec* and *Lévis* Trades and Labour Council, all of *Quebec*; of United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of *America*, Local Union, No. 27; and of District Assembly, No. 125, Knights of Labour, all of *Toronto, Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act providing for the adoption of the system known as the "Initiative and Referendum" in matters of legislation in the Dominion of *Canada*.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Elgin, Ontario*; praying for an amendment of the Railway Act, making it compulsory on all railways under Dominion jurisdiction to make provision for culverts on natural watercourses wherever required.

Of *Archibald McPhail* and others, members of the Patrons of Industry, and others, of the Dominion of *Canada*; praying for certain amendments of the "Act for the prevention and suppression of combinations formed in restraint of trade," and for other purposes.

Of *James Begg*, Senr., and others, members of the Patrons of Industry of *North America*, and others; praying for the removal of the import duties upon coal oil, binder twine, corn and fencing wire, and the placing of these articles on the free list.

*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 with Amendments, viz.:—

Bill to incorporate the Dominion Burglary Guarantee Company (Limited); and

Bill respecting the *Hamilton* Provident and Loan Society.

On motion of *Mr. Mills* (*Annapolis*), seconded by *Mr. Taylor*,

*Ordered*, That the Order of this House of Wednesday, 22nd February, instant, referring the Petition of *O. K. Fraser*, President, and *R. Brown*, Secretary, of the Grand Council of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association of *Canada*; praying for an Act of Incorporation, to the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, be discharged.

On motion of *Mr. Devlin*, seconded by *Mr. Rider*,

*Ordered*, That the Petition of *Samuel R. Brown*, Grand Secretary of the Grand Council 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, a Petition for an Act of Incorporation under the name of "The Grand Council of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association of *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.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Foster* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the disposal of moneys paid in connection with proceedings before 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. *Foster*, 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, 1892. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 7.)

Mr. *Costigan*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 20th February, 1893, for a copy of the questions put and the subjects submitted to the parties who presented themselves for preliminary or qualifying examination, or both, at the last examination for the Civil Service. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 39.)

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate, which was on Tuesday, 14th instant, proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (for the House in Committee to consider of the Ways and Means for raising the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty);

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words, "the present Customs tariff bears heavily and unjustly upon the great consuming classes of the Dominion and should be at once thoroughly reformed in the direction of freer trade, and that the amount of taxes collected be limited to the sum required to meet the necessities of the Government efficiently and economically administered," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question on the amendment being again proposed.—The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

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

*Friday, 24th February, 1893.*

On motion of Mr. *Cameron*, seconded by Mr. *Girouard* (*Jacques Cartier*),  
Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,  
Ordered, That the adjourned Debate on the Motion for the House to go into Committee of Ways and Means; and proposed amendment thereto, have the precedence over all other business on Monday next, at Eight o'Clock, P.M.

And then The House, having continued to sit till twenty minutes after Twelve of the Clock on Friday morning, adjourned till this day.

Friday, 24th February, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *McKay*.—The Petition of Cigar Makers' Union, *Hamilton, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Corbould*.—Three Petitions of *Vancouver* Branch of Journeymen Stone Cutters' Association of *North America*; and three Petitions of Bricklayers' and Masons' International Union, No. 1, all of *British Columbia*.

By Mr. *Carpenter*.—The Petition of the *St. Catharines* and *Niagara* Central Railway Company.

By Mr. *Macdonald* (*Winnipeg*),—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the City of *Winnipeg, Manitoba*.

By Mr. *McCarthy*,—The Petition of *James J. Sutherland* and others, members of the Patrons of Industry, and others of the Dominion of *Canada*; the Petition of *James J. Sutherland* and others, members of the Patrons of Industry of *North America*, and others; and the Petition of *James Brooks* and others, of *South-east Regina*, District of *Assiniboia, North-west Territories*.

By Mr. *Devlin*,—The Petition of *O. K. Fraser*, President, and *Samuel R. Brown*, Secretary, of the Grand Council of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association of *Canada*.

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

Of the *Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo* Railway Company; praying to be permitted to lay before the House their Petition, and also, the joint Petition of the said Company and the Municipal Council of the City of *Brantford*, for the passing of an Act to make further provision respecting the said Company, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting Petitions for Private Bills.

Of *Charles Couse* and others, of *Fingal*; and of *O. C. Baughner* and others, of *St. Thomas* and other places, all of the County of *Elgin, Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to incorporate a Benevolent Provident Society under the name of "The Woodmen of the World."

Of *J. T. Jones*, High Constable, and other County Constables, of the County of *York, Ontario*; praying for the re-arrangement of the fees allowed them in certain cases under the Criminal Code.

Of Trades and Labour Council, *Hamilton, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act to provide for the grouping of constituencies and cumulative voting, in the election of Members of the House of Commons.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Welland, Ontario*; praying for an amendment of the Railway Act, making it compulsory for Railway Companies to provide suitable culverts on natural watercourses wherever required.

Of Shoemakers' Assembly, No. 6023, Knights of Labour; and of Central Trades and Labour Council, all of *Montreal*; and of Trades and Labour Council, *Hamilton, Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act providing for the adoption of the system known as the "Initiative and Referendum" in matters of legislation in the Dominion of *Canada*.

Of Shoemakers' Assembly, No. 6023, Knights of Labour; and of Central Trades and Labour Council, all of *Montreal*; and of Trades and Labour Council, *Hamilton, Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act prohibiting the admission of Chinese immigrants into *Canada*, imposing a poll tax on Chinese residents, and for other purposes.

Of Shoemakers' Assembly, No. 6023, Knights of Labour; and of Central Trades and Labour Council, all of *Montreal*; and of Trades and Labour Council, *Hamilton, Ontario*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation into *Canada* of workmen under contract.

Mr. *Mills* (*Annapolis*), 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 Petition of the Maritime Manufacturing Company for an Act of Incorporation, and find them sufficient.

Your Committee have also examined the Notices given on the following Petitions and find them short in point of time; but, as they will, in each case, have fully matured before the Bills can be respectively considered in Committee, your Committee recommend that the Notices be deemed sufficient, viz.:—

Of the Equity Insurance Company, for an Act to revive their Act of Incorporation, and to change its name to that of the *St. Lawrence* Insurance Company; of the



*Manitoba and North-western Railway Company of Canada* for an Act to consolidate and amend the Acts relating to the said Company; of the *Canada Atlantic and Plant Steam-ship Company* for an Act of Incorporation.

With regard to the Petition of the *Canadian Power Company*, for certain amendments to the Acts affecting the Company, your Committee find that the Notices given in connection therewith are sufficient for all the objects mentioned in the Petition except for the purpose of enlarging the power of the Company for the issuing of bonds or debentures, which is not covered by the Notice.

Your Committee have also examined the following Petitions, viz. :—Of *Samuel R. Brown*, on behalf of the *Catholic Mutual Benefit Association of Canada*; and of *Lucius S. Oille*, on behalf of the *St. Catharines and Niagara Central Railway Company*; severally praying for leave to present a Petition for a Private Bill, notwithstanding the expiration of the time limited for receiving such Petitions, and the reasons assigned in each instance justify your Committee in recommending that that portion of the 49th Rule which limits the time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills be suspended in reference to the said Petitions.

As the time for presenting Private Bills expires To-day, your Committee recommend that the same be extended to Tuesday, the 7th March next.

*Mr. Tisdale*, from the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, presented to the House the First Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth :—

Your Committee have had under consideration the following Bills and have agreed to report the same with Amendments, viz. :—

Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the *Buffalo and Fort Erie Bridge Company*.

Bill respecting the Grand Trunk, *Georgian Bay and Lake Erie Railway Company*.

Bill respecting the *Central Counties Railway Company*;—and

Bill respecting the *Western Counties Railway Company*, and to change the name of the Company to “*The Yarmouth and Annapolis Railway Company*.”

On motion of *Mr. Mills (Annapolis)*, seconded by *Mr. Taylor*,

*Ordered*, That in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Sixth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, that portion of the 49th Rule of this House which limits the time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills be suspended in reference to the following Petitions, presented yesterday and to-day, and that they be read and received forthwith.

The said Petitions were accordingly read and received, viz. :—

Of *O. K. Fraser*, President, and *Samuel R. Brown*, Secretary, of the *Grand Council of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association of Canada*; praying for an Act of Incorporation by the Parliament of *Canada*, to enable the Association to carry out its objects.

Of the *St. Catharines and Niagara Central Railway Company*; praying for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. White (Cardwell)* have leave to bring in a Bill to revive and amend the Act to incorporate the *Equity Insurance Company*, and to change the name of the Company to the *St. Lawrence 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. Tisdale* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Canadian Power Company*.

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

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Stairs* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the Maritime Manufacturing 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 on Monday next.

On motion of Mr. *Mills* (*Annapolis*), seconded by Mr. *Taylor*,

*Ordered*, That the time for presenting Private Bills be extended to Tuesday, the 7th March next, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Sixth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,

*Ordered*, That the name of Mr. *Frémont* be substituted for that of Mr. *Rinfret* on the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, and the name of Mr. *Tarte* added to the said Committee, and the name of Mr. *Rinfret* be substituted for that of Mr. *Frémont* on the Select Standing Committee on Agriculture and Colonization, and the names of Messieurs *Belley* and *Tarte* be added to the Select Standing Committee on Public Accounts.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 20th February, 1893, for a Return showing the number of Experimental Farm Reports published for the year 1891; the number published in English and French respectively; the number allotted to each Member of the House of Commons and Senate, and the number still on hand. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 40.)

Mr. *Wallace* presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 20th February, 1893, for a copy of any report to Council made by Honourable *J. A. Chapleau* when Minister of Customs, on the reorganization of the Customs Department or recommending changes regarding that Department. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 41.)

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

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 House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the Dominion Burglary Guarantee Company (Limited), and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Mills* (*Annapolis*) reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the *Hamilton* Provident and Loan Society, 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 Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the Automatic Telephone Electric 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 Forty-four thousand two hundred and seventy-four dollars and one cent be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Messieurs *Baring Bros. & Co.*, and Messieurs *Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co.*,  $\frac{1}{2}$  of one per cent commission on amount of bonds and stock inscribed for the sinking funds of the Guaranteed Loans from 1868 to 31st December, 1892, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay for services and disbursements in connection with the transfer of the financial agency in *London*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand one hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Civil Government, Department of the Secretary of State—To pay salary of Mr. *C. T. DeLanau dière*, as a second class clerk from 1st July, 1892, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for office of the Controller of the *North-west Mounted Police*—To provide for the statutory increase for three months to the salary of Mr. *R. S. Bishop*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand five hundred and forty dollars and thirty-two cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Trade and Commerce—To provide for the salary of the Deputy Minister from 1st January, 1893, \$1,600; To provide for the salary of 1 second class clerk from 1st January, 1893, \$550; To provide for the salary of 1 third class clerk (stenographer), \$300; To provide for the salary of 1 messenger, \$250; To provide for the salary of allowance to Private Secretary from 7th December, 1892, \$340.32; Contingencies, \$2,500; Provided, That in case of the transfer to this Department of any officers or clerks whose salaries have been provided for in the estimates of any other Department—whether inside or outside service—the amount so provided shall be available for the payment of the said salaries by this Department, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Justice—To pay statutory increase to *G. L. Foster* from 1st October, 1892, to 30th June, 1893, \$37.50; Allowance for Private Secretary to Solicitor General from 1st January to 30th June, 1893, at \$600 per annum. This sum may be paid to any member of the Civil Service, notwithstanding anything in the Civil Service Act to the contrary, \$300, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Inland Revenue Department—To provide for the payment of Mr. *Charles F. Winter*, Private Secretary to the Controller of Inland Revenue,

from 15th December, 1892, to 30th June, 1893, the same being a revote of the balance of an appropriation for the same period to pay the Private Secretary to the Minister of Inland Revenue, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and fifty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Privy Council Office—To pay the following clerks their salaries from the 1st to the 31st January, 1893, notwithstanding anything in the Civil Service Act:—*D. Burke*, 31 days, at \$3 per day, \$93; *W. C. DeBrisay*, from 1st to 25th January, at \$2.50 per day, \$62.50; *F. Chadwick*, 31 days, at \$2.50 per day, \$77.50; *J. R. Fraser*, 31 days at \$2 per day, \$62; *W. Strachey*, 30 days at \$2 per day, \$60, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. Vincent de Paul* Penitentiary—To provide for the salary of a carriage-maker instructor, omitted from general Estimates, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and seventy-eight dollars and thirty-four cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *Dorchester* Penitentiary—To provide for the salary of a baker instructor from 11th November, 1892, to 30th June, 1893, at \$600 per annum, \$378.34; To compensate ex-Guard *Willard Hutchinson* for superintending construction of the fence around the penitentiary, \$200, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand six hundred and fourteen dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Legislation, House of Commons—To cover amount expended for French translation between the 9th July, 1892, and 25th January, 1893, \$2,600; To cover amount expended in completion of the Official Debates of session of 1892, \$15,000; To pay two extra clerks for session of 1893, at \$300 each, \$600; To provide additional amount required for sessional messengers for session of 1893, \$2,039.50; To pay for a leather trunk for each new Member elected since last session, \$375, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred and eighty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Library of Parliament, Contingencies—To provide for the payment of extra indemnity, granted by Order in Council of the 7th July last, to the following sessional messengers, for services during the session of 1892, viz.:—*Joseph Lafontaine*, \$90; *Thomas W. Hodgins*, \$90, \$180; To provide funds for the payment of the salaries (during one hundred days) of two extra sessional messengers for services during the session of 1893, at \$2.50 each per day, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for printing, binding and distribution of the Criminal Code, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for further amount required for printing Voters' Lists, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-four dollars and five cents be granted to Her Majesty, to reimburse Judge *Wilkinson*, Revising Officer for County of *Northumberland, N.B.*, for posting lists, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *Mrs. H. James* a gratuity of one month's salary for each year of her husband's service, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Railways and Canals—Chargeable to Capital, *Oxford and New Glasgow* Railway—To pay the Intercolonial Railway for unsettled freight accounts for transportation of construction materials for the *Oxford and New Glasgow* Branch, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Annapolis and Digby* Railway—construction, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards construction of *Wellington Street Bridge—Lachine Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and sixty-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Sault Ste. Marie Canal—construction*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Rideau Canal*, to complete bridge at *Merrickville*, \$2,000; To complete repairs to dam at *Hog's Back*, and to build ice breakers, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand one hundred and sixteen dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Ste. Anne's Lock, &c.*—To repair old lock gates, \$4,000; To settle with contractor for strengthening old pier below lock, \$1,116, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards strengthening and staunching *Carillon Dam*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventeen thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Lachine Canal*—For rebuilding retaining walls at *St. Gabriel Basins*, Nos. 1 and 2, \$10,800; Repairs to north bank at *St. Gabriel locks*, \$7,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand seven hundred and twenty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Chambly Canal*, To complete purchase and installation of electric motor, and wire to run machinery in workshops, and purchase of belt, \$700; To take down and rebuild east chamber of Lock 5, \$1,500; To build coffer dam at Lock 9, lower entrance, for rebuilding lower sill and bottom of lock, \$1,000; Towards rebuilding lock walls, \$4,500; To pay legal expenses *in re The Queen vs. Black*, \$20, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to make final payments for completing Swing Bridge at *Bobcaygeon—Trent Valley Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for removing a shoal at mouth of *Chippewa River*—To pay balance due on final estimate—*Welland Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Cape Tormentine Harbour, N.B.*, to complete payments on contract, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

29. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. John Custom House, N.B.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

30. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Toronto Drill Hall*—The City of *Toronto* having provided a plot of land as agreed upon, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

31. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand three hundred and nine dollars and ninety-eight cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *North-west Territories*:—*Brandon Public Building*—Balance due Superintendent Architect, \$796.51; Lieutenant-Governor's Residence, *Regina*—To pay outstanding accounts for indispensable works performed, and furniture, fittings, &c., supplied to render the new residence ready for occupation, \$3,913.47; *Medicine Hat Immigration Building*—To provide Court House and Police accommodation, \$600, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

32. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Victoria Drill Hall*—Locality furnishing site free, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

33. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and forty-six thousand one hundred and forty dollars and twenty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Quarantine Stations—*Halifax, N.S., Lawlor's Island*—To provide for new hospital

and additional accommodation, and to recoup appropriation, repairs, furniture, &c., \$27,500; *St. John, N.B., Partridge Island*—To provide for additional accommodation, and to recoup appropriation, repairs, furniture, &c., \$1,137.83; *Grosse Isle, P.Q.*—To complete equipment of station, \$50,656; *William's Head, B.C.*—To provide for new accommodation, \$62,000; Minor stations—To provide for additional accommodation, and to recoup appropriation, repairs, furniture, &c., \$1,846.42, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

34. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Repairs, furniture, &c.:—Additional amount required, \$35,000; For lighting Library of Parliament and Privy Council Office by electricity, \$5,600, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

35. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eleven thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Nova Scotia*:—*Halifax, Lawlor's Island*—Quarantine wharf, \$10,000; *West Chezzetcook*—To complete payments on contract, \$300; *Devil's Island Breakwater*—To complete payments on contract, \$350; *Sydney Quarantine Station, Keating Point*—Addition to wharf, \$1,200, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

36. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. John, N.B., Quarantine Station, Partridge Island Wharf*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

37. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Ontario*:—*Rainy River Improvement of Long Sault Rapids*—To pay balance due, work being completed, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

38. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Quarantine Wharf, *William's Head, B.C.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

39. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nineteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for dredging:—*Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick*—Additional amount required, \$5,000; *Quebec and Ontario*—Additional amount required, \$14,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

40. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty—Additional amount required for new dredging plant, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

41. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand three hundred and eighty-three dollars and thirty-eight cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Bridge over *Belly River at Lethbridge, N.W.T.*—To pay balance due for work done in 1891-92, omitted in last year's Estimates, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

42. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for telegraphs, *North-west Territories*—*Prince Albert* line, between *Saskatoon and Batoche, St. Laurent and Prince Albert*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

43. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs to *Wascana dam, Regina*, on condition that what is required in addition to put the dam in a state of thorough repair be contributed by the other parties interested, and that hereafter it be taken over and maintained at the cost of the municipality—Additional amount required, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

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

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

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*Resolved*, That this House will, on Monday next, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

And then The House adjourned till Monday next.

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Monday, 27th February, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Davin*,—The Petition of *J. H. C. Willoughby*, M.D., Mayor, and others, of *Regina*, District of *Western Assiniboia*; the Petition of *Harry B. Saxon* and others, of *Maple Creek*; the Petition of *Seymour Green* and others, of *Moose Jaw*; the Petition of *J. B. Hawkes* and others, of *Balgonie* Settlement; and the Petition of *C. T. Haigh* and others, of *Swift Current*, all of the District of *Assiniboia, North-west Territories*.

By Mr. *Ryckman*,—The Petition of United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, *Hamilton, Ontario*.

By Mr. *McKay*,—The Petition of Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners, *Hamilton, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Mara*,—The Petition of *John Travers Lewis*, of the City of *Ottawa*, Solicitor for the *Nelson and Fort Sheppard* Railway Company; and the Petition of *John Alexander Gemmill*, Barrister-at-Law, of the City of *Ottawa*.

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

Of the Municipal Council of the City of *Winnipeg, Manitoba*; praying to be permitted to lay before the House their Petition for the passing of an Act to extend the time for the commencement and completion of the works authorized by the "Act to enable the City of *Winnipeg* to utilize the *Assiniboine* River water power," and otherwise to amend the said Act, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting Petitions for Private Bills.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Victoria*; and of the Municipal Council of the County of *Hastings*, all of *Ontario*; severally praying for the amendment of the Railway Act, making it compulsory for Railway Companies whose lines are under Dominion jurisdiction to make provision for culverts on natural water-courses wherever required.

Of *Charles Smith* and others, of the District of *Moose Jaw*; and of *James Brooks* and others, of *South-east Regina*, District of *Assiniboia*, all of the *North-west Territories*; severally praying that the *North-west* Assembly may be given control of education, and that the clause in the *North-west Territories* Act requiring the Ordinances of the said Assembly published, and the proceedings of the Courts conducted, in the French language, may be repealed.

Of *James J. Sutherland* and others, members of the Patrons of Industry, and others, of the Dominion of *Canada*; praying for certain amendments of the "Act for the prevention and suppression of combinations formed in restraint of trade," and for other purposes.

Of *James Sutherland* and others, members of the Patrons of Industry of *North America*, and others; praying for the removal of the import duties upon coal oil, binder twine, corn and fencing wire, and the placing of these articles on the free list.

Of Cigar Makers' Union, *Hamilton, Ontario*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament to determine the length of the working day for workmen, &c., may become law.

Of Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of *America*, Union No. 83, *Halifax, Nova Scotia*; of *Vancouver* Branch of Journeymen Stone Cutters' Association of *North America*; and of Bricklayers' and Masons' International Union, No. 1, all of *British Columbia*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation into *Canada* of workmen under contract.

Of Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of *America*, Union No. 83, *Halifax, Nova Scotia*; of *Vancouver* branch of Journeymen Stone Cutters' Association of *North America*, and of Bricklayers' and Masons' International Union, No. 1, all of *British Columbia*; severally praying for the passing of an Act prohibiting the admission of Chinese immigrants into *Canada*, imposing a poll tax on Chinese residents, and for other purposes.

Of Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of *America*, Union No. 83, *Halifax, Nova Scotia*; of *Vancouver* branch of Journeymen Stone Cutters' Association of *North America*; and of Bricklayers' and Masons' International Union No. 1, all of *British Columbia*; severally praying for the passing of an Act providing for the adoption of the system known as the "Initiative and Referendum" in matters of legislation in the Dominion of *Canada*.

Mr. *Haggart*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 6th February, 1893, for a list of the names of all tenderers for Section eight of the *Soulanges* Canal; also, of the residence of each such tenderers, and of the amount of each tender. (*Sessional Papers, No. 42.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 6th February, 1893, for a Statement of the working expenses of the Intercolonial Railway for the year 1890–91, and also, for the year 1891–92, and from the 1st July, 1892, to the 31st December, inclusive, under the following headings, viz.:—Locomotive power; Car expenses; Maintenance of way and works; Station expenses; General charges; Car mileage. (*Sessional Papers, No. 26a.*)

And also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 6th February, 1893, for a Statement showing the revenue of the Intercolonial Railway for the years 1890–91, and 1891–92, and from the 1st July, 1892, to the 31st December, inclusive, under the following headings, viz.:—Passengers; Freight; Mails and sundries; giving also, the number of passengers and the number of tons of freight carried in each of the above named years. (*Sessional Papers, No. 26b.*)

Mr. *Daly*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 2nd February, 1893, for copies of all correspondence, memorials, departmental orders and Orders in Council, not already laid before the House, respecting the North-western, Northern and Eastern boundaries of the Province of *Quebec*, together with all reports of surveys or explorations ordered thereon or in connection therewith, by the Government of *Canada*, since last Session of Parliament, including the instructions for said surveys or explorations. (*Sessional Papers, No. 43.*)

Ordered, That Mr. *Costigan* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the law 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.

Mr. *Welsh* moved, seconded by Mr. *Davies*, and the Question being put, That the House do now adjourn;

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



The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the *Buffalo* and *Fort Erie* Bridge Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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. *Bergeron* 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 Counties Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 Western Counties Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to the *Yarmouth* and *Annapolis* Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to revive and amend the Act to incorporate the Equity Insurance Company, and to change the name of the Company to the *St. Lawrence* Insurance Company;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the Canadian Power Company;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the Maritime Manufacturing Company (Limited);

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Mr. *Sproule* moved, seconded by Mr. *Madill*; and the Question being proposed, That it is expedient to reimpose the export duty on pine and spruce logs;

And a Debate arising thereupon;

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

*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned.

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

*Ordered*, That the Petition of *John Travers Lewis*, of the City of *Ottawa*, Solicitor for the *Nelson and Fort Sheppard* 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, the Petition of the aforesaid Company for the passing of an Act declaring certain powers and franchises conferred on them by an Act of the Provincial Legislature to be subject to the jurisdiction of the Parliament of *Canada*, and their Railway a work for the general advantage of *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. *Mara*, seconded by Mr. *Davis*,

*Ordered*, That the Petition of *John Alexander Gemmill*, Barrister-at-law, of the City of *Ottawa*, presented this day, be now read.

And the said Petition was read and received; praying to be permitted to lay before the House, a Petition for the passing of an Act incorporating certain persons as a Company for the purpose of constructing a Dry Dock at some point on *Burrard Inlet*, 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 resuming the adjourned Debate, which was on Tuesday, 14th instant, proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (for the House in Committee to consider of the Ways and Means for raising the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty);

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words, "the present Customs tariff bears heavily and unjustly upon the great consuming classes of the Dominion and should be at once thoroughly reformed in the direction of freer trade, and that the amount of taxes collected be limited to the sum required to meet the necessities of the Government efficiently and economically administered," 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 Tuesday morning;

*Tuesday, 28th February, 1893.*

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

*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned.

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, 28th February, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Macdonald* (*Winnipeg*),—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the City of *Winnipeg, Manitoba*.

By Mr. *Mara*,—The Petition of the *Nelson and Fort Sheppard* Railway Company.

By Mr. *Corbould*,—The Petition of *F. C. Cotton*, Journalist, and others, of *Vancouver, British Columbia*.

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

Your Committee have considered the following Petitions, viz.:—

Of *John Travers Lewis*, of the City of *Ottawa*, Solicitor for the *Nelson and Fort Sheppard* Railway Company; of *John Alexander Gemmill*, of the City of *Ottawa*, Solicitor for *F. C. Cotton* and others; and of the Corporation of the City of *Winnipeg*; severally praying for leave to present a Petition for a Private Bill, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for receiving such Petitions, and find that the reasons assigned by the promoters for the delay in presenting their Petitions are sufficient to justify your Committee in recommending that that portion of the 49th Rule which limits the time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills be suspended in reference to each of the said Petitions.

Your Committee have also considered the following Petitions and find that the Notices given thereon are sufficient, viz.:—

Of the Grand Council of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association of *Canada*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *St. Catharines and Niagara Central* Railway Company, for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation; and of the *Columbia and Kootenay* Railway Company, for power to build certain branch lines of railway.

Your Committee have also considered the following Petitions and find that the Notices in each case, while regular in all other respects, are somewhat short of the time required by the 51st Rule; but, as they will have fully matured before the Bills can be considered in Committee, your Committee recommend that they be deemed sufficient, viz.:—

Of the *Drummond County* Railway Company, for an Act to confirm their Charter; of the *North American Canal* Company, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *Témiscouata* Railway Company, for power to extend their line of railway; and of the *North Canadian Atlantic* Railway and Steamship Company, for an Act to revive and amend their Act of Incorporation.

Mr. *Costigan*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Annual Report of the Department of Public Printing and Stationery, for the year ending 30th June, 1892, with a partial Report for services during six months ending 31st December, 1892. (*Sessional Papers, No. 16d.*)

Mr. *Wallace* presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 20th February, 1893, for a Return showing the quantity of Pig Iron produced in *Canada* in the years 1870, 1871, 1872, 1873, 1874, 1875, 1876, 1877, 1878, 1879 and 1880, and bounty paid, if any, during those years; also, amount of Pig Iron imported from *Great Britain* and the *United States*, respectively, and the total amount imported during those years. (*Sessional Papers, No. 37a.*)

Mr. *Haggart*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 6th February, 1893, for a copy of any Order in Council or other document which gave power to the "*Stanstead, Shefford and Chambly Railway Company*" or their successors "*The Vermont Central Railway Company*" to build a bridge across the *Richelieu River*, at *St. John's*, Province of *Quebec*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 44.*)

Also, Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 6th February, 1893, for copies of all petitions, correspondence and documents whatsoever respecting the granting of a subsidy to the *Quebec Oriental Railway*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 45.*)

On motion of Mr. *Mills (Annapolis)*, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*,

*Ordered*, That in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Seventh Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, that portion of the 49th Rule of this House which limits the time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills be suspended in reference to the following Petitions presented this day, and that they be read and received forthwith.

The said Petitions were accordingly read and received, viz. :—

Of the Municipal Council of the City of *Winnipeg, Manitoba*; praying for the passing of an Act to amend the "Act to enable the City of *Winnipeg* to utilize the *Assiniboine River* water power," extending the time for the commencement and completion of the works thereby authorized, &c.

Of the *Nelson and Fort Sheppard Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act confirming the franchises, powers, &c., conferred upon them by an Act of the Provincial Legislature, and declaring their Railway a work for the general advantage of *Canada*.

Of *F. C. Cotton*, Journalist, and others, of *Vancouver, British Columbia*; praying for the passing of an Act incorporating them as a Company to construct, equip, maintain and operate a Dry Dock at some point on *Burrard Inlet*, and for other purposes connected therewith.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Devlin* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the Grand Council of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association 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. *Frémont* have leave to bring in a Bill to revive and amend the Act to incorporate the North Canadian *Atlantic Railway and Steam-ship 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 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 To-morrow.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,

*Resolved*, That Government business have precedence on Thursday next, the 2nd of March, after Questions put by Members.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate, on the Question which was on Tuesday, 14th instant, proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (for the House in Committee to consider of the Ways and Means for raising the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty);

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words, "the present Customs tariff bears heavily

“and unjustly upon the great consuming classes of the Dominion and should be at once thoroughly reformed in the direction of freer trade, and that the amount of taxes collected be limited to the sum required to meet the necessities of the Government efficiently and economically administered,” 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, 1st March, 1893.*

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

|                           |               |                    |                   |
|---------------------------|---------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Allan,                    | Choquette,    | Godbout,           | Mulock,           |
| Bain (Wentworth),         | Christie,     | Grieve,            | Paterson (Brant), |
| Beausoleil,               | Colter,       | Guay,              | Perry,            |
| Bechar,                   | Davies,       | Imes,              | Préfontaine,      |
| Beith,                    | Dawson,       | Landerkin,         | Troulx,           |
| Bernier,                  | Delisle,      | Langelier,         | Rider,            |
| Bourassa,                 | Devlin,       | Laurier,           | Rinfret,          |
| Bowers,                   | Edgar,        | Lavergue,          | Rowand,           |
| Bowman,                   | Edwards,      | Leduc,             | Sanborn,          |
| Brodeur,                  | Fauvel,       | Legris,            | Scriver,          |
| Brown,                    | Featherstone, | Lister,            | Semple,           |
| Bruneau,                  | Flint,        | Livingston,        | Somerville,       |
| Calvin,                   | Forbes,       | Lowell,            | Sutherland,       |
| Campbell,                 | Fraser,       | Macdonald (Huron), | Tarte,            |
| Carroll,                  | Frémont,      | McGregor,          | Vaillancourt,     |
| Cartwright (Sir Richard), | Goeffrion,    | McMillan (Huron),  | Welsh, and        |
| Casey,                    | Gibson,       | McMullen,          | Yeo—71.           |
| Charlton,                 | Gillmor,      | Mignault,          |                   |

NAYS :

Messieurs

|                      |                          |                          |                        |
|----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|
| Adams,               | Denison,                 | Lepine,                  | Patterson (Huron),     |
| Bain (Soulanges),    | Desaulniers,             | Lippe,                   | Pelletier,             |
| Baird,               | Dickey,                  | Macdonald (King's),      | Pope,                  |
| Baker,               | Dugas,                   | Macdonald (Winnipeg),    | Pridham,               |
| Barnard,             | Dupont,                  | Macdonell (Algoma),      | Prior,                 |
| Belley,              | Dyer,                    | Mackintosh,              | Putnam,                |
| Bennett,             | Earle,                   | Maclean (York),          | Reid,                  |
| Bergeron,            | Fairbairn,               | McAlister,               | Robillard,             |
| Boyd,                | Ferguson (Renfrew),      | McCarthy,                | Roome,                 |
| Boyle,               | Foster,                  | McDonald (Assiniboia),   | Rosamond,              |
| Bryson,              | Fréchette,               | McDonald (Victoria),     | Ross (Dundas),         |
| Burnham,             | Gillies,                 | McDougall (Cape Breton), | Ross (Lisgar),         |
| Cameron,             | Girouard (Two Mount'ns), | McPierney,               | Ryckman,               |
| Carghill,            | Grandbois,               | McKay,                   | Simard,                |
| Carignan,            | Guillet,                 | McLean (King's),         | Smith (Ontario),       |
| Carling,             | Haggart,                 | McLennan,                | Sproule,               |
| Carpenter,           | Hazen,                   | McLeod,                  | Stairs,                |
| Caron (Sir Adolphe), | Hearn,                   | McMillan (Vaudreuil),    | Stevenson,             |
| Carscallen,          | Henderson,               | McNeill,                 | Taylor,                |
| Chesley,             | Hodgins,                 | Madill,                  | Temple,                |
| Cleveland,           | Hughes,                  | Mara,                    | Thompson (Sir John),   |
| Coatsworth,          | Hutchins,                | Marshall,                | Tisdale,               |
| Cochrane,            | Ingram,                  | Metcalfe,                | Turcotte,              |
| Cockburn,            | Ives,                    | Miller,                  | Tyrwhitt,              |
| Corbould,            | Jeanotte,                | Mills (Annapolis),       | Wallace,               |
| Corby,               | Joncas,                  | Moncrieff,               | White (Cardwell),      |
| Costigan,            | Kaulbach,                | Montague,                | White (Shelburne),     |
| Craig,               | Kenny,                   | Northrup,                | Wilnot,                |
| Curran,              | Lachapelle,              | O'Brien,                 | Wilson,                |
| Daly,                | Langevin (Sir Hector),   | Ouimet,                  | Wood (Brockville), and |
| Davin,               | LaRivière,               | Patterson (Colchester),  | Wood (Westmorel'd)—126 |
| Davis,               | Leclair,                 |                          |                        |

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 resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to amend the Act 53 *Victoria*, Chapter 20, intitled: "An Act to amend the Act respecting the Duties of Customs," by repealing the item numbered 184 under section 10 of the said Act, and to provide otherwise by enacting the following rates of duty in lieu thereof:—

Twine for harvest binders, of hemp, jute, manilla or sisal, and of manilla and sisal mixed, twelve and one-half per cent *ad valorem*..... 12½ p.c.

Rove, when imported for the manufacture of twine for harvest binders, ten per cent *ad valorem*..... 10 p.c.

2. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to further amend the said Act 53 *Victoria*, Chapter 20, by repealing the item numbered 291 under section 11, and substituting the following in lieu thereof:—

Mining machinery, imported prior to the sixteenth day of May, 1896, which is at the time of its importation of a class or kind not manufactured in *Canada*.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

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

Mr. *Bergeron* 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, having continued to sit till five minutes before Three of the Clock on Wednesday morning, adjourned till this day.

## Wednesday, 1st March, 1893.

### PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Davin*,—The Petition of *Martin Wagner* and others, of *Edenwald* and *Regina*; the Petition of *John Dixon* and others, of *Maple Creek* and *Medicine Hat*; the Petition of *Nelson F. Allcork* and others, of *Eastview*; the Petition of *Nelson Boyd* and others, of *Regina*; the Petition of *Thomas Barton* and others, of *Hednesford*, all of the District of *Assiniboia, North-west Territories*; the Petition of *John Sproule* and others; and the Petition of *William Rabe* and others, all of *Manitoba*.

By Mr. *Denison*,—Three Petitions of *Toronto Trades and Labour Council*.

By Mr. *Lépine*,—Three Petitions of District Assembly, No. 18, Knights of Labour, *Montreal*.

By Mr. *Gibson*,—Two Petitions of Maple Leaf Assembly No. 5933, *Merritton, Ontario*.

By Mr. *McKay*,—The Petition of Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, *Hamilton, Ontario*.

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

Of *J. H. C. Willoughby*, M.D., Mayor, and others, of *Regina*; of *Harry Saxon* and others, of *Maple Creek*; of *Seymour Green* and others, of *Moose Jaw*; of *J. B. Hawkes* and others, of *Balgonie* Settlement; and of *C. T. Haigh* and others, of *Swift Current*, all of the District of *Assiniboia*, *North-west Territories*; severally praying that the *North-west* Assembly may be given the control of education, and that the Clause in the *North-west Territories* Act requiring the ordinances of the said Assembly published, and the proceedings of the Courts conducted, in the French language, may be repealed.

Of United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners; and of Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners, all of *Hamilton, Ontario*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament to determine the length of the working day for workmen, &c., may become law.

*Mr. Bergin*, 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 without amendment, viz.:—

Bill respecting the *St. Lawrence* and *Adirondack* Railway Company;—and

Bill respecting the *Manitoba* and South-eastern Railway Company.

Also, the following Bills with Amendments, viz.:—

Bill to give effect to an Agreement between the Grand Trunk Railway Company of *Canada*, the *Canadian Pacific* Railway Company, and the Corporation of the City of *Toronto*.

Bill respecting the *Port Arthur, Duluth* and Western Railway Company.

Bill respecting the *Lake Erie* and *Detroit* River Railway Company;—and

Bill to amend the Act to Incorporate the *Montreal* and *Atlantic* Railway Company, and for other purposes.

The promoters of Bill respecting the South-eastern Railway, having expressed their desire not to proceed further with the measure, your Committee recommend that the same be withdrawn, and the fees paid thereon refunded, less the cost of printing and translation.

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

*Ordered*, That the Bill respecting the South-eastern Railway 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 Second Report of the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of instructions to officers employed in the taking of the Third Census of *Canada*, 1891, and copies of Forms used.

*Mr. Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated this day—Manual containing the Census Act, and the instructions to officers employed in the taking of the Third Census of *Canada*, 1891, with Forms attached. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 46.)

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

*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 letters, telegrams and correspondence between the Government or any Member

thereof and the late English Financial Agents of *Canada* in *London* and the Bank of *Montreal* in reference to the recent change of agency at *London*.

*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. *Reid*, seconded by Mr. *Bergin*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of the report or reports of plans and surveys of *Galops Rapids Channel*, made by Mr. *Kennedy*.

On motion of Mr. *Brodeur*, seconded by Mr. *Lavergne*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence, Inspectors' reports, petitions and papers respecting the establishment of a new Post office at *Rougemont*, or respecting the location of the Post office at that place.

On motion of Mr. *Joncas*, seconded by Mr. *Cochrane*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all reports, documents, maps, manuscripts and correspondence in relation to exploring expeditions heretofore made to *James' Bay* and *Hudson Bay*.

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

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

1. What is the total sum spent by the Government since Confederation in each Province of the Dominion on the public works, classified as (1) harbours, piers and breakwaters, (2) improvements of rivers, and (3) dredging and dredges.

2. How much of the sum so spent in the Province of *Quebec* was expended on works within the Harbour of *Montreal*.

3. (1) How much money the Government has loaned to the Harbour Commissioners of *Quebec* towards the construction of the new harbour works in that City; and (2) what amount of interest, derived from the revenues of the said works, have the Harbour Commissioners paid to the Government in respect of the interest due on the said loans; and (3) how many years' interest, if any, are in arrears.

4. (1) How much money the Government has lent to the Harbour Commissioners of *Montreal* towards the construction of harbour works in that City; and (2) how much interest is due thereon.

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

*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, papers or Orders in Council relating to the superannuation or retirement of Mr. *T. Trudeau*, late Deputy of the Minister of Railways and Canals.

*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. *Frémont*, seconded by Mr. *Edwards*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all accounts, letters, receipts and other documents in relation to the claim of *Charles I. Labrie*, of *Lévis*, for professional service in connection with expropriation, during the construction of the *St. Charles Branch*.

On motion of Mr. *Weldon*, seconded by Mr. *McLeod*,

*Resolved*, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying His Excellency to cause to be laid before this House, all correspondence, petitions and papers that are in possession of the Government relating to the disallowance of Chapter 1 of the Acts of *Nova Scotia*, dated 1892, "An Act to amend and consolidate the Acts relating to Mines and Minerals," including any petition of *David McKeen*, Esquire, M.P., and others, in respect of the said Act.

*Ordered*, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency by such Members of this House as are of the Queen's Privy Council.



On motion of Mr. *Casey*, seconded by Mr. *Davies*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of petitions from County Councils and other municipal corporations asking that railways under Dominion control be compelled to build culverts on natural watercourses crossing their lines, and correspondence relating thereto.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, all correspondence and reports in reference to alleged irregularities occurring in the Post office at *Kemptville* from 1st January, 1890, to date.

On motion of Mr. *Godbout*, seconded by Mr. *Bourassa*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence and petitions asking for a change in the Post Office of *St. Sebastien*, in the County of *Beauce*; and of the Report of the Post Office Inspector in relation thereto.

On motion of Mr. *Carroll*, seconded by Mr. *Guay*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Statement showing all payments made for the deepening of the *River du Loup*; the persons to whom such payments were made; the prices paid in each case for the several works; the amounts received by each person.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence between any of the Judges of the Supreme Court, or the Provincial Superior Courts and the Department of Justice, concerning the Criminal Code, previous and subsequent to the passage of the same.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence in relation to the construction of the pier at *Yamachiche*.

Mr. *McMullen* moved, seconded by Mr. *Macdonald (Huron)*, and the Question being proposed, That, in the opinion of this House, with a view to reduce the gross amount of the annual expenditure of the Dominion, and thereby stop the drain on the people's resources, it is expedient to repeal the Act providing for the Superannuation of Civil Servants;

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

On motion of Mr. *Corby*, seconded by Mr. *Carscallen*,

*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 communications, memorials, &c., addressed to His Excellency in Council, to the Dominion Government or any Member thereof, since 1888, urging the granting of a federal subsidy to the Central *Ontario* Railway Company to enable that Company to extend its line from *Coehill* northward.

*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. *Mills (Bothwell)*, seconded by Mr. *Laurier*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return of any correspondence which may have taken place between the Government and any of the Railway Companies which have received public lands in aid of railway construction, in reference to the prices at which these lands are held, and as to the steps taken by these Companies to fulfil their trust by securing the early settlement of the lands so granted.

On motion of Mr. *Joncas*, seconded by Mr. *Cochrane*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence between the Government and the *Quebec* Board of Trade, respecting the appointment of a Fishery officer in the place of Mr. *W. H. Whitely*, for the *Bonne Espérance* Division, from *Checatica* to *Blancs Sablons*.

Mr. *Langelier* moved, seconded by Mr. *Edgar*, and the Question being proposed, That it is expedient and to the interest of the great bulk of consumers, to admit free of duty all foreign sugars, whether raw or refined;

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 Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to revive and amend the Act 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 incorporate the Grand Council of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association 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 revive and amend the Act 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 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.

On motion of Mr. *Coatsworth*, seconded by Mr. *Maclean* (*York*),

*Ordered*, That the Petition of the *Toronto*, *Hamilton* and *Buffalo* Railway Company; praying to be permitted to lay before the House their Petition, and also, the joint Petition of the said Company and the Municipal Council of the City of *Brantford*, for the passing of an Act to make further provision respecting the said Company, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting Petitions for Private Bills, be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

Sir *John Thompson*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Supplementary Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 6th February, 1893, on the subject of the *Manitoba* School Acts of 1890, with a certified copy of a Report of a Committee of the Honourable the Privy Council, approved by His Excellency the Governor General in Council, on the 22nd February, 1893, relative to the settlement of important questions of Law concerning certain Statutes of the Province of *Manitoba* relating to Education. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 33c.)

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,

*Ordered*, That the foregoing Supplementary Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 6th February, 1893, on the subject of the *Manitoba* School Acts of 1890, &c., be printed forthwith, and that the 94th Rule of this House be suspended in relation thereto.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to disfranchise Electors who have taken bribes, 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, 2nd February last, proposed, That it is expedient to place Binding Twine on the Free List;

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

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

## YEAS :

## Messieurs

|                   |              |                   |                   |
|-------------------|--------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Bain (Wentworth), | Colter,      | Landerkin,        | Mignault,         |
| Beausoleil,       | Davies,      | Langelier,        | Monet.            |
| Béchar, d,        | Dawson,      | Laurier,          | Mulock,           |
| Beith,            | Devlin,      | Lavergne,         | Perry,            |
| Bernier,          | Fauvel,      | Leduc,            | Proulx,           |
| Bourassa,         | Featherston, | Legris,           | Rinfret,          |
| Bowman,           | Flint,       | Lister,           | Rowand,           |
| Brodeur,          | Forbes,      | Livingston,       | Sanborn,          |
| Campbell,         | Geoffrion,   | Lowell,           | Semple,           |
| Casey,            | Gibson,      | McCarthy,         | Sutherland,       |
| Charlton,         | Godbout,     | McGregor,         | Vaillancourt, and |
| Choquette,        | Grieve,      | McMillan (Huron), | Yeo.—51.          |
| Christie,         | Guay,        | McMullen,         |                   |

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

|                      |                          |                          |                         |
|----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| Bain (Soulanges),    | Denison,                 | Kenny,                   | Patterson (Colchester), |
| Baker,               | Desaulniers,             | Lachapelle,              | Patterson (Huron),      |
| Barnard,             | Dickey,                  | LaRivière,               | Pope,                   |
| Belley,              | Dugas,                   | Leclair,                 | Pridham,                |
| Bennett,             | Dupont,                  | Lippé,                   | Prior,                  |
| Bergeron,            | Dyer,                    | Macdonell (Algoma),      | Putnam,                 |
| Bergin,              | Earle,                   | Mackintosh,              | Reid,                   |
| Boyle,               | Fairbairn,               | Maclean (York),          | Ross (Dundas),          |
| Burnham,             | Ferguson (Renfrew),      | McAlister,               | Ross (Lisgar),          |
| Cameron,             | Foster,                  | McDonald (Assiniboia),   | Ryckman,                |
| Cargill,             | Fréchette,               | McDougall (Cape Breton), | Smith (Ontario),        |
| Carling,             | Gillies,                 | McKay,                   | Sproule,                |
| Carpenter,           | Girouard (Two Mount'ns), | McLean (King's),         | Taylor,                 |
| Caron (Sir Adolphe), | Grandbois,               | McLennan,                | Temple,                 |
| Carscallen,          | Guillet,                 | McLeod,                  | Thompson (Sir John),    |
| Chesley,             | Haggart,                 | Madill,                  | Turcotte,               |
| Coatsworth,          | Hazen,                   | Mara,                    | Tyrwhitt,               |
| Cochrane,            | Henderson,               | Metcalfe,                | Wallace,                |
| Cockburn,            | Hughes,                  | Miller,                  | White (Cardwell),       |
| Corby,               | Ingram,                  | Moncrieff,               | White (Shelburne),      |
| Costigan,            | Ives,                    | Montague,                | Wilson, and             |
| Curran,              | Jeannotte,               | Northrup,                | Wood (Brockville).—91.  |
| Daly,                | Kaulbach,                | Quimet,                  |                         |

So it passed in the Negative.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the Debate on the Question, which was on Wednesday, 8th February last, proposed, That it is expedient to place Corn on the Free List;

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

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

## YEAS :

## Messieurs

|                   |              |                   |                        |
|-------------------|--------------|-------------------|------------------------|
| Bain (Wentworth), | Dawson,      | Lavergne,         | Perry,                 |
| Beausoleil,       | Devlin,      | Leduc,            | Pope,                  |
| Béchar, d,        | Fauvel,      | Legris,           | Proulx,                |
| Beith,            | Featherston, | Lister,           | Rinfret,               |
| Bernier,          | Flint,       | Livingston,       | Rowand,                |
| Bourassa,         | Forbes,      | Lowell,           | Sanborn,               |
| Bowman,           | Gibson,      | McCarthy,         | Semple,                |
| Brodeur,          | Godbout,     | McMillan (Huron), | Sutherland,            |
| Campbell,         | Grieve,      | McMullen,         | Temple,                |
| Casey,            | Guay,        | Mignault,         | Vaillancourt,          |
| Choquette,        | Landerkin,   | Monet,            | White (Shelburne), and |
| Christie,         | Langelier,   | Mulock,           | Yeo.—50.               |
| Davies,           | Laurier,     |                   |                        |

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

|                      |                          |                          |                         |
|----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| Bain (Soulanges),    | Daly,                    | Kenny,                   | Northrup,               |
| Baker,               | Denison,                 | Lachapelle,              | Ouimet,                 |
| Barnard,             | Desaulniers,             | LaRivière,               | Patterson (Colchester), |
| Belley,              | Dickey,                  | Leclair,                 | Patterson (Huron),      |
| Bennett,             | Dugas,                   | Lippé,                   | Pridham,                |
| Bergeron,            | Dupont,                  | Macdonell (Algoma),      | Prior,                  |
| Bergin,              | Dyer,                    | Mackintosh,              | Putnam,                 |
| Boyle,               | Earle,                   | Maclean (York),          | Reid,                   |
| Burnham,             | Fairbairn,               | McAlister,               | Ross (Dundas),          |
| Cameron,             | Ferguson (Renfrew),      | McDonald (Assiniboia),   | Ross (Lisgar),          |
| Cargill,             | Foster,                  | McDougall (Cape Breton), | Ryckman,                |
| Carling,             | Fréchette,               | McGregor,                | Smith (Ontario),        |
| Carpenter,           | Gillies,                 | McKay,                   | Sproule,                |
| Caron (Sir Adolphe), | Girouard (Two Mount'ns), | McLean (King's),         | Stairs,                 |
| Carscallen,          | Grandbois,               | McLennan,                | Taylor,                 |
| Chesley,             | Guillet,                 | McLeod,                  | Thompson (Sir John),    |
| Coatsworth,          | Haggart,                 | Madill,                  | Turcotte,               |
| Cochrane,            | Hazen,                   | Mara,                    | Tyrwhitt,               |
| Cockburn,            | Henderson,               | Metcalfe,                | Wallace,                |
| Colter,              | Hughes,                  | Miller,                  | White (Cardwell),       |
| Corby,               | Ingram,                  | Moncrieff,               | Wilson, and             |
| Costigan,            | Ives,                    | Montague,                | Wood (Brockville).—90.  |
| Curran               | Jeannotte,               |                          |                         |

So it passed in the Negative.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill in further amendment of the Electoral Franchise Act;

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 Supreme and Exchequer Courts Act;

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;

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.

Thursday, 2nd March, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

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

Mr. *Wood* (*Westmoreland*), 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 amend the Act to incorporate the Manufacturers' Accident Insurance Company, and to change its name to "The Manufacturers' Guarantee and Accident Insurance Company."

Bill to incorporate the Ocean Accident Insurance Corporation.

Bill to incorporate the Eastern Trust Company;—and

Bill to incorporate the Ocean Fidelity Guarantee Corporation.

Mr. *Weldon* moved, seconded by Mr. *Dickey*, and the Question being put, That Bill to disfranchise Electors who have taken bribes, be placed again on the Orders of the Day, on Monday next, for consideration in Committee of the Whole:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The said Bill was accordingly committed to a Committee of the Whole House for Monday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Forbes* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Canada Atlantic* and *Plant* Steamship 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. *Mara* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Nakusp* and *Slocan* 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. *Cleveland* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Drummond* County 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. *Costigan* have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend the Act respecting Certificates to Masters and Mates of Ships.

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

*Ordered*, That Sir *John Thompson* have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend the *North-west Territories* Representation 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. *Mackintosh*, seconded by Mr. *Hazen*,  
*Ordered*, That the Petition of the Canadian *Pacific* Railway Company, presented this day, be now read.

And the said Petition was read and received ; praying to be permitted to lay before the House, their Petition for the passing of an Act to confer on them certain powers with respect to the issuing of preferred or guaranteed 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.

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 Election Appeal for the Electoral District of *Vaudreuil*.

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

*In the Supreme Court of Canada.*

WEDNESDAY, the first day of March, A.D. 1893.

*Present :*

|                |                       |                |
|----------------|-----------------------|----------------|
| The Honourable | SAMUEL HENRY STRONG,  | Chief Justice, |
| do             | Mr. Justice FOURNIER, |                |
| do             | do                    | GWYNNE,        |
| do             | do                    | PATERSON,      |
| do             | do                    | SEDGEWICK.     |

THE DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT.

Election of a Member for the House of Commons for the Electoral District of *Vaudreuil*, holden on the twenty-second and twenty-ninth days of February, 1892.

Between

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

and

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

The appeal of the above named *Hugh McMillan* from the judgments of the Honourable Mr. Justice *Pagnuelo* and the Honourable Mr. Justice *Doherty*, sitting for the trial of the Election Petition, in the above matter, rendered on the twenty-sixth day of October in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, to wit, from the judgment dismissing the appellant's motion that the trial should not be proceeded with, from the judgment rendered on the objections of the defendant at the enquête, and from the judgment rendered on the merits of the said petition, having come on to be heard before this Court this day, in the presence of counsel as well for the appellant as for the respondent, whereupon and upon hearing what was alleged by counsel aforesaid, and upon reading the papers and proceedings filed and the said judgments appealed from, the said last mentioned judgment being as follows, to wit :—

*(Translation.)*

“ We the undersigned, Judges of the Superior Court sitting in and for the District of *Montreal*, to try the Election Petition in this matter and adjudicate thereon, after having heard petitioner and respondent at the time and place appointed for

the trial, heard the evidence, examined respondent's admissions, petitioner's declaration to the effect that he waives the claim for the seat in favour of the candidate, *Henry Stanislas Harwood*, and the record of the case and deliberated :

" Considering that from the evidence in this case and the admissions of respondent, it appears that corrupt practices were committed by the agents of respondent, without his knowledge and unknown to him, sufficient to void the election ;

" Considering that petitioner furnished no proof that corrupt practices were committed by respondent himself, or by his agents with his knowledge ;

" Hereby declare that that part of the conclusions of the said petition whereby petitioner asks that respondent be disqualified, is not well founded, and the same is hereby dismissed and rejected ;

" That that part of the conclusions of the said petition whereby it is asked that the said election be declared null and void, should be and the same is hereby granted, and we do declare the said election null and void, the whole with costs against the said respondent.

(Signed) " S. PAGNUELO,  
" J. S. C.  
" CHAS. J. DOHERTY,  
" J. S. C."

This Court did order, adjudge and determine that the said appeal to this Court should be and the same was dismissed with costs to be paid by the said appellant to the said respondent, the said judgment and decision of the Judges who sat for the trial of the above named Election Petition being thereby confirmed.

And this Court did further order and adjudge that the costs of the said respondent are to be paid to the said respondent out of the sum of Three hundred dollars deposited by the said appellant as security for the costs of such appeal, and that the balance of the said sum of Three hundred dollars with accrued interest (if any) be paid to the said appellant.

And it was further ordered and adjudged that the Registrar of this Court do transmit to the Prothonotary of the Superior Court for the District of *Montreal* the original record in this matter.

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.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Mr. *Foster*,

*Resolved*, That Government Orders have precedence on Monday, 6th March, after Questions to be put by Members.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend the Act to readjust the Representation in the House of Commons ;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time ; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair ; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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.

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

*Friday, 3rd March, 1893.*

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 seven hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Administration of Justice, Exchequer Court—To provide for salary of a third-class clerk from 1st January to 30th June, 1893, \$200; Additional sum required to meet contingencies occasioned by necessary publication of new Admiralty Rules and otherwise, \$1,500; To provide for the increase of the Registrar's salary by an increment of \$50 for this year, \$25, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and fifty-two dollars and fifty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay retiring allowance to Constable *Martin Murphy* (Dominion Police), for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

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

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

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

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act to make further provision respecting Grants of Lands to members of the Militia Force on active service in the *North-west*," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend the law relating to Holidays," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act to correct a clerical error in the Bank Act," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And then The House, having continued to sit till fifteen minutes after Twelve of the Clock on Friday morning, adjourned till this day.

*Friday, 3rd March, 1893.*

**PRAYERS.**

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

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

By Mr. *Corbould*.—Three Petitions of Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, *New Westminster, British Columbia*.



By Mr. *Coatsworth*,—The joint Petition of the Municipal Council of the City of *Brantford* and the *Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo Railway Company*; and the Petition of the *Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo Railway Company*.

By Mr. *Bowers*,—The Petition of *John McEwan* and others, of *Bear River*, County of *Digby, Nova Scotia*.

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

Of *Martin Wagner* and others, of *Edenwald and Regina*; of *John Dixon* and others, of *Maple Creek and Medicine Hat*; of *Nelson F. Allcock* and others, of *Eastview*; of *Nelson Boyd* and others, of *Regina*; and of *Thomas Barton* and others, of *Hednesford*, all of the District of *Assiniboia, North-west Territories*; severally praying that the *North-west Assembly* may be given the control of Education, and that the Clause in the *North-west Territories Act*, requiring the Ordinances of the said Assembly published, and the proceedings of the Courts conducted, in the French language, may be repealed.

Of *John Sproule* and others; and of *William Rabe* and others, all of *Manitoba*; severally praying for the removal of the duties on binding twine, barbed wire for fencing, coal oil and lumber, and for the reduction of the duty on farming implements.

Of *Toronto Trades and Labour Council*; of *Maple Leaf Assembly, No. 5933, Merritton*, all of *Ontario*; and of *District Assembly, No. 18, Knights of Labour, Montreal*; severally praying for the passing of an Act prohibiting the admission of Chinese immigrants in *Canada*, imposing a poll tax on Chinese residents, and for other purposes.

Of *Toronto Trades and Labour Council*; of *Maple Leaf Assembly, No. 5933, Merritton*, all of *Ontario*; and of *District Assembly, No. 18, Knights of Labour, Montreal*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation into *Canada* of workmen under contract.

Of *Toronto Trades and Labour Council*; and of *District Assembly, No. 18, Knights of Labour, Montreal*; severally praying for the passing of an Act providing for the adoption of the system known as the "Initiative and Referendum" in matters of legislation in the Dominion of *Canada*.

Of *Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Hamilton, Ontario*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament to determine the length of the working day for workmen, &c., may become law.

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

Your Committee have examined the Petitions of the *Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo Railway Company*, and of the *Canadian Pacific Railway Company*; severally praying for leave to present a Petition for a Private Bill, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for receiving such Petitions, and as the reasons assigned by the promoters for the delay in presenting their Petitions are good, your Committee recommend that that portion of the 49th Rule which limits the time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills be suspended in reference to the Petitions of the said Companies.

Your Committee have also examined the following Petitions and find that while the Notices are regular in all other respects, they have not yet been published for the full length of time required by the 51st Rule; but, as they will have fully matured in each case before the Bills can be considered in Committee, your Committee recommend that they be deemed sufficient, viz.:—

Of the *Nelson and Fort Sheppard Railway Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *British Columbia Dock Company*, for an Act of Incorporation; of the *British America Insurance Company*, for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation.

poration; and of the Corporation of the City of *Winnipeg*, for an extension of time limited for the construction of certain works on the *Assiniboine* River, authorized by Act 52 *Victoria*, Chapter 89.

Mr. *Tisdale*, 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 respecting the *Alberta* Railway and Coal Company, and have agreed to report the same with Amendments.

Mr. *Bergin*, from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, presented to the House the Second Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth :—

The Committee carefully examined the following documents and recommend that they be printed, viz. :—

20*d*. Message from His Excellency the Governor General, transmitting to the House of Commons, a Copy of the proceedings of the Conference recently held at *Halifax* between delegates from the Governments of *Canada* and *Newfoundland* upon the Fishery Question and other questions between the two Governments.

20*e*. Message from His Excellency the Governor General, transmitting to the House of Commons, further Papers respecting the enforcement by the *Newfoundland* authorities against Canadian vessels of the *Newfoundland* Act respecting the sale of bait to foreign fishing vessels.

21. Return to an Order of the House of the 2nd May, 1892, for a Return giving all papers, letters, petitions, applications, and every other document relating to the dismissal of the Postmaster of *McIntyre*, and the appointment of his successor.

22. Statement of Governor General's Warrants issued since last Session of Parliament, in accordance with the Consolidated Revenue and Audit Act, section 32, subsection *b*.

25. Rule of the Exchequer Court of *Canada* in respect to any proceeding that may be had or taken in the Exchequer Court of *Canada* to impeach any patent issued under "The Patent Act."

26*a*. Return to an Order of the House of the 6th February, 1893, for a Statement of the working expenses of the Intercolonial Railway for the year 1890-91, and also, for the year 1891-92, and from the 1st July, 1892, to the 31st December, inclusive, under the following headings, viz. :—

Locomotive power,  
Car expenses,  
Maintenance of way and works,  
Station expenses,  
General charges,  
Car mileage.

26*b*. Return to an Order of the House of the 6th February, 1893, for a Statement showing the revenue of the Intercolonial Railway for the years 1890-91 and 1891-92, and from the 1st July, 1892, to the 31st December, inclusive, under the following headings, viz. :—

Passengers,  
Freight,  
Mails and sundries ;

giving also the number of passengers and the number of tons of freight carried in each of the above named years.

27. Message from His Excellency the Governor General, transmitting to the House of Commons, a Copy of the Report of the Commissioners appointed by Royal Commission to take evidence as to the truth or falsity of certain charges made against Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*, Member of the House of Commons and of the Queen's Privy Council for *Canada*, with copies of the evidence and exhibits thereto pertaining.

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, etc., for year ended 31st December, 1892.

29. Return of Orders in Council of 1892, relating to the Department of the Interior, in accordance with Clause 91 of the Dominion Lands Act, Chapter 54, Revised Statutes of *Canada*.

30. Return under Resolution of the 20th February, 1882, in so far as the same is furnished by the Department of the Interior, respecting the Canadian *Pacific* Railway Company.

30a. List of all lands sold by the Canadian *Pacific* Railway Company from the 1st October, 1891, to the 1st October last.

32. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 17th March, 1892, for copy of all correspondence between the Imperial Government and the Canadian Government concerning the defences of *Esquimalt*.

33. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 6th February, 1893, for copy of all petitions, memorials, appeals, and of any other documents addressed to His Excellency in Council, since the 15th March, 1892, relating to the *Manitoba* School Acts of 1890 and to Section 22 of the "*Manitoba Act*" and Section 93 of the "*British North America Act*."

Also, copy of all reports to and of all Orders in Council in reference to the same.

Also, copies of all correspondence in connection therewith.

33a. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 6th February, 1893, for a copy of the judgment of the Judicial Committee of Her Majesty's Privy Council in the appealed case of *Barrett vs. the City of Winnipeg*, commonly known as the "*Manitoba School Case*."

Also, copy of factums, reports and other documents in connection therewith.

33b. Further Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 6th February, 1893, for a copy of the judgment of the Judicial Committee of Her Majesty's Privy Council in the appealed case of *Barrett vs. the City of Winnipeg*, commonly known as the "*Manitoba School Case*."

Also, copy of factums, reports and other documents in connection therewith.

35. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General for all Correspondence, documents, reports and Orders in Council about a special commission to enquire into the most feasible means of completing the telegraphic system of the Empire.

37. Statement showing the quantity of, and bounty paid on, Pig Iron produced in *Canada* since date of last Return to House of Commons, 16th March, 1892.

37a. Return to an Order of the House of the 20th February, 1893, for Returns showing the quantity of Pig Iron produced in *Canada* in the years 1870, 1871, 1872, 1873, 1874, 1875, 1876, 1877, 1878, 1879 and 1880, and bounty paid, if any, during those years.

Also, amount of Pig Iron imported from *Great Britain* and the *United States*, respectively, and the total amount imported during those years.

43. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 2nd February, 1893, for copies of all correspondence, memorials, departmental orders and Orders in Council, not already laid before the House, respecting the North-western, Northern and Eastern boundaries of the Province of *Quebec*, together with all reports of surveys or explorations ordered thereon or in connection therewith, by the Government of *Canada*, since last Session of Parliament, including the instructions for said surveys or explorations.

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

20. Return to an Order of the House of the 23rd March, 1892, for a Return showing the number and names of men and vessel owners applying for bounties for the years 1889, 1890 and 1891, and not receiving the same, giving the reasons

why such applications were not granted; also, whether any were refused and afterwards granted, the names, amounts and reasons given why such were afterwards granted; also, all papers and correspondence since 1888 in reference to the bounty system and in regard to applications granted and ungranted.

20a. Return to an Order of the House of the 27th May, 1891, for a Return giving a comparative statement for the years 1882 to 1891, inclusive (by Province) of:—

(a) Total number of bounty claims received by Department;

(b) Total number paid;

(c) Number of vessels, tonnage, and number of men entitled to bounty in each year;

(d) Number of boats among which bounty was distributed, and number of men engaged in boat fishing receiving bounty;

(e) Total number of men receiving bounty;

(f) Total annual payments of fishing bounty.

20b. Statement in reference to Fishing Bounty Payments for 1891-92, required by Chapter 96 of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*.

20c. Return to an Order of the House of the 30th May, 1892, for a copy of all correspondence, papers and reports relating to the investigation into the conduct of *William Prosser*, Fishery Overseer for the district fronting the County of *Essex*, on Lake *Erie*, and his dismissal from office.

23. Statement of expenditure on account of Miscellaneous Unforeseen Expenses.

24. Ten days' statement of the Receipts and Payments of *Canada*, from the 11th to the 20th January, 1892, and from the 11th to the 20th January, 1893.

24a. Statement of the Receipts and Payments of *Canada*, 1891-92 and 1892-93, to 31st January.

24b. Statement of the Receipts and Payments of *Canada*, 1891-92 and 1892-93, to 10th February.

26. Return to an Address of the Senate, dated the 9th July, 1892, for a copy of the latest time-table adopted to govern the running of passenger trains on the Intercolonial Railway.

31. List of Public Officers to whom Commissions have issued under Chapter 19 of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, during the past year 1892.

34. Return to an Order of the House of the 13th April, 1892, for copies of the instructions issued to Professor *Saunders*, when he was directed to enquire into the question of the growing of sugar-beet and the manufacture of beet-root sugar in *Canada*, or since that date up to the time when his report was laid before the House.

36. A detailed Statement of all Bonds and Securities registered in the Department of the Secretary of State of *Canada*, since last Return, 1892, submitted to the Parliament of *Canada* under Section 23, Chapter 19, of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*.

38. Return to an Order of the House of the 20th February, 1893, for the evidence taken before Mr. *James G. Moylan*, Inspector of Penitentiaries, in connection with the investigation or investigations held by that official at *Kingston* Penitentiary, during the past year, which resulted in the dismissal or resignation of certain officials of that institution.

39. Return to an Order of the House of the 20th February, 1893, for a copy of the questions put and the subjects submitted to the parties who presented themselves for preliminary or qualifying examination, or both, at the last examination for the Civil Service.

40. Return to an Order of the House of the 20th February, 1893, for a Return showing the number of Experimental Farm reports published for the year 1891; the number published in English and French, respectively; the number allotted to each Member of the House of Commons and Senate, and the number still on hand.

41. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 20th February, 1893, for a copy of any report to Council made by Honourable *J. A. Chapleau*, when Minister of Customs, on the reorganization of the Customs Department or recommending changes regarding that Department.

42. Return to an Order of the House of the 6th February, 1893, for a list of the names of all tenderers for Section eight of the *Soulanges Canal*; also, of the residence of each such tenderer, and of the amount of each tender.

44. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 6th February, 1893, for a copy of any Order in Council or other document which gave power to the "*Stanstead, Shefford and Chambly Railway Company*," or their successors "*The Vermont Central Railway Company*" to build a bridge across the *Richelieu River* at *St. John's*, Province of *Quebec*.

45. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 6th February, 1893, for copies of all petitions, correspondence and documents whatsoever respecting the granting of a subsidy to the *Quebec Oriental Railway*.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Macdonald (Winnipeg)*, have leave to bring in a Bill to further amend the Act to enable the City of *Winnipeg* to utilize the *Assiniboine River* water power.

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

On motion of Mr. *Coatsworth*, seconded by Mr. *Mills (Annapolis)*,

*Ordered*, That in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Eighth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, that portion of the 49th Rule of this House which limits the time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills be suspended in reference to the following Petitions, presented this day, and that they be read and received forthwith.

The said Petitions were accordingly read and received, viz. :—

Of the Municipal Council of the City of *Branford* and the *Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act to confirm a certain by-law of the said Municipal Council authorizing the amalgamation of the aforesaid Company with the *Brantford, Waterloo and Lake Erie Railway Company*, and for other purposes.

Of the *Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act confirming certain by-laws of the respective Corporations of the Cities of *Brantford* and *Hamilton*, and for other purposes.

On motion of Mr. *Mackintosh*, seconded by Mr. *Cockburn*,

*Ordered*, That in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Eighth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, that portion of the 49th Rule of this House which limits the time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills be suspended in reference to the following Petition, presented this day, and that it be read and received forthwith.

The said Petition was accordingly read and received, viz. :—

Of the *Canadian Pacific Railway Company*; praying for the passing of an Act to empower them to issue preferred or guaranteed stock, and for other purposes.

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

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "*An Act to amend the Law relating to Holidays*," 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.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Cockburn* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *British America Assurance Company*.

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

On motion of Mr. *Patterson* (*Huron*), seconded by Mr. *Haggart*,  
*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to make further  
 "provision respecting Grants of Land to members of the Militia Force on active  
 "service in the *North-west*," 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 Mr. *Foster*, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*,  
*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to correct a clerical  
 "error in the Bank Act," 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. *Ives*, 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, 1892. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 15.)

Mr. *Ives* also presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 20th  
 February, 1893, for a copy of the Report of the Honourable Mr. Justice *Wetmore*,  
 appointed by Royal Commission to enquire into certain charges against *Lawrence*  
*Herchmer*, Commissioner of the *North-west* Mounted Police. (*Sessional Papers*,  
 No. 47.)

Mr. *Mulock* moved, seconded by Mr. *McMullen*, and the Question being put,  
 That the House do now adjourn:—It passed in the Negative.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting  
 Witnesses and Evidence;

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 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 re-  
 specting the *St. Lawrence* and *Adirondack* Railway Company, and, after some time  
 spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 concur-  
 rence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill  
 respecting the *Manitoba* and South-eastern Railway Company, and, after some time  
 spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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.

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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 give effect to an Agreement between the Grand Trunk Railway Company of *Canada*, the Canadian *Pacific* Railway Company, and the Corporation of the City of *Toronto*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 *Port Arthur, Duluth* and Western Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the Lake *Erie* and *Detroit* River Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 *Montreal* and *Atlantic* Railway Company, and for other purposes, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 Manufacturers' Accident Insurance Company, and to change its name to "The Manufacturers' Guarantee and Accident Insurance Company," and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 Ocean Accident Insurance Corporation, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 Ocean Accident Corporation."

*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 Eastern Trust Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 Ocean Fidelity Guarantee Corporation, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 Committee of the Whole on the Bill respecting Witnesses and Evidence was resumed, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

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

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dominion Steamers, to meet unforeseen expenses in connection with repairs for steamers "*Lansdowne*," "*Newfield*" and "*Quadra*," for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fisheries—Further amount required for the maintenance and repairs of Fishery Protection steamers and vessels, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and twenty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following persons for services



in compiling and forwarding daily reports in connection with Fisheries Intelligence Bureau during the season of 1892:—the following persons to be paid \$15 each, viz.: *J. P. Brennan, R. Benoit, C. P. LeLacheur, A. J. Clark, T. Aucoire, J. M. Viets, R. McLean, Charles Owen, E. A. Calder, J. C. Bourinot, J. Dunlop, George Stalker, P. O'Toole, Louis McKeen, M. A. Dunn, J. M. McNutt, George Rowlings, A. G. Hamilton, P. F. Fougère, E. D. Tremaine, J. N. Taylor, E. E. Letson, J. A. D'Entremont, R. L. Bolman, D. McAulay, D. Urquhart and David Murray, \$405; James A. Russell, \$10; T. C. Cooke, \$5; William Brymner, \$2.50, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.*

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred and fifty-nine dollars and twenty-six cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the following items, viz.:—To pay *James W. Watson* for services as extra clerk from 1st July, 1892, to 18th September, at \$2 per diem, \$160; To pay *E. W. Gilbert* for services as extra clerk from 1st July, 1892, to 18th September, 1892, at \$1.50, \$120; To pay *Mr. Isaac Newton* for loss sustained in defending a suit brought against him by an American Company, \$379.26, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Expenses in connection with the *Behring Sea Arbitration*, \$15,000; To provide for expenses in connection with International Fisheries Commission, *United States and Canada*, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *J. Johnston* for services in connection with the preparation of the maps which accompanied the report of the Commissioner of the *North-west Mounted Police* for the year 1891, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Civil Service Act, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Government of the *North-west Territories*:—Amount required for the working expenses of well-boring machines, piping, &c., \$2,500; Further amount required to meet expenditure connected with Lieutenant Governor's office, \$3,700, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-two thousand nine hundred and twenty-one dollars and eighty-two cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Ontario and Quebec*:—Grant to assist the following overdrawn accounts under the authority of Order in Council of 29th September, 1892: Indian Land Management Fund; Province of *Quebec* Indian Fund; Indian School Fund, \$19,060; To provide for expenditure over and above amounts appropriated in previous years, and to close the following accounts to 30th June, 1892:—Surveys, \$19.09; Relief of distress, *Ontario*, \$14.83; Purchase of blankets, *Ontario and Quebec*, \$177.82; Seed grain and relief, *Quebec*, \$1,297.54; Indian schools, \$51.13—\$1,560.41; To provide for the payment to *Mr. W. A. Mott* of the amount of his account for legal services in connection with prosecutions for sale of liquor to Indians of *Restigouche, Quebec*, these Indians having no funds of their own, \$100; To pay moiety of the cost of erecting a bridge over the *Goulais River*, in the *Batchewana District*, \$2,261.41, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Railways and Canals:—*Lachine Canal*—To repair wharfs between locks Nos. 1 and 2, \$750; To repair lock gate valves and painting locks Nos. 2 and 3, \$1,450; For repairs and renewals of weir sluices and readjusting two stone piers in weirs at *St. Gabriel* and at *Lachine*, \$1,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide five electric lights at *Ottawa*, for *Rideau Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand three hundred and fifty-six dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salaries of two electricians and one ferryman—*Beauharnois Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand six hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salaries and contingencies—*Chambly Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and sixteen dollars and sixty-six cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay a gratuity of two months' salary to the widow of the late *H. H. Killaly*, Engineer in charge of *Rapide Plat Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

*Saturday, 4th March, 1893.*

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

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

Mr. *Bergeron* 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, having continued to sit till twenty minutes after Twelve of the Clock on Saturday morning, adjourned till Monday next.

Monday, 6th March, 1893.

#### PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Davin*.—The Petition of *R. Macdonald* and others, of *Yorkton*; the Petition of *Joseph W. Case* and others, of *Coventry Public School District, Moose Jaw*; the Petition of *John Cain* and others, of *Davin, South Qu'Appelle*, all of the District of *Assiniboia, North-west Territories*; and the Petition of *James Honeyman* and others, of *Souris* and vicinity, *Manitoba*.

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

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

Of Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, *New Westminster, British Columbia*; praying for the passing of an Act providing for the adoption of the system known as the "Initiative and Referendum" in matters of legislation in the Dominion of *Canada*.

Of Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, *New Westminster, British Columbia*; praying for the passing of an Act prohibiting the admission of Chinese immigrants into *Canada*, imposing a poll tax on Chinese residents, and for other purposes.

Of Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, *New Westminster, British Columbia*; praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation into *Canada* of workmen under contract.

Of *John McEwan* and others, of *Bear River, County of Digby, Nova Scotia*; praying that no cattle be allowed to run at large on the Indian Reserve, at the above named place.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Masson* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the North American 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 To-morrow.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Adams* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Témiscouata* 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. *Costigan*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Report of Secretary of State of *Canada*, for the year ended 31st December, 1892. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 16.)

Mr. *Costigan* also presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 20th February, 1893, for a Return of all correspondence, telegrams, reports and other papers relating to the suspension of Mr. *Edward Hackett*, Inspector of Fisheries, *Prince Edward Island*, in the year 1892; together with copies of the charges made against Mr. *Hackett*, the authority given to the Commissioner in *Prince Edward Island* to take evidence on such charges, together with the evidence taken, and the report of the Minister of Marine thereon, together with any letters, correspondence, orders or reports relating to the reinstatement of Mr. *Hackett*. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 48.)

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 6th February, 1893, for a Statement showing total amount of money paid by years since Confederation on each of the following accounts:—

- (a.) Salary of Governor General.
- (b.) Travelling expenses of Governor General.
- (c.) Expenditure on Rideau Hall on capital account.
 

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- (d.) Expenditure on furnishings of all kinds for Rideau Hall.
- (e.) Allowance to Governor General for coal and light.
- (f.) Expenditure on any other account in connection with the office of Governor General.
- (g.) Expenditure on any other account in connection with Rideau Hall and grounds.
- (h.) Total expenditure of every kind since Confederation in connection with the office of Governor General.
- (i.) Total expenditure of every kind in connection with Rideau Hall and grounds. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 49.)

Also. Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 6th February, 1893, for a Return of all letters, correspondence, reports and all other matter on record, passed between the Department of Agriculture and the High Commissioner of *Canada* in *London*, the Imperial Board of Trade or any other officials of an authoritative body in reference to the scheduling of Canadian cattle in the ports of *Great Britain* and *Ireland*, on and after 20th October last. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 50.)

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

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

STANLEY OF PRESTON.

*Gentlemen of the House of Commons :*

I acknowledge with thanks the Address you have loyally adopted in reply to the Speech with which I opened the Session, and I rely with confidence on the assurance that the important measures submitted to you will receive your careful consideration.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,  
Ottawa, 3rd March, 1893.

*Ordered,* That Mr. *Beausoleil* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the Judges of the Sessions of the Peace for the Cities of *Quebec* and *Montreal*.

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

A Bill to incorporate the Eastern Trust 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.

A Bill to incorporate the Ocean Fidelity Guarantee Corporation, was, according to Order, read the third time.

*Resolved,* That the Bill do pass, and that the Title be: "An Act to incorporate the Ocean Guarantee Corporation."

*Ordered,* That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the *Alberta* Railway and Coal Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Mara* 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 *Nakusp* and *Slocan* 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 *Drummond* County 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 further amend the Act to enable the City of *Winnipeg* to utilize the *Assiniboine* River water power;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the *British America* Assurance Company;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

A Bill respecting Witnesses and Evidence, 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 House again in the Committee of Supply;

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, and the Question being proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair;

Mr. *Tarte* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Guay*, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question, be left out, and the words, "this House desires to express its disapproval of the action of the Government in dealing with the *Manitoba* School Question, and in assuming to be possessed of judicial functions conflicting with their duty as constitutional advisers of the Crown, which assumption is wholly unknown to the law, and, if now acquiesced in, would be entirely subversive of the principle of ministerial responsibility," inserted instead thereof;

And a Debate arising thereupon;

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

*Tuesday, 7th March, 1893.*

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

*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the following Bills without any amendment:—

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the *Hamilton* Provident and Loan Society."

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Dominion Burglary Guarantee Company (Limited)."

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *Martha Ballantyne*," 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 *Martha Ballantyne*," and the papers referred to them, and request that the same be returned to the Senate.

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, an Agreement entered into between Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain and Ireland* and the President of the French Republic, regulating the commercial relations between *Canada and France* in respect to the Customs tariffs. (*Sessional Papers, No. 51.*)

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

*Ottawa, 6th March, 1893.*

And then The House, having continued to sit till five minutes after One of the Clock on Tuesday morning, adjourned till this day.

Tuesday, 7th March, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Casey*,—The Petition of the Municipal Council of the County of *Dufferin, Ontario*.

By Mr. *McKay*,—Four Petitions of Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, No. 1; and the Petition of Painters' Union, No. 27, all of *Hamilton, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Frémont*,—Two Petitions of *Cape Rouge* Assembly, No. 2508, *Quebec*.

Mr. *Mills (Annapolis)*, 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 *Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo* Railway Company and the Corporation of the City of *Brantford*, for an Act to confirm a by-law passed by the said City of *Brantford* granting a certain sum of money to the said Railway Company; of the *Chilliwack* Railway Company, for an Act to confirm their Charter and to enable them to lease their railway to the Canadian *Pacific* Railway Company; and of the *Nicola Valley* Railway Company, for power to lease their railway to the Canadian *Pacific* Railway Company.

Your Committee have also examined the Notices given on the separate Petition of the *Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo* Railway Company, for an Act to confirm a by-law of the City of *Brantford*, to extend the time for the construction of their railway, to enable them to construct their railway from *Waterford* to Lake *Erie*, and to confirm a by-law passed by the City of *Hamilton*, and find that the said Notices are sufficient to cover all the powers sought by the Petitioners with the exception of the proposed extension of time for construction and the proposed extension of the railway from *Waterford* to Lake *Erie*.

Your Committee have also considered the Petition of the Canadian *Pacific* Railway Company, for an Act to enable them to issue preferred or guaranteed stock, and find that only three weeks' notice has been published; but, as the necessity for the application arose too recently to admit of the full notice being given, and, as no interests but those of the shareholders can be affected, and the proposed issue of stock is to be subject to the consent of the shareholders expressed at a general meeting called for the purpose, your Committee recommend that the Notice given be deemed sufficient.

Your Committee have also examined the Petition of *L. E. Morin* and others, for an Act of Incorporation as a Gas Company, and find that the Notices given are short in point of time; but, as they will mature before the Bill can be considered in Committee, your Committee recommend that they be deemed sufficient.

Your Committee have also examined the Petition of the Dominion Building and Loan Association of *Toronto*, for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation, and find that no proof of compliance with the requirements of the 51st Rule has been furnished to your Committee.

Mr. *Bergin*, from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, presented to the House the First Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

The Committee find that there will be an additional amount required for the Printing of Parliament of \$75,000 for the present fiscal year, viz. :—

Routine work of Session, \$10,000; Annual Reports, \$48,000; Farm and Dairy Reports, \$12,000; Binding, \$5,000; and recommend that the same be granted.

Mr. *Stairs*, 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 had under consideration the following Bills, and beg leave to report the same with Amendments, viz.:—

Bill to incorporate the *Canada North-west Land Company (Limited)*;—and

Bill to incorporate the *Canada Carriage Company*.

Mr. *Costigan*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,— Copy of an Order in Council of the 17th January, 1893, authorizing the issue of licenses to *United States Fishing Vessels* during the year 1893, for the purchase of bait, ice, lines and all other supplies, the transshipment of catch and shipping of crews. (*Sessional Papers, No. 54.*)

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Coatsworth* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo 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. *Baker* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Canadian Pacific Railway Company*.

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

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Macdonald (Winnipeg)* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *Canadian Gas 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. *Corbould* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the *Chilliwhack 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. *Corbould* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the *British Columbia Dock 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 respecting the *Nicola Valley 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 respecting the *Nelson and Fort Sheppard 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. *Mulock* have leave to bring in a Bill in further amendment of the *Dominion Elections Act*.

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

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 1st March, 1893, for copies of all letters, telegrams and correspondence between the Government or any Member thereof, and the late English Financial Agents of *Canada in London* and the Bank of *Montreal* in reference to the recent change of agency at *London*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 53.*)

Mr. *Foster* also 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 accompanying papers relating to the Conference held at *Washington* in February, 1892, between the delegates of the Canadian Government and the Secretary of State of the *United States* upon the several subjects therein mentioned. (*Sessional Papers, No. 52.*)

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,  
*Ottawa*, 7th March, 1893.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question, which was, on Monday 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, "this House desires to express its disapproval of the action of the Government in dealing with the *Manitoba* School Question, and in assuming to be possessed of judicial functions conflicting with their duty as constitutional advisers of the Crown, which assumption is wholly unknown to the law, and, if now acquiesced in, would be entirely subversive of the principle of ministerial responsibility," 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, 8th March, 1893.

On motion of Mr. *Amyot*, seconded by Mr. *Davin*,  
Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

On motion of Sir *John Thompson*, seconded by Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*,  
Ordered, That the Order for the adjourned Debate on the Motion for the House to go again into Committee of Supply, and the proposed amendment thereto, have precedence, after Questions to be put by Members, at the next sitting of the House, this day.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend 'An Act respecting the *Nova Scotia* Permanent Benefit Building Society and Savings Fund,' " to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Mr. *Daly*, 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, 1892. (*Sessional Papers, No. 14.*)

And then The House, having continued to sit till five minutes after One of the Clock on Wednesday morning, adjourned till this day.



Wednesday, 8th March, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

Of *R. Macdonald* and others, of *Yorkton*; of *Joseph W. Case* and others, of *Coventry Public School District, Moose Jaw*; and of *John Cain* and others, of *Davin, South Qu'Appelle*, all of the District of *Assiniboia, North-west Territories*; severally praying that the *North-west Assembly* may be given the control of Education, and that the Clause in the *North-west Territories Act*, requiring the Ordinances of the said Assembly published, and the proceedings of the Courts conducted, in the French language, may be repealed.

Of *James Honeyman* and others, of *Souris* and vicinity, *Manitoba*; praying for the removal of the duties on binder twine, barbed wire for fencing, coal oil and lumber, and for the reduction of the duty on farming implements.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Kent, Ontario*; praying for an amendment of the Railway Act, in regard to the construction and enlargement of drainage works crossed by railways in certain municipalities.

*Mr. Tisdale*, 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 Bill respecting the Grand Trunk Railway Company of *Canada*, and have agreed to report the same with Amendments.

Your Committee recommend that as the time for presenting Reports from Committees on Private Bills expires To-morrow, the same be extended until Thursday, the 23rd day of March, instant.

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

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of "*Martha Ballantyne*" be now read the first time.

On motion of *Mr. Bergin*, seconded by *Mr. Tisdale*,

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

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

*Ordered*, That as the time for the reception of Reports from Committees on Private Bills expires To-morrow, the same be extended until Thursday, the 23rd day of March, instant, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Fourth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Costigan* have leave to bring in a Bill to repeal certain sections of the Merchant Shipping Act relating to load lines, so far as they affect ships registered 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.

On motion of *Sir John Thompson*, seconded by *Sir Adolphe P. Caron*,

*Resolved*, That Government Orders have precedence over all other business on Thursdays, including Thursday next, after Questions to be put by Members.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question, which was, on Monday 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, "this House desires to express its disapproval of the action of the Government in dealing with the *Manitoba School* Question, and in assuming to be possessed of judicial functions conflicting with their duty as constitutional advisers of the Crown, which assumption is wholly unknown to the law, and, if now acquiesced in, would be entirely subversive of the principle of ministerial responsibility," inserted instead thereof;

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

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

*Half-past Seven o'Clock, P. M.*

Private Bills under Rule 19.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Canada North-west Land Company* (Limited), and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Mills* (*Annapolis*) reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Canada Carriage 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 Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the *Canada Atlantic and Plant Steamship Company* (Limited);

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the *Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo 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 *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 respecting the *Chilliwack* 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 *British Columbia* Dock Company;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the *Nicola* Valley 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 *Nelson* and *Fort Sheppard* Railway Company.

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

The House then resumed the Debate on the Question, 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, "this House desires to express its disapproval of the action of the Government in dealing with the *Manitoba* School Question, and in assuming to be possessed of judicial functions conflicting with their duty as constitutional advisers of the Crown, which assumption is wholly unknown to the law, and, if now acquiesced in, would be entirely subversive of the principle of ministerial responsibility," inserted instead thereof;

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

*Thursday, 9th March, 1893.*

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.

|                           |              |                    |                   |
|---------------------------|--------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Allan,                    | Davies,      | Jeanotte,          | O'Brien,          |
| Bain (Wentworth),         | Dawson,      | Landerkin,         | Paterson (Brant), |
| Beausoleil,               | Delisle,     | Langelier,         | Pelletier,        |
| Béchar,                   | Devlin,      | Laurier,           | Perry,            |
| Bernier,                  | Dugas,       | Lavergne,          | Préfontaine,      |
| Bourassa,                 | Edgar,       | Leduc,             | Proulx,           |
| Bowers,                   | Fauvel,      | Legris,            | Rider,            |
| Brodeur,                  | Featherston, | Lister,            | Rinfret,          |
| Brown,                    | Forbes,      | Livingston,        | Sanborn,          |
| Bruneau,                  | Fraser,      | Lowell,            | Scriver,          |
| Campbell,                 | Frémont,     | Macdonald (Huron), | Semple,           |
| Carroll,                  | Geoffrion,   | McCarthy,          | Somerville,       |
| Cartwright (Sir Richard), | Gibson,      | McGregor,          | Sutherland,       |
| Casey,                    | Gillmor,     | McMillan,          | Tarte,            |
| Charlton,                 | Godbout,     | McMullen,          | Vaillancourt,     |
| Choquette,                | Grieve,      | Mignault,          | Welsh, and        |
| Christie,                 | Guay,        | Monet,             | Yeo.—71.          |
| Colter,                   | Innes,       | Mulock,            |                   |

## NAYS

## Messieurs.

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|----------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|
| Adams,               | Davis,                      | LaRivière,              | Quimet,                |
| Amyot,               | Denison,                    | Leclair,                | Patterson (Huron),     |
| Bain (Soulanges),    | Desaulniers,                | Lépine,                 | Pope,                  |
| Baker,               | Dickey,                     | Lippé,                  | Pridham,               |
| Barnard,             | Dupont,                     | Macdonald (King's),     | Prior,                 |
| Belley,              | Dyer,                       | Macdonald (Winnipeg),   | Putnam,                |
| Bennett,             | Earle,                      | Macdonell (Algoma),     | Reid,                  |
| Bergeron,            | Fairbairn,                  | Macdowall,              | Robillard,             |
| Boyd,                | Ferguson (Renfrew),         | Mackintosh,             | Roome,                 |
| Boyle,               | Foster,                     | Maclean (York),         | Rosamond,              |
| Burnham,             | Fréchette,                  | McAlister,              | Ross (Dundas),         |
| Calvin,              | Gillies,                    | McDonald (Assiniboia),  | Ross (Lisgar),         |
| Cameron,             | Girouard (Jacques-Cartier), | McDonald (Victoria),    | Ryckman,               |
| Cargill,             | Girouard (Two Mount'ns),    | McDougald (Pictou),     | Simard,                |
| Carignan,            | Grandbois,                  | McDougall(Cape Breton), | Sproule,               |
| Carling,             | Guillet,                    | McEnerney,              | Stairs,                |
| Carpenter,           | Haggart,                    | McKay,                  | Stevenson,             |
| Caron (Sir Adolphe), | Hazen,                      | McLean (King's),        | Taylor,                |
| Carscallen,          | Hearn,                      | McLennan,               | Temple,                |
| Chesley,             | Henderson,                  | McLeod,                 | Thompson (Sir John),   |
| Cleveland,           | Hodgins,                    | McNeill,                | Tisdale,               |
| Coatsworth,          | Hughes,                     | Madill,                 | Turcotte,              |
| Cochrane,            | Hutchins,                   | Mara,                   | Tyrwhitt,              |
| Cockburn,            | Ingram,                     | Marshall,               | Wallace,               |
| Corbould,            | Ives,                       | Metcalfe,               | White (Cardwell),      |
| Corby,               | Joncas,                     | Miller,                 | White (Shelburne),     |
| Costigan,            | Kaulbach,                   | Mills (Annapolis),      | Wilmot,                |
| Craig,               | Kenny,                      | Moncrieff,              | Wilson,                |
| Curran,              | Lachapelle,                 | Montague,               | Wood (Brockville), and |
| Daly,                | Langevin (Sir Hector),      | Northrup,               | Wood(Westmore'ld)--121 |
| Davin,               |                             |                         |                        |

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

*Ordered*, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House, accordingly, again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Nova Scotia*—To provide an additional amount for medical attendance, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

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

Mr. *Bergeron* 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 ten minutes before Six of the Clock on Thursday morning, adjourned till this day.

Thursday, 9th March, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Grandbois*,—The Petition of *John F. Stairs*, M.P., and others.

By Mr. *Mulock*,—The Petition of *Chus Big Canoe*, Chief, and others, of the *Ojibway* Band of Indians, of *Georgina* Island Reserve, Lake *Simcoe*, *Ontario*.

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

Of Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, No. 1, *Hamilton, Ontario*; and of *Cape Rouge* Assembly, No. 2508, *Quebec*; severally praying for the passing of an Act providing for the adoption of the system known as the "Initiative and Referendum" in matters of legislation in the Dominion of *Canada*.

Of Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, No. 1, *Hamilton, Ontario*; and of *Cape Rouge* Assembly, No. 2508, *Quebec*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation into *Canada* of workmen under contract.

Of Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, No. 1, *Hamilton, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act prohibiting the admission of Chinese immigrants into *Canada*, imposing a poll tax on Chinese residents, and for other purposes.

Of Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, No. 1; and of Printers' Union, No. 27, all of *Hamilton, Ontario*; severally praying that the Bill now before Parliament to determine the length of the working day for workmen, &c., may become law.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Dufferin, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act making it compulsory on all railways under Dominion jurisdiction to make provision for culverts on natural watercourses wherever required.

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

(In the Committee.)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians—*Manitoba* and *North-west Territories*:—To complete hospital on Blood Reserve, \$600; Furniture, \$200, \$800; To complete the *Red Deer* Industrial School, and to provide barns, fences and outbuildings, \$6,000; To complete the additions to the *St. Paul* Industrial School, to provide heating apparatus and furniture, \$2,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians—*British Columbia*:—To provide a further sum to assist in the erection of buildings for the Indian Industrial School, under the auspices of the Methodist Church at *Chilliwack, B.C.*, \$2,500; To cover quarantine and other expenses incurred, to prevent an epidemic of small-pox during the summer of 1892, \$3,000.—Additional amounts required—Travelling expenses, \$1,000; Medicines, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards the expenses of the International Mining Convention, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards the expenses of determining the boundary line in *Passamaquoddy* Bay, between the southernmost point of *Prince of Wales Island* and the 141st meridian of west longitude, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards the expenses of determining the boundary line between Canada and the *United States of America*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Messieurs *Drake, Jackson & Helmcken* for service of papers on one *Constant Durand*, performed at the request of the Belgian Consul-General, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand one hundred and two dollars and seventy-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Mr. *A. N. Montpetit* for translation of the Report of the Royal Commission of Enquiry into the Civil Service, reading and correcting proofs and preparing index of the same, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for gratuity to Mr. *Mowat*, who was seriously injured by the explosion of a barrel of varnish at *Campbellton* Station, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fire at *St. John's, Newfoundland*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay further amount required for Prohibition Commission, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand and twenty-two dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay for portrait of Lord *Lansdowne*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to cover claims of the Imperial Government for relief to distressed Canadians, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand five hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Excise—Contingencies, further amount required, \$2,000; Commission to Customs officers, further amount required, \$500; To pay *John Cochrane*, Customs officer, Intercolonial Railway freight depot, *St. John, N.B.*, for services for this Department, 1st January to 30th June, 1893, \$75, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to increase the salary of *M. Kelly*, Assistant Inspector of Weights and Measures for *Quebec* Division, from 1st January to 30th June, 1893, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay a gratuity equal to two months' salary to the widow of the late *F. N. Gisborne*, Superintendent of Telegraphs, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required for completion of bridge on Ordnance lands at *Grand Falls, N.B.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and sixty-six dollars and sixty-seven cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Post Office—Amount required to increase the salary of Mr. *W. W. McLeod*, Inspector of the *Manitoba* Postal Division, from \$2,200 to \$2,400, he having completed ten years' service as Inspector on the 1st March, 1892, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dominion Lands Chargeable to Capital—Further amount required for surveys, examination of survey returns, printing of plans, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Militia expenses—Rebellion, *N.W.T.*, 1885, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty-eight thousand two hundred and forty-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Un-

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provided Items, 1891-92—Amount required to cover Unprovided Items as per Auditor General's Report, pages A 20 and 21, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

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

Mr. *Denison* 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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Friday, 10th March, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Coatsworth*,—Three Petitions of *St. Crispin* Assembly, No. 6250, Knights of Labour, *Toronto, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Davin*,—The Petition of *William Gow* and others, of *Davin*, District of *Assiniboia*; and the Petition of *David James Wylie* and others, of the *North-west Territories*.

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

In accordance with the requirements of the 54th Rule, your Committee have examined the Bill, from the Senate, intituled; “An Act for the relief of *Martha* “*Ballantyne*,” and find that the Notices given thereon are sufficient.

Your Committee have also examined the Petition of the Canadian Live Stock Insurance Association, for an Act of Incorporation, and find that the Notices, while in accordance with the Rule in other respects, are somewhat short in point of time; but, as they will mature before the Bill is considered in Committee, your Committee recommend that they be deemed sufficient.

As the time for presenting Private Bills has expired, your Committee recommend that that portion of the 49th Rule which limits the time for presenting Private Bills be suspended in reference to a Bill to incorporate the Canadian Live Stock Insurance Association.

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 with Amendments, viz.:—

Bill respecting the *Canada* Life Assurance Company.

Bill to incorporate “The Woodmen of the World;”—and

Bill to revive and amend the Act to incorporate the Equity Insurance Company, and to change the name of the Company to the *St. Lawrence* Insurance Company.

Mr. *Bergin*, 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 :—

Having read the Report of the Queen's Printer and the certificate of the medical man in attendance upon Mr. *Edward Gratton*, an employee in the Printing Bureau, the Committee recommend that he be granted one month's leave of absence.

The Committee recommend that the amount of Mr. *F. Roger's* account for File Boards be paid, namely, \$252, for 1,262 sets furnished the Senate and House of Commons, but, that in future no such boards be provided.

The application of the *Canso Mechanics' Institute* for the customary supply of public documents to such institutions is respectfully recommended.

On motion of Mr. *Weldon*, seconded by Mr. *Wood (Westmoreland)*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend 'An Act respecting the *Nova Scotia* Permanent Benefit Building Society and Savings 'Fund,'" 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 to amend the Wrecks and Salvage 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. *Bergeron* 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 disposal of moneys paid in connection with proceedings before Parliament.

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. *Bergeron* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

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

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 respecting the Grand Trunk Railway Company of *Canada*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 *Témiscouata* Railway Company;

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

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the Central Counties Railway Company," without any amendment.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the *Buffalo* and *Fort Erie* Bridge 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 *James Balfour*," 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 *James Balfour*," and the papers referred to them, and request that the same be returned to the Senate.

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *Robert Young Hebdén*," 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 *Robert Young Hebdén*," and the papers referred to them, and request that the same be returned to the Senate.

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *Edmund Holyoake Heward*," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And also, the Senate communicate to this House the evidence taken before the Select Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the Bill, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *Edmund Holyoake Heward*," and the papers referred to them, and request that the same be returned to the Senate.

The Committee of Supply was then resumed.

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Cape Tormentine* Harbour, *New Brunswick*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Ship Channel between *Quebec* and *Montreal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Turning basin, &c., *Kaministiquia* River, *Ontario*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *New Brunswick*, as follow:—*Chatham* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$15,000; *St. John* Custom House, &c., \$75,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for renewals and heavy repairs of Dominion Public Buildings—Maritime Provinces generally, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, as follow:—*Quebec*—*St. Henri* Post Office, &c.—To complete, \$13,000; *St. Hyacinthe* Post Office, Custom House, &c.—To complete, \$2,250; *St. Vincent de Paul* Penitentiary, \$32,000; *Richmond* Post Office, Customs and Inland Revenue Offices, \$4,000; *West Farnham* Post Office, Customs and Inland Revenue Offices—To complete, \$5,000; *Quebec* Post Office—New wing, \$10,000; *Montreal* Post Office—Alterations and improvements, \$12,000; Dominion Public Buildings—Renewals and heavy repairs, \$12,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty-two thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Ontario*:—*Orillia* Public Building—The Town contributing the *Wheeler* lot free of cost—To complete, \$1,600; *Port Arthur* Post Office, Custom House, &c.—To complete, \$4,600; *Toronto* Drill Hall—The City of *Toronto* having provided a plot of land as agreed upon—To complete, \$90,000; *Smith's Falls* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$18,500; *Picton* Post Office, Custom House, &c.—To complete, \$11,000; *Kingston* Royal Military College—Model shed, \$1,500; Dominion Public Buildings—Renewals and heavy repairs, \$25,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Manitoba*:—*Winnipeg* Military Buildings, \$20,000; Dominion Public Buildings generally—Renewals and heavy repairs, \$6,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-four thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *North-west Territories*:—*Edmonton* Registry Office and Crown Lands and Timber Agents' Office—To complete, \$1,200; *Prince Albert* Crown Lands and Timber Agents' Offices—To complete, \$2,000; *Regina* Court House, Land Office and Registry Office, \$20,000; *Lethbridge* Custom House and Court House, site being furnished, \$7,000; *Calgary* Post Office, Custom House and Inland Revenue, Dominion Lands and Crown Timber Offices, \$25,000; Court House and Lock-up and police accommodation, \$7,500; *North-west* Mounted Police Buildings, \$20,000; Dominion Public Buildings—Renewals and heavy repairs, \$1,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-three thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *British Columbia*:—*Vancouver* Post Office, Custom House, &c.—To complete, \$13,000; *Victoria* Drill Hall—Locality furnishing site free of cost—To complete, \$5,500; *Victoria* Military Buildings, including *Macaulay Point* Battery—To complete, \$9,750; Dominion Public Buildings—Renewals and heavy repairs, \$5,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Experimental Farms, as follows, viz.:—Improvements, renewals, repairs, &c., in connection with buildings, fences, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

*Saturday, 11th March, 1893.*

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

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

Mr. *Bergeron* 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.

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

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of "*Martha Ballantyne*," be read a second time on Monday next.

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

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of "*James Balfour*," 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 Mr. *Sutherland*, seconded by Mr. *McMullen*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of "*Edmund Holyoake Heward*," 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 Mr. *Sutherland*, seconded by Mr. *McMullen*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of "*Robert Young Hebdén*," be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

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.

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Monday, 13th March, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Joncas*,—The Petition of the Reverend *J. M. Dubé*, Curé, and others, of *Mont Louis* and *Ste. Anne des Monts*, County of *Gaspé*, *Quebec*.

By Mr. *Davin*,—The Petition of *Andrew Carswell* and others, of *Coteau*; and the Petition of *William Warner*, Senr., and others, of *Montgomery*, all of the District of *Assiniboia*, *North-west Territories*.

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

Of *John F. Stairs*, M.P., and others; praying to be permitted to lay before the House the Petition of the Eastern *Canada* Savings and Loan Company (Limited), for the passing of an Act amending their Act of Incorporation, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for presenting Petitions for Private Bills.

Of *William Gow* and others, of *Davin*, District of *Assiniboia*; and of *David James Wylie* and others, all of the *North-west Territories*; severally praying that the *North-west* Assembly may be given the control of education, and that the Clause in the *North-west Territories* Act requiring the Ordinances of the said

Assembly published, and the proceedings of the Courts conducted, in the French language, may be repealed.

Of *St. Crispin* Assembly, No. 6250, Knights of Labour, *Toronto, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act prohibiting the admission of Chinese immigrants into *Canada*, imposing a poll tax on Chinese residents, and for other purposes.

Of *St. Crispin* Assembly, No. 6250, Knights of Labour, *Toronto, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation into *Canada* of workmen under contract.

Of *St. Crispin* Assembly, No. 6250, Knights of Labour, *Toronto, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act providing for the adoption of the system known as the "Initiative and Referendum" in matters of legislation in the Dominion of *Canada*.

Of *Chus Big Canoe*, Chief, and others, of the Ojibway Band of Indians of *Georgina* Island Reserve, Lake *Simcoe, Ontario*; praying that the right or privilege of catching fish, as formerly, within their own fishing limits, may be restored to them.

On motion of Mr. *Mills (Annapolis)*, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*,

*Ordered*, That the Petition of *John F. Stairs*, M.P., and others, read and received this day; praying to be permitted to lay before the House the Petition of the Eastern *Canada* Savings and Loan Company (Limited), for the passing of an Act amending their Act of Incorporation, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for receiving such Petitions, be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders.

Mr. *Costigan*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 27th July, 1891, for copies of all documents, petitions and letters in relation to the fishing rights of *F. F. Rouleau*, Esquire, Advocate, of *Rimouski*, which said rights he and his predecessors have always exercised on his property at *Rimouski*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 20g.*)

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 6th February, 1893, for a Return showing the quantity of Pig Iron produced in *Canada* in the years 1831, 1882, 1883, 1884, 1885, 1886, 1887, 1888, 1889, 1890, 1891, 1892; and the bounty paid for the production in each of those years. (*Sessional Papers, No. 37b.*)

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the *Canada* Life Assurance Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 Woodmen of the World, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 revive and amend the Act to incorporate the Equity Insurance Company, and to change the name of the Company to the *St. Lawrence* Insurance Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 Act to incorporate the *Buffalo* and *Fort Erie* Bridge Company," and the same was read, as follows:—

Page 2, line 10.—After "with" insert "the said Act or with."

The said Amendment, being read a second time, was 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 from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend 'An Act respecting the *Nova Scotia* Permanent Benefit Building Society and Savings Fund.'"

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 North American Canal Company;

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

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the Canadian Gas Association;

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 from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *Martha Ballantyne*;"

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

|                   |                       |                      |                    |
|-------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| Bain (Wentworth), | Dickey,               | McDonald (Victoria), | Ross (Dundas),     |
| Beith,            | Edgar,                | McLennan,            | Ross (Lisgar),     |
| Bennett,          | Fairbairn,            | McLeod,              | Sriver,            |
| Borden,           | Flint,                | McMillan,            | Semple,            |
| Bowers,           | Foster,               | McMullen,            | Somerville,        |
| Boyd,             | Gillies,              | McNeill,             | Stairs,            |
| Boyle,            | Hazen,                | Madill,              | Sutherland,        |
| Brown,            | Henderson,            | Mara,                | Taylor,            |
| Bryson,           | Hughes,               | Marshall,            | Temple,            |
| Cargill,          | Ingram,               | Mills (Annapolis),   | Tyrwhitt,          |
| Carpenter,        | Landerkin,            | Mills (Bothwell),    | Wallace,           |
| Casey,            | Lister,               | Montague,            | Welsh,             |
| Charlton,         | Lowell,               | Mulock,              | White (Shelburne), |
| Christie,         | Macdonald (Winnipeg), | Northrup,            | Wilmot,            |

|           |                        |                   |                         |
|-----------|------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|
| Cochrane, | Macdowall,             | Paterson (Brant), | Wilson,                 |
| Colter,   | Maclean (York),        | Putnam,           | Wood (Brockville),      |
| Davis,    | McAlister,             | Rider,            | Wood (Westmorel'd), and |
| Dawson,   | McDonald (Assiniboia), | Rosamond,         | Yeo.—73.                |
| Denison,  |                        |                   |                         |

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

|                      |                          |                     |                   |
|----------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| Amyot,               | Devlin,                  | LaRivière,          | Perry,            |
| Bain (Soulanges),    | Fréchette,               | Laurier,            | Proulx,           |
| Bergeron,            | Geoffrion,               | Leduc,              | Robillard,        |
| Bernier,             | Girouard (Two Mount'ns), | Legris,             | Simard,           |
| Cameron,             | Godbout,                 | Lippé,              | Tarte,            |
| Caron (Sir Adolphe), | Ives,                    | Macdonald (King's), | Turcotte, and     |
| Costigan,            | Joncas,                  | Quimet,             | Vaillancourt.—31. |
| Curran,              | Langevin (Sir Hector),   | Patterson (Huron),  |                   |

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 *James Balfour* ; "

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 *Edmund Holyoake Heward* ; "

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.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence and reports of Government officials, relating to the construction of a public building at *Kentville, Nova Scotia*, and the purchase of a site for the same, in accordance with a vote of this House passed in 1886.

On motion of Mr. *Ross (Dundas)*, seconded by Mr. *Ingram*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a copy of the Report made by Mr. *Hamel* upon the feasibility of further deepening and otherwise improving the *Petite Nation River*.

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

*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 showing, on the occasion of the taking of the last Census of *Canada*, the following particulars in regard to each of the following municipalities, viz. :—The Towns of *Aurora* and *Newmarket*, the Villages of *Holland Landing*, *Stouffville* and *Sutton West*, and the Townships of *King*, *Whitchurch*, *East Gwillimbury*, *North Gwillimbury* and *Georgina*, in the County of *York*, and the Village of *Bradford* and Township of *West Gwillimbury*, in the County of *Simcoe* :—

(a) The number of inhabited houses.

- (b) The number of empty houses.  
 (c) The number of houses under construction.  
 (d) The total number of industrial establishments.  
 (e) The total value of machinery and tools.  
 (f) The total number of employees (classified as men, women and children, respectively).  
 (g) The total number of steam engines.  
 (h) The names and numbers of the various industries and manufacturers in each of said municipalities.  
 (j) The aggregate of yearly wages paid in 1891, in each of said municipalities.  
 (k) The value of the manufactured products in 1891, in each of said municipalities.  
 (l) The total capital invested in industrial establishments in 1891, in each of said municipalities.

*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. *Fraser*, seconded by Mr. *Colter*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence relating to the claim of Mr. *Lauchlin McDougall*, of the County of *Victoria, Nova Scotia*, for superannuation allowance, together with the amounts paid him as Light-house Keeper in *St. Paul's* and *Ingonish*, giving the separate amounts for each year.

On motion of Mr. *Forbes*, seconded by Mr. *Borden*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing, separately, the various kinds of manufacturing establishments that make up the total number of 67 with which *Liverpool, Nova Scotia*, is credited by Bulletin No. 12.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return giving the names of the 804 manufacturers of the City of *London* referred to in the Census of 1891; the industries in which they are engaged, and the number of hands employed by each.

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

*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 showing:—

(a) Amount of money received as visitors' entrance fees at the *Kingston* Penitentiary during each year from 31st January, 1885, to 1st February, 1893.

(b) Payments out of said moneys to the Receiver General, and disposition of such funds.

(c) Particulars of goods manufactured and work done at said institution for any of its officers, showing who supplied the material for such goods, what sums were charged to said officers for said goods, and what sums have been actually paid during each of said years for said goods.

(d) Quantities of coal oil and gas supplied such officers, amount paid therefor and when.

(e) Amount of laundry work done at said institution during said dates, for whom done, amount charged and paid therefor, with dates of such payments and names of persons making such payments.

*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. *Béchar*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the entire cost, including grounds and outbuildings, of the Lieutenant Governor's residence at *Regina*, including every expenditure in connection therewith.

On motion of Mr. *McMullen*, seconded by Mr. *Béchar*d,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return giving the names of the owners of the several industrial establishments in the Town of *Mount Forest*, and the number of hands employed.

On motion of Mr. *McMullen*, seconded by Mr. *Béchar*d,

*Ordered*. That there be laid before this House, a Return showing a copy of certificate of qualification held by each of the Commanders of the Fishery Protection Service last season, as follow:—

Commander *O. G. V. Spain*, "*Acadia.*"  
 " *W. H. Kent*, "*Agnes Macdonald.*"  
 " *E. Dunn*, "*Bayfield.*"  
 " *George M. May*, "*Constance.*"  
 " *J. H. Pratt*, "*Dream.*"  
 " *William Wakeham*, "*La Canadienne.*"  
 " *A. Finlayson*, "*Stanley.*"  
 " *C. T. Knowlton*, "*Vigilant.*"

On motion of Mr. *Wood* (*Westmoreland*), seconded by Mr. *Weldon*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence, reports and other documents relative to the reduction in rank of *C. A. Atkinson* from conductor to brakesman, on or about October, 1887.

Mr. *Charlton* moved, seconded by Mr. *Scriver*, and the Question being proposed, That in the opinion of this House, the Canadian Department of the Columbian Exposition should be closed on Sunday, in accordance with British example at previous exhibitions; in deference to the Christian sentiment of the country, and as a recognition of the duty resting upon an avowedly Christian people, to refuse by official act to do violence to Christian principles and to decline to lend aid or countenance to any course that will deprive official, caretaker, or labourer of Christian liberties or privileges, or will invite or compel any class of the population to violate Divine requirements relating to the observance of the Lord's Day as a day of rest;

And a Debate arising thereupon;

Mr. *Daly* moved, seconded by Mr. *Sproule*, 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

|                      |                          |                          |                        |
|----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|
| Amyot,               | Davin,                   | Langevin (Sir Hector),   | Ouimet,                |
| Bain (Soulanges),    | Davis,                   | LaRivière,               | Pope,                  |
| Baker,               | Denison,                 | Leduc,                   | Prior,                 |
| Barnard,             | Dickey,                  | Macdonald (King's),      | Putnam,                |
| Béchard,             | Fairbairn,               | Macdonald (Winnipeg),    | Reid,                  |
| Belley,              | Foster,                  | Macdowall,               | Robillard,             |
| Bennett,             | Fréchette,               | Macleam (York),          | Rosamond,              |
| Bergeron,            | Gillies,                 | McAlister,               | Ross (Dundas),         |
| Boyle,               | Girouard (Two Mount'ns), | McDonald (Victoria),     | Ross (Lisgar),         |
| Bryson,              | Haggart,                 | McDougald (Pictou),      | Sproule,               |
| Cameron,             | Hazen,                   | McDougall (Cape Breton), | Taylor,                |
| Cargill,             | Henderson,               | McLennan,                | Temple,                |
| Carling,             | Hughes,                  | McLeod,                  | Turcotte,              |
| Carpenter,           | Hutchins,                | McNeill,                 | Tyrwhitt,              |
| Caron (Sir Adolphe), | Ingram,                  | Madill,                  | Wallace,               |
| Cochrane,            | Ives,                    | Mara,                    | White (Shelburne),     |
| Costigan,            | Joncas,                  | Mignault,                | Wilmot,                |
| Curran,              | Kaulbach,                | Miller,                  | Wilson, and            |
| Daly,                | Kenny,                   | Mills (Annapolis),       | Wood (Westmorel'd)—76. |



## NAYS :

## Messieurs

|                   |            |                    |               |
|-------------------|------------|--------------------|---------------|
| Bain (Wentworth), | Dawson,    | Macdonald (Huron), | Rider,        |
| Beith,            | Edgar,     | McMullen,          | Scrifer,      |
| Bernier,          | Flint,     | Mills (Bothwell),  | Semple,       |
| Borden,           | Gillmor,   | Mulock,            | Somerville,   |
| Brown,            | Godbout,   | O'Brien,           | Tarte,        |
| Casey,            | Landerkin, | Paterson (Brant),  | Vaillancourt, |
| Charlton,         | Laurier,   | Perry,             | Welsh, and    |
| Christie,         | Legris,    | Proulx,            | Yeo—34.       |
| Colter,           | Lowell,    |                    |               |

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

On motion of Mr. *Prior*, seconded by Mr. *Mara*,

*Resolved*, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying His Excellency to cause to be laid before this House, copies of all tenders, letters, telegrams and correspondence between the Government and their agents and any other persons, in regard to the contract let for the repairing of the Dominion steamer "*Quadra*."

*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. *Prior* moved, seconded by Mr. *Mara*, and the Question being proposed, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing total revenue paid into the Dominion Treasury by each of the Provinces of *Quebec*, *Ontario*, *New Brunswick*, *Nova Scotia*, *Prince Edward Island*, *Manitoba* and *British Columbia*, during each fiscal year, commencing on the 1st July, 1880, and ending on 30th June, 1892;

Mr. *Davin* moved, in amendment to the Question, seconded by Mr. *Christie*, That the words "*North-west Territories*" be added after the words "*Nova Scotia*;"

And the Question being put, That those words be there added:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then the main Question, so amended, being put;

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing total revenue paid into the Dominion Treasury by each of the Provinces of *Quebec*, *Ontario*, *New Brunswick*, *Nova Scotia*, *North-west Territories*, *Prince Edward Island*, *Manitoba* and *British Columbia*, during each fiscal year, commencing on the 1st July, 1880, and ending on 30th June, 1892.

On motion of Mr. *Prior*, seconded by Mr. *Mara*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing total sums expended by the Dominion Government in each of the Provinces of *Quebec*, *Ontario*, *New Brunswick*, *Prince Edward Island*, *Nova Scotia*, *Manitoba*, *British Columbia* and the *North-west Territories* from 30th June, 1880, to 30th June, 1892, under the following heads, viz.:—

|  |   |
|--|---|
| Construction and equipment of Railroads, | } Not including the Canadian Pacific<br>and Intercolonial Railways. |
| Subsidies granted to Railroads,          |   |
| Maintenance of Railroads,                |   |
| Harbours, Rivers, Piers, and Docks,      |   |
| Dredging,                                |   |
| Public Buildings of all kinds.           |   |

On motion of Mr. *Béchar*d, seconded by Mr. *McMullen*,

*Resolved*, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying His Excellency to cause to be laid before this House, a copy of the Order in Council, or any other document, which authorized the "*Stanstead*, *Shefford* and *Chambly* Railway Company," or their successors, the "*Vermont Central*

Railway Company," to build a wharf alongside their bridge across the *Richelieu* River, at *St. John's*, Province of *Quebec*.

*Ordered*, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency by such Members of this House as are of the Queen's Privy Council.

Mr. *Reid* moved, seconded by Mr. *Ross* (*Dundas*), and the Question being proposed, That in the opinion of this House, "cheese" the product and manufacture of any foreign country should not be admitted for entry or "in transit" unless the name of the country is plainly marked, stamped, branded or labelled in legible letters, both on each cheese and box containing the same so as to indicate the country of its origin;

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

Mr. *Davin* moved, seconded by Mr. *Christie*, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now resolve itself into a Committee to consider the following Resolution:—That it is expedient to amend the Customs Act, 49 *Victoria*, Chapter 32, so as to prevent the importation of wheat, maize, or other grain, in bond as now provided by the 93rd section of the said Act;

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

On motion of Mr. *Semple*, seconded by Mr. *McMillan*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the number of school teachers engaged in teaching in the *North-west Territories*, and the length of time each was engaged during the past year, with the salary received; also, the number of pupils attending each school, and all sources of revenue for the maintenance of schools.

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 papers respecting the several questions at issue between the Dominion of *Canada* and the Colony of *Newfoundland*. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 20f.)

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,  
*Ottawa*, March, 1893.

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, *Georgian Bay* and Lake "*Erie* Railway Company."

Bill intituled: An Act respecting the *Manitoba* and South-Eastern Railway Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the *St. Lawrence* and *Adirondack* Railway Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act to readjust the Representation in "the House of Commons."

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act to consolidate and "amend certain Acts relating to the *Manitoba* and North-Western Railway Company of *Canada*," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Tuesday, 14th March, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Hazen*.—The Petition of *Thomas S. Stone* and others, Pilots of the Port of *St. John, New Brunswick*.

By Mr. *Stairs*.—The Petition of the *Eastern Canada Savings and Loan Company (Limited)*.

Mr. *Mills (Annapolis)*, 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 considered the Notices given on the Bill, from the Senate, intituled: “An Act for the relief of *Robert Young Hebden*,” and find them sufficient.

Your Committee have also considered the Petition of *John F. Stairs, M.P.*, and others, for leave to present the Petition of the *Eastern Canada Loan and Savings Company (Limited)* for an Act to amend their Act of Incorporation, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for receiving such Petitions, and find that the necessity for the application only arose within the last week. They therefore recommend that that portion of the 49th Rule which limits the time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills be suspended in reference to the Petition of the said Company.

In view of the late period of the Session, your Committee recommend that the length of time required by the 60th Rule for posting Private Bills, prior to their consideration by Select Standing Committees, be reduced from one week to two days, such reduction to apply to all Bills posted on or after Friday, the 10th instant.

Mr. *La Rivière*, 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 have had under consideration the question of remuneration to be paid Mr. *A. C. Campbell* whose appointment as temporary substitute on the Official Reporting Staff was approved of by the House, on the 8th ultimo; and recommend that he be paid the sum of \$1,200 for his services during the present Session.

Your Committee, owing to the increased amount of work which had to be done in connection with the translation into English of the speeches delivered in the French language; and also, with the view of avoiding delays in the printing of the English revised edition, found it necessary to employ temporary assistance and recommend that Mr. *Frank Hughes*, who was engaged for that purpose, be paid at the rate of \$2.00 per page of 2 columns.

Your Committee submit, for the information of the House, the following comparative statement of the cost of publishing the Official Report of the Debates of the Sessions of 1891 and 1892, viz.:—

|                                  | Session 1891. | Session 1892. |
|----------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Reporters .....                  | \$17,000 00   | \$16,985 82   |
| Amanuenses.....                  | 3,720 00      | 3,203 00      |
| Translators.....                 | 13,825 12     | 10,200 00     |
| Printing, binding and paper..... | 24,064 49     | 16,622 24     |
| Miscellaneous.....               | 115 70        | 299 99        |
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|                                  | \$58,725 31   | \$47,311 05   |

Mr. *Tisdale*, from the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, presented to the House the Fifth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have had under consideration the following Bills, and have agreed to report the same with Amendments, viz.:—

Bill to revive and amend the Act to incorporate the *Moncton and Prince Edward Island* Railway and Ferry Company.

Bill to revive and amend the Act to incorporate the North Canadian *Atlantic* Railway and Steam-ship Company;—and

Bill respecting the *Columbia and Kootenay* Railway and Navigation Company.

In view of the late period of the Session, your Committee recommend that the length of notice required by the 60th Rule to be given, prior to the consideration of Private Bills by Select Standing Committees, be reduced from one week to two days, such reduction to apply to all Bills posted on or after Friday, the 10th instant.

On motion of Mr. *Mills* (*Annapolis*), seconded by Mr. *Tisdale*,

*Ordered*, That in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Eleventh Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, and in the Fifth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, the time for posting Private Bills under the 60th Rule of this House be reduced from one week to two days, such reduction to apply to all Bills posted on or after Friday, the 10th instant.

On motion of Mr. *Mills* (*Annapolis*), seconded by Mr. *Taylor*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to consolidate and amend certain Acts relating to the *Manitoba* and North-Western Railway Company of *Canada*," 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. *Mills* (*Annapolis*), seconded by Mr. *Taylor*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of "*Robert Young Hebdon*," be read a second time To-morrow.

On motion of Mr. *Stairs*, seconded by Mr. *Mackintosh*,

*Ordered*, That in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Eleventh Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, that portion of the 49th Rule of this House, which limits the time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills be suspended, in reference to the following Petition presented this day, and that it be read and received forthwith.

The said Petition was accordingly read and received, viz.:—

Of the *Eastern Canada* Savings and Loan Company (Limited); praying for the passing of an Act amending their Act of Incorporation.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Costigan* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act respecting the Harbour and River Police of the Province of *Quebec*.

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

The Order of the Day being read, for the House again in the Committee of Supply;

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, and the Question being proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

Mr. *McCarthy* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Hodgins*, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words, "since the introduction of the protective system sufficient time has elapsed for the establishment and development of such manufacturing industries as under existing conditions can be successfully carried on in *Canada*. Moreover, many manufacturers, sheltered

“ behind the rampart thus erected, have formed combinations and trusts which prohibit competition and create and maintain monopolies.

“ That the existing Tariff, defensible only as a protective measure, has proved in many instances oppressive and burdensome to the great mass of the consuming classes and especially to those engaged in agricultural pursuits; is unfair and unequal in its incidence; and has been productive of discontent verging on disloyalty among those who suffer from its injustice.

“ That no sufficient reason has been adduced or exists requiring investigation respecting the foregoing facts which are notorious, nor justifying delay in the passage of remedial legislation which is imperative.

“ That in the opinion of this House, the Tariff ought to be at once amended in respect of the matters herein indicated, and also, by the substantial reduction of Customs duties in favour of the United Kingdom, in whose markets all Canadian products are admitted duty free, and of those nations which under treaty obligations with *Great Britain* would be entitled to the same advantages; graduated, however, so as not unnecessarily to prejudice the business of the country nor to do wrong to those who have imported and paid duties in accordance with its provisions.

“ And this House declares its readiness to make a like reduction in favour of such other portions of the Empire or with such other foreign countries, especially the *United States of America*, as are willing to reciprocate in matters of trade with *Canada* on fair and equitable terms,” inserted instead thereof;

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

*Wednesday, 15th March, 1893.*

On motion of Mr. *Ives*, seconded by Mr. *Fr chetie*,  
Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

And then The House, having continued to sit till ten minutes after Twelve of the Clock on Wednesday morning, adjourned till this day.

Wednesday, 15th March, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

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

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

Of the Reverend *J. M. Dub *, Cur , and others, of *Mont Louis* and *Ste. Anne des Monts*, County of *Gasp *, *Quebec*; praying the House to consider the advisability of constructing a Harbour of Refuge at *Mont Louis* aforesaid.

Of *Andrew Carswell* and others, of *Coteau*; and of *William Warner*, Senr., and others, of *Montgomery*, all of the District of *Assiniboia, North-West Territories*; severally praying that the *North-west Assembly* may be given the control of education, and that the Clause in the *North-west Territories Act* requiring the Ordinances of the said Assembly published, and the proceedings of the Courts conducted, in the French language, may be repealed.

Mr. *Mills* (*Annapolis*), 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 considered the Petition of the Eastern *Canada* Savings and Loan Company (Limited), for an Act to remove doubts as to the legality of the debentures issued by the Company, to eliminate section ten of their Act, and to amend their powers as to real estate, and find that no Notices have been published; but, as the necessity for the application only became apparent within the last ten days, and as the proposed amendment to remove doubts, &c., is only in the nature of correcting a clerical error in the Act incorporating the Company, and the elimination of section ten simply curtails the borrowing power of the Company, your Committee recommend that the 51st Rule be suspended in so far as it applies to the proposed amendment to remove doubts as to the legality of the debentures, but that the requirements of the Rule be not dispensed with in regard to the proposed amendment respecting real estate.

As the time for presenting Private Bills has expired, your Committee also recommend that that portion of the 49th Rule which limits the time for presenting Private Bills be suspended in relation to a Bill to amend the Act incorporating the Eastern *Canada* Savings and Loan Company (Limited).

Mr. *Denison*, from the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, presented to the House the Second Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have examined the following Bills and beg leave to report the same with Amendments, viz.:—

Bill to further amend the Act to enable the City of *Winnipeg* to utilize the *Assiniboine* River water power.

Bill respecting the Canadian Power Company;—and

Bill to incorporate the *British Columbia* Dock Company.

Your Committee have also examined the following Bills and beg leave to report the same without amendment, viz.:—

Bill relating to the Harbour of *Thornbury*, on the *Georgian Bay*.

Bill from the Senate, intituled: “An Act for the relief of *Martha Ballantyne*.”

Bill from the Senate, intituled: “An Act for the relief of *James Balfour* ;”—and

Bill from the Senate, intituled: “An Act for the relief of *Edmund Holyoake Heward*.”

Mr. *Tisdale*, 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 Automatic Telephone and Electric Company of *Canada*.

Bill to incorporate the *Atlantic* and *Pacific* Railway Company;—and

Bill respecting the Canadian *Pacific* Railway Company.

Mr. *Costigan*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Return of applications for registration under the provisions of Chapter 131, Revised Statutes of *Canada*, intituled: “An Act respecting Trade Unions.” (*Sessional Papers*, No. 57.)

On motion of Mr. *Bergin*, seconded by Mr. *Tisdale*,

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

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

*Resolved*, That this House doth concur in the Third Report of the Select Committee appointed to supervise the Official Report of the Debates of this House during the present Session.

On motion of Mr. *Stairs*, seconded by Mr. *Hazen*,

*Ordered*, That in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Twelfth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, that portion of the 49th Rule of this House which limits the time for presenting Private Bills be suspended in relation to a Bill to amend the Act incorporating the Eastern *Canada* Savings and Loan Company (Limited).

On motion of Mr. *Stairs*, seconded by Mr. *Hazen*,

*Ordered*, That in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Twelfth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, the 51st Rule of this House be suspended in so far as it applies to that portion of the Petition of the Eastern *Canada* Savings and Loan Company (Limited), which prays for an Act to remove doubts as to the legality of the debentures issued by the Company and to eliminate section ten of their Act of Incorporation.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Stairs* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend an Act to incorporate the Eastern *Canada* Savings and Loan 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 on Friday next.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Statement of the Receipts and Payments of *Canada*, 1891-92 and 1892-93 to 10th March. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 24c.)

On motion of Mr. *Bruneau*, seconded by Mr. *Forbes*.

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all documents, memorials, plans and reports of surveyors, and correspondence in relation to the dredging of *Baie La Vallière*.

On motion of Mr. *Devlin*, seconded by Mr. *Rider*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all papers, correspondence, documents and petitions relating to the following subjects:—Improved mail service to and from *Perkins Mills*, *Stagburn*, *Venosta*, *Lascalles*; the establishment of Post offices in the Township of *Eardley* and *Hull*; better mail service between *Montreal* and *Ottawa*, and intermediate points.

On motion of Mr. *Devlin*, seconded by Mr. *Rider*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence, tenders, engineers' reports and estimates, as well as all other documents in the possession of the Government, relating to the construction of the lock or locks at *Little Rapid* on the *Du Lièvre* River, County of *Ottawa*; also, all correspondence in the possession of the Government referring to the payment of the extras to the contractors, including all reports with regard to the right of the contractor or contractors to bring a suit against the Government in the Exchequer Court for the recovery of extras claimed.

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

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Statement showing, in detail, the expenditure incurred since last Session of Parliament, in carrying on the borings in the Straits of *Northumberland* to obtain data as to the probable cost of a tunnel, also, for all contracts, correspondence, telegrams or papers in anywise relating to such borings or such expenditure.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated this day, for a Statement showing, in detail, the expenditure incurred since last Session of Parliament, in carrying on the borings in the Straits of *Northumberland* to obtain data as to the probable cost of a tunnel, also, for all contracts, correspondence, telegrams or papers in anywise relating to such borings or such expenditure. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 58.)

On motion of Mr. *Davies*, seconded by Mr. *Perry*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all reports, correspondence or other documents, not already brought down, relating to the state of repair of the breakwater at *Rustico*, *Prince Edward Island*.

On motion of Mr. *Perry*, seconded by Mr. *Yeo*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, a Return showing the number of employees dismissed from the *Prince Edward Island* Railroad since the 1st day of March, 1892, the name of each employee dismissed, the date of each dismissal, the reasons for such dismissals; also, the names of employees reinstated, if any.

On motion of Mr. *Tarte*, seconded by Mr. *Legrís*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence between the Minister of Justice and the Honourable *J. G. Bossé*, Judge of the Court of Queen's Bench, in relation to the trial and condemnation of *R. H. McGreevy* and *O. E. Murphy*, charged with a conspiracy to defraud;

Of all recommendations and of all reports made by the said Honourable *J. G. Bossé* in relation to the conviction of the said *Murphy* and *McGreevy*, and to a commutation of the sentence of *R. H. McGreevy*;

Of the Order for the commutation of the sentence of *R. H. McGreevy*, and of any petitions, letters, &c., in relation thereto.

Mr. *Maclean* (*York*) moved, seconded by Mr. *Smith* (*Ontario*), and the Question being put, That it is expedient, with the end in view of encouraging native products, to adopt a nickel coinage in place of the present copper coinage:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

On motion of Mr. *Bruneau*, seconded by Mr. *Guay*,  
*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all documents, memorials and correspondence between the Government and the *Sorel* Board of Trade and others, in relation to the granting of a subsidy to the Canadian *Pacific* Railway Company, for the rebuilding of a bridge at *St. Michel d'Yamaska*.

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

*Half-past Seven o'Clock, P.M.*

Private Bills under Rule 19.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to revive and amend the Act 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. *Bergeron* 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 revive and amend the Act to incorporate the North Canadian *Atlantic* Railway and Steam-ship Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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. *Bergeron* 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 consolidate and amend certain Acts relating to 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 Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *Robert Young Hebdon* ;"

And the Question being put, That the Bill be now read a second time; the House divided: and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time, and, together with the evidence and documents whereon is founded the said Bill, referred to the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the following Bills without any amendment:—

Bill intituled: "An Act to give effect to an Agreement between the Grand "Trunk Railway Company of *Canada*, the Canadian *Pacific* Railway Company, and "the Corporation of the City of *Toronto*."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Lake *Erie* and *Detroit* River Railway "Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the *Montreal* and "*Atlantic* Railway Company, and for other purposes."

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the Western "Counties Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to the *Yar-* "mouth and *Annapolis* Railway Company," 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 to disfranchise Electors who have taken bribes, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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.

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

*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 correspondence and other papers in relation to an Agreement entered into between Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain and Ireland* and the President of the French Republic, regulating the commercial relations between *Canada and France* in respect of Customs tariffs.

*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, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated this day, for copies of correspondence and other papers in relation to an Agreement entered into between Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain and Ireland* and the President of the French Republic, regulating the commercial relations between *Canada and France* in respect of Customs tariffs. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 51a.)

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

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Thursday, 16th March, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Stevenson*,—Three Petitions of Local Assembly, No. 6952, Knights of Labour, *Peterborough, Ontario*.

By Mr. *McCarthy*,—The Petition of *Gilbert McInnis* and others, members of the Patrons of Industry, and others of the Dominion of *Canada*; the Petition of *Gilbert McInnis* and others; the Petition of *James Shaw* and others; and the Petition of *Charles E. Porter* and others, all members of the Patrons of Industry of *North America*, and others.

By Mr. *Frémont*,—Three Petitions of District Assembly, No. 20, *Quebec*.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petition was read and received :—

Of *Thomas S. Stone* and others, Pilots of the Port of *St. John, New Brunswick*; praying that no law may be passed to reduce the income of pilots of the aforesaid port, or exempt any vessels from pilotage that under the law now pay pilotage rates.

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 incorporate the Grand Council of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association of *Canada*;—and

Bill respecting the *British America Assurance Company*.

Mr. *Scriver*, 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:—

FIRST MEETING.

The Committee met on Tuesday, March 14th, at 11 a.m., in the Chamber of the Speaker of the House of Commons.

The Report of the Joint Librarians for the year 1892, was read and adopted.

It was decided that the Government be requested to place a sum of money in the Estimates to purchase Three hundred and twenty-five (325) copies of the new edition of "*Todd on Parliamentary Government in the Colonies*" for the use of Members.

It was ordered that the volumes of Patent Reports and Specifications now in the Library, be transferred to the Department of Agriculture for the use of the Patent Branch, the Library of Parliament still retaining its right of property in the same, and all the expense of future continuation of the series, to be borne by the Department of Agriculture.

It was ordered that Twenty-five (25) copies of the volume entitled "Constitutional Documents of *Canada*," by Mr. *William Houston*, be purchased after the 1st of July, out of the Library grant.

A Committee was appointed to audit the accounts of the Library.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Foster* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the Harbour Commissioners of *Montreal*.

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

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Foster* have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend the Insurance 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*, and the Question being proposed, That for the remainder of the Session, Government Orders shall have precedence on Wednesday after Questions put by Members;

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

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, and the Question being put, That Government Orders shall have precedence on Wednesday, after Questions put by Members, and the Order of Wednesday under Rule 19 shall be that for Monday, during the remainder of the Session: the House divided; and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Mr. *Tarte* moved, seconded by Mr. *Landerkin*, and the Question being proposed, That the House do now adjourn;

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

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question, which was, on Tuesday last, proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (for the House again in the Committee of Supply);

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words, "since the introduction of the protective system sufficient time has elapsed for the establishment and development of such manufacturing industries as under existing conditions can be successfully carried

“ on in *Canada*. Moreover, many manufacturers, sheltered behind the rampart thus erected, have formed combinations and trusts which prohibit competition and create and maintain monopolies.

“ That the existing Tariff, defensible only as a protective measure, has proved in many instances oppressive and burdensome to the great mass of the consuming classes and especially to those engaged in agricultural pursuits; is unfair and unequal in its incidence; and has been productive of discontent verging on disloyalty among those who suffer from its injustice.

“ That no sufficient reason has been adduced or exists requiring investigation respecting the foregoing facts which are notorious, nor justifying delay in the passage of remedial legislation which is imperative.

“ That in the opinion of this House, the Tariff ought to be at once amended in respect of the matters herein indicated, and also, by the substantial reduction of Customs duties in favour of the United Kingdom, in whose markets all Canadian products are admitted duty free, and of those nations which under treaty obligations with *Great Britain* would be entitled to the same advantages; graduated, however, so as not unnecessarily to prejudice the business of the country, nor to do wrong to those who have imported and paid duties in accordance with its provisions.

“ And this House declares its readiness to make a like reduction in favour of such other portions of the Empire, or with such other foreign countries, especially the *United States of America*, as are willing to reciprocate in matters of trade with *Canada* on fair and equitable terms,” inserted instead thereof;

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

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

*Friday, 17th March, 1893.*

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

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| Allan,                    | Christie,    | Landerkin,         | Mulock,            |
| Bain (Wentworth),         | Colter,      | Langelier,         | O'Brien,           |
| Beausoleil,               | Dawson,      | Laurier,           | Paterson, (Brant), |
| Bechar, Delisle,          | Edgar,       | Lavergne,          | Perry,             |
| Beith,                    | Edgar,       | Leduc,             | Préfontaine,       |
| Bernier,                  | Featherston, | Legris,            | Proulx,            |
| Bourassa,                 | Flint,       | Lister,            | Rider,             |
| Bowers,                   | Forbes,      | Livingston,        | Rinfret,           |
| Bowman,                   | Geoffrion,   | Lowell,            | Rowand,            |
| Brodeur,                  | Gibson,      | Macdonald (Huron), | Sanborn,           |
| Brown,                    | Gillmor,     | McCarthy,          | Scriver,           |
| Bruneau,                  | Godbout,     | McGregor,          | Semple,            |
| Campbell,                 | Grieve,      | McMillan,          | Somerville,        |
| Carroll,                  | Guay,        | McMullen,          | Sutherland,        |
| Cartwright (Sir Richard), | Hodgins,     | Mignault,          | Vaillancourt, and  |
| Casey,                    | Innes,       | Mills (Bothwell),  | Yeo.—64.           |

NAYS :

Messieurs

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| Adams,            | Davis,       | Leclair,              | Patterson (Colchester), |
| Amyot,            | Denison,     | Lépine,               | Patterson (Huron),      |
| Bain (Soulanges), | Desaulniers, | Lippé,                | Pope,                   |
| Baker,            | Dickey,      | Macdonald (King's),   | Pridham,                |
| Barnard,          | Dugas,       | Macdonald (Winnipeg), | Prior,                  |
| Belley,           | Dupont,      | Macdonell (Algoma),   | Putnam,                 |
| Bennett,          | Dyer,        | Mackintosh,           | Reid,                   |

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| Bergeron,            | Earle,                      | Maclean (York),          | Robillard,              |
| Bergin,              | Fairbairn,                  | McAlister,               | Rosamond,               |
| Boyd,                | Ferguson (Renfrew),         | McDonald (Assiniboia),   | Ross (Dundas),          |
| Boyle,               | Foster,                     | McDonald (Victoria),     | Ross (Lisgar),          |
| Bryson,              | Fréchette,                  | McDougald (Pictou),      | Ryckman,                |
| Cameron,             | Gillies,                    | McDougall (Cape Breton), | Simard,                 |
| Cargill,             | Girouard (Jacques Cartier), | McInerney,               | Smith (Ontario),        |
| Carignan,            | Girouard (Two Mountains),   | McKay,                   | Smith (Sir Donald),     |
| Carling,             | Grandbois,                  | McLean (King's),         | Sproule,                |
| Carpenter,           | Guillet,                    | McLennan,                | Stairs,                 |
| Caron (Sir Adolphe), | Haggart,                    | McLeod,                  | Stevenson,              |
| Carscallen,          | Hazen,                      | McNeill,                 | Taylor,                 |
| Chesley,             | Henderson,                  | Madill,                  | Temple,                 |
| Cleveland,           | Hughes,                     | Mara,                    | Tisdale,                |
| Coatsworth,          | Hutchins,                   | Marshall,                | Turotte,                |
| Cochrane,            | Ingram,                     | Masson,                  | Tyrwhitt,               |
| Cockburn,            | Ives,                       | Metcalfe,                | White (Cardwell),       |
| Corbould,            | Jeannotte,                  | Miller,                  | White (Sheburne),       |
| Corby,               | Kaulbach,                   | Mills (Annapolis),       | Wilmot,                 |
| Costigan,            | Kenny,                      | Moucrieff,               | Wilson,                 |
| Craig,               | Lachapelle,                 | Montague,                | Wood (Brockville), and  |
| Daly,                | Langevin (Sir Hector),      | Northrup,                | Wood (Westmoreland)—116 |

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, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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.

Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 20th February, 1893, for copies of all letters, correspondence, petitions and other documents, received and exchanged by the Government, respecting the dismissal of *Edouard Lesage*, Postmaster of *St. Léon*, in the County of *Maskinonge*, and to any appointment or appointments made to the position since the discharge of the said official. (*Sessional Papers, No. 21a.*)

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, 1893, 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. 2c.*)

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

Ottawa, 16th March, 1893.

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

*Ordered*, That the said Message, together with the Estimates accompanying the same, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

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

*Ordered*, That all papers laid before the House in relation to an Agreement entered into between Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great

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*Britain and Ireland* and the President of the French Republic, regulating the commercial relations between *Canada and France* in respect of Customs tariffs, be printed forthwith, and that Rule 94 be suspended in relation thereto.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend the Seamen's Act," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend the Inland Waters Seamen's Act," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And then The House, having continued to sit till twenty minutes before Two of the Clock on Friday morning, adjourned till this day.

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Friday, 17th March, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Macdonald* (*Winnipeg*),—The Petition of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of *Manitoba*.

By Mr. *Mills* (*Annapolis*),—The Petition of the Honourable *J. A. Ouimet* and others.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petition was read and received:—

Of the Municipal Council of the County of *Halton, Ontario*; praying for the passing of an Act compelling Railway Companies to bear the cost of constructing crossings over public roads.

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

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend the Seamen's Act," 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 Mr. *Foster*, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend the Inland Waters Seamen's Act," 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 further to amend the Steam-boat Inspection 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. *Bergeron* 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 Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to correct a clerical error in the Bank 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. *Bergeron* 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 the Law relating to Holidays;"

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. *Bergeron* 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 Eight thousand six hundred and fifty-two dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Arts, Agriculture and Statistics:—Further amount required for census and statistics, \$2,652; For advances to be made from time to time on dairy products at Experimental stations—to be refunded from sales of such products, \$6,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-seven thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Militia:—Ammunition and cartridge factory at *Quebec*, \$30,000; Military stores, \$30,000; Annual drill and training of the Militia, \$4,000; Contingencies—Gratuity to Lt.-Col. *W. N. Alger*, late district paymaster, Military District No. 2, at *Toronto*, on retirement, 31st October, 1892, 2 years' pay, \$1,200; Compensation claims—Accidents and injuries at Militia drill, \$1,500; To complete rifle range at *Sussex, N.B.*, \$400, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

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

*Half-past Seven o'Clock, P.M.*

Private Bills under Rule 19.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the *Eastern Canada Savings and Loan Company (Limited)*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to further amend the Act to enable the City of *Winnipeg* to utilize the *Assiniboine* River water power, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 Canadian Power Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 *British Columbia* Dock Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 relating to the Harbour of *Thornbury*, on the *Georgian* Bay, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *Martha Ballantyne*," and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

And the Question being put, That the Bill be now read the third time; the House divided: and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*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 for the relief of *James Balfour*," and, after some time



spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

And the Question being put, That the Bill be now read the third time; the House divided: and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*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 for the relief of *Edmund Holyoake Heward*," and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

And the Question being put, That the Bill be now read the third time; the House divided: and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath passed the same without any amendment.

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

*Resolved*, That a Message be sent to the Senate, informing their Honours that this House returns the Evidence, &c., taken before the Select Committee of the Senate on Divorce, to whom was referred the following Bills, viz.:—

Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *Martha Ballantyne*."

Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *James Balfour*;"—and

Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *Edmund Holyoake Heward*."

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

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the Automatic Telephone and Electric Company of *Canada*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 *Atlantic and Pacific* Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 Canadian *Pacific* Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* reported, That the Com-

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, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the Western Counties Railway Company," and the same were read, as follow:—

Page 2, line 6.—After the first "may" insert "for" any purpose in connection "with their undertaking."

Page 3, line 8.—Leave out from "manner" to the first "and."

The said 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.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the Grand Council of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association of *Canada*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 *British America Assurance Company*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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. Tisdale, from the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, presented to the House the Seventh Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have had under consideration the following Bills and have agreed to report the same with Amendments, viz:—

Bill to incorporate the *Cleveland, Port Stanley and London Transportation and Railway Company*, and to confirm an Agreement respecting the *London and Port Stanley Railway Company*.

Bill respecting the *London and Port Stanley Railway Company*.

Bill to incorporate the *Calgary Irrigation Company*.

Bill to incorporate the *Calgary Hydraulic Company*.

Bill to incorporate the *Alberta Irrigation Company*.

Bill respecting the *Chilliwack Railway Company*.

Bill respecting the *Nelson and Fort Sheppard Railway Company*;—and

Bill respecting the *Témiscouata Railway Company*.

Your Committee recommend that Bill to confer certain powers on the Corporation of the Municipality of the Town of *Calgary*, be not passed, because in

their opinion it is undesirable that the powers contained in this measure should be conferred on the municipality, and also, recommend that the fees paid thereon be refunded, less the cost of printing and translation.

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

*Ordered*, That the Bill to confer certain powers on the Corporation of the Municipality of the Town of *Calgary*, 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 Seventh Report of the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Committee of Supply was then resumed.

(*In the Committee.*)

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and seventy-six dollars and twenty-one cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Customs Department—To provide for amount omitted in main Estimates to cover statutory increase to Mr. *W. H. Grafton*, \$37.50; To provide for the payment of Mr. *J. R. K. Bristol*, Private Secretary to the Controller of Customs, from 8th December, 1892, to 30th June, 1893, the same being a revote of the balance of an appropriation for the same period to pay the Private Secretary to the Minister of Customs, \$338.71, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

4. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet further amount required for contingencies, Auditor General's office, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand one hundred and eighty-five dollars and twenty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Agriculture—To pay the following clerks their salaries from the 1st to the 31st January, 1893, notwithstanding anything in the Civil Service Act:—*John Thomson*, \$50; *R. E. Armstrong*, \$38.75; *T. H. Morgan*, \$50; *T. B. Bassett*, \$46.50; Amount required in consequence of the transfer of the salaries of several clerks from specific Votes to Contingencies, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay further amount required for printing, printing paper and binding, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and forty-five dollars and thirty-one cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the Intercolonial Railway freight charges on seed barley, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirteen thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for completion of Census, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Quarantine Service and Public Health—Additional amount required for maintenance, inspection, &c., including \$6,200 to recoup unforeseen expenses, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Cattle, Quarantines—Additional amount required, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to settle claims for rags imported, which were burnt or damaged by exposure from detention at the *Grosse Isle* Quarantine, as a precaution against Asiatic Cholera, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the widow of the late *George Henry*, Quarantine steward, *Charlottetown*, a gratuity equal to two months' pay of her late husband, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for payment of Annual Drill, to be performed in Camps of instruction in the month of June, anterior to the period when the grant for the financial year 1893-94 will be available, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand six hundred and ninety-three dollars and twenty-two cents be granted to Her Majesty, for care of Military Properties—To pay claim of the City of *Ottawa*, Taxes from 1880 to 1892, inclusive, on the unused land, Rifle Range at *Ottawa*, leased by Government, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs to Military Properties, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards repairing a leak which has recently developed in the north bank at *St. Gabriel Locks*, *Lachine Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand five hundred and thirty-three dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the following items in connection with Railways, viz.:—Miscellaneous—To pay *Marcus Smith*, C.E., a gratuity equal to six months' salary, and gratuities equal to two months' salary to Extra Clerks on leaving the service, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixteen thousand nine hundred and seventy dollars and fifty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Customs, viz.:—Miscellaneous—To reimburse Department of Marine and Fisheries amount expended for pay of crew, fuel, provisions and running expenses of Government cruiser "*Constance*," from 1st April to 31st December, 1892, \$10,112.43; Amount required to pay damages, as found by judgment and taxed costs, in the case of *Allan vs. Attwood*, re seizure of the ship "*Bridgewater*," \$6,558.12; To pay *T. J. Galbraith*, landing waiter in Her Majesty's Customs at *Dunnville, Ontario*, in addition to his salary, for services as acting Sub-Collector, from 1st March, 1892, to 28th February, 1893, \$300, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and eighty-four dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Militia expenses—Rebellion in *North-west Territories*, 1885, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

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

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

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

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the following Bills without any amendment:—

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the Manufacturers' Accident Insurance Company," and to change its name to "The Manufacturers' Guarantee and Accident Insurance Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Eastern Trust Company."

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Ocean Guarantee Corporation," with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

On motion of Mr. *Mills (Annapolis)*, seconded by Mr. *Sproule*,  
*Ordered*, That the Petition of the Honourable *J. A. Ouimet* and others, presented this day, be now read.

And the said Petition was read and received; praying to be permitted to lay before the House the Petition of "Les Dames Religieuses du Sacré Cœur de Jésus," for the passing of an Act granting them enlarged corporate powers, 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.

And then The House adjourned till Monday next.

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### Monday, 20th March, 1893.

#### PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *McMillan*,—The Petition of *T. J. Marks* and others, fishermen, of the Province of *Ontario*.

By Mr. *Chesley*,—The Petition of the *New Brunswick Society* for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

By Mr. *Mills (Annapolis)*,—The Petition of *Madame Amelie Schulten*, acting Lady Superior of "Les Dames Religieuses du Sacré Cœur de Jésus" and other members thereof, of the City of *Montreal*.

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

Of Local Assembly, No. 6952, Knights of Labour, *Peterborough, Ontario*; and of District Assembly, No. 20 *Quebec*; severally praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation into *Canada* of workmen under contract.

Of Local Assembly, No. 6952, Knights of Labour, *Peterborough, Ontario*; and of District Assembly, No. 20, *Quebec*; severally praying for the passing of an Act providing for the adoption of the system known as the "Initiative and Referendum" in matters of legislation in the Dominion of *Canada*.

Of Local Assembly, No. 6952, Knights of Labour, *Peterborough, Ontario*; and of District Assembly, No. 20, *Quebec*; severally praying for the passing of an Act prohibiting the admission of Chinese immigrants into *Canada*, imposing a poll tax on Chinese residents, and for other purposes.

Of *Gilbert McInnis* and others; of *James Shaw* and others; and of *Charles E. Porter* and others, all members of the Patrons of Industry of *North America*, and others; severally praying for the removal of the import duties on coal oil, binder twine, corn and fencing wire, and the placing of these articles on the free list.

Of *Gilbert McInnis* and others, members of the Patrons of Industry, and others of the Dominion of *Canada*; praying for the amendment of the "Act for the prevention and suppression of combinations formed in restraint of trade."

Of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of *Manitoba*; praying for the passing of an Act to prohibit the importation, manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors, as a beverage, in that Province.

*Mr. Mills (Annapolis)*, 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 considered the Petition of the Honourable *J. A. Ouimet* and others; praying to be permitted to lay before the House the Petition of "Les

“Dames Religieuses du Sacré Cœur de Jésus de *St. Jacques d’Achigan*,” for an Act to enlarge their corporate powers, notwithstanding the expiration of the time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills, and find that the necessity for the application only arose on the 4th day of March, instant, and that a Resolution authorizing the application was passed at a special meeting of the Society held on the 8th instant. Your Committee therefore recommend that that portion of the 49th Rule which limits the time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills be suspended in reference to the said Petition.

Mr. *Bergin*, from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, presented to the House the Fourth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

The Committee carefully examined the following documents and recommend that they be printed, viz.:—

20*f.* Message from His Excellency the Governor General, transmitting to the House of Commons, further Papers respecting the several questions at issue between the Dominion of *Canada* and the Colony of *Newfoundland*. (*Sessional Papers*.)

33*c.* Supplementary Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 6th February, 1893, on the subject of the *Manitoba* School Acts of 1890, with a certified copy of a Report of a Committee of the Honourable the Privy Council, approved by His Excellency the Governor General in Council, on the 22nd February, 1893, relative to the settlement of important questions of Law concerning certain Statutes of the Province of *Manitoba* relating to Education. (*Sessional Papers*.)

37*b.* Return to an Order of the House of the 6th February, 1893, for a Return showing the quantity of Pig Iron produced in *Canada* in the years 1881, 1882, 1883, 1884, 1885, 1886, 1887, 1888, 1889, 1890, 1891, 1892; and the bounty paid for the production in each of those years.

49. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 6th February, 1893, for a Statement showing total amount of money paid by years since Confederation on each of the following accounts:—

(*a.*) Salary of Governor General.

(*b.*) Travelling expenses of Governor General.

(*c.*) Expenditure on *Rideau* Hall on capital account.

do do maintenance.

do *Rideau* Hall grounds on capital account.

do do do maintenance.

(*d.*) Expenditure on furnishing of all kinds for *Rideau* Hall.

(*e.*) Allowance to Governor General for coal and light.

(*f.*) Expenditure on any other account in connection with the office of Governor General.

(*g.*) Expenditure on any other account in connection with *Rideau* Hall and grounds.

(*h.*) Total expenditure of every kind since Confederation in connection with the office of Governor General.

(*i.*) Total expenditure of every kind in connection with *Rideau* Hall and grounds. (*Sessional Papers*.)

50. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 6th February, 1893, for a Return of all letters, correspondence, reports and all other matter on record, passed between the Department of Agriculture and the High Commissioner of *Canada* in *London*, the Imperial Board of Trade or any other officials of an authoritative body in reference to the scheduling of Canadian cattle in the ports of *Great Britain* and *Ireland*, on and after 20th October last. (*Sessional Papers*.)

51. Message from His Excellency the Governor General, transmitting to the House of Commons, an Agreement entered into between Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland* and the President of the French

Republic, regulating the commercial relations between *Canada* and *France* in respect of Customs tariffs. (*Sessional Papers*.)

52. Message from His Excellency the Governor General, transmitting to the House of Commons, the accompanying Papers relating to the Conference held at *Washington*, in February, 1892, between the delegates of the Canadian Government and the Secretary of State of the *United States* upon the several subjects therein mentioned. (*Sessional Papers*.)

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

20*g*. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 27th July, 1891, for copies of all documents, petitions and letters in relation to the fishing rights of *F. F. Rouleau*, Esquire, Advocate, of *Rimouski*, which said rights he and his predecessors have always exercised on his property at *Rimouski*.

46. Return to an Order of the House of 1st March, 1893, for copies of instructions to officers employed in the taking of the third Census of *Canada*, 1891, and copies of forms used.

47. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 20th February, 1893, for a copy of the Report of the Honourable Mr. Justice *Wetmore*, appointed by Royal Commission to enquire into certain charges against *Lawrence Herchmer*, Commissioner of the *North-west Mounted Police*.

48. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 20th February, 1893, for a Return of all correspondence, telegrams, reports and other papers relating to the suspension of Mr. *Edward Hackett*, Inspector of Fisheries, *Prince Edward Island*, in the year 1892; together with copies of the charges made against Mr. *Hackett*, the authority given to the Commissioner in *Prince Edward Island* to take evidence on such charges, together with the evidence taken and the report of the Minister of Marine thereon, together with any letters, correspondence, orders or reports relating to the reinstatement of Mr. *Hackett*.

53. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 1st March, 1893, for copies of all letters, telegrams and correspondence between the Government, or any Member thereof, and the late English Financial Agents of *Canada* in *London* and the Bank of *Montreal* in reference to the recent change of agency at *London*.

54. Copy of an Order in Council of the 17th January, 1893, authorizing the issue of licenses to *United States* fishing vessels during the year 1893 for the purchase of bait, ice, lines and all other supplies, the transshipment of catch and shipping of crews.

55. (*The Senate*)—A Statement of the affairs of The British Canadian Loan and Investment Company, for the year ending 31st December, 1892.

Also, A list of Shareholders on 31st December, 1892.

56. Address of the Senate, dated the 21st February, 1893, for copies of all letters, communications and telegrams between the Minister of Agriculture or any official under him, or any other Minister or official of the Dominion Government, and the Canadian *Pacific Railway Company*, the *British Columbia* Government, the Mayors of the Cities of *Victoria* and *Vancouver*, the Dominion Health Officers of the Ports of *Victoria* and *Vancouver*, relating to the introduction of small-pox into *Victoria* and *Vancouver*, in May and June, 1892, by the mail steamers from *Japan* and *China*.

Mr. *Wood* (*Westmoreland*), from the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, presented to the House the Fifth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth :—

Your Committee have had under consideration the following Bills and have agreed to report the same with Amendments, viz. :—

Bill to incorporate the *Canada Atlantic and Plant Steam-ship Company* (Limited).

Bill, from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend 'An Act respecting the 'Nova Scotia Permanent Benefit Building Society and Savings Fund;'"—and

Bill to amend the Act to incorporate the Eastern *Canada* Savings and Loan Company (Limited).

On motion of Mr. *Mills* (*Annápolis*), seconded by Mr. *Taylor*,  
*Ordered*, That in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Thirteenth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, that portion of the 49th Rule of this House which limits the time for receiving Petitions for Private Bills, be suspended in reference to the following Petition, presented this day, and that it be read and received forthwith.

The said Petition was accordingly read and received, viz.:—

Of Madame *Amélie Schulten*, acting Lady Superior of "Les Dames Religieuses "du Sacré Cœur de *Jésus*," and other members thereof, of the City of *Montreal*; praying for a consolidation and amendment of their Act of Incorporation, and for other purposes.

Mr. *Sproule*, from the Select Standing Committee on Agriculture and Colonization, presented to the House the First Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

That in view of the vast importance to the agricultural and commercial interests of this country, in the matter of the restoration of the privilege of landing and selling live cattle in the ports of *Great Britain*, and that the British Minister of Agriculture has decided that the scheduling of cattle from *Canada* must remain in force until such time as some future cargoes of Canadian cattle have been slaughtered and examinations made of the lungs of the slaughtered animals have in every case showed perfect freedom from Pleuro-pneumonia, before Her Majesty's Government can accept as a sufficient basis to remove the order of scheduling, the assurance that the disease does not exist in Canadian cattle, and in view of the fact that the manner in which the examination upon the report of which the present order of scheduling is founded, has proved unsatisfactory and open to serious doubts as to the competency and thoroughness of such examination, your Committee hereby strongly recommend,—

That the Government of *Canada* employ a known competent Veterinary Surgeon who shall be sent to *Great Britain*, and whose duty it shall be to attend at each and all places where and when the slaughtering of Canadian herds and the autopsy of every case in connection therewith are being proceeded with, in order to guard Canadian interests against injury and loss, through either incompetent or inefficient examination, as well as against the prejudices of opponents interested in preventing the restoration of the privileges formerly enjoyed in British ports by Canadian cattle shippers.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Costigan* have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend the Act respecting Public Officers.

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 relating to Juvenile Offenders in the Province of *New Brunswick*.

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

Mr. *Davies* moved, seconded by Mr. *Mills* (*Bothwell*), and the Question being put, That the House do now adjourn:—It passed in the Negative.

Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 20th February, 1893, for copies of all petitions, letters and documents whatsoever, in relation to the change in the location of the Post office of *Notre Dame du Rosaire*. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 59.) -



Mr. *Haggart*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 1st March, 1893, for copies of all accounts, letters, receipts and other documents in relation to the claim of *Charles I. Labrie*, of *Lévis*, for professional service in connection with expropriation, during the construction of the *St. Charles Branch*. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 60.)

On motion of Mr *Joncas*, seconded by Mr. *Lépine*,

*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 documents, reports and correspondence between the Government and the *Quebec Board of Trade*, or any other person, in relation to the treatment endured by Canadian fishermen from *Newfoundland* fishermen along the Canadian *Labrador* coast.

*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. *Mara*, seconded by Mr. *Prior*,

*Resolved*, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying His Excellency to cause to be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence between the Government of *British Columbia* and the Minister of the Interior, relating to the boundary of the Railway Belt in the Province of *British Columbia*.

*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. *Bruneau*, seconded by Mr. *Guay*,

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

1. Copies of instructions issued to the fishery overseers of *Berthier*, *Maskinongé*, *St. Maurice*, *Champlain*, *Nicolet*, *Yamaska* and *Richelieu*, since 1st January, 1892, and of all correspondence on the subject between the Government and the said fishery overseers; or between the Government and any other persons, from 1st January, 1892, up to this date, in relation to such instructions and the enforcement thereof.

2. A statement of fishing licenses issued in the Counties aforesaid during the years 1891 and 1892, separately.

3. A statement of the quantity and value of the various kinds of fish taken in the said Counties, separately, during the years 1891 and 1892.

On motion of Mr. *Lavergne*, seconded by Mr. *Guay*,

*Ordered*, That there be laid before this House, copies of all documents, claims, petitions, correspondence, reports of the Superintendent of the *Chambly Canal*, reports of experts and others, plans, agreements, proposals, and decisions of the Government in relation to the claim of *Joseph Lacouture*, of the Parish of *St. Luc*, for damages caused to his property by the waters of the *Chambly Canal*.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Report of the Director and Officers of the Experimental Farms, for the year 1892. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 7b.)

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

*Half-past Seven o'Clock, P.M.*

Private Bills under Rule 19.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Cleveland*, *Port Stanley* and *London* Transportation and Railway Company, and to confirm an Agreement respecting the *London* and *Port Stanley*

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Railway, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Denison* 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 *London and Port Stanley Railway Company*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Calgary Irrigation Company*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Calgary Hydraulic Company*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 *Alberta Irrigation Company*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 *Chilliwack Railway Company*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 *Nelson and Fort Sheppard Railway Company*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 incorporate the Ocean Guarantee Corporation," and the same was read, as follows:—

Page 3, line 46.—After "business" insert "in *Canada* or elsewhere."

The said Amendment, being read a second time, was 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 passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the *Alberta Railway and Coal Company*," without any amendment.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the *Port Arthur, Duluth and Western Railway Company*," with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *John Francis Schwaller*," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And also, the Senate communicate to this House the evidence taken before the Select Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the Bill, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *John Francis Schwaller*," and the papers referred to them, and request that the same be returned to the Senate.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Supplementary Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 15th March, 1893, for copies of correspondence and other papers in relation to an Agreement entered into between Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain and Ireland* and the President of the French Republic, regulating the commercial relations between *Canada and France* in respect to Customs tariffs. (*Sessional Papers, No. 51b.*)

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to disfranchise Electors who have taken bribes, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 House in Committee on the Bill in further amendment of the Electoral Franchise Act;

*Ordered*, That the said Order be discharged.  
*Ordered*, That the Bill be withdrawn.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill further to amend the Supreme and Exchequer Courts Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.  
 The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

Mr. Speaker informed the House, That the Clerk of the House had received a subpoena from the High Court of Justice, *Ontario*, to appear before the said Court in the case of The Queen against *Nicholas K. Connolly* and *Thomas McGreevy* with the Rolls of the House of Commons, from 1878 to 1887 inclusive, containing the lists of Members who took the oath required by law, and signed the said Rolls.

Mr. *Ouimet* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, and the Question being put, That the Clerk of the House, or other proper officer, have leave to attend in the High Court of Justice, *Ontario*, in and for the County of *Carleton*, in the case of the Queen vs. *Nicholas Knight Connolly* and *Thomas McGreevy*, with the Roll, of the House of Commons for the years 1878 to the year 1887, both inclusive, and that he be permitted to give such evidence as may be necessary in the interests of justice, but that he do not allow the said Rolls to go out of his possession:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

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Tuesday, 21st March, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

Your Committee have considered the Petition of “*Les Dames Religieuses du Sacre Cœur de Jésus*,” for an Act to enlarge their corporate powers, and find that no Notices were published; but, as your Committee are of the opinion that no rights can be injuriously affected by the proposed measure, they recommend that the 51st Rule be suspended in relation to the said Petition, and, as the time for presenting Private Bills has expired, your Committee also recommend that that portion of the 49th Rule which limits the time for presenting Private Bills be suspended in relation to a Bill to grant additional powers to “*Les Dames Religieuses du Sacre Cœur de Jésus*.”

Mr. *Dickey*, from the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, presented to the House the Third Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have examined the following Bill and have agreed to report the same without amendment, viz.:—

Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *Robert Young Hebdén*."

Your Committee have also examined the following Bill and have agreed to report the same with Amendments, viz.:

Bill to incorporate the Canadian Gas Association.

Mr. *Haggart*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 1st March, 1893, for copies of all correspondence, papers or Orders in Council relating to the superannuation or retirement of Mr. *T. Trudeau*, late Deputy of the Minister of Railways and Canals. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 28a.)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 1st March, 1893, for copies of petitions from County Councils and other municipal corporations asking that railways under Dominion control be compelled to build culverts on natural watercourses crossing their lines, and correspondence relating thereto. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 61.)

And also, Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 1st March, 1893, for copies of all communications, memorials, &c., addressed to His Excellency in Council, to the Dominion Government or any Member thereof, since 1888, urging the granting of a federal subsidy to the Central Ontario Railway Company to enable that Company to extend its line from *Coehill* northward. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 62.)

Mr. *Costigan*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 1st March, 1893, for all correspondence, petitions and papers that are in the possession of the Government relating to the disallowance of Chapter 1 of the Acts of *Nova Scotia*, dated 1892, "An Act to amend and consolidate the Acts relating to Mines and Minerals," including any petition of *David McKeen*, Esquire, M.P., and others in respect of the said Act. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 63.)

Mr. *Wallace* presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 6th February, 1893, for a Return in the form used in the statements usually published in the *Gazette*, of the exports and imports from the 1st day of July, 1892, to the first day of January, 1893, distinguishing the products of *Canada* and those of other Countries; and comparative statements from the first day of July, 1891, to the first day of January, 1892. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 64.)

On motion of Mr. *Mills* (*Annapolis*), seconded by Mr. *Taylor*,

Ordered, That in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Fourteenth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, the 51st Rule, and that portion of the 49th Rule of this House which limits the time for presenting Private Bills, be suspended as regards the Bill respecting the consolidation and amendment of the Act incorporating "Les Dames Religieuses du Sacré Cœur de *Jésus d'Achigan*."

On motion of Mr. *Bergin*, seconded by Mr. *Mills* (*Annapolis*),

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

Ordered, That Mr. *Mills* (*Annapolis*) have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the Ladies of the Sacred Heart of *Jesus*.

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 Miscellaneous Private Bills.

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

two Commissioners to represent *Canada* at the World's Columbian Exposition to be held at *Chicago* in 1893.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, then acquainted the House, That His Excellency the Governor General, having been informed of the subject matter of this Motion, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Statement of the Receipts and Payments of *Canada*, 1891-92 and 1892-93 to 20th March. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 24d.)

The Order of the Day being read, for the House again in the Committee of Supply;

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, and the Question being proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair;

Mr. *Dawson* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *McMullen*, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words, "whereas *N. Clarke Wallace*, a Member of this House and Controller of Her Majesty's Customs is reported to have spoken as follows at a public meeting held in *Kingston* "on the 10th March, instant:

"We find to-day in the old country that brethren, the descendants of the heroes of Two hundred years ago, are perhaps facing difficulties of a similar character to those which their ancestors had to face in 1688—that the men of 1893 are threatened with a rule which is antagonistic to freedom there, to the liberty which they have always enjoyed as citizens of the British Empire. What is proposed is not only to shake off their allegiance to *Great Britain*—the bonds of love that bind them to the Empire—but to put them, forsooth, under an alien and hostile Government. We have their (the Home Rulers') public declarations of what they would do if they obtained power, that they would never cease agitating until the last link that bound *Ireland* to the British Empire is severed. That is their object to-day. They are trying to take the loyal men with them; but our friends over their say they will never submit. *Britain* may cast them out; but, if she does so, she has no right to say what may be their future allegiance. Our friends in that land are preparing, and have asserted their unalterable determination never to submit to that Home Rule which Mr. *Gladstone* and his Government have laid out for them. (Applause.) I am sure that in their efforts they shall have the sympathy of the Orangemen of *Canada*—more than sympathy: they shall have our active aid, if that active aid be necessary. We should not be worthy descendants of the heroes of Two hundred years ago—we would not be worthy of our ancestors of old, if we failed in our duty in that respect. I believe we are not unworthy descendants of the men who, driven from *Dublin*, stood at bay at *Enniskillen* and at *Derry*. In the history of the world there are no such records of heroic bravery, and I believe their descendants are not unworthy sons of such noble sires;

"And whereas on the floor of Parliament the said *N. Clarke Wallace* has admitted the accuracy of said report;

"Now therefore this House declares it to be the duty of all Her Majesty's subjects loyally to submit to the law, that the constitution contains within itself the means whereby all grievances may be redressed by constitutional methods, that no changes in the law should be sought to be brought about by resort to armed resistance, civil war or other physical force, and that any attempt to depose Her Majesty in respect of any portion of Her Empire is unwarrantable and treasonable, and should receive the uncompromising resistance of all loyal citizens;

"That the action of the said *N. Clarke Wallace* in expressing sympathy with, and holding out the hope of active aid to those who threaten to levy war in *Ireland* against Her Majesty, is deserving of the severest censure at the hands of this House,

and if allowed to pass unnoticed would expose *Canada* to the slanderous imputation of being disloyal to Her Majesty, the very reverse of which is the fact;

“And further, it is the duty of this House promptly to repudiate said utterances of said *N. Clarke Wallace*, lest his political connection with Parliament and the Government might lead the public to the erroneous conclusion that his views so expressed were shared in by this body, a conclusion which would give additional influence to such utterances, and the more endanger peace, order and good government throughout Her Majesty's Dominions,” inserted instead thereof;

Mr. *Carpenter* moved, seconded by Mr. *Corby*, and the Question being proposed, That the House do now adjourn;

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 Wednesday morning;

Wednesday, 22nd March, 1893.

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

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| Adams,                    | Colter,      | Guay,                  | Mills (Bothwell), |
| Allan,                    | Costigan,    | Hearn,                 | Monet,            |
| Bain (Wentworth),         | Curran       | Innes,                 | Mulock,           |
| Béchar, d,                | Davies,      | Kenny,                 | Paterson (Brant), |
| Beith,                    | Davin,       | Landerkin,             | Pelletier,        |
| Bergin,                   | Dawson,      | Langelier,             | Perry,            |
| Bernier,                  | Delisle,     | Langevin (Sir Hector), | Proulx,           |
| Borden,                   | Devlin,      | Laurier,               | Rider,            |
| Bourassa,                 | Edgar,       | Leduc,                 | Rinfret,          |
| Bowers,                   | Featherston, | Legris,                | Rowand,           |
| Bowman,                   | Flint,       | Lépine,                | Saiborn,          |
| Brodeur,                  | Forbes,      | Livingston,            | Seriver,          |
| Brown,                    | Fraser,      | Macdonald (King's),    | Semple,           |
| Bruneau,                  | Frémont,     | McGregor,              | Somerville,       |
| Cartwright (Sir Richard), | Geoffrion,   | McInerney,             | Sutherland,       |
| Casey,                    | Gibson,      | McMillan,              | Tarte,            |
| Charlton,                 | Gillmor,     | McMullen,              | Vaillancourt, and |
| Choquette,                | Godbout,     | Mignault,              | Welsh.—74.        |
| Christie,                 | Grieve,      |                        |                   |

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

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| Amyot,               | Denison,                | Macdonell (Algoma),      | Prior,           |
| Bain (Soulanges),    | Desaulniers,            | Mackintosh,              | Putnam,          |
| Barnard,             | Dickey,                 | Maclean (York),          | Reid,            |
| Belley,              | Dupont,                 | McAlister,               | Robillard,       |
| Bennett,             | Earle,                  | McCarthy,                | Roome,           |
| Bergeron,            | Fairbairn,              | McDonald (Victoria),     | Rosamond,        |
| Boyd,                | Foster,                 | McDougald (Pictou),      | Ross (Dundas),   |
| Boyle,               | Fréchette,              | McDougall (Cape Breton), | Ross (Lisgar),   |
| Burnham,             | Girouard (TwoMount'ns), | McKay,                   | Simard,          |
| Calvin,              | Grandbois,              | McLennan,                | Smith (Ontario), |
| Cameron,             | Guillet,                | McLeod,                  | Sproule,         |
| Cargill,             | Haggart,                | McNeill,                 | Stairs,          |
| Carignan,            | Hazen,                  | Madill,                  | Stevenson,       |
| Carling,             | Henderson,              | Mara,                    | Taylor,          |
| Carpenter,           | Hodgins,                | Marshall,                | Temple,          |
| Caron (Sir Adolphe), | Hughes,                 | Masson,                  | Tisdale,         |
| Carscallen,          | Hutchins,               | Metcalfe,                | Turcotte,        |
| Chesley,             | Ingram,                 | Miller,                  | Tyrwhitt,        |
| Cleveland,           | Ives,                   | Mills (Annapolis),       | Wallace,         |

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| Coatsworth, | Jeannotte,            | Montague,               | Weldon,                |
| Cochrane,   | Joncas,               | Northrup,               | White (Cardwell),      |
| Cockburn,   | Kaulbach,             | O'Brien,                | White (Shelburne),     |
| Corbould,   | Lachapelle,           | Ouimet,                 | Wilmot,                |
| Corby,      | Leclair,              | Patterson (Colchester), | Wilson,                |
| Craig,      | Lippé,                | Patterson (Huron),      | Wood (Brockville), and |
| Daly,       | Macdonald (Winnipeg), | Pridham,                | Wood (Westmoreland)—   |
| Davis,      |                       |                         | [105.                  |

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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, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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.

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 Wrecks and Salvage Act.”

Bill intituled: “An Act respecting the disposal of moneys paid in connection “with proceedings before Parliament.”

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: “An Act for the relief of *James Frederick Doran*,” 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 *James Frederick Doran*,” and the papers referred to them, and request that the same be returned to the Senate.

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: “An Act for the relief of *Annette Marion Goff*,” to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And also, the Senate communicate to this House the evidence taken before the Select Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the Bill, intituled: “An Act “for the relief of *Annette Marion Goff*,” 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 twenty minutes after Twelve of the Clock on Wednesday morning, adjourned till this day.

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Wednesday, 22nd March, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Davin*,—The Petition of *J. H. Plant*, and others, of *McLean*; the Petition of *George W. Brown* and others, of *Regina*; and the Petition of *J. E. Battell* and others, of *Caron*, *Moose Jaw*, all of the District of *Assiniboia*, *North-west Territories*.



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

Of *T. J. Marks* and others, fishermen, of the Province of *Ontario*; praying that the granting of fishing licenses, and the present close season for the catching of certain kinds of fish, may be discontinued in that Province.

Of the *New Brunswick Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament, respecting the prevention of cruelty to animals, may become law.

Mr. *Daly*, 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 1892. (*Sessional Papers, No. 13.*)

Mr. *Taylor*, 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 respecting the *Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo Railway Company*, and have agreed to report the same with Amendments; and your Committee desire to call the attention of the House to the fact that the extension of the Company's line of railway from *Waterford* to a point on *Lake Erie*, was not referred to in either the Notice or the Petition for the Bill; but, as the proposed extension is only three miles longer than the length of branch lines that may be constructed by a Company under the provisions of *The Railway Act*, your Committee recommend that the power to construct this extension be conferred on the Company.

Your Committee have also considered Bill respecting the *Drummond County Railway Company*, and beg leave to inform the House that the provisions of Rule 51*b*, requiring the lying, with your Committee at least one week before the consideration of a Bill respecting a railway, of

“(a.) A map or plan drawn upon a scale of not less than half an inch to the mile, showing the location upon which it is intended to construct the proposed work, and showing also the lines of existing or authorized works of a similar character within, or in any way affecting the district, or any part thereof which the proposed work is intended to serve, and such map or plan shall be signed by the Engineer or other person making the same;”

“(b.) An exhibit showing the total amount of capital proposed to be raised for the purposes of the undertaking, and the manner in which it is proposed to raise the same, whether by ordinary shares, bonds, debentures or other securities, and the amount of each, respectively,” were not complied with; but, as a map on a smaller scale was submitted to your Committee showing clearly the location of the proposed railway and of the other railways built or chartered in the same district, your Committee agreed to report the Bill with Amendments, and to recommend that the said Rule 51*b* be suspended in relation thereto.

Your Committee have also considered Bill to incorporate the *Calgary Street Railway Company*, and have agreed to report the same with Amendments.

On motion of Mr. *Dickey*, seconded by Mr. *Craig*,

Ordered, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: “An Act for the relief of *James Frederick Doran*,” 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.

On motion of Mr. *Dickey*, seconded by Mr. *Craig*,

Ordered, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: “An Act for the relief of *Annette Marion Goff*,” 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.

On motion of *Mr. Dickey*, seconded by *Mr. Craig*,  
*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of  
 "John Francis Schwaller," 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.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Daly* have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend the  
 Dominion Lands 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. Foster* have leave to bring in a Bill further 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.

The Order of the Day being read, for taking into consideration the Bill further  
 to amend the Steam-boat Inspection Act, 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 con-  
 currence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend  
 the Criminal Code, 1892;

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 Com-  
 mittee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some  
 time spent therein, *Mr. Speaker* resumed the Chair; and *Mr. Bergeron* 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 considera-  
 tion To-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill further to  
 amend the Civil Service Act;

*Mr. Costigan* moved, seconded by *Mr. Curran*, and the Question being proposed,  
 That the Bill be now read a second time;

*Mr. Laurier* moved, in amendment to the Question, seconded by *Mr. Langelier*,  
 That the word "now" be left out, and the words "this day six months" added at  
 the end thereof;

And a Debate arising thereupon;

The said Amendment and main Motion were, with leave of the House, with-  
 drawn.

*Mr. Costigan* moved, seconded by *Mr. Haggart*, and the Question being put.  
 That the said Bill further to amend the Civil Service Act, be read a second time To-  
 morrow:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

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 re-  
 specting the *Témiscouata* 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 *Canada Atlantic and Plant Steam-ship Company, Limited*, 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 from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend an Act respecting the *Nova Scotia Permanent Benefit Building Society and Savings Fund*," and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 into consideration the said Amendment; and the same was read, as follows:—

Page 1, line 1.—Before "Her" insert "Whereas the *Nova Scotia Permanent Benefit Building Society and Savings Fund* has by its Petition prayed that an Act be passed to amend, as hereinafter set forth, Chapter One hundred and fourteen of the Statutes of 1887, and it is expedient to grant the prayer of the said Petition: "Therefore."

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

*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 amend an Act to incorporate the *Eastern Canada Savings and Loan Company (Limited)*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *Robert Young Hebdon*," and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

And the Question being put, That the Bill be now read the third time; the House divided: and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath passed the same without any amendment.

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

*Resolved*, That a Message be sent to the Senate informing their Honours, That this House returns the Evidence, &c., taken before the Select Committee of the Senate on Divorce, to whom was referred the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *Robert Young Hebdon*."

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

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the Canadian Gas Association, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the *Port Arthur, Duluth and Western Railway Company*," and the same were read, as follow:—

Page 1, line 29.—Leave out "or," and after the second "Company" insert "and the *Messabe and Northern Railway Company*."

Page 1, line 31.—After "*Minnesota*" insert "or any one or more of them."

Page 1, line 36.—Leave out "such other railway company" and insert "the said three railway companies or any one or more of them."

Page 2, line 3.—After "proxy" insert "and thereafter the Company may acquire and hold shares, bonds and other securities of the said three railway companies or of any one or more of them."

The said 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.

The Order of the Day being read, for the House again in the Committee of Supply;

Mr. *Foster* moved, second by Mr. *Haggart*, and the Question being proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair;

Mr. *Edgar* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Borden*, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words, "in the opinion of this House the evidence taken by the Royal Commission appointed last Session to enquire into certain charges made against the Honourable Sir *A. P. Caron*, K.C.M.G., M.P., which was reported to the Government on 24th November, 1892, and is now laid before us, establishes facts which should have prevented the subsequent appointment of Sir *A. P. Caron* to be an adviser of the Crown, and also, render it highly improper that he should continue to hold such office," inserted instead thereof;

And a Debate arising thereupon;

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

*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Thursday, 23rd March, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Allan*,—The Petition of *J. G. Mullen* and others, of the Town of *Amherstburg*, and others, of the County of *Essex, Ontario*.

Mr. *Tisdale*, 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:—

The promoters of Bill respecting the *Nicola Valley Railway Company*, and of Bill to revive and amend the Act to incorporate the *Mount Forest, Markdale and Meaford Railway Company*, having expressed their desire not to proceed further with the measures, your Committee recommend that the same be withdrawn, and any balance of fees remaining after defraying the cost of printing and translation, be refunded.

Your Committee have had under consideration the following Bills, and have agreed to report the same with Amendments, viz.:—

Bill respecting the *Nakusp and Slocan Railway Company*;—and

Bill from the Senate, intituled: “An Act to consolidate and amend certain Acts relating to the *Manitoba and North-western Railway Company of Canada*.”

Your Committee recommend that owing to the advanced period of the Session, Private Bills reported to the House yesterday and to-day from Committees on Private Bills, be placed on the Orders of the Day of this day, immediately after Routine Proceedings, for consideration in Committee of the Whole.

Mr. *Denison*, from the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, presented to the House the Fourth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have examined the Bill respecting the Ladies of the Sacred Heart of *Jesus*, and beg leave to report the same with several Amendments.

Your Committee recommend that the fee of \$200, paid under Rule 58, on this Bill be refunded.

As the time for presenting Reports from Private Bill Committees will expire To-day, your Committee recommend that the same be extended until Tuesday next, the 28th instant.

On motion of Mr. *Tisdale*, seconded by Mr. *Cameron*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill respecting the *Nicola Valley Railway Company*, and the Bill to revive and amend the Act to incorporate the *Mount Forest, Markdale and Meaford Railway Company*, be severally withdrawn, and any balance of fees remaining after defraying the cost of printing and translation, be refunded, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Ninth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

On motion of Mr. *Denison*, seconded by Mr. *Tyrwhitt*,

*Ordered*, That the time for the reception of Reports from Committees on Private Bills be extended to Tuesday next, the 28th instant, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Fourth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Sproule* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting detective corporations and mercantile agencies.

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

Mr. *Haggart* moved, seconded by Mr. *Foster*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider certain proposed Resolutions respecting the granting of subsidies to certain Railway Companies, and towards the construction of the Railways therein mentioned.

Mr. *Haggart*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, then acquainted the House, That His Excellency the Governor General, having been informed of the subject matter of this Motion, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 20th February, 1893, for all papers, documents, correspondence, &c., addressed to the Government in relation to the best means to be adopted to prevent the spreading of cholera. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 65.)

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question, which was yesterday proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (for the House again in the Committee of Supply);

And proposed amendment thereto, That all the words after "That" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words, "in the opinion of this House, the evidence taken by the Royal Commission appointed last Session to enquire into certain charges made against the Honourable Sir A. P. Caron, K.C.M.G., M.P., which was reported to the Government on 24th November, 1892, and is now laid before us, establishes facts which should have prevented the subsequent appointment of Sir A. P. Caron to be an adviser of the Crown, and also, render it highly improper that he should continue to hold such office," 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.

|                           |              |                    |                   |
|---------------------------|--------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Allan,                    | Davies,      | Landerkin,         | O'Brien,          |
| Bain (Wentworth),         | Dawson,      | Langelier,         | Paterson (Brant), |
| Beausoleil,               | Delisle,     | Laurier,           | Perry,            |
| Béchar, d,                | Devlin,      | Lavergne,          | Proulx,           |
| Beith,                    | Edgar,       | Leduc,             | Rider,            |
| Bernier,                  | Edwards,     | Legris,            | Rinfret,          |
| Borden,                   | Fauvel,      | Livingston,        | Rowand,           |
| Bourassa,                 | Featherston, | Lowell,            | Sanborn,          |
| Bowers,                   | Flint,       | Macdonald (Huron), | Scriver,          |
| Bowman,                   | Forbes,      | McCarthy,          | Semple,           |
| Brodeur,                  | Fraser,      | McGregor,          | Somerville,       |
| Bruneau,                  | Geoffrion,   | McMillan,          | Sutherland,       |
| Calvin,                   | Gibson,      | McMullen,          | Tarte,            |
| Cartwright (Sir Richard), | Godbout,     | Mignault,          | Vaillancourt,     |
| Charlton,                 | Grieve,      | Mills (Bothwell),  | Weldon,           |
| Choquette,                | Guay,        | Monet,             | Welsh, and        |
| Christie,                 | Innes,       | Mulock,            | Yeo.—69.          |
| Colter,                   |              |                    |                   |

## NAYS:

## Messieurs.

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| Amyot,            | Davis,   | Leclair, | Patterson (Huron), |
| Bain (Soulanges), | Denison, | Lépine,  | Pelletier,         |

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| Baird,      | Desaulniers,              | Lippé,                   | Pridham,                |
| Baker,      | Dickey,                   | Macdonald (King's),      | Prior,                  |
| Barnard,    | Dugas,                    | Macdonald (Winnipeg),    | Putnam,                 |
| Belley,     | Dupont,                   | Macdonell (Algoma),      | Reid,                   |
| Bennett,    | Dyer,                     | Macdowall,               | Robillard,              |
| Bergeron,   | Earle,                    | Mackintosh,              | Roome,                  |
| Boyd,       | Fairbairn,                | McAlister,               | Rosamond,               |
| Boyle,      | Ferguson (Renfrew),       | McDonald (Assiniboia),   | Ross (Dundas),          |
| Bryson,     | Foster,                   | McDonald (Victoria),     | Ross (Lisgar),          |
| Burnham,    | Fréchette,                | McDougald (Pictou),      | Ryckman,                |
| Cameron,    | Girouard (Two Mountains), | McDougald (Cape Breton), | Simard,                 |
| Cargill,    | Grandbois,                | McInerney,               | Smith (Ontario),        |
| Carignan,   | Guillet,                  | McKay,                   | Spronle,                |
| Carling,    | Haggart,                  | McLean (King's),         | Stairs,                 |
| Carpenter,  | Hazen,                    | McLennan,                | Stevenson,              |
| Carscallen, | Henderson,                | McLeod,                  | Taylor,                 |
| Chesley,    | Hodgins,                  | Madill,                  | Temple,                 |
| Cleveland,  | Hughes,                   | Mara,                    | Tisdale,                |
| Coatsworth, | Hutchins,                 | Marshall,                | Turcotte,               |
| Cochrane,   | Ingram,                   | Masson,                  | Tyrwhitt,               |
| Cockburn,   | Ives,                     | Metcalfe,                | Wallace,                |
| Corbould,   | Jeannotte,                | Miller,                  | White (Cardwell),       |
| Corby,      | Joncas,                   | Mills (Annapolis),       | White (Sheburne),       |
| Costigan,   | Kaulbach,                 | Moneriff,                | Wilmot,                 |
| Craig,      | Kenny,                    | Montague,                | Wilson,                 |
| Curran,     | Lachapelle,               | Northrup,                | Wood (Brockville), and  |
| Daly,       | Langevin (Sir Hector),    | Quimet,                  | Wood (Westmoreland)—119 |
| Davin,      | LaRivière,                | Patterson (Colchester),  |                         |

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 Ninety thousand five hundred and eighty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Nova Scotia* :—*L'Ardoise*—Breakwater, \$2,500; *French River*—Repairs to pier, \$700; *West Chezzetcook*, \$4,400; *Digby*—Pier, \$19,000; *Mabou*—Repairs to pier—To complete, \$2,500; *Broad Cove Marsh*—Repairs to pier—To complete, \$300; *Nyanza*—Wharf, \$1,800; *Pictou Island* wharves, \$1,500; *Bayfield* new wharf, \$19,000; *Bayfield* breakwater—Repairs, \$5,000; *Boulevardierie Island*—Wharf on south side, \$1,600; *Cape Sable Island*—Breakwater on its southern side, \$1,400; *D'Escousse* wharf, \$4,280; *Babbins Cove*, \$1,000; *Ingonish* (south) pier—To complete, \$2,000; *Fox Island*—Beach protection, \$600; *Meteghan Cove*—Repairs to pier, \$2,700; *Maitland*—Repairs to wharf, \$600; *Blue Rock* breakwater—Repairs, \$1,000; *McNair's Cove* pier—Heavy repairs, dredging, &c., \$3,700; *Yarmouth Harbour*, \$8,000; *Grand Etang*, \$5,000; *Mabou Coal Mines*—Wharf at *Coal Mine Point*; the residents contributing in labour to the amount of \$2,000, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Prince Edward Island* :—Repairs to pier and breakwaters, \$6,000; *Miminigash*, \$1,000; *Port Selkirk* pier—Repairs, \$800; *St. Peter's Bay*—Repairs to breakwater at inner end, \$1,000; *Bay Fortune Harbour*, \$1,000; *Nine Mile Creek*—Repairs to pier, \$800, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *New Brunswick* :—*Lower Neguac*—Wharf, \$4,000; *Shippegan* breakwater—Repairs, &c., \$2,500; *Negro Point* breakwater, *St. John* harbour, \$5,000; *Tracadie*—Wharf, \$2,500; *River St. John*, including tributaries, \$10,000; *Shediac* harbour—New breakwater for protection of Intercolonial Railway wharf at *Point du Chêne*, \$30,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for general repairs and improvements to Harbour and River works—Maritime Provinces generally, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-five thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Quebec*—*Anse à l'Eau* or *Tadoussac* pier, \$2,500; *Rimouski* pier—Repairs, \$2,000; *Cacouna* pier, \$1,000; *Etang du Nord*—Repairs, \$1,500; *Isle Verte* pier, \$1,000; *Murray Bay*—Renewals and repairs, \$5,700; *Lake Megantic* piers—Repairs, \$300; *Laprairie*—Works in connection with ice piers, \$2,500; *River Ottawa*—Improvement of channel at *Mille Iles*, \$1,000; *River St. Maurice*—Improvement of channel between *Grandes Piles* and *La Tuque*, \$3,500; *Ile aux Coudres*—Repairs to pier, \$1,200; *Roberval* pier, *Lake St. John*, \$5,000; *Les Eboulements*—Repairs to wharf, \$1,000; *Baie St. Paul*,—Extension of wharf at *Cap aux Corbeaux*, \$9,000; *Matane*—Extension of wharf, to complete, \$700; *Chicoutimi* wharf—Repairs, \$2,000; *St. Michel de Bellechasse*—Repairs to pier, \$500; *St. Laurent*, *Island of Orleans*—Renewals, \$600; *Longueuil* pier—Enlargement and repairs—To complete, \$3,000; *Yamachiche* pier, \$1,500; General repairs and improvements to harbour and river works and bridges, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and forty-one thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Ontario*:—*Kingston* harbour, *Lake Ontario*, \$8,000; *Port Hope*—Repairs to pier, \$2,500; *River Ottawa*—Improvements of steam-boat channel through *Narrows* at *Petawawa*, above *Pembroke*, \$1,000; *Southampton*—Repairs to breakwaters, \$1,000; *Meaford* harbour works—The Town having contributed \$3,000, \$1,900; *Thornbury*, \$3,900; *Hamilton* harbour—Dredging, \$1,000; *Trenton* harbour—Dredging; locality providing \$2,600, \$3,000; *Toronto* harbour—Works at eastern and western entrance, &c., the City of *Toronto* having contributed \$100,000, \$75,000; *Port Albert*—Dredging, \$13,000; *Goderich* harbour—Extension of piers, \$15,000; *Port Rowan*—Wharf, \$4,000; *Midland* harbour—Dredging, \$2,500; *Port Arthur*—Dredging, \$5,000; General repairs and improvements to harbour and river works, also to bridges, \$5,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for general repairs and improvements to harbour and river works and to bridges, *Manitoba*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for general repairs and improvements to harbour and river works and to bridges, *North-west Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-three thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *British Columbia*:—*Victoria* Harbour—Dredging in inner harbour, \$10,000; *Victoria* Harbour—Dredging in outer harbour, \$12,000; *Fraser River*—Improvement of channel at mouth, \$30,000; *Columbia River*—Improvements above *Golden*, \$4,500; *Columbia River*—Improvements between *Revelstoke* and *Arrow Lakes*, \$1,500; *Skeena River*, \$3,000; *Fraser River*—Protection works at *Garry Bush*, \$12,000; *Fraser River*—Improvement of navigable channel, and protection of south bank of river at *Miller's Landing* and *Sumas*, \$7,500; General repairs and improvements to harbour and river works, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers generally, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and ninety-six thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dredging, as follow:—New dredging plant, \$50,800; Dredge vessels—Repairs, \$30,000; Dredging—*Nova Scotia*, *Prince Edward Island* and *New Brunswick*, \$40,000; *Quebec* and *Ontario*, \$40,000; *Manitoba*, \$15,000; *British Columbia*, \$15,000; General service, \$6,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted\*to Her Majesty, for Slides and Booms, as follow, viz.:—Slides and booms, \$5,000; *Ottawa District*—*River Petawawa*, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.



13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Roads and Bridges, as follow:—Bridges, *Ottawa City*, over the *Ottawa River*, the Slides, the *Rideau Canal* and approaches thereto, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Telegraph Lines—Land and cable telegraph lines for the seacoasts and islands of the River and Gulf of *St. Lawrence* and the Maritime Provinces—Land line on north shore of *St. Lawrence*—To improve roadway, repair line and increase operating facilities of same between *Pointe des Monts* and *Pointe aux Esquimaux*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and forty thousand four hundred and thirty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Miscellaneous items, as follow:—Surveys and Inspections, \$15,700; National Art Gallery, \$1,000; To provide for salaries of Engineers, Draughtsmen and Clerks, Chief Engineer's Office, \$54,000; To provide for salaries of Architects, Draughtsmen and Clerks, Chief Architect's Office, \$28,500; To provide for salaries of Staff, Telegraph service, \$2,230; To provide for temporary clerical and other assistance, inclusive of all services of all persons required who were first employed after 1st July, 1882, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Civil Service Act, \$30,000; Monument to the late Sir *John A. Macdonald*, \$9,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and seventy-eight thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Works:—Collection of slide and boom dues, \$4,000; Repairs and working expenses, harbours, docks and slides, \$105,900; To provide for paying the "Upper *Ottawa Improvement Company*" the authorized allowance for management, &c., in connection with logs passed through the *Chenaux boom*, *Ottawa River*, during fiscal year 1893-94, \$1,600; Telegraph lines between *Prince Edward Island* and the mainland, \$2,000; Land and cable telegraph lines of the seacoasts and islands of the lower rivers and Gulf of *St. Lawrence* and Maritime Provinces, including cost of working steamer "*Newfield*," or other vessels when required for cableservice, \$28,000; Telegraph lines, *North-west Territories*, \$22,000; Telegraph lines, *British Columbia*, \$10,000; Telegraph and signal service generally, \$2,700; Public Works agency, *British Columbia*, \$2,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

17. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and sixty thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Repairs, Furniture, Heating, &c.:—Repairs, *Ottawa Buildings*—Furniture, &c., \$110,000; Rents—Dominion Public Buildings, \$12,500; *Rideau Hall*, \$15,000; Furniture for outside buildings, \$5,000; Grounds, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$6,000; Removal of snow, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$2,500; Heating Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, including salaries of engineers, firemen and elevator attendants, \$66,000; Gas and electric light, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, including roads and bridges, \$26,500; Water, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$16,500; Allowance for fuel and light, *Rideau Hall*, \$8,000; Telephone service, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$3,500; *Major's Hill Park*, *Ottawa*, \$4,000; salaries of engineers, firemen, caretakers, &c., of Dominion Public Buildings, \$66,000; Heating, Dominion Public Buildings, fuel, &c., \$50,000; Lighting, Dominion Public Buildings, \$38,500; Water for Dominion Public Buildings, \$15,500; Sundry supplies for caretakers, engineers, firemen, &c., Dominion Buildings, \$5,000; Dominion Immigration Buildings, repairs, furniture, &c., \$3,000; Materials for repairs, &c., in connection with ventilation and lighting Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$4,000; Quarantine buildings, repairs and maintenance, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, as follow, viz.:—*Nova Scotia*—*Dartmouth Post office*, to complete, \$5,000; *Halifax Drill Hall*, including purchase of site, \$65,000; *Lunenburg Post office*, Custom House, &c., to complete, \$15,000; *Pictou Post office*, to complete, \$14,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

*Friday, 24th March, 1893.*

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

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

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

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

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the following Bills without any amendment:—

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the *Canada Life Assurance Company*."

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Woodmen of the World."

Bill intituled: "An Act to revive and amend the Act to incorporate the Equity Insurance Company, and to change the name of the Company to the *St. Lawrence Insurance Company*."

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Ocean Accident Corporation," with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Canada North-West Land Company (Limited)*," with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

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.

And also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to revive and amend the Act to incorporate the *Moncton and Prince Edward Island Railway and Ferry Company*," with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

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

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns at the next sitting this day, it shall stand adjourned until Saturday, the 25th instant, at Three o'Clock, P.M., and that Government Orders shall have precedence on that day.

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

Friday, 24th March, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *McGregor*,—The Petition of *Jacob J. Bondy* and others; the Petition of *Alexander O'Neil* and others; and the Petition of *John Watters* and others, all fishermen of *Ontario*.

By Mr. *Davin*,—The Petition of *R. W. Caswell* and others, of *Gull Lake*, District of *Assiniboia, North-west Territories*.

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

Of *J. H. Plant* and others, of *McLean*; of *George W. Brown* and others, of *Regina*; and of *J. E. Battell* and others, of *Caron, Moose Jaw*, all of the District of *Assiniboia, North-west Territories*; severally praying that the *North-west Territories Act* requiring the Ordinances of the said Assembly published, and the proceedings of the Courts conducted, in the French language, may be repealed.

On motion of Mr. *Mills (Annapolis)*, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*,

*Ordered*, That the Fee of Two hundred dollars, levied under Rule 58 of this House upon the Bill concerning the Ladies of the Sacred Heart of *Jesus*, be refunded, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Fourth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Wood (Brockville)* have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend the Petroleum Inspection 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. *Daly* have leave to bring in a Bill to consolidate and amend the Act respecting Land in the *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.

The Order of the Day being read, for taking into consideration the Bill to amend the Criminal Code, 1892, as amended in the Committee of the Whole House;

Mr. *Curran* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now taken into consideration;

Mr. *Charlton* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Christie*, That all the words after "now" to the end of the Question, be left out, and the words, "recommitted to a Committee of the Whole House, with an instruction that they have power to amend the same, if they see fit, by adding a Clause to repeal section 729 of the Criminal Code, 1892, which said Clause reads as follows:—

"729. The taking of the verdict of the jury, or other proceeding of the Court, shall not be invalid by reason of its happening on Sunday," inserted instead thereof;

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

Then the main Question, so amended, being put;

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now recommitted to a Committee of the Whole House, with an instruction that they have power to amend the same, if they see fit, by adding a Clause to repeal section 729 of the Criminal Code, 1892, which said Clause reads as follows:—

"729. The taking of the verdict of the jury, or other proceeding of the Court, shall not be invalid by reason of its happening on Sunday."

The House accordingly again resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* reported the Bill as previously amended.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as previously amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the Harbour Commissioners of *Montreal*;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting two Commissioners to represent *Canada* at the World's Columbian Exposition to be held at *Chicago* in 1893.

(*In the Committee.*)

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to provide for the payment to two Commissioners, who may be Members of this Parliament, to represent *Canada* at the World's Columbian Exposition to be held at *Chicago* in 1893, of such sums for their expenses as are determined by the Governor in Council.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received To-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill further to amend the Insurance 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. *Bergeron* 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.

Mr. *Quimet*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 15th March, 1893, for copies of all correspondence between the Minister of Justice and the Honourable *J. G. Bossé*, Judge of the Court of Queen's Bench, in relation to the trial and condemnation of *R. H. McGreevy* and *O. E. Murphy*, charged with a conspiracy to defraud;

Of all recommendations and of all reports made by the said Honourable *J. G. Bossé* in relation to the conviction of the said *Murphy* and *McGreevy* and to a commutation of the sentence of *R. H. McGreevy*;

Of the order for the commutation of the sentence of *R. H. McGreevy*, and of any petitions, letters, &c., in relation thereto. (*Sessional Papers, No. 66.*)

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Lists of Shareholders in the Chartered Banks of the Dominion of *Canada*, as on the 31st December, 1892. (*Sessional Papers, No. 3.*)

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 *Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo* Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the *Drummond County* Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the *Calgary Street* Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 *Nakusp and Stocan* Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 *Nakusp and Stocan* 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 from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to consolidate and amend certain Acts relating to the *Manitoba and North-Western* Railway Company of *Canada*," and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 into consideration the said Amendments, and the same were read as follow:—

Page 3, line 6.—After “may” insert “with the approval of the Governor in “Council.”

Page 3, line 31.—Leave out “ten” and insert “twenty.”

The said Amendments, being read a second time, were agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill, with the Amendments, do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint Their Honours, That this House hath passed the same, with several Amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting the Ladies of the Sacred Heart of *Jesus*, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 incorporate the Ocean “Accident Corporation,” and the same was read, as follows:—

Page 3, line 44.—After “business” insert “in *Canada* or elsewhere.”

The said Amendment, being read a second time, was 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 *Canada* “*North-west* Land Company (Limited),” and the same was read, as follows:—

Page 6, line 35.—After “in” insert “preferred.”

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

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendment.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: “An Act respecting the Grand “Trunk Railway Company of *Canada*,” and the same were read, as follow:—

Page 2, line 15.—After the second “in” insert “so much of,” and leave out from the third “in” to the first “the” in line 16.

Page 4, line 21.—Leave out Clause 13.

Page 9, line 2.—After “meeting” insert “for the election of directors.”

The said 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.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: “An Act to revive and “amend the Act to incorporate the *Moncton* and *Prince Edward Island* Railway “and Ferry Company,” and the same were read, as follow:—

Page 1, line 12.—After “for” insert “the commencement of the undertaking “and.”

Page 2, line 7.—Leave out from “dollars” to the end of Clause three.

The said 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.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *James Frederick Doran*;"

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 *Annette Marion Goff*;"

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 *John Francis Schwaller*;"

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 to amend the Act respecting the Harbour and River Police of 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. *Bergeron* 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 Act respecting Public Officers;

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. *Bergeron* 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 Subsidies to certain Railway Companies and towards the construction of the Railways therein mentioned, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the Canadian "Power Company," without any amendment.

Also, the Senate have agreed to the Amendment made by this House to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend an Act respecting the *Nova Scotia* Permanent Bene- "fit Building Society and Savings Fund," without any amendment.

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the Speaker "of the Senate," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act further to amend "the Act respecting Joint Stock Companies to construct works to facilitate the trans- "mission of Timber down Rivers and Streams," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

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

*Resolved*, That Government Orders shall have precedence on Monday next, after Questions put by Members, and that one hour shall be given to Private Bills after Routine Proceedings on that day.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

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Saturday, 25th March, 1893.

*Three o'Clock, P.M.*

PRAYERS.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petition was read and received:—

Of *J. G. Mullen* and others, of the Town of *Amherstburg*, and others, of the County of *Essex, Ontario*; praying that the granting of fishing licenses, and the present close season for the catching of certain kinds of fish, may be discontinued in that Province.

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 recommend that 75,000 Reports on Experimental Farms, 75,000 Reports on Dairying in English, and 25,000 of each in French, be ordered to be printed for distribution to Honourable Members of the Senate, and to Members of the House of Commons.

The Committee also recommend that each Senator be supplied with 10 copies of each Report, and that a circular do issue by the Clerk of the Committee to each



Senator, and should any desire to have this number increased, he can have them upon notice to the Clerk, Mr. *J. A. Polkinghorne*, and that the balance of these Reports left over, be distributed by the Queen's Printer, *pro rata*, as per number of voters in each rural district, to the Members of the House of Commons representing the same.

The Committee further recommend the promotion of Mr. *H. A. Botterell*, of the Distribution Office, to the rank of a second class clerk.

Mr. *Tisdale*, 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 Bill to incorporate the North American Canal Company, and have agreed to report the same with Amendments.

Mr. *Tisdale*, 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 submit the following Resolution as a recommendation :—

*Resolved*, That Rule 49 be repealed and the following substituted therefor :—

“49. Petitions for Private Bills shall only be received by the House within the first three weeks of the Session, and Private Bills may only be presented to the House within the first four weeks of the Session, and it shall be the duty of any Committee to which any Private Bill is referred to consider and report the same to the House with all convenient speed.”

“2. That it be an instruction to all Committees on Private Bills, in the event of promoters not being ready to proceed with their measures when the same have been twice called on two separate occasions for consideration by the Committee, that such measures shall be reported back to the House forthwith, together with a statement of the facts and with the recommendation that such Bills be withdrawn.”

Mr. *La Rivière*, 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 Fourth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth :—

Your Committee recommend that the members of the Press Gallery, certified to by the Secretary, shall be supplied in future with the bound volumes of the Official Report of the Debates; but, owing to the limited number of copies printed of this Session's Debates, that for this year the aforesaid members of the Gallery shall return to the Government Printing Bureau their copies of the revised edition, where they shall, upon the completion of the Index to the same, be bound for them free of charge.

Your Committee, with the view of having Members of the Senate provided with a copy of each of the daily or unrevised edition of the Debates, recommend that, commencing with the next Session of Parliament, the number of copies of the edition in question now printed and distributed, be increased from 300 to 400 copies.

Your Committee also recommend that Mr. *Thomas. J. Richardson*, who has not as yet sufficiently recovered from the effects of his recent accident to enable him to resume his official duties, be granted an extension of leave of absence for the remainder of the Session, and that his salary be paid him during the time of such absence.

Your Committee also recommend that the salary of Mr. *J. C. Boyce*, Assistant to the Chief Reporter, be increased from \$1,000 to \$1,200 per annum.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Davin* have leave to bring in a Bill to repeal the Homestead Exemption 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 Monday next.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Davin* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend 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 Monday next.

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

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act further to amend the Act respecting Joint Stock Companies to construct works to facilitate the transmission of Timber down Rivers and Streams," 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 Mr. *Foster*, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act respecting the Speaker of the Senate," 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.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Patterson* (*Huron*) have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act respecting the Royal Military College.

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

Mr. *Haggart* moved, seconded by Mr. *Costigan*, That this House will, on Monday next, resolve itself into a Committee to consider certain proposed Resolutions respecting the granting of subsidies to certain Railway Companies, and towards the construction of the Railways therein mentioned.

Mr. *Haggart*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, then acquainted the House, That His Excellency the Governor General, having been informed of the subject matter of this Motion, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

*Resolved*, That this House will, on Monday next, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 6th February, 1893, for copies of all correspondence between Mr. *Robertson*, Dairy Commissioner for *Canada*, and the Department of Agriculture, in relation to a certain Resolution adopted by a Committee of the Board of Trade of *Bristol, England*, against accepting as Canadian cheese, cheese designated by the said Committee under the name of "French Cheese" and manufactured in the Province of *Quebec*;

Copies of all speeches, letters and reports made by the said Dairy Commissioner, Mr. *Robertson*, on the value of cheese manufactured in the Provinces of *Quebec* and *Ontario*. (*Sessional Papers, No. 70.*)

Also, a further Supplementary Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 15th March, 1893, for copies of correspondence and other papers in relation to an Agreement entered into between Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain and Ireland* and the President of the French Republic, regulating the commercial relations between *Canada* and *France*, in respect to Customs tariffs. (*Sessional Papers, No: 51c.*)

The Order of the Day being read, for the House again in the Committee of Supply;

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, and the Question being proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair;

Mr. *Charlton* 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, "this House is of the opinion that the domestic and American rate of post-

“age may, with due regard to the public interest, be reduced to two cents for letters of one ounce, or less, in weight,” inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment; the House divided: and it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

*Ordered*, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty-two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Canadian *Pacific* Railway, viz.:—Construction, \$2,000; To pay the award of arbitrators, and balance of expenses of arbitration, and the expense of engineer and staff on expenditure, \$150,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

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

Mr. *Bergeron* 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 Bills without any amendment:—

Bill intituled: “An Act further to amend the Supreme and Exchequer Courts “Act.”

Bill intituled: “An Act relating to the Harbour of *Thornbury*, on *Georgian* “Bay.”

Bill intituled: “An Act to incorporate the *Atlantic* and *Lake Superior* Railway “Company.”

Bill intituled: “An Act to incorporate the *Canada* Carriage Company.”

Bill intituled: “An Act respecting the *Columbia* and *Kootenay* Railway and “Navigation Company.”

Bill intituled: “An Act to further amend the Act to enable the City of *Winnipeg* to utilize the *Assiniboine* River water power.”

Bill intituled: “An Act respecting the Canadian *Pacific* Railway Company.”

Bill intituled: “An Act respecting the *Chilliwack* Railway Company.”

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: “An Act to incorporate the “Grand Council of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association of *Canada*,” with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: “An Act to revive and amend “the Act to incorporate the North Canadian *Atlantic* Railway and Steam-ship Com- “pany,” with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: “An Act to incorporate the “Canadian Live Stock Insurance Association,” to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: “An Act further to amend the “Revised Statutes respecting Canned Goods,” to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: “An Act to amend the “*North-west Territories* Act,” to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

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On motion of Mr. *Wood (Brockville)*, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*,  
*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act further to amend  
 "the Revised Statutes respecting Canned Goods," 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 Mr. *Daly*, seconded by Mr. *Costigan*,  
*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend the *North-*  
*west Territories Act*," 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. *Patterson (Huron)*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the  
 House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Establishment Lists  
 of the Active Militia, for the financial year 1893–94. (*Sessional Papers, No. 19a.*)

And then The House adjourned till Monday next.

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Monday, 27th March, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *McGregor*,—The Petition of *Daniel Meloche* and others, fishermen, of  
*Sandwich West*; and the Petition of *G. McPhillips* and others, fishermen and others,  
 all of the County of *Essex, Ontario*.

By Mr. *Mills (Bothwell)*,—The Petition of *J. D. McNulty* and others, fishermen  
 and others, of *Baby's Point*, County of *Bothwell, Ontario*.

By Mr. *McKay*,—The Petition of *Samuel Briggs* and others, of the City of  
*Hamilton, Ontario*.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read and re-  
 ceived:—

Of *Jacob J. Bondy* and others; of *Alexander O'Neil* and others; and of *John*  
*Watters* and others, all fishermen, of *Ontario*; severally praying that the granting  
 of fishing licenses, and the present close season for the catching of certain kinds of  
 fish may be discontinued in that Province.

Of *E. W. Caswell* and others, of *Gull Lake*, District of *Assiniboia, North-west*  
*Territories*; praying that the *North-west Assembly* may be given the control of  
 Education, and that the Clause in the *North-west Territories Act*, requiring the  
 Ordinances of the said Assembly published, and the proceedings of the Courts con-  
 ducted, in the French language, may be repealed.

Mr. *Denison*, 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:—

The promoters of Bill to wind up the *Montreal Mining Company*, having signi-  
 fied their intention of not proceeding any further with the measure during the  
 present Session, your Committee recommend that the said Bill be withdrawn, and  
 the fees paid thereon under the 58th Rule be refunded, less the cost of printing and  
 translation.

Your Committee have considered the following Bills, and beg leave to report the same without any amendment, viz. :—

Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *James Frederick Doran*."

Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *Annette Marion Goff*;"—and

Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *John Francis Schwaller*."

In view of the late period of the Session, your Committee recommend that the said Bills be placed immediately on the Order Paper for consideration in Committee of the Whole this day.

On motion of Mr. *White (Cardwell)*, seconded by Mr. *Hazen*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill to wind up the *Montreal Mining 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 Fifth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

On motion of Mr. *McAlister*, seconded by Mr. *Masson*,

*Resolved*, That in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Fifth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, the following Bills be placed on the Order Paper for consideration in Committee of the Whole this day, viz. :—

Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *James Frederick Doran*."

Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *Annette Marion Goff*."

Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act for the relief of *John Francis Schwaller*."

On motion of Mr. *Hazen*, seconded by Mr. *White (Cardwell)*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Canadian Live Stock Insurance Association," 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 Banking and Commerce, and that Rule 60 be suspended in relation thereto.

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

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

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

*Resolved*, That this House doth concur in the Fourth Report of the Select Committee appointed to supervise the Official Report of the Debates of this House during the present Session.

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

*Resolved*, That this House doth concur in the Eleventh Report of the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, and the Clerk of the House be ordered to have a copy of the amended Rule 49 sent to those persons giving notice in the *Canada Gazette* of their intention to apply to Parliament for the passing of a Private Bill, together with a notification that the said Rule will be strictly adhered to for the future.

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

*Resolved*, That the Resolution as contained in the Eleventh Report of the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines, amending Rule 49, be made a Standing Order of this House.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Haggart* have leave to bring in a Bill to confirm the sale of the *Carleton*, City of *St. John*, Branch Railroad.

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 respecting the Voters' Lists of 1893.

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, 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 on the 30th June, 1894, 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. 2d.)

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

Ottawa, 27th March, 1893.

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

*Ordered*, That the said Message, together with the Estimates accompanying the same, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

The Order of the Day being read, for the third reading of the Bill respecting the *Toronto*, *Hamilton* and *Buffalo* Railway Company;

Mr. *Coatsworth* moved, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Mr. *Denison* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Tyrwhitt*, That all the words after "now" to the end of the Question be left out, and the words "recommended to a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of amending the same" by adding the following as Clause 6 thereto:—That the portion of the said Rail-way lying between *Port Credit* and *Mimico* shall be carried north of the Rife "Range leased to the Government," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment:—It passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to incorporate the North American Canal Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 *James Frederick Doran* ;"

Mr. *Weldon* moved, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*, and the Question being put, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair; the House divided: and it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 for the relief of *Annette Marion Goff*," and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 for the relief of *John Francis Schwaller*," and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendment made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate "the Grand Council of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association of *Canada*," and the same was read, as follows:—

Page 1, line 30.—After "the" leave out "said Grand Council," and insert "Association hereby incorporated."

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

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendment.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to revive and amend the "Act to incorporate the North *Canadian Atlantic* Railway and Steam-ship Company," and the same were read, as follow:—

Page 1, line 21.—After "The" insert "Quebec and."

(*In the Title.*)

Line 3.—After "Company" insert "and to change the name thereof to the "*Quebec and Labrador* Railway and Steam-ship Company."

The said 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.

On motion of Mr. *Weldon*, seconded by Mr. *Taylor*,  
*Resolved*, That a Message be sent to the Senate informing their Honours, That this House returns the Evidence, &c., taken before the Select Committee of the Senate on Divorce, to whom was referred the following Bills, viz. :—

Bill from the Senate, intituled : “An Act for the relief of *James Frederick “Doran.”*”

Bill from the Senate, intituled : “An Act for the relief of *Annette Marion Goff.*”

Bill from the Senate, intituled : “An Act for the relief of *John Francis “Schwaller.”*”

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

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 Members' indemnity.

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.

A Bill respecting the Harbour Commissioners of *Montreal*, was, according to Order, read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

Mr. *Bergeron* reported from the Committee of the Whole House, to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting two Commissioners to represent *Canada* at the World's Columbian Exposition, to be held at *Chicago* in 1893, a Resolution, which was read, as followeth :—

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to provide for the payment to two Commissioners, who may be Members of this Parliament, to represent *Canada* at the World's Columbian Exposition, to be held at *Chicago* in 1893, of such sums for their expenses as are determined by the Governor in Council.

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, and the Question being proposed, That the Resolution be now read the second time;

Mr. *Charlton* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Christie*, That the following words be added to the said Resolution :—“And it is further enacted that such payment is provided for only on condition that the Canadian Department of the said Exposition shall be closed on Sundays.”

Mr. Speaker ruled the amendment out of order, because it was not relevant to the subject matter of the Resolution, and a similar question is already substantially on the Order Paper in the Honourable Member's name.

Then the main Question being put :—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

*Ordered*, That the said Resolution be now read the second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a second time and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Foster* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the appointment of Commissioners to the World's Columbian Exposition.

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 amend the Civil Service Superannuation 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. *Bergeron* 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 Merchant Shipping Act, with respect to load lines;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Denison* reported, that the Committee had gone through the Bill, and 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 amend the Inland Waters Seamen's 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. *Denison* 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 to consider certain proposed Resolutions respecting the granting of subsidies to certain Railway Companies, and towards the construction of the Railways therein mentioned.

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to authorize the Governor in Council to grant the subsidies hereinafter mentioned to the Railway Companies, and towards the construction of the Railways also hereinafter mentioned, that is to say:—

To the Great Eastern Railway Company, for 20 miles of their railway, from the east end of the line subsidized by the Act 50-51 *Victoria*, chapter 24, at *St. Grégoire*, towards the *Chaudière* Junction Station on the Intercolonial Railway, in the Province of *Quebec*, in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 52 *Victoria*, chapter 3, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole..... \$64,000 00

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| To the United Counties Railway Company, for 32 miles of their railway, from a point at or near the Town of <i>Iberville</i> to <i>St. Hyacinthe</i> , and thence towards <i>Sorel</i> , in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 55-56 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 5, for a railway from <i>St. John's</i> to <i>St. Rosalie</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....                                   | \$102,400 00 |
| To the <i>Ontario, Belmont and Ottawa</i> Railway Company, for 10 miles of their railway, divided into two sections: first, from the <i>Belmont</i> Iron Mines to <i>Marmora</i> Village; second, from <i>Marmora</i> Village to the junction with the <i>Ontario</i> Central Railway, in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 55-56 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 5, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole..... | 32,000 00    |
| To the Central <i>Ontario</i> Railway Company, for 20 miles of their railway, from <i>Coehill</i> or <i>Gilmore</i> , or some point between <i>Coehill</i> and <i>Gilmore</i> , to <i>Bancroft</i> , via <i>L'Amable</i> , or as near thereto as practicable, in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 48-49 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 59, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....                         | 64,000 00    |
| To the <i>Quebec and Lake St. John</i> Railway Company, for 30 miles of their railway, from <i>Lake St. John</i> towards <i>Chicoutimi</i> , the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidy granted by the Act 51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, not exceeding in the whole.....   | 81,040 00    |
| To the <i>Irondale, Bancroft and Ottawa</i> Railway Company, for 50 miles of their railway, from the <i>Victoria</i> Branch of the <i>Midland</i> Railway to the Village of <i>Bancroft</i> , in the County of <i>Hastings</i> , the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidy granted by the Act 47 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 8, and again granted by the Act 52 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, not exceeding in the whole.....                  | 145,000 00   |
| To the <i>Beauharnois Junction</i> Railway Company, for 30 miles of their railway, from <i>St. Martin</i> towards <i>St. Anicet</i> , the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidy granted by the Act 50-51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 24, not exceeding in the whole.....  | 3,500 00     |
| To the <i>St. Stephen and 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> , in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 53 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 2, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....   | 11,200 00    |
| To the <i>Quebec, Montmorency and Charlevoix</i> Railway Company, for 30 miles of their railway, from the East Bank of the River <i>St. Charles</i> , to or near <i>Cape Tourmente</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidy granted by the Act 52 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, not exceeding in the whole.....  | 30,400 00    |
| To the <i>Ottawa and Gatineau Valley</i> Railway Company, for 62 miles of their railway, from <i>Hull</i> Station towards <i>Le Désert</i> , the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidy granted by the Act 52 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, not exceeding in the whole.....   | 89,248 00    |
| To the Grand Trunk, <i>Georgian Bay and Lake Erie</i> Railway Company, for 15 miles of their railway, from the Village of <i>Tara</i> , or some point between <i>Tara</i> and <i>Hepworth</i> to the Town of <i>Owen Sound</i> , in the Province of <i>Ontario</i> , in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 52 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....                      | 48,000 00    |
| To the <i>Nova Scotia</i> Central Railway Company, for 80 miles of their railway, from <i>Lunenburg</i> , on the east coast of <i>Nova Scotia</i> , westward to a point in the District of <i>New Germany</i> , together with a spur about ¾ mile long to <i>Bridgewater</i> Railway Wharf, and from a point 33½ miles from <i>Lunenburg</i> and running to <i>Middleton</i> on   |              |

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|    | the <i>Windsor</i> and <i>Annapolis</i> Railway, of unpaid subsidies granted by the Acts 50-51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 24, and 51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, an amount not exceeding in the whole.....   | \$4,500 00 |
| To | the Great Northern Railway Company, for 18 miles of their railway, from a point at or near <i>New Glasgow</i> or <i>St. Lin</i> , to or near to <i>Montcalm</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidy granted by the Act 54-55 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 8, not exceeding in the whole. ....  | 25,600 00  |
| To | the Great Northern Railway Company, for 15 miles of their railway, from at or near <i>Montcalm</i> to the Canadian <i>Pacific</i> Railway between <i>Joliette</i> and <i>St. Felix de Valois</i> , in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 53 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 2, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....   | 48,000 00  |
| To | the <i>Montfort</i> Colonization Railway Company, for 21 miles of their 3 feet gauge railway from <i>Lachute</i> , <i>St. Jérôme</i> , or a point at or near <i>St. Sauveur</i> , on the line of the <i>Montreal</i> and Western Railway, to <i>Montfort</i> and westward, in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 55-56 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 5, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole .....   | 67,200 00  |
| To | the <i>Maskinongé</i> and <i>Nipissing</i> Railway Company, for 15 miles of their railway, from a point on the Canadian <i>Pacific</i> Railway at or near <i>Maskinongé</i> , or <i>Louisville</i> , towards the Parish of <i>St. Michel des Saints</i> , on the River <i>Mattawa</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , and for 15 miles of their railway from the north end of the 15 miles aforesaid referred to, towards the Parish of <i>St. Michel des Saints</i> on the River <i>Mattawa</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , in lieu of the subsidies granted by the Act 52 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, and 53 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 2, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole..... | 96,000 00  |
| To | the <i>Parry Sound</i> Colonization Railway Company, for 40 miles of their railway, from the Village of <i>Parry Sound</i> to the Village of <i>Sundridge</i> , or some other point on the Northern <i>Pacific</i> Junction Railway, in the Province of <i>Ontario</i> , the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidy granted by the Act 52 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, not exceeding in the whole .....   | 97,600 00  |

2. *Resolved*, That the subsidies hereinbefore mentioned as to be granted to Companies named for that purpose shall, if granted by the Governor in Council, be granted to such Companies, respectively; all the lines for the construction of which subsidies are granted, unless they are already commenced, shall be commenced within two years from the first day of August next, and completed within a reasonable time, not to exceed four years, to be fixed by Order in Council, and shall also be constructed according to descriptions and specifications and upon conditions to be approved by the Governor in Council, on the report of the Minister of Railways and Canals, and specified in an agreement to be made in each case by the Company with the Government, which agreement 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 the subsidy to the *Ontario*, *Belmont* and *Ottawa* Railway Company, which shall be paid as follows: On the completion of the first section an instalment proportionate to the value of the said section in comparison with that of the ten miles hereby subsidized, to be established as aforesaid, and the balance of the said subsidy on the completion of the second section.

3. *Resolved*, That the granting of such subsidies, respectively, shall be subject to such conditions for securing such running powers or traffic arrangements and other rights as will afford all reasonable facilities and equal mileage rates to all railways connecting with those so subsidized, as the Governor in Council determines.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

*Ordered*, That the Report be received To-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain proposed Resolutions respecting the granting of subsidies to certain Railway Companies, and towards the construction of the Railways therein mentioned.

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to authorize the Governor in Council to grant the subsidies hereinafter mentioned to the Railway Companies, and towards the construction of the Railways also hereinafter mentioned, that is to say:—

To the *Jacques-Cartier* Union Railway Company, for extending and completing their railway, in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 50-51 *Victoria*, chapter 24, a subsidy of..... \$20,000 00

To the *Oshawa* Railway Company, for 7 miles of their railway as follows:—From Port *Oshawa* to a point at or near *Edmonson's* mill site, near Mill Street, in the Town of *Oshawa*, (this portion being known as the “Lake” section of the said railway); thence to a point at or near the Town hall, in the Town of *Oshawa*, and thence to the *Oshawa* station of the Grand Trunk Railway Company of *Canada*, (this portion being known as the “Town” or “Northern” section of the said railway)—in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 54-55 *Victoria*, chapter 8, not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole ..... 22,400 00

2. *Resolved*, That the subsidies hereinbefore mentioned as to be granted to Companies named for that purpose shall, if granted by the Governor in Council, be granted to such Companies, respectively; all the lines for the construction of which subsidies are granted, unless they are already commenced, shall be commenced within two years from the first day of August next, and completed within a reasonable time, not to exceed four years, to be fixed by Order in Council, and shall also be constructed according to descriptions and specifications and upon conditions to be approved by the Governor in Council, on the report of the Minister of Railways and Canals, and specified in an agreement to be made in each case by the Company with the Government, which agreement 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 the subsidy to the *Oshawa* Railway Company, which shall be paid in two sections, first, on the completion of the “Town” or “Northern” section, and second, on the completion of the “Lake” section of the said railway.

3. *Resolved*, That the granting of such subsidies, respectively, shall be subject to such conditions for securing such running powers or traffic arrangements and other rights as will afford all reasonable facilities and equal mileage rates to all railways connecting with those so subsidized, as the Governor in Council determines.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

*Ordered*, That the Report be received To-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled : "An Act further to amend the Act respecting Joint Stock Companies to construct works to facilitate the transmission of Timber down Rivers and Streams ;"

The Bill was accordingly read a second time ; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair ; and Mr. *Denison* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and 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 further to amend the Civil Service 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 to amend the law 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 House in Committee to consider the proposed Resolution to amend the Civil Service Act ;

*Ordered*, That the said Order be discharged.

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 ninety-seven thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Intercolonial Railway, viz. :—Increased accommodation at *Halifax*, \$150,000 ; Rolling stock, \$20,000 ; Construction, original, \$2,000 ; *St. Charles* Branch, \$17,000 ; *Indiantown* Branch, \$5,500 ; Increased accommodation at *Moncton* —machinery, \$2,700, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards construction of *Oxford* and *New Glasgow* Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One million dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Soulanges* Canal, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and thirty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Cornwall* Canal, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Rapide Plat* Canal, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Galops Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. Lawrence River and Canals*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirteen thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the following purposes, viz.:—*Welland Canal*, \$10,000; *Welland Canal Land damages*, *Grand River*, \$3,700, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Murray Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Trent Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. Peter's Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One million nine hundred and six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Sault Ste. Marie Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Lachine Canal*, as follow:—Building pier above lock No. 4, *Côté St. Paul*, \$13,500; Rebuilding wharves, &c., \$6,000; Rebuilding spare gates for new locks Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, \$6,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

14. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Fourteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Welland Canal*, as follow:—Overhauling the superstructure of the piers at *Port Dalhousie* and removal of shoal, also, construction of piers for bridge at *Thorold*, \$10,000; To repair about 500 feet of the canal bank damaged by a slide on the 24th August, 1891, \$4,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

15. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Chambly Canal*, as follow:—Building fence along canal from *Langelier's* bridge to *Sheridan's* house, fronting *Main Street*, in Town of *St. John's*, \$1,000; Gravel on tow-path from mile  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 6 to complete, \$4,200; Rebuilding bridge seats of bridges Nos. 4 and 6, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. Anne's Lock*, as follow:—Repairing south channel piers, \$2,500; To provide one set of stop-logs and shed for same, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Carillon* and *Grenville Canals*, as follow:—Towards strengthening and repairing portion of *Carillon Dam*, \$10,000; To pay land and damages, and services of valuers, \$1,000; Rebuilding bulkheads in old locks at new locks Nos. 5 and 6, *Grenville Canal*, \$900; Renewing face of pier alongside lock No. 2, *Carillon Canal*, \$900, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Trent Valley Canal*, viz.:—*Bobcaygeon*, glance booms and piers, upper entrance to canal, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Beauharnois Canal*, as follow:—Building new swing bridge, lock No. 12, \$1,000; To provide a small electric plant for operating lock gates, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards reconstructing whole of west wall, *St. Peter's Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards settlement of claims and removal of obstructions—*Culbute Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-seven thousand six hundred and eighty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Railways and Canals, as follow:—Miscellaneous—Miscellaneous works not provided for, \$5,000; Arbitrations and awards, \$4,000; Surveys and inspections—Canals, \$3,000; Surveys and inspections—Railways, \$5,000; Railway statistics, \$1,600; To provide for salaries of extra clerks and copyists, \$2,000; To provide for salaries of engineers, draughtsmen and extra clerks, \$17,080, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three millions two hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Intercolonial Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Windsor Branch Railway*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Prince Edward Island Railway*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and twenty-two thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses—Canals, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Salaries and Contingencies of Canal officers, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for 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 of the Government of *Canada* from midnight on Saturdays to midnight on Sundays, notwithstanding anything in the Civil Service Act to the contrary, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

Resolutions to be reported.

And The House having continued to sittill after Twelve of the Clock on Tuesday morning;

*Tuesday, 28th March, 1893.*

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

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

Mr. *Bergeron* 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, having continued to sit till five minutes after One of the Clock on Tuesday morning, adjourned till this day.

Tuesday, 28th March, 1893.

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *McDonald (Assiniboia East)*,—The Petition of *James Sharp, J.P.*, and others, of *Armstrong's Lake* and other places, District of *Assiniboia, North-west Territories*.

By Mr. *Davin*,—The Petition of *Thomas J. McNeill* and others, of *Tregarva*, District of *Assiniboia*, *North-west Territories*.

By Mr. *Stairs*,—The Petition of *William McKay* and others, of *Moncton*, County of *Westmoreland*; the Petition of *James S. Scott* and others, of *Pine Ridge*, County of *Kent*, all of *New Brunswick*; the Petition of *Robert B. Archibald* and others, of *Truro*, County of *Colchester*; and the Petition of *Amos E. Outhouse* and others, of *Tiverton*, County of *Digby*, all of *Nova Scotia*.

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 from the Senate, intituled: “An Act to incorporate the Canadian Live Stock Insurance Association,” and have agreed to report the same without any amendment. In view of the late period of the Session, your Committee recommend that the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day of this week, immediately after Routine Proceedings, for consideration in Committee of the Whole.

The promoters of Bill to incorporate the Maritime Manufacturing Company (Limited), having expressed their desire not to proceed further with the measure, your Committee recommend that the same be withdrawn, and the fees paid thereon be refunded, less the cost of printing and translation.

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

*Resolved*, That the House do meet on Wednesday and Thursday of this week at Eleven o’Clock in the morning.

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

*Resolved*, That owing to the advanced period of the Session, Bill from the Senate, intituled: “An Act to incorporate the Canadian Live Stock Insurance Association,” be placed on the Orders of the Day of this day, immediately after Routine Proceedings, for consideration in Committee of the Whole, in accordance with the recommendation contained in the Sixth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

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

*Ordered*, That Bill to incorporate the Maritime Manufacturing Company (Limited) 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 Sixth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Mr. *Ouimet*, a Member of the Queen’s Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 20th February, 1893, for copy of the claims made by Messieurs *F. B. McNamee & Co.*, contractors, in connection with the recommendations made by a Select Committee of the House of Commons, June, 1887, with all reports, Orders in Council and other papers relating thereto. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 71.)

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Foster* have leave to bring in a Bill to prevent the manufacture and sale of filled or imitation cheese and to provide for the branding of dairy products.

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 from the Senate, intituled: “An Act to incorporate the Canadian Life Stock Insurance Association,” and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Denison* 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.

Mr. *Bergeron* 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 53 *Victoria*, Chapter 20, intitled: “An Act to amend the Act respecting the Duties of Customs,” by repealing the item numbered 184 under section 10 of the said Act, and to provide otherwise by enacting the following rates of duty in lieu thereof:—

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| Twine for harvest binders, of hemp, jute, manilla or sisal, and of manilla and sisal mixed, twelve and one-half per cent <i>ad valorem</i> ..... | 12½ p.c. |
| Rove, when imported for the manufacture of twine for harvest binders, ten per cent <i>ad valorem</i> .....                                       | 10 p.c.  |

2. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to further amend the said Act 53 *Victoria*, Chapter 20, by repealing the item numbered 291 under section 11, and substituting the following in lieu thereof:—

Mining machinery imported prior to the sixteenth day of May, 1896, which is at the time of its importation of a class or kind not manufactured in *Canada*.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Foster* have leave to bring in a Bill further 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; and ordered to be read a second time To-morrow.

Mr. *Bergeron* reported, from the Committee of the Whole House to consider certain proposed Resolutions respecting the granting of subsidies to certain Railway Companies and towards the construction of the Railways therein mentioned, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to authorize the Governor in Council to grant the subsidies hereinafter mentioned to the Railway Companies, and towards the construction of the Railways also hereinafter mentioned, that is to say:—

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| To the Great Eastern Railway Company, for 20 miles of their railway, from the east end of the line subsidized by the Act 50-51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 24, at <i>St. Grégoire</i> , towards the <i>Chaudière Junction Station</i> on the Intercolonial Railway, in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 52 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole..... | \$64,000 00 |
| To the United Counties Railway Company, for 32 miles of their railway, from a point at or near the Town of <i>Iberville</i> to <i>St. Hyacinthe</i> , and thence towards <i>Sorel</i> , in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 55-56 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 5, for a railway from <i>St. John's</i> to <i>Ste. Rosalie</i> , a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....   | 102,400 00  |
| To the Ontario, Belmont and Ottawa Railway Company, for 10 miles of their railway, divided into two sections: first, from the Belmont Iron Mines to <i>Marmora Village</i> ; second, from <i>Marmora Village</i> to the junction with the Ontario Central Railway, in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 55-56 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 5, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....                                | 32,000 00   |
| To the Central Ontario Railway Company, for 20 miles of their railway, from <i>Coehill</i> or <i>Gilmore</i> , or some point between <i>Coehill</i> and <i>Gilmore</i> , to <i>Bancroft</i> , via <i>L'Amable</i> , or as near thereto as practic-   |             |

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| able, in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 48-49 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 59, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....  | \$ 64,000 00 |
| To the <i>Quebec</i> and <i>Lake St. John</i> Railway Company, for 30 miles of their railway, from <i>Lake St. John</i> towards <i>Chicoutimi</i> , the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidy granted by the Act 51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, not exceeding in the whole.....   | 81,040 00    |
| To the <i>Irondale</i> , <i>Bancroft</i> and <i>Ottawa</i> Railway Company, for 50 miles of their railway, from the <i>Victoria</i> Branch of the <i>Midland</i> Railway to the Village of <i>Bancroft</i> , in the County of <i>Hastings</i> , the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidy granted by the Act 47 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 8, and again granted by the Act 52 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, not exceeding in the whole.....  | 145,000 00   |
| To the <i>Beauharnois</i> Junction Railway Company, for 30 miles of their railway, from <i>St. Martin</i> towards <i>St. Anicet</i> , the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidy granted by the Act 50-51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 24, not exceeding in the whole.....   | 3,500 00     |
| 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> , in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 53 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 2, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....   | 11,200 00    |
| To the <i>Quebec</i> , <i>Montmorency</i> and <i>Charlevoix</i> Railway Company, for 30 miles of their railway, from the East Bank of the River <i>St. Charles</i> , to or near <i>Cape Tourmente</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidy granted by the Act 52 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, not exceeding in the whole.....  | 30,400 00    |
| To the <i>Ottawa</i> and <i>Gatineau</i> Valley Railway Company, for 62 miles of their railway, from <i>Hull</i> Station towards <i>Le Désert</i> , the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidy granted by the Act 52 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, not exceeding in the whole.....   | 89,248 00    |
| To the Grand Trunk, <i>Georgian</i> Bay and <i>Lake Erie</i> Railway Company, for 15 miles of their railway, from the Village of <i>Tara</i> , or some point between <i>Tara</i> and <i>Hepworth</i> to the Town of <i>Owen Sound</i> , in the Province of <i>Ontario</i> , in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 52 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....  | 48,000 00    |
| To the <i>Nova Scotia</i> Central Railway Company, for 80 miles of their railway, from <i>Lunenburg</i> , on the east coast of <i>Nova Scotia</i> , westward to a point in the District of <i>New Germany</i> , together with a spur about ¾ mile long to <i>Bridgewater</i> Railway Wharf, and from a point 33½ miles from <i>Lunenburg</i> and running to <i>Middleton</i> , on the <i>Windsor</i> and <i>Annapolis</i> Railway, of unpaid subsidies granted by the Acts 50-51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 24, and 51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, an amount not exceeding in the whole..... | 4,500 00     |
| To the Great Northern Railway Company, for 18 miles of their railway, from a point at or near <i>New Glasgow</i> or <i>St. Lin</i> , to or near to <i>Montcalm</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidy granted by the Act 54-55 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 8, not exceeding in the whole.....  | 25,600 00    |
| To the Great Northern Railway Company, for 15 miles of their railway, from, at or near <i>Montcalm</i> to the <i>Canadian Pacific</i> Railway between <i>Joliette</i> and <i>St. Félix de Valois</i> , in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 53 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 2, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole.....   | 48,000 00    |
| To the <i>Montfort</i> Colonization Railway Company, for 21 miles of their 3 feet gauge railway from <i>Lachute</i> , <i>St. Jérôme</i> , or a point at or near <i>St.</i>   |              |

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|   | <i>Sauveur</i> , on the line of the <i>Montreal</i> and Western Railway, to <i>Montfort</i> and westward, in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 55-56 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 5, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole ..... | \$67,200 00 |
| To the <i>Maskinongé</i> and <i>Nipissing</i> Railway Company, for 15 miles of their railway, from a point on the Canadian <i>Pacific</i> Railway at or near <i>Maskinongé</i> , or <i>Louiseville</i> , towards the Parish of <i>St. Michel des Saints</i> , on the River <i>Mattawa</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , and for 15 miles of their railway from the north end of the 15 miles afore referred to, towards the Parish of <i>St. Michel des Saints</i> on the River <i>Mattawa</i> , in the Province of <i>Quebec</i> , in lieu of the subsidies granted by the Act 52 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, and 53 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 2, a subsidy not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole ..... |   | 96,000 00   |
| To the <i>Parry Sound</i> Colonization Railway Company, for 40 miles of their railway, from the Village of <i>Parry Sound</i> to the Village of <i>Sundridge</i> , or some other point on the Northern <i>Pacific</i> Junction Railway, in the Province of <i>Ontario</i> , the balance remaining unpaid of the subsidy granted by the Act 52 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 3, not exceeding in the whole .....   |   | 97,600 00   |

2. *Resolved*, That the subsidies hereinbefore mentioned as to be granted to Companies named for that purpose shall, if granted by the Governor in Council, be granted to such Companies, respectively; all the lines for the construction of which subsidies are granted, unless they are already commenced, shall be commenced within two years from the first day of August next, and completed within a reasonable time, not to exceed four years, to be fixed by Order in Council, and shall also be constructed according to descriptions and specifications and upon conditions to be approved by the Governor in Council, on the report of the Minister of Railways and Canals, and specified in an agreement to be made in each case by the Company with the Government, which agreement 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 the subsidy to the *Ontario, Belmont* and *Ottawa* Railway Company, which shall be paid as follows: On the completion of the first section an instalment proportionate to the value of the said section in comparison with that of the ten miles hereby subsidized, to be established as aforesaid, and the balance of the said subsidy on the completion of the second section.

3. *Resolved*, That the granting of such subsidies, respectively, shall be subject to such conditions for securing such running powers or traffic arrangements and other rights as will afford all reasonable facilities and equal mileage rates to all railways connecting with those so subsidized, as the Governor in Council determines.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Bergeron* reported from the Committee of the Whole House to consider certain proposed Resolutions respecting the granting of subsidies to certain Railway Companies and towards the construction of the Railways therein mentioned, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That it is expedient to authorize the Governor in Council to grant the subsidies hereinafter mentioned to the Railway Companies, and towards the construction of the Railways also hereinafter mentioned, that is to say:—

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| To the <i>Jacques-Cartier</i> Union Railway Company, for extending and completing their railway, in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 50-51 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 24, a subsidy of.....  | \$20,000 00 |
| To the <i>Oshawa</i> Railway Company, for 7 miles of their railway, as follows:—From Port <i>Oshawa</i> to a point at or near <i>Edmonson's</i> mill site, near Mill Street, in the Town of <i>Oshawa</i> , (this portion being known as the "Lake" section of the said railway); thence to a point at or near the Town hall, in the Town of <i>Oshawa</i> , and thence to the <i>Oshawa</i> station of the Grand Trunk Railway Company of <i>Canada</i> , (this portion being known as the "Town" or "Northern" section of the said railway)—in lieu of the subsidy granted by the Act 54-55 <i>Victoria</i> , chapter 8, not exceeding \$3,200 per mile, nor exceeding in the whole ..... | 22,400 00   |

2. *Resolved*, That the subsidies hereinbefore mentioned as to be granted to Companies named for that purpose shall, if granted by the Governor in Council, be granted to such Companies, respectively; all the lines for the construction of which subsidies are granted, unless they are already commenced, shall be commenced within two years from the first day of August next, and completed within a reasonable time, not to exceed four years, to be fixed by Order in Council, and shall also be constructed according to descriptions and specifications and upon conditions to be approved by the Governor in Council, on the report of the Minister of Railways and Canals, and specified in an agreement to be made in each case by the Company with the Government, which agreement 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 the subsidy to the *Oshawa* Railway Company, which shall be paid in two sections, first, on the completion of the "Town" or "Northern" section, and second, on the completion of the "Lake" section of the said railway.

3. *Resolved*, That the granting of such subsidies, respectively, shall be subject to such conditions for securing such running powers or traffic arrangements and other rights as will afford all reasonable facilities and equal mileage rates to all railways connecting with those so subsidized, as the Governor in Council determines.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Haggart* 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 To-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to make further provision respecting Grants of Land "to members of the Militia Force on active service in the *North-west*;"

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. *Bergeran* 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 further 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. *Bergeron* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to confirm the sale of the *Carleton, City of Saint John*, Branch Railroad;

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. *Bergeron* 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 Dominion Lands Act.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 respecting the Voters' Lists of 1893;

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 House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting Members' indemnity.

(*In the Committee.*)

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to provide that, for the present Session, the deduction of Eight dollars per day, mentioned in section 26 of Chapter 11 of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, shall not be made for six days in the case of Members who have been absent from a sitting of the House or Committee thereof during such number of days, but this provision shall not operate to extend the maximum amount mentioned in section 25 of the Act relating to the Senate and House of Commons, nor in the case of any Member elected since the commencement of the Session, shall it apply to days prior to his election.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Sproule* reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received To-morrow.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill further to amend the Insurance Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Sproule* 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 respecting Government Civil Service Insurance;

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. *Bergeron* 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 The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Wednesday morning;

*Wednesday, 29th March, 1893.*

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

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies—Post Office Department, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Experimental Farms—Maintenance, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dairying interests of *Canada*, in affiliation with Experimental Farms, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the purchase of a new Steamer, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-two thousand four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for maintenance and repairs of Government Steamers, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the examination of Masters and Mates, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay rewards for saving life and life-boat service, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

8. *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 of shipping, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Canadian registration of shipping, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Tidal Observations, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for removal of obstructions in navigable rivers, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Winter Mail Service, *Prince Edward Island*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Salaries and Allowances, &c., of Light-house Keepers, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventeen thousand five hundred and ten dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Agencies, rents and contingencies (Light-house and Coast Service), for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and sixty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for maintenance and repairs to Lights, Fog-whistles, Buoys and Beacons and Humane Establishments, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for completion and construction of Lighthouses and Fog-alarms, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Signal Service, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs to Wharves, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following sums, viz.:—Observatory, *Toronto*, \$5,250; Observatory, *Kingston*, \$500; Observatory, *Montreal*, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-two thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Meteorological Service, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nineteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Hydrographic Surveys, including *Georgian Bay Survey*, resurvey of Island of *Anticosti*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Marine Hospitals, as follow:—*St. Catharines Hospital*, \$500; *Kingston Hospital*, \$500; Marine Hospitals in the Provinces of *Quebec*, *New Brunswick*, *Nova Scotia*, *Prince Edward Island* and *British Columbia*, \$30,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

23. *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, 1894.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for expenses of Steam-boat Inspection, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fisheries, as follow, viz.:—Salaries and disbursements of Fishery Officers, &c.—*Ontario*—Salaries, Inspectors and Overseers, \$12,000; Disbursements, Inspectors and Overseers, \$6,000; Wages and expenses of Special Guardians, \$3,000; Miscellaneous, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fisheries, as follow, viz.:—*Quebec*—Salaries, Inspectors and Overseers, \$10,000; Disbursements, Inspectors and Overseers, \$4,000; Wages and expenses of Special Guardians, \$1,500; Miscellaneous, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fisheries, as follow, viz.:—*New Brunswick*—Salaries, Inspectors and Overseers, \$9,000; Disbursements, Inspectors and Overseers, \$5,000; Wages and expenses of Special Guardians, \$6,000; Miscellaneous, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fisheries, as follow, viz.:—*Nova Scotia*—Salaries, Inspectors and Overseers, \$13,000; Disbursements, Inspectors, Overseers and Wardens, \$6,000; Wages and expenses of Special Guardians, \$2,500; Miscellaneous, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

29. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fisheries, as follow, viz.:—*Prince Edward Island*—Salaries, Inspectors and Overseers, \$3,000; Disbursements, Inspectors and Overseers, \$700; Wages and expenses of Special Guardians, \$1,000; Miscellaneous, \$200, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

30. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fisheries, as follow, viz.:—*Manitoba*—Salaries, Inspectors and Overseers, \$2,000; Disbursements, Inspectors and Overseers, \$1,000; Wages and expenses of Special Guardians, \$1,000; Miscellaneous, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

31. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fisheries, as follow, viz.:—*North-west Territories*—Salaries, Inspectors and Overseers, \$1,500; Disbursements, Inspectors and Overseers, \$1,000; Wages and expenses of Special Guardians, \$1,000; Miscellaneous, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

32. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fisheries, as follow, viz.:—*British Columbia*—Salaries, Inspectors and Overseers, \$3,000; Disbursements, Inspectors and Overseers, \$2,000; Wages and expenses of Special Guardians, \$3,500; Miscellaneous, \$1,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

33. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fish breeding:—Building and maintenance of Fish-breeding Establishments and Lobster Hatcheries, including salary of Mr. *Prince*, \$48,000; Fish Hatchery for *Manitoba* and *North-west Territories*, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

34. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fishery Protection Vessels:—To provide for the cost, maintenance and repairs of Fishery Protection Steamers and Vessels, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

35. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet expenses in connection with Superintendence of Insurance, including \$800 salary of *R. Henderson*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.



36. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required for Geological Survey and Museum, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Denison* 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. *Denison* 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 *Calgary* “Street Railway Company,” with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: “An Act to incorporate the “*British Columbia* Dock Company,” with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: “An Act respecting Witnesses “and Evidence,” with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have agreed to the Amendments made by this House to the Bill, intituled: “An Act to consolidate and amend certain Acts relating to the *Mani-* “*toba* and North-western Railway Company of *Canada*,” without any amendment.

And also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: “An Act to amend the “General Inspection Act,” to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

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

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: “An Act to amend the “General Inspection Act,” 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.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Foster* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act relating to Ocean Steam-ship Subsidies.

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

And then The House, having continued to sit till four minutes before Two of the Clock on Wednesday morning, adjourned till Eleven o’Clock, A.M., this day.

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Wednesday, 29th March, 1893.

*Eleven o’Clock, A. M.*

**PRAYERS.**

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

By Mr. *Davis*,—The Petition of *John A. White* and others, of *Waghorn*; the Petition of *W. A. Mickle* and others of *Spring Bank*; the Petition of *D. S. Fulton*

and others, of *Edmonton*; the Petition of *George S. Young* and others, of *Fish Creek*; the Petition of *George F. Motion* and others, of *Langdon*; the Petition of *John McDougall* and others, of *Morley*; the Petition of *J. S. McNulty* and others, of *Canmore*; the Petition of *Charles G. Ross* and others, of *Innisfail* and vicinity; the Petition of *E. W. Green* and others, of *Penhold*; the Petition of *James Bannerman* and others, of *Calgary* and other places; and the Petition of *Edward Lee* and others, of *Laggan*, all of the District of *Alberta, North-west Territories*.

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

Of *Daniel Meloche* and others, fishermen, of *Sandwich West*, County of *Essex, Ontario*; praying that the granting of fishing licenses, and the present close season for the catching of certain kinds of fish may be discontinued.

Of *G. McPhillips* and others, fishermen, and others, of the County of *Essex, Ontario*; praying for the abolition of the close season for whitefish in the *Detroit* River, the reduction of the fishing license fee, and for other objects.

Of *J. D. McNulty* and others, fishermen, and others, of *Baby's Point*, County of *Bothwell, Ontario*; praying that a license may be granted them to catch fish in the waters of the *St. Clair* River during the season of 1893.

Of *Samuel Briggs* and others, of the City of *Hamilton, Ontario*; praying that the Bill now before Parliament respecting the *Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo* Railway Company, for the confirmation of a certain By-law passed by the Corporation of the City of *Hamilton* aforesaid, in favour of the said Railway Company, may not become law in its present shape.

Mr. *Bergin*, from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, presented to the House the Sixth Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

The Committee carefully examined the following documents and recommend that they be printed, viz.:—

51a. Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 15th March, 1893, for copies of correspondence and other papers in relation to an Agreement entered into between Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain and Ireland* and the President of the French Republic, regulating the commercial relations between *Canada and France* in respect to Customs tariffs.

51b. Supplementary Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 15th March, 1893, for copies of correspondence and other papers in relation to an Agreement entered into between Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain and Ireland* and the President of the French Republic, regulating the commercial relations between *Canada and France* in respect to Customs tariffs.

51c. Further Supplementary Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 15th March, 1893, for copies of correspondence and other papers in relation to an Agreement entered into between Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain and Ireland* and the President of the French Republic, regulating the commercial relations between *Canada and France* in respect to Customs tariffs.

63. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 1st March, 1893, for all correspondence, petitions and papers that are in the possession of the Government relating to the disallowance of Chapter 1 of the Acts of *Nova Scotia* dated 1892, "An Act to amend and consolidate the Acts relating to Mines and "Minerals," including any petition of *David McKeen*, Esquire, M.P., and others, in respect to the said Act.

69. Return to an Address of the Senate, dated 7th March, 1893, for a copy of the Royal Instructions from Her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen to His Excellency on his appointment to his present office.

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

21a. Return to an Order of the House of the 20th February, 1893, for copies of all letters, correspondence, petitions and other documents received and exchanged by the Government, respecting the dismissal of *Edouard Lesage*, Postmaster of *St. Léon*, in the County of *Maskinongé*, and to any appointment or appointments made to the position since the discharge of the said official.

21b. Return to an Address of the Senate, dated the 7th March, 1893, for copies of the Order in Council, information, evidence and papers upon which the dismissal of *John J. Cosgrove*, an officer of the Inland Revenue Department, proceeded and was determined.

24c. Statement of the Receipts and Payments of *Canada*, 1891-92 and 1892-93, to 10th March.

24d. Statement of the Receipts and Payments of *Canada*, 1891-92 and 1892-93, to 20th March.

28a. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 1st March, 1893, for copies of all correspondence, papers or Orders in Council relating to the superannuation or retirement of Mr. *T. Trudeau*, late Deputy of the Minister of Railways and Canals.

57. Return of applications for registration under the provisions of Chapter 131, Revised Statutes of *Canada*, "An Act respecting Trade Unions."

58. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1893, for a Statement showing in detail the expenditure incurred since the last Session of Parliament, in carrying on the borings in the Straits of *Northumberland* to obtain data as to the probable cost of a tunnel; also, for all contracts, correspondence, telegrams and papers in anywise relating to such borings or such expenditure.

59. Return to an Order of the House of the 20th February, 1893, for copies of all petitions, letters and documents whatsoever, in relation to the change in the location of the Post office of *Notre-Dame du Rosaire*.

60. Return to an Order of the House of the 1st March, 1893, for copies of all accounts, letters, receipts and other documents in relation to the claim of *Charles I. Labrie*, of *Lévis*, for professional services in connection with expropriation, during the construction of the *St. Charles* Branch.

61. Return to an Order of the House of the 1st March, 1893, for copies of petitions from County Councils and other municipal corporations asking that railways under Dominion control be compelled to build culverts on natural watercourses crossing their lines, and correspondence relating thereto.

62. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 1st March, 1893, for copies of all communications, memorials, &c., addressed to His Excellency in Council, to the Dominion Government or any Member thereof, since 1888, urging the granting of a federal subsidy to the Central *Ontario* Railway Company to enable the company to extend its line from *Coehill* northward.

64. Return to an Order of the House of the 6th February, 1893, for a Return in the form used in the statements usually published in the *Gazette*, of the Exports and Imports from the first day of July, 1892, to the first day of January, 1893, distinguishing the products of *Canada* and those of other countries; and comparative statements from the first day of July, 1891, to the first day of January, 1892.

65. Return to an Order of the House of the 20th February, 1893, for all papers, documents, correspondence, &c., addressed to the Government in relation to the best means to be adopted to prevent the spreading of cholera.

66. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1893, for copies of all correspondence between the Minister of Justice and the Honourable *J. G. Bossé*, Judge of the Court of Queen's Bench, in relation to the trial and condemnation of *R. H. McGreevy* and *O. E. Murphy*, charged with a conspiracy to defraud.

67. Return to an Address of the Senate, dated 23rd February, 1893, for:—

1. A copy of the Commission issued appointing and constituting certain persons a Royal Commission to obtain reliable data respecting the operation and effects of legislative prohibition of the traffic in intoxicating liquors.

2. Also, a copy of any and all instructions given for the guidance of the said Royal Commission by or under the authority of the Government.

3. Also, copies of any and all documents and statistics furnished to the said Royal Commission, by any of the Departments of the Civil Service, or any officer of the Government, embodying information or suggestions in relation to the subjects which the said Royal Commission was appointed to examine and report upon.

68. Return to an Address of the Senate, dated 7th February, 1893, for copies of all letters, communications and telegrams between the Minister of Agriculture or any official under him, or any other Minister or official of the Dominion Government, and the Government of *British Columbia* or any official thereof, the *British Columbia* Board of Trade, and the local Dominion engineer, relating to the erection of a proper quarantine station at *Albert Head* or *William Head, British Columbia*.

70. Return to an Order of the House of the 6th February, 1893, for copies of all correspondence between Mr. *Robertson*, Dairy Commissioner for *Canada*, and the Department of Agriculture, in relation to a certain resolution adopted by a Committee of the Board of Trade of *Bristol, England*, against accepting as Canadian cheese, cheese designated by the said Committee under the name of "French cheese," and manufactured in the Province of *Quebec*.

Copies of all speeches, letters and reports made by the said Dairy Commissioner, Mr. *Robertson*, on the value of cheese manufactured in the Provinces of *Quebec* and *Ontario*.

The Committee recommend that 500 copies of the report on Experimental Farms, 1892, and 500 copies of the report of the Dairy Commissioner, 1892, be placed at the disposal of every Member representing a rural constituency, and that a circular be issued asking whether such copies are or are not required, where they shall be delivered, and in what proportion in English and French. That if no answer be received before 1st June, 1893, the presumption shall be that such copies are not required, and that any surplus copies remaining unclaimed be distributed among such Members as have answered the circular in the affirmative.

The Committee also recommend that a copy of the Ready Reference guide to the Statutes of *Canada*, compiled by *F. K. Blitch, Ottawa*, be furnished to each Senator and Member of the House of Commons.

The Committee further recommend that all the Sessional Papers, Votes and Proceedings, Official Debates (Bound or otherwise), and any or all documents now in the room of the Accountant of the House of Commons, which are the property of the Printing Committee be removed to room 33½ for the use of the Chairman, or other members of the Committee who may desire to have access to the same.

The Committee recommend that, as there will be no further meeting of the Committee this session, the Chairman be empowered to order the printing or otherwise of any Returns that may be brought down from either House, and generally to act in all other matters that come properly within the cognizance of this Committee.

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting the Royal Military College.

Mr. *Foster*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, then acquainted the House. That His Excellency the Governor General, having been informed of the subject matter of this Motion, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

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

*Ordered*, That the House do resolve itself into a Committee, this day, to consider the proposed Resolution respecting the Royal Military College.

(In the Committee.)

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to amend the Act respecting the Royal Military College, and to provide that the salary of the Commandant shall not exceed Three thousand two hundred dollars a year, that the salary of the Staff Adjutant shall not exceed Fourteen hundred dollars a year, and that the salaries of the professors, instructors and assistant instructors shall not exceed the total sum of Twenty-six thousand dollars annually.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. *Bergeron* reported the Resolution accordingly, and the same was read as followeth:—

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to amend the Act respecting the Royal Military College, and to provide that the salary of the Commandant shall not exceed Three thousand two hundred dollars a year, that the salary of the Staff Adjutant shall not exceed Fourteen hundred dollars a year, and that the salaries of the professors, instructors and assistant instructors shall not exceed the total sum of Twenty-six thousand dollars annually.

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

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Daly* have leave to bring in a Bill, intituled: "The Dominion Irrigation Act."

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

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

(In the Committee.)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dominion Cartridge Factory, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-three thousand one hundred and seventy dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Miscellaneous items, as follow:—Building Fish-ways and clearing rivers, \$5,000; To provide for legal and incidental expenses, \$2,000; Canadian Fishery Exhibit, \$1,000; 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, \$5,000; Oyster Beds and Oyster Culture, including salary and travelling expenses of the Superintendent of Oyster Culture, \$7,500; To provide for the payment to Collectors of Customs for services in connection with the issuing of *modus vivendi* licenses, during the season of 1891, \$670.50; Expenses in connection with *Behring* Sea matters, \$10,000; To provide for expenses—International Fisheries Commission, *United States* and *Canada*, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-seven thousand nine hundred and fifty-six dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Ontario* and *Quebec*:—Relief of distress and seed grain, Province of *Quebec*, \$4,500; Relief of distress and medical attendance, *Ontario*, \$800; Blankets for Indians, *Ontario* and *Quebec*, \$1,600; Schools, *Ontario*, *Quebec* and the Maritime Provinces, \$27,450; Salaries, Chiefs *Decaire* and *McGregor*, \$100; Removal of Lake of *Two Mountains* Indians, \$1,000; Payment of *Robinson* Treaty annuities, \$16,806; Survey of Indian Reserves, \$500; To provide for the following overdrawn accounts:—Indian Land Management Fund, Province of *Quebec* Indian Fund, Indian School Fund, \$15,200, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand seven hundred and twenty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Nova Scotia*:—Salaries, \$1,200; Relief and seed grain, \$3,045; Medical attendance and medicines, \$1,400; Miscellaneous, \$75, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *New Brunswick*:—Salaries, \$1,705; Medical attendance and medicines, \$1,295; Relief and seed grain, \$2,700; Miscellaneous, \$300, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Prince Edward Island*:—Salaries and travelling expenses, \$300; Relief and seed grain, \$1,125; Medical attendance and medicines, \$350; Office and miscellaneous, \$75, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and seventy-seven thousand two hundred and seventy-one dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Manitoba* and the *North-west Territories*:—Annuities, \$130,460; Implements and tools, \$12,143; Seed grain, \$1,700; Live stock, \$12,951; Supplies for destitute Indians, \$218,200; Triennial clothing, \$3,040; Day, boarding and industrial schools, \$210,600; Surveys, \$4,000; Farm wages, \$24,000; Supplies for farmers, \$11,667; Sioux, \$5,393; Agency and farm buildings, \$10,897; General expenses, \$129,066; Grist and saw mills, \$3,154, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-four thousand two hundred and eighty-two dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *British Columbia*:—Salaries, \$19,720; Relief of distress, \$3,000; Seed grain, implements and tools, \$1,200; Medical attendance and medicines, \$5,000; Day schools, \$8,300; Industrial and boarding schools, \$29,890; Travelling expenses, \$4,500; Office and miscellaneous, \$3,000; Steamer "*Vigilant*," \$2,000; Surveys, \$9,672; Reserve commission, \$8,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *North-west Mounted Police*:—Pay of Force, \$300,000; Subsistence, \$75,000; Forage, \$70,000; Fuel and light, \$35,000; Clothing, \$45,000; Repairs, renewals, replacement of horses, arms and ammunition, \$40,000; Medicines, medical comforts and hospital expenses, \$3,000; Books, stationery and printed forms, \$4,000; Scouts, guides, billeting charges, travelling allowances, transport of men and horses, \$45,000; Contingencies, \$8,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty-seven thousand six hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Government of the *North-west Territories*:—Expenditure connected with Lieut.-Governor's office, \$8,650; Schools in unorganized districts, \$5,000; Incidental justice, &c., \$7,040; Addition to salary of Clerk of Legislative Assembly, \$400; Legal adviser, \$1,200; Registrars, \$18,160; Insane patients, *Manitoba*, \$18,000; Schools, clerical assistance, printing, &c., \$199,200, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Canada Gazette*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Miscellaneous Printing, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for expenses in connection with distribution of Parliamentary documents, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty 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, 1894.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for commutation in lieu of remission of duties on articles imported for the use of the Army and Navy, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the expenses of the government of the District of *Keewatin*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for maintenance of *Keewatin* and other lunatics chargeable to *Keewatin*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One 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, 1894.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to compensate members of the *North-west Mounted Police* for injuries received in the discharge of duty, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

20. *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, 1894.

21. *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 57 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 the returning officers and others, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet payments to Extra Clerks, for services rendered in preparation of Returns ordered by Parliament, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven 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, 1894.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Academy of Arts, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

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, 1894.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for further amount required for plant for Printing Bureau, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet cost of arbitration respecting the accounts between the Dominion of *Canada* and the Provinces of *Ontario* and *Quebec*, (payments on account of services rendered may be made to members of the Civil Service, notwithstanding anything in the Civil Service Act), for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for Survey of bed of Straits of *Northumberland*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

29. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine hundred and eight thousand five hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Customs—Salaries and contingent expenses of the several ports—In the Province of *Nova Scotia*, \$115,720; In the Province of *New Brunswick*, \$90,260; In the Province of *Prince Edward Island*, \$19,475; In the Province of *Quebec*, \$210,345; In the Province of *Ontario*, \$303,080; In the Province of *Manitoba*, \$33,300; In the Province of *North-west Territories*, \$5,200; In the Province of *British Columbia*, \$59,495; Provinces generally—To cover any unforeseen charges 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, \$20,350; Board of Customs and outside detective service—To meet expenditure in connection therewith, including \$400, salary of Commissioner of Customs as Chairman of the Board, \$26,150; Customs laboratory—To meet expenditure in connection with the testing of sugars, &c., including pay of officers appointed

or employed for that purpose, \$5,150; Miscellaneous—Contingencies of Head Office—Covering newspapers, advertising, telegraphing, locks, instruments, &c., for the several ports of entry, \$15,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

30. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and eighty thousand six hundred and forty-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Excise:—Salaries of Officers and Inspectors of Excise, and to provide for increases depending upon the result of Excise examinations, \$305,232.50; To provide for extension of Inland Revenue supervision in the *North-west Territories*, \$1,000; To provide for extra duty-pay of officers at large distilleries and other factories, \$6,000; To provide for duty-pay to officers serving long hours at other than special surveys, \$1,000; Preventive service, \$15,800; Travelling expenses, rent, fuel, stationery, &c., do. for the *North-west*, \$47,500; Stamps for imported and *Canadian* tobacco, \$20,000; To pay Collectors of Customs allowance on duties collected by them, \$4,500; Commission to sellers of stamps for *Canada* twist tobacco, \$100; To enable the Department to supply methylated spirits to manufactories, the cost of which will be recouped by manufacturers to whom they are supplied:—Rent, \$400; Heating, \$500; Light and power, \$200; Salaries, \$2,900; Stationery, \$15; Sundries, \$500; Purchase of alcohol and wood naphtha, \$75,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

31. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Culling Timber:—*Montreal*—Deputy Supervisor, \$900; *Quebec*—Salaries, \$6,750; *Three Rivers*—Deputy Supervisor, \$300; *Three Rivers*—Clerk, \$500; Contingencies, \$6,000; Pay of Cullers, \$8,300; Superannuated Cullers, \$7,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

32. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-five thousand four hundred and fifty dollars, be granted to Her Majesty, for Weights and Measures and Gas:—Salaries of Officers, Inspectors and Assistant Inspectors of Weights and Measures, including extension of the service in the *North-west* or elsewhere, \$57,150; Salaries of Inspectors of Gas, \$14,350; Rent, fuel, travelling expenses, postage, stationery, &c., for Weights and Measures, \$15,950; Rent, fuel, travelling expenses, postage, stationery, &c., for Gas, \$8,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

33. *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 Inspection of Staples Act, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

34. *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, 1894.

35. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Inland Revenue—Collection of Minor Revenues, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

36. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand three hundred and five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Ordnance Lands—Collection of Minor Revenues, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

37. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three million four hundred and thirty-eight thousand three hundred and eighty-two dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Post Office—Mail service, \$2,046,842; Salaries and allowances, \$1,185,420; Miscellaneous, \$206,120, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

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

*Half-past Seven o'Clock, P.M.*

Private Bills under Rule 19.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Calgary* "Street Railway Company," and the same were read, as follow:—



Page 3, line 17.—Leave out from “five” to “ten” and insert “not exceeding.”

Page 4, line 30.—Leave out “municipal.”

The said 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.

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 *British Columbia Dock Company*,” and the same were read, as follow:—

Page 3, line 1.—Leave out from “13” to “The.”

Page 3, line 2.—After “Company” insert the following as Clause “A.”

*Clause A.*

“14. The Railway Act shall apply to the Company and to the undertaking “hereby authorized.”

The said 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.

The Committee of Supply was then resumed.

*(In the Committee.)*

38. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fourteen thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Trade and Commerce:—To provide for the administration of the Chinese Immigration Act, including remuneration to Trade and Commerce and Customs Officers, \$3,500; To meet proportion of expenditure in connection with the International Customs Bureau at *Brussels*, \$600; Commercial agencies, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

39. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication with the *Magdalen* Islands, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

40. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *Grand Manan*, *N.B.*, and the mainland, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

41. *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 *London*, *Great Britain*, 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, 1894.

42. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand, five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Subsidy to a Steamer to run between *Campbellton* and *Gaspé*, and intermediate ports, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

43. *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, 1894.

44. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *Prince Edward Island* and the mainland, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

45. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *St. John* and ports in the *Basin of Minas*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

46. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *Canso*, *Arichat* and *Port Hood* 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, 1894.

47. *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, 1894.

48. *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, 1894.

49. *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 year ending 30th June, 1894.

50. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and three 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, 1894.

51. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *Halifax* and *St. John*, *via Yarmouth*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

52. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Bras d'Or* Steam-ship communication between *Baddeck*, *Grand Narrows* and *Iona*, daily, *St. Peter's* and *Port Mulgrave*, daily, *Irish Cove*, *East Bay* and *Grand Narrows*, twice a week, and *St. Peter's*, *Irish Cove* and *Grand Narrows*, twice a week, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

53. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam-ship service between *Pictou*, *Murray Harbour*, *Georgetown* and *Montague Bridge*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

54. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam-ship service between *Nanaimo* and *Victoria*, tri-weekly, and between *Comox* and *Valdez Island*, twice per week, stopping at intermediate stations, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

55. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet cost of litigated matters (Justice), for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

56. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and thirty-seven thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight dollars and twenty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Dominion Lands, chargeable to Income:—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; Homestead Inspectors' Salaries, \$8,400; Dominion Lands Agents' Salaries, \$20,400; Dominion Lands Agent, *New Westminster*, \$1,500; Crown Timber Agent, *New Westminster*, \$1,800; Salaries of Clerks in Outside Service, Forest Rangers and Intelligence officers, \$43,726.25; Travelling expenses of Inspector of Agencies, Homestead Inspectors and Superintendent of Mines, Contingencies of Superintendent of Mines, Land Board, Dominion Lands and Crown Timber Agents and at Head Office, Removal expenses, &c., stationery and printing and Half-breed Claims Commission expenses, \$40,180; 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 services of members of the Board who are also members of the Civil Service), \$1,000; Stationery, Rent of rooms and contingent expenditure of Board of Examiners of Dominion Land Surveyors, \$200; To pay Salaries of Extra Clerks at Head Office, *Ottawa*, advertising, copying, &c., \$6,000; To provide for the salary of one Carpenter, \$732, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

57. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dominion Lands, chargeable to Capital: To provide for the amount required for Surveys, Examination of Survey returns, printing of plans, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

58. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salaries of Immigration Agents and employees in *Canada*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

59. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Canadian Immigration Agencies, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

60. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Salaries of Immigration Agents and employees in *Great Britain and Ireland*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

61. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand one hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies of Immigration Agencies in *Great Britain and Ireland*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

62. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Women's Protective Immigration Society, *Montreal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

63. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Immigration expenses, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

64. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for cost of litigation, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

65. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and fifty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Civil Government:—Department of the Secretary of State—To provide for the difference between the salary of Mr. *M. F. Walsh* (Private Secretary to the Secretary of State), transferred from the Department of Inland Revenue, and that of Mr. *John Burns* transferred to that Department in Mr. *Walsh's* place, \$212.50; For the compilation of the Civil Service List, 1892, in English and French, \$240, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

66. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Agriculture—To provide for the salary of *A. Rose*, as a third class clerk, from the 1st July, 1893, \$400; To increase the salary of *A. L. Jarvis* to \$1,800, from 1st July, 1893, \$325, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

67. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Indian Affairs—To provide for the transfer of Mr. *William McGirr* from the Outside to the Inside Service (notwithstanding anything in the Civil Service Act to the contrary), for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

68. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Public Printing and Stationery—To increase the salary of *J. Foran*, caretaker at the Bureau, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

69. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight hundred and twenty-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Justice—To pay Mr. *J. W. Hughes* for his services from the 1st to the 31st January, 1893, \$77.50; Allowance for Private Secretary to the Solicitor-General, (This sum may be paid to any member of the Civil Service, notwithstanding anything in the Civil Service Act to the contrary), \$600; To pay *H. B. S. Lane*, in addition to his salary, for acting as Accountant of Penitentiaries, during a period of one year and eight months, \$150, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

70. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Customs Department—To provide for amount omitted in main Estimates to cover statutory increase to Mr. *W. H. Grafton*, \$37.50; To provide for an increase in the salary of Mr. *S. L. T. Frost*, from \$525 to \$625 per annum, \$100; To provide for amount, omitted in main Estimates, to cover statutory increase to Mr. *R. R. Farrow*, three months, \$12.50, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

71. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Railways and Canals—To increase the salary of Mr. *F. Beard*, (notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Civil Service Act), for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

72. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Post Office Department—Short estimated for a second class clerk in main Estimates for 1893-94, \$1,150; Short estimated for a third class clerk in main Estimates for 1893-94, \$1,000; To provide for the promotion of Mr. *E. F. Jarvis* to a second class clerkship, \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

73. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Administration of Justice:—Exchequer Court of *Canada*—To provide for the salary of a third class clerk, \$400; To assist in publishing decisions of the Admiralty Court of *New Brunswick*, \$500; To provide for the salaries of two circuit Judges of the District of *Montreal*, \$6,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

74. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-one thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Penitentiaries, as follow:—*Kingston* Penitentiary—To provide for the salary of an Assistant Electrician, \$500; To provide for the salary of an Assistant Blacksmith, \$500; For construction of a female Prison and a Criminal Asylum—materials, \$10,000; Supernumerary Guard, \$500; To provide wire screening for Asylum ward, \$300; To provide a reserve armature for dynamo in electric room, \$550; Salary for Binder Twine Foreman, \$1,500; To purchase manilla fibre for manufacture of binder twine, \$25,000; To provide power plant for running binder twine machinery, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

75. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. Vincent de Paul* Penitentiary—Repairs necessary to the dome of central hall, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

76. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Manitoba* Penitentiary—To increase Guard *Addison's* salary as Farmer Instructor, \$100; One additional Guard, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

77. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand four hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the following items in connection with Legislation—House of Commons:—To provide for allowance to *E. P. Hartney* as examiner of Private Bills—formerly paid out of Private Bill fees, \$200; Third class clerk (omitted in main Estimates), \$750; Contingent expenses, &c., in connection with voters' lists, \$2,500; To pay the sessional indemnities of the late *D. W. Gordon* and *J. Armstrong* to their wives, respectively, \$2,000; To pay to *C. F. Ferguson* the amount of his sessional indemnity, he being absent on account of illness, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

78. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Further amount required for printing, printing paper and binding, \$30,000; Amount required to purchase 325 copies of the new edition of *Todd* on Parliamentary Government in the Colonies, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

79. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay additional amount for World's Columbian Exposition, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

80. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to enable the Dairy Commissioner to make purchases of cheese and butter at the several experimental stations, the proceeds of the sales of such purchases to be placed to the credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

81. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet additional amount required for Cattle Quarantine, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

82. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and sixty thousand seven hundred and twelve dollars and seventy-three cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Militia, as follow:—Purchase of land for a permanent camp at *Sussex, N.B.*, \$7,000; Drill pay, Active Militia, \$10,000; Military Institute, *Toronto*—Government grant, \$100; Dominion Artillery Association—Government grant, \$900; Gratuities to

officers of the Active Militia staff who are to be placed on the retired list, \$17,212.73; Provision for purchase of modern firearms, \$16,500; Defence of *Esquimalt, B.C.*—Dominion contribution towards capital expenditure for works and buildings, \$70,000; Pay of a detachment of Royal Marine Artillery or Royal Engineers, \$35,000; Ammunition, Cartridge Factory—To provide for the free issue of ammunition to the rifle leagues, \$4,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

83. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Lachine Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

84. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Grenville Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

85. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty-seven thousand and seventy-three dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Cape Breton Railway*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

86. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for extension of the *North Sydney Branch* of the *Cape Breton Railway* to Deep-water terminus, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

87. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fourteen thousand nine hundred and sixty-eight dollars and ninety cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *Oxford and New Glasgow Railway*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

88. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Intercolonial Railway—Extension along front of the City of *St. John* (Revote), \$25,000; To purchase two powerful locomotives to haul combined Intercolonial Railway and Canadian *Pacific Railway* trains between *Halifax* and *Moncton*, \$24,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

89. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Chambly Canal*—To pay for land flooded by canal, damages, &c., and for services and expenses of valuers, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

90. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Beauharnois Canal*—Improving drainage at *Valleyfield*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

91. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Trent Valley Canal*:—*Seugog River*—Forming new entrance channel, at mouth of river, into *Sturgeon Lake*, \$4,000; Towards building a swing bridge at *Fenelon Falls*, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

92. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Lakefield Canal*—Enlarging sluice-ways in dam, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

93. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Welland Canal*—Cleaning and deepening the back ditch on the north side of the feeder (Revote), \$1,500; Bridge over old lock No. 2, and road, \$3,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

94. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Carillon and Grenville Canals*—Towards renewing portion of puddle wall and repairing pier on north side of upper entrance to the *Grenville Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

95. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for reporting evidence before the Railway Committee of the Privy Council and before the Minister, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

96. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Ship Channel, River *St. Lawrence*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

97. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Nova Scotia*:—*Sydney*—Quarantine Station, *Keating Point*, \$4,000; *Dartmouth*—Revote (additional), \$5,000; *Halifax, Lawlor's Island*, Quarantine Station, \$12,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

98. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighteen thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *New Brunswick*:—*Tracadie*—Erection of building for lepers, \$15,000; *St. John*—Partridge Island Quarantine Station, \$3,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

99. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-five thousand eight hundred and forty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Quebec*:—Public buildings, *Montreal*—Additions, repairs, \$10,000; *St. Vincent de Paul* Penitentiary—Repairs to tramway and bridge, \$1,240; *Grosse Isle* Quarantine Station—Furniture, needle and shower baths, and additional amount for detention building, \$14,600; Quarantine buildings—Disinfecting appliances, &c., on *Princess Louise* embankment, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

100. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Ontario*:—*Brantford* Drill hall—Revote, \$10,000; *Ottawa* Public Buildings—To extend electric light, \$5,000; *Ottawa* Printing Bureau—To pay the heirs of the late H. Lépine for the removal of a cottage from Nepean Point, \$250, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

101. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand two hundred and sixty-nine dollars and thirty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Manitoba*:—*Fort Osborne*—Repairs to barracks, hospital, officers' quarters and drill shed—Heating apparatus, &c., \$8,769.35; *Winnipeg*—Erection of a Military Store building, \$12,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

102. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for new Court House—*Wolseley, North-west Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

103. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and nineteen thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *British Columbia*, as follow:—*William's Head* Quarantine Station—Furniture, &c., \$2,500; *William's Head* Quarantine Station—Detention buildings, \$15,000; *Victoria*—New Post office, \$100,000; *Agassiz*—Experimental Farm—Superintendent's residence, water supply, &c., \$2,200, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

104. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand eight hundred and seventy-four dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Nova Scotia*:—*Boularderie* Island—Wharf on south side, to complete, \$1,400; *Boularderie* Island—*Ross* ferry, \$3,200; *Pickett's* Wharf—repairs, \$300; *Maitland*—To pay balance due contractor, \$274; *La Have* Island to *West Dublin* shore, *via Crooked Channel* boat passage—Revote, \$1,000; *New Haven*, \$1,200, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

105. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-two thousand four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Prince Edward Island*:—*Souris*—Reconstruction of breakwater, \$20,000; *Sturgeon*—Heavy repairs to wharf, \$1,400; *Cape Traverse*—Dredging, \$4,000; *Wood Islands*—Repairs to breakwaters, dredging, &c., \$6,000; *North Rustico*—Repairs to breakwater, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

106. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *New Brunswick*:—*Campbellton*—Improvements to ferry landing, \$1,000; *Fort Dufferin*—Repairs to protection work, \$1,250; *Quaco*—Repairs to breakwater, \$1,000; *Gardner's* Creek—New wharf, \$7,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

107. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-two thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Quebec*:—*Madawaska* River, \$1,200; *Saguenay* River—Dredging below *Chicoutimi*, \$6,000; *St. Zotique*—Heavy repairs to wharf and ice piers, \$2,500; *River du Lièvre*—Removal of boulders at *Long Rapids*, \$1,500; *St. Anicet*—To pay for work done and complete repairs, \$1,500; *St. Jean, de Ile d'Orléans*—Heavy repairs to wharf, \$2,000; *St. François*—Heavy repairs to wharf, \$2,000; *Grande Rivière*—To complete harbour of refuge, \$6,000; *St. Alphonse du Saguenay*—Urgent repairs to wharf, \$1,200; *Grand Pabos*—Towards completion of pier, \$2,000; *Crane* Island—Compensation for land taken for wharf, \$200; *St. Irénée*—Extension of wharf, \$2,000; *Philipsburg*—Construction

of a pier—the municipality furnishing an equal amount, \$4,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

108. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-nine thousand five hundred and ten dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Ontario*:—*Colpoy's Bay*—Extension of public wharf—the municipality furnishing an equal amount, \$600; *Port Rowan*—Wharf under contract—To complete, \$3,300; *Port Stanley*—Extension to piers and repairs, \$12,000; *Burlington Channel*—New ferry scow, \$1,500; *River St. Lawrence* above *Brockville*—Removal of rock, \$1,200; *Owen Sound*—Towards completion of channel, \$5,000; *Belleville*—Local authorities having furnished \$2,000—Revote, \$3,000; *Goderich Harbour*—Additional amount required, \$10,000; *Hamilton*—Dredging, \$6,000; *Midland*—Dredging—Additional amount required, \$2,500; *Cobourg*—Repairs to breakwaters, \$1,000; *Beaverton*—To pay contractor amount claimed for additional work due to extraordinary settlement, \$560; *Dyer's Bay*—Extension to wharf, \$350; *Nation River*—North Branch—For purchase of existing riparian rights and removal of dam, parties interested furnishing an equal amount, \$2,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

109. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *British Columbia*:—*Columbia River* below *Kootenay*—Improvements, \$1,200; *Somas River*—Removal of snags, \$500; *Fraser River*—Hydrographic survey, \$1,000; *Okanagan River*—Improvements, \$1,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

110. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand five hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Roads and Bridges:—Traffic bridges built by Government throughout the Dominion—Repairs, \$5,000; To pay balance due *Kennedy & Heney* on account of *Battle River Bridge*, \$525, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

111. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for new Dredging plant:—New Dredge for *British Columbia*, \$28,000; Dredge, Maritime Provinces, \$15,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

112. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Slides and Booms, *River Petewawa*—*Ottawa District* (Revote), for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

113. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for aid to Telephone line from *Lethbridge* to *Cardston* and extensions, 70 miles, at rate of \$30 per mile, on condition that Government messages shall be sent free, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

114. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Telegraph lines, *British Columbia*—Telegraphic connection of *Lillooet* with the *Ashcroft-Barkerville* line, \$3,500; Telegraph connection from *French Creek* to *Alberni Canal*, \$1,400, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

115. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for compensation to *R. Steckel*, Civil Engineer, for special services in connection with measurements, &c., called for by the Department of Justice *re* the suit of the Queen *vs. Larkin, Connolly & Co.*, Contractors, *Quebec* harbour works, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

116. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam service between *St. John, Yarmouth* and *Halifax*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

117. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand one hundred and three dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Ocean and River Service:—To provide for gratuities for the following members of the River Police, *Quebec*, based on their length of service, on account of disbandment of force, viz.:—*John Battle*, one year's pay, or 214 days, \$406.60; *Henry Wilson*, one year's pay, or 214 days, \$406.60; *Patrick Stephens*, one year's pay, or 214 days, \$406.60; *John Mullins*, one year's pay, or 214 days, \$406.60; *Henry Quinn*, one year's pay, or 214 days, \$353.10; *Joseph Deegan*, one year's pay, or 214 days, \$321; *Peter Waite*, one year's pay, or 214 days, \$321; *Pierre Kirouac*, one year's pay, or 214 days, \$321; *Samuel Pepin*, half year's pay, or 107 days, \$160.50, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

118. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Hydrographic Surveys:—To pay the salaries of the following officers employed on the staff of the Chief Engineer of the Marine and Fisheries Department—*W. J. Stewart*, Hydrographic Engineer, \$1,650; One assistant (not yet appointed), \$1,000; *Frederick Anderson*, Assistant on Hydrographic work, \$650; *C. F. Cox*, Assistant Engineer, \$1,300; *B. H. Fraser*, Draughtsman, \$800; *L. J. Burpee*, Stenographer and Type-writer, \$600, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

119. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Lighthouse and Coast Service:—Agencies, Rents and Contingencies—To increase the salaries of the undermentioned officers—*L. A. Blanchet*, \$50; *G. D. O'Farrell*, \$60; *A. Hamel*, \$50; *J. F. Harding*, \$50; *A. D. B. Tremaine*, \$50, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

120. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand seven hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Marine Hospitals:—Further amount required for Marine Hospitals in the Provinces of *Quebec*, *New Brunswick*, *Nova Scotia*, *Prince Edward Island* and *British Columbia*, \$5,000; To provide for the gratuity of one year's salary to the following officers, on account of closing up the Marine Hospitals in *St. John, N.B.*, and *Victoria, B.C.*, viz.:—Dr. *James Christie*, *St. John, N.B.*, \$560; *W. A. Barnes*, keeper, *St. John, N.B.*, \$300; Reverend *James Spencer*, Chaplain, *St. John, N.B.*, \$100; Dr. *J. C. Davie*, *Victoria, B.C.*, \$300; *George W. Unwin*, keeper, *Victoria, B.C.*, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

121. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand and fifteen dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fisheries:—To provide for payment to *J. M. McNutt*, Customs officer at *Malpeque, P.E.I.*, for services performed as a reporter in connection with the Fisheries Intelligence Bureau, during the season of 1890, \$15; To provide for blasting of rock at *Loch Lomond, Grand River, County of Richmond, Nova Scotia*, to enable salmon and other fish to reach the spawning beds, into the lake above, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

122. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Geological Survey:—To provide for the payment of a gratuity equal to two months' salary to the widow of the late *W. H. Smith*, whose early death was aggravated by exposure while in the execution of his official duty, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

123. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand four hundred and eighty-five dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians—*Ontario* and *Quebec*:—To provide a grant to assist the Agricultural Society of the *Munceys of the Thames*, \$90; To provide an amount sufficient to cover the cost of enlarging the schoolroom for the Indian girls at *Caughnawaga*, \$100; To provide necessary out-buildings for the Indian School at *Salmon River, N.S.*, \$30; To make a drain at the Indian School, *St. Mary's, N.B.*, and to renew the floors which are falling into a state of decay, \$60; To provide the grant fixed by agreement for School No. 11, *Six Nations Reserve*, for three years to 30th June, 1894, at \$50 per annum, \$150; To provide an amount sufficient to pay the teacher of the *Lower Muncey Mission School*, \$150; To assist the Indians of *Golden Lake, Ontario*, to build a schoolhouse upon their Reserve, \$200; To provide payment for services as approved by the Department of Justice, in connection with proof of title to the land purchased from *T. J. Lamontagne* for an Indian Reserve at *Escoumains, County of Saguenay, P.Q.*, \$55.50; To provide a sum sufficient to erect a house for *Mr. A. M. Ironside*, Clerk and Interpreter at *Manitowaning*, \$650, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

124. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians—*Nova Scotia*—To provide for the erection of a school house on the Indian Reserve, *Shubenacadie, N.S.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

125. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians—*Prince Edward Island*—To complete the house recently erected for the teacher of the *Lennox Island Indian School*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.



126. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians—*British Columbia*.:—To provide the balance of a sum sufficient to grant \$60 per annum for forty (40) pupils at the *St. Mary's Mission School, Lower Fraser, B.C.*, \$1,400; To provide the annual grant to aid in the maintenance of Hospitals for Indians at *Metlakahla* and *Fort Simpson, B.C.*, \$500 each, \$1,000; To increase the grant at present allowed the Home for Indian girls at *Fort Simpson, B.C.*, from 10 to 20 pupils at \$50 each, \$500; Towards providing for the maintenance of pupils at and furnishing the *Alert Bay Industrial School*, \$3,850, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

127. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians—*Manitoba* and *North-west Territories*.:—To provide funds for the establishment of a boarding school at *Duck Lake*, under the auspices of the Roman Catholic Church: Building, \$2,000; Furnishing, \$1,000; Maintenance of pupils, first year, \$1,000, \$4,000; To grant aid to the following Indian schools in the *Moosonee District*: *Moose Fort, York Factory, Albany, Rupert's House, Port George, Martin's Falls*, \$200 each, \$1,200; To aid in the erection of a bridge across the *Bow River* on the *Stony Indian Reserve*, \$500; To aid in establishing a ferry on the *South Saskatchewan* for the *Duck Lake Agency*, \$100; For new additions, \$5,000, and furnishing, \$1,000, for the *St. Boniface Indian Industrial School*, \$6,000; To revoke part of the amount of grant for erecting the *Brandon Industrial School*, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

128. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—To provide for the salary of Mr. *J. A. Macrae*, Inspector of Indian Agencies and Reserves, \$1,400; To provide for the salary of Mr. *G. L. Chitty* as Inspector of Timber Limits, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

129. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *North-west Mounted Police*.:—To compensate *Donald McLeod* for breach of contract for the transport of Mounted Police stores from *Calgary* to *Edmonton*, during the season of 1877, \$2,000; To pay the *Bow River Ferry Company* for a ferry scow and appliances purchased for the use of the Mounted Police at *Medicine Hat*, in the spring of 1884, \$300, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

130. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand three hundred and thirty-four dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet further amount required for Government of *North-west Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

131. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards the expenses of determining the boundary line between *Canada* and the *United States of America* between the southernmost point of *Prince of Wales Island* and the 141st meridian of west longitude, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

132. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards the expense of determining the boundary line in *Passamaquoddy Bay*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

133. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for expenses of litigation, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

134. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *O'Connor & Hogg* legal expenses in the case of *McLean vs. the Queen*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

135. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *O'Connor & Hogg*, legal expenses in the case of *Clark and Barber vs. the Queen*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

136. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *O'Connor & Hogg*, legal expenses in the case of *Woodburn vs. the Queen*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

137. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay for compilation of index (3) for Civil Service and Superannuation Bills, and names of Civil Service employees, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

138. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for classification of old records of *Canada* in office of the Privy Council, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

139. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-two thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay judgment in case of *Barber et al, vs. the Queen*, amount of Exchequer Court, with interest, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

140. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Customs:—To provide for expenses of maintenance, alterations and repairs of Government steamer "*Constance*," for preventive service on Lower *St. Lawrence*, \$15,000; For purchase of a steam launch for use of steamer "*Constance*," and to be carried on board such vessel, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

141. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and ninety-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Excise:—To increase the salary of *H. H. Grant*, Collector of Inland Revenue, *Halifax*, to \$1,680, the grade of the division having been raised by Order in Council of the 8th June, 1892, in accordance with the Inland Revenue Regulations, \$80; To increase the salary of *R. M. King*, Deputy Collector, *Halifax*, to \$1,260, for same reasons, \$60; Contingencies—To pay *John Cochran*, Customs Officer, Intercolonial Railway freight depot, *St. John, N.B.*, for services to this Department, during the year, \$150; To enable Department to pay medical expenses for attending *Mr. Bickle*, of *Cobourg* (Deputy Collector), he having been severely injured while in the discharge of his official duties, \$105, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

142. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and eighty-nine dollars and thirty-six cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Weights and Measures—To pay *W. W. Russell*, Assistant Inspector of Weights and Measures at *Port Arthur*, salary which was erroneously deducted from him, for 28 days in excess of the time of his absence on leave without salary, during the year 1891-92, \$39.36; To increase the salary of the following:—*R. H. Laidman*, Assistant Inspector, *Hamilton*, \$100; *F. X. Chabot*, Assistant Inspector, *Quebec*, \$100; *A. Marsan*, caretaker, increase of salary, \$50, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

143. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *Hermidas Martial*, compensation for injuries received whilst working on *Chambly Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

144. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand two hundred and three dollars and eighteen cents be granted to Her Majesty, to repurchase from *Mr. P. Johnstone* certain Ordnance lands in the vicinity of the *Quebec Drill shed*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

145. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand one hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Post Office:—Amount required to enable the Postmaster-General to pay *Mr. J. H. Bartlett*, in addition to his present salary as 2nd class clerk, the sum of \$60 for attending to the Clock in the *Ottawa Post office*, \$60; Amount required to increase the salary of *Mr. J. A. Gouin*, Postmaster of *Ottawa*, from \$2,600 to \$3,000 a year, \$400; Amount required to increase the salary of *Mr. E. B. Bates*, Assistant Postmaster of *Ottawa*, from \$1,400 to \$1,700 a year, \$300; Amount required to increase the salary of *Mr. A. McGillis*, 1st class clerk in the *Winnipeg Post office Inspector's office*, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year, \$100; To provide for six additional letter carriers in the *St. John, N.B.*, Post office, at \$360 each, \$2,160; To provide for three additional Railway Mail Clerks in the *Nova Scotia division*, at \$480 each, \$1,440; Amount required to increase the salary of *Mr. F. Hawken*, Post Office Inspector of the *Ottawa division*, from \$2,000 to \$2,200 a year, in accordance with the provisions of the Civil Service Act, \$200; Further amount

required as provisional allowance on ordinary salaries to meet the exceptional cost of living in *British Columbia*, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

*Thursday, 30th March, 1893.*

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

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

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

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

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the following Bills without any amendment:—

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Cleveland, Port Stanley and London Transportation and Railway Company*, and to confirm an Agreement respecting "the *London and Port Stanley Railway*."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the *Nelson and Fort Sheppard Railway Company*."

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Automatic Telephone and Electric "Company of *Canada*."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the *London and Port Stanley Railway Company*."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the *Témiscouata Railway Company*."

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Canada Atlantic and Plant Steam-ship Company (Limited)*."

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend an Act to incorporate the *Eastern Canada Savings and Loan Company (Limited)*."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the *British America Assurance Company*."

Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Canadian Gas Association*."

Bill intituled: "An Act further to amend the *Steam-boat Inspection Act*."

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act respecting the *Harbour and River Police of the Province of Quebec*."

Bill intituled: "An Act further to amend the Act respecting *Public Officers*."

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend the *Merchant Shipping Act*, with respect to load lines," with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend the *Criminal Code, 1892*," with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act further to amend "the *Patent Act*," with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the *Harbour Commissioners of Montreal*," with an Amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Alberta Irrigation Company*," with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Calgary Irrigation Company*," with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *Calgary Hydraulic Company*," with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act to incorporate the *North American Canal 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 Ladies *of the Sacred Heart of Jesus*," with several Amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

And also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act further to amend *the Railway Act*," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

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

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act further 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 at the next sitting of the House.

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

*Resolved*, That the consideration of Private Bills, as amended by the Senate, be placed on the Orders of the Day, at the next sitting of the House, after Routine Proceedings.

Mr. *Haggart*, 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, 1892. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 9b.)

Mr. *Patterson* (*Huron*), a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Report of the Board of Civil Service Examiners, for the year ended 31st December, 1892. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 16b.)

Sir *Adolphe P. Caron*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 6th February, 1893, for a Return of all petitions, documents and letters in relation to a request made for increased mail service at the *Harkaway* Post office, during the past six years. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 59a.)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 1st March, 1893, for copies of all correspondence and petitions asking for a change in the Post office of *St. Sebastien*, in the County of *Beauce*; and of the report of the Post Office Inspector in relation thereto. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 59b.)

Mr. *Costigan*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 20th February, 1893, for copies of all correspondence and reports accumulated between the years 1876 and 1893 in the hands of the Government relating to the *Lurcher* Shoal, near the entrance to the Bay of *Fundy*, and proposed means for the protection of navigation in that vicinity. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 72.)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 1st March, 1893, for copies of all correspondence between the Government and the *Quebec* Board of Trade, respecting the appointment of a fishery officer in the place of Mr. *W. H. Whitely* for the *Bonne Espérance* Division, from *Checatica* to *Blancs Sablons*. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 20h.)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 13th March, 1893, for copies of all correspondence relating to the claim of Mr. *Lauchlin McDougall*, of the County of *Victoria*, *Nova Scotia*, for superannuation allowance, together with the amounts paid him as Lighthouse keeper in *St. Paul's* and *Ingonish*, giving the separate amounts for each year. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 73.)

And also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 13th March, 1893, for a Return showing a copy of a certificate of qualification held by each of the Commanders of the Fishery Protection Service last season, as follow:—

- Commander *O. G. V. Spain*, "*Acadia*."  
 " *W. H. Kent*, "*Agnes Macdonald*."  
 " *E. Dunn*, "*Bayfield*."  
 " *George M. May*, "*Constance*."  
 " *J. H. Pratt*, "*Dream*."  
 " *William Wakeham*, "*La Canadienne*."  
 " *A. Finlayson*, "*Stanley*."  
 " *C. T. Knowlton*, "*Vigilant*." (*Sessional Papers, No. 20i.*)

A Bill to amend the Civil Service Superannuation 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.

A Bill respecting the Voters' Lists of 1893, 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. *Bergeron* reported, from the Committee of the Whole House to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting Members' indemnity, a Resolution which was read, as followeth:—

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to provide that, for the present Session, the deduction of Eight dollars per day, mentioned in section 26 of Chapter 11 of the Revised Statutes of *Canada*, shall not be made for six days in the case of Members who have been absent from a sitting of the House or Committee thereof during such number of days, but this provision shall not operate to extend the maximum amount mentioned in section 25 of the Act relating to the Senate and House of Commons, nor in the case of any Member elected since the commencement of the Session shall it apply to days prior to his election.

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

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Foster* have leave to bring in a Bill further to amend the Act respecting the Senate and House of Commons.

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

And then The House, having continued to sit till a quarter of an hour before Two of the Clock on Thursday morning, adjourned until Eleven o'Clock, A.M., this day.

Thursday, 30th March, 1893.

*Eleven o'Clock, A.M.*

PRAYERS.

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

By Mr. *Macdowall*,—The Petition of *Thomas James Slater* and others, of *Bresaylor*, District of *Saskatchewan*; the Petition of the Reverend *James Vincent*,

Archdeacon, and others, of *Moose Factory, James' Bay*, all of the *North-west Territories*; and the Petition of *John Smith*, Chief, and others, Treaty Indians.

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

Of *James Sharp*, J.P., and others, of *Armstrong's Lake* and other places; and of *Thomas J. McNeill* and others, of *Tregarva*, all of the District of *Assiniboia, North-west Territories*; severally praying that the *North-west Assembly* may be given control of Education, and that the Clause in the *North-west Territories Act*, requiring the Ordinances of the said Assembly published, and the proceedings of the Courts conducted, in the French language, may be repealed.

Of *William McKay* and others, of *Moncton*, County of *Westmoreland*; and of *James S. Scott* and others, of *Pine Ridge*, County of *Kent*, all of *New Brunswick*; of *Robert B. Archibald* and others, of *Truro*, County of *Colchester*; and of *Amos B. Outhouse* and others, of *Tiverton*, County of *Digby*, all of *Nova Scotia*; severally praying that no Bill, whose provisions would conflict with the rights of conscience, may become law.

Mr. Speaker informed the House, That the Clerk of the House had laid on the Table the following Papers, viz.:—

General Statements and Returns of Baptisms, Marriages and Burials in the Districts of *Chicoutimi, Gaspé, Joliette, Iberville, Montmagny, Ottawa, Saguenay* and *Kamouraska*, for the year 1892. (*Sessional Papers, No. 75.*)

Also, Statement of the affairs of the British Canadian Loan and Investment Company (Limited) as on 31st December, 1892. (*Sessional Papers, No. 55.*)

Mr. Speaker also 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, 30th March, 1893.

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election dated the 27th day of February last, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to *John S. Dewar*, Esquire, of *London, Ontario*, as Returning Officer for the Electoral District of the South Riding of the County of *Middlesex*, 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 *James Armstrong*, Esquire, deceased; *Robert Boston*, Esquire, of the Township of *Lobo, Ontario*, Farmer, has been duly returned as such representative, as appears by the Return to the said Writ, deposited of Record in my office.

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

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

*Robert Boston*, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of the South Riding of the County of *Middlesex*, having previously taken the Oath according to Law, and subscribed before the Commissioners the Roll containing the same, took his seat in the House.

Mr. *Scriver*, 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:—

## SECOND MEETING.

1893.

The Committee met a second time in the Speaker's Chambers on Wednesday, 29th March.

The Report of the Audit Committee was read and adopted.

Copy of this Report is appended hereto.

The Librarians were instructed to provide that the Patent Reports and Specifications transferred to the Department of Agriculture should be as free of access to the public as they have hitherto been in the Library of Parliament.

The Committee then adjourned.

PETER WHITE,  
*Chairman.*

SPEAKER'S CHAMBERS,  
29th March.

## REPORT OF THE SUB-COMMITTEE OF AUDIT.

The Sub-Committee appointed by the Joint Library Committee of Parliament for the Session of 1893, to audit and report upon the account of Receipts and Expenditure connected with the Library of Parliament, for the past year, report as follows:—

They have inspected the account books, statements and vouchers submitted to them by the Acting Accountant, said vouchers being numbered 2317 to 2646, inclusive, also, the vouchers for Bills of Exchange sent to the agent in *London, England*, lettered A, B, C and D of 1892-93, respectively, and find them to correspond.

They also submit, herewith, for the information of Parliament, an abstract of the account current of the Library from the 1st June, 1892 (the date of the last audit) to the 24th March, 1893; together with a statement (classified by subjects) of expenditure for books, during the same period, as prepared by the Acting Accountant.

A. R. McCLELAN,  
J. SCRIVER,  
G. AMYOT.

## LIBRARY OF PARLIAMENT.

*Ottawa, 24th March, 1893.*

STATEMENT—Classified by Subjects—of the Expenditure on Books and Binding, from 1st June, 1892, to 24th March, 1893.

|   | \$    | cts. |
|---|-------|------|
| Religion, Philosophy and Education.....                         | 337   | 26   |
| History and Biography.....                                      | 1,944 | 02   |
| Geography and Travels.....                                      | 471   | 67   |
| Sciences.....   | 684   | 57   |
| Useful Arts.....  | 473   | 02   |
| Fine Arts.....  | 171   | 88   |
| Sports and Games.....   | 49    | 25   |
| Philology, Literary History and Bibliography.....               | 175   | 71   |
| Belles Lettres.....   | 855   | 28   |
| Encyclopedias and Magazines.....                                | 774   | 65   |
| Law, Constitutional History, Parliamentary Papers, &c.....      | 1,680 | 86   |
| Political Economy, Social Science, Commerce and Statistics..... | 409   | 41   |
| Directories.....  | 77    | 93   |
| Canadian Binding.....   | 1,065 | 76   |
| Insurance, Commission, Postage, &c.....                         | 328   | 87   |
| Total.....  | 9,500 | 14   |

JOHN SMITH,  
*Acting Accountant.*

LIBRARY OF PARLIAMENT.

STATEMENT of account current of the Amounts received and disbursed for Books and Binding, from 1st June, 1892 (the date of the last audit), to 24th March, 1893.

| 1892.                                  |  | \$ cts.   | \$ cts.   | 1893.     |   | \$ cts.  | \$ cts.   |
|--|--|-----------|-----------|-----------|---|----------|-----------|
| June 1..                               | To Balance of appropriations for 1891-92, unexpended to date ..... |           | 1,476 95  | June 30.. | By Amount expended on English books, to date .....                        | 530 91   |           |
| July 1..                               | Amount of appropriations for 1892-93—<br>General book grant .....  | 10,000 00 |           |           | Amount expended on French books, to date .....                            | 192 08   |           |
|  | Books on American History .....                                    | 1,000 00  |           |           | Amount expended on books on American History, to date .....               | 160 64   |           |
|  | Binding .....  | 2,000 00  |           |           | Amount expended on binding, to date .....                                 | 593 32   | 1,476 95  |
|  |  |           | 13,000 00 | 1893.     |   |          |           |
|  |  |           |           | Mar. 24.. | By Amount expended on English books, to date .....                        | 5,004 04 |           |
|  |  |           |           |           | Amount expended on French books, to date .....                            | 1,753 92 |           |
|  |  |           |           |           | Amount expended on books on American History, to date .....               | 792 79   |           |
|  |  |           |           |           | Amount expended on binding, to date .....                                 | 472 44   |           |
|  |  |           |           | Mar. 24.. | By Balance of appropriations for 1892-93 not yet expended .....           |          | 8,023 19  |
|  |  |           | 14,476 95 |           |   |          | 9,500 14  |
|  |  |           |           |           |   |          | 4,976 81  |
|  |  |           |           |           |   |          | 14,476 95 |
| EXPLANATION OF THE UNEXPENDED BALANCE. |  |           |           |           |   |          |           |
| 1893.                                  |  | \$ cts.   | \$ cts.   | 1893.     |   | \$ cts.  | \$ cts.   |
| Mar. 24..                              | Balance of appropriations for 1892-93 not yet called for .....     |           | 3,561 16  | Mar. 24.. | Total amount of expenditure on English books since 1st June, 1892 .....   | 5,584 95 |           |
|  | Balance in Bank of Montreal (see Bank Statement) .....             | 1,969 68  |           |           | Total amount of expenditure on French books since 1st June, 1892 .....    | 1,946 00 |           |
|  | Less—Outstanding cheques (see List thereof) .....                  | 328 65    |           |           | Total expenditure on books on American History since 1st June, 1892 ..... | 953 43   |           |
|  | Less—Amount yet to be expended on Contingencies .....              |           | 5,202 19  |           | Total expenditure on binding since 1st June, 1892 .....                   | 1,065 76 |           |
|  | Balance yet to be expended on books and binding .....              |           | 225 38    |           |   |          | 9,500 14  |
|  |  |           | 4,976 81  |           |   |          |           |

JOHN SMITH, Acting Accountant.



## LIBRARY OF PARLIAMENT.

Ottawa, 24th March, 1893.

LIST of Outstanding Cheques drawn on the Bank of *Montreal*, *Ottawa*.

| Date.         | —   | No.  | Amount. |
|---------------|---|------|---------|
| 1893.         |   |      | \$ cts. |
| Jany. 17..... | University Press, University of Chicago ..... | 2561 | 3 00    |
| Feby. 21..... | Montreal Board of Trade.....                  | 2615 | 3 00    |
| March 10..... | Stephen D. Peet .....                         | 2636 | 4 00    |
| do 10.....    | Credit, Receiver-General .....                | 2637 | 0 62    |
| do 22.....    | Publisher of "La Patrie".....                 | 2639 | 3 00    |
| do 22.....    | Thomas Chapais.....                           | 2640 | 3 00    |
| do 22.....    | Binder & Kelly.....                           | 2642 | 4 00    |
| do 22.....    | Publisher, Boston "Daily Advertiser".....     | 2643 | 6 00    |
| do 22.....    | N. L. Britton.....                            | 2644 | 2 00    |
| do 22.....    | Credit, Receiver-General .....                | 2645 | 274 51  |
| do 22.....    | do do .....                                   | 2646 | 25 52   |
|               |   |      | 328 65  |

JOHN SMITH,  
*Acting Accountant.*

Mr. *Sproule*, from the Select Standing Committee on Agriculture and Colonization, presented to the House the Second Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth :—

The investigations of your Committee have been made under three heads, viz. :—Agriculture, Quarantines and Immigration.

On the first named, Agriculture and its subdivisions, your Committee have had before them and examined the several officers of the Experimental Farm, at *Ottawa*, and the information obtained from each is hereunto appended, as forming part of your Committee's report.

The officers examined were Mr. *William Saunders*, the Director; Mr. *James W. Robertson*, Dairy Commissioner and Agriculturist; Mr. *James Fletcher*, Entomologist and Botanist; Mr. *F. T. Shutt*, Chemist; Mr. *John Craig*, Horticulturist; and Mr. *A. G. Gilbert*, Poultry Manager. A letter was also read and put in evidence from Dr. *William Alexander*, of *Aberdeen, Scotland*, on the importance of improving the quality of the store cattle sent from *Canada to Scotland*.

The information furnished by Mr. *Saunders* shows the progress that has been made by the Experimental Farms in *Canada*, and contains facts of much practical interest for farmers, as well in relation to what has already been done as in the experiments now going on. The extent to which the hybridization or cross-cultivation of the several grains is being conducted is stated by Mr. *Saunders* to be the most unique in the world, and it gives promise of obtaining results which will be of great importance to the whole country.

The work done by Mr. *Robertson*, the Dairy Commissioner, in his branch of the Experimental Farm, cannot be overestimated in its importance to the agriculturists of the country. It has already made itself manifest by marked improvement in the quality and increased exports of dairy products, while the interest which is everywhere being manifested by farmers, gives promise of still more important results.

The information furnished by Mr. *Fletcher*, the Entomologist and Botanist, is of much interest and contains practical suggestions of value in relation to the utilization of the grasses for fodder and pasture, and the methods by which farmers may

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protect themselves from the injurious effects of fungous growths and destructive insects.

The information contained in the evidence of Mr. *Shutt*, the Chemist, cannot be too carefully studied by the farmers of *Canada*, especially with regard to the utilization of available fertilizers.

The information furnished by Mr. *Craig*, the Horticulturist, contains practical directions for gardeners relative to the necessary operations to be carried on and the several spraying mixtures for protection, accompanied by reports of actual results obtained at the Central Farm.

Mr. *Gilbert*, the Poultry Manager of the Farm, showed in his evidence the very great value of the poultry interest of the Dominion. He reports on the several kinds of fowls, and points out those most profitable, both for eggs and marketing, and gives the conditions necessary for successful results.

On the Cattle Quarantines, your Committee have had before them Mr. *Lowe*, the Deputy Minister of Agriculture, and Professor *McEachran*, of *Montreal*, the chief inspector of stock in *Canada*. The action taken by the Department and the Government in the Dominion, as well as by the High Commissioner and the Canadian Ministers in *England*, at the end of October and beginning of November last, is fully set forth in the evidence hereunto appended.

Three animals in *Scotland*, in October last, alleged to have come from *Canada* by the steamers "*Monkseaton*" and "*Huron*" were diagnosed by the Veterinary Officers of the Imperial Board of Agriculture to be affected with pleuro-pneumonia, and the law officers of the Crown thereupon advised the Board that there was no other course open than to place *Canada* on the Schedule of Countries from which importations of animals must be slaughtered on arrival.

Your Committee are satisfied from a consideration of the facts laid before them, in evidence, that there is not, nor ever has been, any pleuro-pneumonia among Canadian herds; and they are, therefore, of opinion that there must have been error in the diagnosis by the Imperial veterinary officers if there were none as respects the identity of the three animals in which it was alleged to have been found.

Your Committee are satisfied that the Government have made every possible representation in the circumstances, to have the Dominion reinstated in its former position as respects the freedom from restriction in the export of animals to the United Kingdom.

Your Committee were informed that the Government on 18th February last withdrew the privilege, in the *North-west*, of allowing the entry of settlers' cattle from contagious territory, in the same conditions of climate and country, where no contagious disease had been known, without a quarantine of ninety days, for the purpose of satisfying an Imperial requirement. Your Committee was further informed that, on a joint report of the Ministers of Agriculture, the Interior and President of the Council, the services of the Mounted Police are to be very largely utilized for the protection of the frontier, the keeping of the quarantines, and affording all possible facilities for the care of settlers' cattle, which have now to be detained in quarantine ninety days.

The disease of Tuberculosis, which is known to prevail to some extent among cattle in *Canada*, as well as in those of the *United States* and the whole of Europe, and which was inquired into and reported on by a former Committee of Agriculture and Colonization, in the opinion of this Committee, calls for the serious consideration of the Government, with a view of taking the necessary measures for its extirpation.

As respects the measures for protecting the Dominion from a possible invasion of Asiatic Cholera during the coming season, announced to have been undertaken by the Government, your Committee have had before them Mr. *Gobeil*, the Deputy Minister of Public Works. He stated that the work was well in hand, and that the station at *Grosse Isle* would be fully equipped at the opening of the *St. Lawrence* navigation; also, that all the appliances for the other quarantine stations would be completed as soon thereafter as possible. All the old stations are to be thoroughly

equipped with the most approved modern appliances, and *William's Head*, in the *Strait of Fuca, British Columbia*, is to be made as rapidly as possible a Quarantine Station of the first class.

On the subject of Immigration, your Committee have had before them Mr. A. M. Burgess, the Deputy Minister of the Interior. He showed that active exertions are being made to promote the immigration to *Canada* of the classes desired, and for the care and guidance of immigrants on their arrival. The number of homestead entries of returned Canadians and others from parts of the North-western States are very considerable. Particulars of the movement, as stated by Mr. Burgess, are contained in the report of his evidence hereunto appended.

In the interests of agriculture, and as the most direct means of benefiting the farmers by the investigations conducted on the Dominion Experimental Farms, your Committee recommend that the final report of this Committee for the current session of Parliament be printed to the number of 100,000 copies, in the usual proportions of English and French, in addition to that of the "usual number for distribution," 2,475, or a total number of 102,475.

That 150,000 copies of each of the Experimental Farm Reports and of the Dairy Commissioner's Report for the last year be also printed. And all of the foregoing be equally distributed to, and only to, the Honourable the Members of the Senate and the Members of the House of Commons.

And that there be also printed 500 copies of his own evidence before this Committee and given to each official of the Central Experimental Farm, for personal distribution.

Several important resolutions were passed by your Committee, embodying their views on some of the subjects which engaged their attention, which will be found at the end of this report. (Appendix No. 1.)

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 *Calgary Hydraulic Company*," and the same were read, as follow:—

Page 3, line 11.—After "imposes" insert the following as subsections two and three:—

"2. The Company shall give two months notice of its intention to apply to the Governor in Council for the approval of its plans by publishing such notice once a week during the period of two months in some newspaper published in the locality, or nearest thereto if there be no newspaper therein published.

"3. Copies of the plans shall be deposited in the Registry office for the district for a period of two months before making such application to the Governor in Council."

Page 3, line 31.—Leave out "entered upon."

The said 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.

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 *Calgary Irrigation Company*," and the same were read, as follow:—

Page 2, line 43.—After "imposes" insert the following as subsections two and three:—

"2. The Company shall give two months notice of its intention to apply to the Governor in Council for the approval of its plans by publishing such notice once a week during the period of two months in some newspaper published in the locality, or nearest thereto if there be no newspaper therein published.

"3. Copies of the plans shall be deposited in the Registry office for the district for a period of two months before making such application to the Governor in Council."

Page 3, line 24.—Leave out "entered upon."

The said 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.

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 "Alberta Irrigation Company," and the same were read, as follow:—

Page 2, line 35.—After "imposes" insert the following as subsections two and three:—

"2. The Company shall give two months notice of its intention to apply to the Governor in Council for the approval of its plans by publishing such notice once a week during the period of two months in some newspaper published in the locality, or nearest thereto if there be no newspaper therein published.

"3. Copies of the plans shall be deposited in the Registry office for the district for a period of two months before making such application to the Governor in Council."

Page 3, line 20.—Leave out "entered upon."

The said 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.

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 "American Canal Company," and the same were read, as follow:—

Page 7, line 13.—Leave out "twenty-one" and insert "twenty."

Page 11, line 4.—Leave out "Clause thirty-nine."

The said 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.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate, to the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the "Ladies of the Sacred Heart of *Jesus*," and the same were read, as follow:—

Page 1, line 22.—Leave out "*Shulten*" and insert "*Schulten*."

Page 1, line 24.—Leave out "vanden" and insert "Van den" and leave out "*Bacher*" and insert "*Backer*."

Page 1, line 25.—Leave out "*Kernie*" and insert "*Kerhue*."

Page 1, line 30.—Leave out "chief establishment" and insert "centre of the vicariate."

Page 3, line 10.—After "*Quebec*" insert "and their successors."

Page 4, line 11.—After "establishments" insert the following as Clause "A."

*Clause A.*

"Nothing in this Act shall contravene or affect the Act of the Legislature of the Province of *Nova Scotia*, passed in the year 1869, Chapter 69 in the Acts of that year, and intituled: 'An Act to incorporate the Ladies of the Sacred Heart of *Halifax*.'"

The said 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.

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

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

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill respecting Government Civil Service Insurance, and, after some time spent

therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 further to amend the Dominion Lands Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* 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 taking into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting Witnesses and Evidence;"

Mr. *Curran* moved, seconded by Mr. *Ouimet*, and the Question being proposed, That the Amendments be now taken into consideration;

Mr. *Davin* moved, in amendment to the Question, seconded by Mr. *Scriver*, 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:—

## YEAH :

## Messieurs

|             |                           |                        |                   |
|-------------|---------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|
| Allan,      | Cartwright (Sir Richard), | Langelier,             | Mills (Bothwell), |
| Beausoleil, | Choquette,                | Langevin (Sir Hector), | Monet,            |
| Béchar,     | Christie,                 | Laurier,               | Mulock,           |
| Beith,      | Davies,                   | Leduc,                 | O'Brien,          |
| Bernier,    | Davin,                    | Lister,                | Paterson (Brant), |
| Boston,     | Devlin,                   | Livingston,            | Proulx,           |
| Bourassa,   | Forbes,                   | Lowell,                | Rinfret,          |
| Brodeur,    | Geoffrion,                | McCarthy,              | Semple,           |
| Brown,      | Gibson,                   | McMullen,              | Sutherland, and   |
| Campbell,   | Guay,                     | McNeill,               | Vaillancourt.—40. |

## NAYS :

## Messieurs

|                   |                     |                        |                |
|-------------------|---------------------|------------------------|----------------|
| Amyot,            | Davis,              | Kenny,                 | Pelletier,     |
| Bain (Soulanges), | Denison,            | LaRiviere,             | Prior,         |
| Barnard,          | Dugas,              | Leclair,               | Reid,          |
| Belley,           | Dupont,             | Lippé,                 | Robillard,     |
| Bennett,          | Dyer,               | Macdonald (Winnipeg),  | Rosamond,      |
| Bergeron,         | Earle,              | Macdonell (Algoma),    | Ross (Dundas), |
| Boyle,            | Fairbairn,          | Mackintosh,            | Ross (Lisgar), |
| Bruneau,          | Ferguson (Renfrew), | Maclean (York),        | Ryckman,       |
| Bryson,           | Foster,             | McAlister,             | Sproule,       |
| Cargill,          | Fréchette,          | McDonald (Assiniboia), | Stairs,        |
| Carignan,         | Gillies,            | McDougald (Pictou),    | Stevenson,     |

|                      |                             |                    |                        |
|----------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|------------------------|
| Carling,             | Girouard (Jacques-Cartier), | McKay,             | Taylor,                |
| Carpenter,           | Grandbois,                  | McLennan,          | Temple,                |
| Caron (Sir Adolphe), | Guillet,                    | Madill,            | Turootte,              |
| Carscallen,          | Haggart,                    | Mara,              | Tyrwhitt,              |
| Cochrane,            | Hearn,                      | Marshall,          | Wallace,               |
| Cockburn,            | Henderson,                  | Masson,            | Weldon,                |
| Corby,               | Hodgins,                    | Metcalfe,          | White (Cardwell),      |
| Costigan,            | Hutchins,                   | Mills (Annapolis), | White (Shelburne),     |
| Craig,               | Ingram,                     | Montague,          | Wood (Brockville), and |
| Curran,              | Jeannotte,                  | Ouimet,            | Wood (Westmorel'd)—87. |
| Daly,                | Joncas,                     | Patterson (Huron), |                        |

So it passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

*Ordered*, That the Amendments be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take into consideration the said Amendments, and the same were read, as follow:—

Page 1, line 14.—Leave out “and compellable.”

Page 1, line 16.—Leave out “competent” and insert “compellable.”

Page 1, line 18.—Leave out “competent” and insert “compellable.”

Page 1, line 20.—After “marriage” insert the following as subsection 2:—

“2. The failure of the person charged, or of the wife or husband of such person to testify shall not be made the subject of comment by Counsel for the prosecution in addressing the jury.”

Page 6, line 17.—After “Commissioner” insert “or other person.”

The First Amendment, being read the second time, was agreed to.

The Second and Third Amendments, being read a second time.

On motion of Mr. *Mulock*, seconded by Mr. *Charlton*, the said Amendments were disagreed to, for the following reason: “that it is contrary to public policy that husbands or wives should be allowed to disclose conversations between them during “marriage.”

The Fourth Amendment, being read a second time;

On motion of Mr. *Davies*, seconded by Sir *Richard J. Cartwright*, the said Amendment was amended by inserting the words “by the Judge or” after the word “comment.”

The said Amendment, so amended, was then agreed to.

Then the subsequent Amendment was agreed to.

*Resolved*, That a Message be sent to the Senate communicating to their Honours, the reason for disagreeing to their Second and Third Amendments, and agreeing to their Fourth Amendment, with an Amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the said Message, with the Bill and Amendments, to the Senate.

The Order of the Day being read, for the 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. *Bergeron* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill respecting the appointment of Commissioners to the World's Columbian Exposition;

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. *Bergeron* 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 respecting the Royal Military College;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time.

On motion of Mr. *Patterson* (*Huron*), seconded by Mr. *Ouimet*,

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee on the said Bill, with instructions that they have power to make provision therein pursuant to the Resolution agreed to by the House yesterday.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bergeron* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled, "An Act further to amend the General Inspection 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. *Bergeron* 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 into consideration the said Amendments; and the same were read, as follow:—

Page 1, line 10.—Leave out "the" and insert "one" and leave out "named."

Page 1, line 14.—Leave out "the" and insert "one" and leave out "named."

The said Amendments, being read a second time, were agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill, with the Amendments, do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath passed the same, with several Amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill relating to the custody of juvenile offenders in the Province of *New Brunswick*;

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. *Bergeron* 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 *Nakusp and Slocan* Railway Company.”

Bill intituled: “An Act respecting the *Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo* Railway Company.”

Bill intituled: “An Act to confirm the sale of the *Carleton, City of Saint John, Branch* Railroad.”

Also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: “An Act relating to the granting of subsidies in land to Railway Companies,” to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

Mr. *Haggart*, a Member of the Queen’s Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 13th March, 1893, for copies of all correspondence, reports and other documents relative to the reduction in rank of *C. A. Atkinson*, from conductor to brakeman, on or about October, 1887. (*Sessional Papers, No. 26c.*)

Mr. *Costigan*, a Member of the Queen’s Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 13th March, 1893, for copies of all tenders, letters, telegrams and correspondence between the Government and their agents and any other persons, in regard to the contract let for the repairing of the Dominion steamer “*Quadra*.” (*Sessional Papers, No. 74.*)

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendment made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: “An Act further to amend the “Patent Act,” and the same was read, as follows:—

Page 1, line 11.—Leave out from “2” to “21” and insert: “The first subsection of section twenty-first of the said Act is hereby repealed, and the following “substituted therefor.”

The said Amendment, being read a second time, was 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 further to amend the Petroleum Inspection 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. *Bergeron* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

Mr. *Wood* (*Brockville*) moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Mr. *Flint* 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, "recommitted to a Committee of the Whole House, for the purpose of amending subsection 3, Clause 15, of section 8, by leaving out the words, 'designate places at which 'petroleum for illuminating purposes may be imported in tank cars,' and substituting therefor the words, 'make departmental regulations under which petroleum for illuminating purposes may be imported in tank cars or tank steamers,'" inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment:—It passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendment made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend the "Criminal Code, 1832," and the same was read, as follows:—

*In the Schedule.*

Immediately below the word "Schedule" insert the following:—

Section 3, paragraph (*k*)—By striking out the word "such" before "thing" in the third line from the end of the paragraph.

The said Amendment, being read a second time, was 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 from the Senate, intituled: "An Act further to amend the Railway 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. *Sproule* 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 into consideration the said Amendment, and the same was read, as follows:—

Page 2, line 22.—Leave out from "thereto" to "thereupon" inclusive in line 33.

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

*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.

Mr. Speaker communicated to the House the following letter :—

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S SECRETARY,  
Ottawa, 30th March, 1893.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that His Excellency the Governor General will proceed to the Senate Chamber to prorogue the Session of the Dominion Parliament, on Saturday, the 1st April, at 3 o'Clock, P.M.

I have the honour to be, Sir,  
Your obedient servant,

J. ST. AUBYN, Major,  
Governor General's Secretary.

The Honourable  
The Speaker of the House of Commons.

Mr. *Landerkin* moved, seconded by Mr. *Grieve*, and the Question being proposed, That the House do now adjourn;

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

Mr. *Costigan*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 20th March, 1893, for copies of all documents, reports and correspondence between the Government and the *Quebec* Board of Trade, or any other person in relation to the treatment endured by Canadian fishermen from *Newfoundland* fishermen along the Canadian *Labrador* coast. (Sessional papers No. 20j.)

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to prevent the manufacture and sale of filled or imitation cheese, and to provide for the branding of dairy products;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Denison* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill further to amend the Act respecting the Senate and House of Commons;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Denison* 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 Acts respecting the Duties of Customs;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Denison reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

Mr. Foster moved, seconded by Mr. Haggart, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Mr. Laurier moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. Langelier, 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 instruction to amend the same by "reducing and remodelling the duties on iron," inserted instead thereof;

And the Question being put on the amendment:—It passed in the Negative.

Then the main Question being put:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend the Act relating to Ocean Steam-ship Subsidies;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Denison reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be now taken into consideration.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

Mr. Costigan, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return on an Order of this House, dated 20th March, 1893, for:—

1. Copies of instructions issued to the fishery overseers of *Berthier*, *Maskinongé*, *St. Maurice*, *Champlain*, *Nicolet*, *Yamaska* and *Richelieu*, since 1st January, 1892, and of all correspondence on the subject between the Government and the said fishery overseers; or between the Government and any other persons, from 1st January, 1892, up to this date, in relation to such instructions and the enforcement thereof.

2. A statement of fishing licenses issued in the Counties aforesaid during the years 1891 and 1892, separately.

3. A statement of the quantity and value of the various kinds of fish taken in the said Counties, separately, during the years 1891 and 1892. (*Sessional Papers, No. 20k.*)

Also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 20th February, 1893, for a Return of all persons receiving fishery bounties in the Counties of *Victoria* and *Guysborough, Nova Scotia*, for the year 1892, with amount paid each. (*Sessional Papers, No. 20l.*)

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act respecting the Speaker of the Senate;"

Mr. *Foster* 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 *Richard J. Cartwright*, seconded by Mr. *Flint*,  
*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to repeal the Homestead Exemption 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. *Bergeron* 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. *Bergeron* reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty-eight thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray Charges of Management, as follow, viz.:—Inspector, \$1,700; Office of the Assistant Receiver-General, *Toronto*, \$7,100; Office of the Assistant Receiver-General, *Montreal*, \$5,600; Office of the Assistant Receiver-General, *Halifax*, \$8,300; Office of the Assistant Receiver-General, *St. John*, \$6,600; Office of the Assistant Receiver-General, *Winnipeg*, \$6,600; Office of the Assistant Receiver-General, *Victoria*, \$4,000; Office of the Assistant Receiver General, *Charlottetown*, \$4,600; Country Savings Banks, *New Brunswick, Nova Scotia* and *Prince Edward Island*—Salaries, \$11,650; Contingencies, \$1,750; Commission for payment of Interest on Public Debt, purchase of Sinking Funds and transfer of Stock, \$30,350; Brokerage on purchases of Sinking Funds, \$5,100; English Bill Stamps, Postage, Telegrams, &c., \$3,000; Expenses in connection with the issue and redemption of Dominion Notes, irrespective of the provisions of the Civil Service Act, \$5,000; Printing Dominion Notes, \$45,000; Printing, advertising, inspection, expressage and miscellaneous charges, including commutation of Stamp duty, \$12,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand six hundred and sixty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for the Governor General's Secretary's Office, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-nine thousand three hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the Office of the Queen's Privy Council for Canada, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-two thousand eight hundred and seventy dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the Department of Justice, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand four hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the Department of Justice, Penitentiary Branch, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-five thousand four hundred and sixty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Militia and Defence, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-two thousand two hundred and eighty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Secretary of State, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand five hundred and seventy-four dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Printing and Stationery, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand seven hundred and forty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for the Office of the Comptroller of the *North-west* Mounted Police, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand nine hundred and fifty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for the Department of Indian Affairs, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-six thousand nine hundred and seventeen dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for the Office of the Auditor-General, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand five hundred dollars, be granted to Her Majesty, for the Department of Finance and Treasury Board, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-five thousand one hundred and thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for the Department of Customs, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-nine thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the Department of Inland Revenue, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and six thousand seven hundred and ten dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the Post Office Department, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-two thousand three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the Department of Agriculture, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand and five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the Department of Marine and Fisheries, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand five hundred and fifty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the Department of Public Works, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-nine thousand six hundred and sixty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for the Department of Railways and Canals, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand seven hundred and thirty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Geological Survey, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Trade and Commerce, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

The first Two Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Third Resolution, being read the second time, was amended by adding after "*Canada*" the words, "including the salaries of Messieurs *D. Burke* and *W. Loux*, at \$1,100 each, *H. A. Bliss* at \$650, and *J. M. Plunkett* at \$600."

And the said Resolution, so amended, was agreed to, as followeth:—

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-nine thousand three hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the office of the Queen's Privy Council for *Canada*, including the salaries of Messieurs *D. Burke* and *W. Loux* at \$1,100 each; *H. A. Bliss* at \$650, and *J. M. Plunkett*, at \$600, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

The next Four Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Eighth Resolution, being read the second time, was amended by adding after "*Stationery*" the words "including the salaries of *A. T. Snow* and *M. Lefebvre*, "at \$936 each, notwithstanding anything in the Civil Service Act to the contrary."

And the said Resolution, so amended, was agreed to, as followeth:—

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand five hundred and seventy four dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Printing and Stationery, including the salaries of *A. T. Snow* and *M. Lefebvre* at \$936 each, notwithstanding anything in the Civil Service Act to the contrary, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

The next Four Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Thirteenth Resolution, being read the second time, was amended by adding after "*Customs*" the words "including \$600 allowance for the Private Secretary of the "*Controller of Customs*, notwithstanding anything in the Civil Service Act to the contrary."

And the said Resolution, so amended, was agreed to, as followeth:—

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-five thousand one hundred and thirty seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for the Department of Customs, including \$600 allowance for the Private Secretary of the Controller of Customs, notwithstanding anything in the Civil Service Act to the contrary, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

The Fourteenth Resolution, being read the second time, was amended by adding after "*Revenue*" the words "including \$600 allowance for the Private Secretary of the Controller of Inland Revenue, notwithstanding anything in the Civil Service Act to the contrary."

And the said Resolution, so amended, was agreed to, as followeth:—

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-nine thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the Department of Inland Revenue, including \$600 allowance for the Private Secretary of the Controller of Inland Revenue notwithstanding anything in the Civil Service Act to the contrary, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

The next Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

The Sixteenth Resolution, being read a second time, was amended by reducing the amount thereof from \$52,350 to the sum of \$51,950.

And the said Resolution, so amended, was agreed to, as followeth:—

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-one thousand nine hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the Department of Agriculture, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

The next Three Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Twentieth Resolution, being read the second time, was amended by adding after "*Survey*" the words, "including an increase of \$50 to each of the nineteen "*technical officers* now in the employ of the Department."

And the said Resolution, so amended, was agreed to, as followeth:—

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand seven hundred and thirty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for the Department of the Geological Survey, including an increase of \$50 to each of the nineteen technical officers now in the employ of the Department, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

The Twenty-first Resolution, being read the second time, was amended by adding after "Commerce" the words, "Provided, that in case of the transfer to this Department of any officers or clerks whose salaries have been provided for in the estimates of any other Department—whether inside or outside service—the amount so provided shall be available for the payment of the said salaries by this Department."

And the said Resolution, so amended, was agreed to, as followeth:—

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the Department of Trade and Commerce: Provided, that in case of the transfer to this Department of any officers or clerks whose salaries have been provided for in the estimates of any other Department—whether inside or outside service—the amount so provided shall be available for the payment of the said salaries by this Department, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

Mr. *Bergeron* reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and one thousand one hundred and forty-six dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of the Interior, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Office of High Commissioner for *Canada*—Salaries, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, rent and insurance on office, income tax, fuel, light, stationery, &c., and amount—\$2,000—required towards the contingent expenses (water, light, fuel, carriage hire, cabs and railway fare) of the High Commissioner, and \$1,200 for contingencies, rates, taxes, insurance, ground rent, &c., of the official residence, including income tax, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Post Office Department—Amount required to pay those officers of the Savings Bank Branch, engaged in the balancing of and computing interest on depositors' accounts to 30th June, 1893, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty—Amount required for salaries of Board of Examiners and other expenses under the Civil Service Act, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Bergeron* reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *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, 1894.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand five hundred and forty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies—the Queen's Privy Council for *Canada*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Justice—Penitentiaries Branch—Contingencies, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

4. *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, 1894.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies—Department of the Secretary of State, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

6. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies—Department of Printing and Stationery, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

7. *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, 1894.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies—Department of Indian Affairs, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies—Office of the Auditor General, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies—Department of Finance and Treasury Board, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

11. *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, 1894.

12. *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, 1894.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies—Department of Public Works, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies—Department of Agriculture (including \$912.50 each to Messieurs *Skead* and *Dewhurst*, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Civil Service Act), for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies—Department of Marine and Fisheries, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies—Department of Railways and Canals, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies—Department of Trade and Commerce, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for care and cleaning of Departmental buildings, including amount, \$100, required to pay for firing the noon gun, 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, 1894.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Printing Bureau, cleaning, etc., for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-four thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Administration of Justice—Miscellaneous expenditure, including *North-west Territories*, \$37,000; Travelling expenses of Judges in the *North-west Territories*, \$4,000; Circuit allowances, *British Columbia*, \$7,000; Travelling allowances, Court of Queen's Bench and County Court Judges, *Manitoba*, \$2,500; Circuit allowances to Judges *ad hoc*, \$500; To pay two official Arbitrators, \$1,000 each, \$2,000; Travelling expenses of Official Arbitrators, \$500; Expenditure under Cap. 181, R.S.C., \$700, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventeen thousand four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with the Supreme Court of *Canada*—The Reporter, \$2,400; The Assistant Reporter, 1st Class Clerk, \$1,450; Clerk in the office of the Registrar, 3rd Class Clerk, \$1,000; Second Clerk in the office of the Registrar, 3rd Class Clerk, \$600; Librarian, \$1,000; Caretaker, \$700; Three Messengers, at \$500 each, \$1,500; Contingencies and disbursements, Judges'



travelling expenses; also, salaries of officers (Sheriff, Registrar as Editor and Publisher of Reports, Usher, &c.), and \$150 for books for Judges, \$3,500; Printing, binding and distributing the Supreme Court Reports, \$2,750; For the purchase of Law Reports and Text Books for the Supreme Court Library, \$2,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand seven hundred and eighty-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with the Exchequer Court of *Canada*—2nd Class Clerk, \$1,300; 3rd Class Clerk, \$950; Messenger, \$337.50; Contingencies, Judge's and Registrar's travelling expenses, salary of Sheriffs, printing, stationery, &c., and \$50 for Judge's books, \$4,000; Printing, binding and distributing Exchequer Court Reports, \$1,000; Additional to Registrar as Editor and Publisher of Reports, \$300; To pay increase of salary to Mr. *L. A. Audette*, from 1st July, 1893, to 30th June, 1894, \$100; Salary of Registrar in Admiralty, *Quebec*, \$666.66; Salary of Marshal in Admiralty, *Quebec*, \$333.34; To provide accommodation when necessary for Exchequer Court in Admiralty, \$300; Travelling allowance for Local Judges and other officers, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dominion Police, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and two thousand three hundred and thirty-one dollars and twenty-nine cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. Vincent de Paul* Penitentiary, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-six thousand four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Dorchester* Penitentiary, for the year ending 30th June 1894.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-seven thousand four hundred and forty-six dollars and thirty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *Manitoba* Penitentiary, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-nine thousand, four hundred and forty-nine dollars and fifteen cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *British Columbia* Penitentiary, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fourteen thousand five hundred and twenty-eight dollars and seventy cents, be granted to Her Majesty, for *Regina* Jail, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Bergeron* reported from the Committee of Supply several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and ninety thousand four hundred and forty-three dollars and sixty-six cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *Kingston* Penitentiary, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-one thousand four hundred and eighty-eight dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salaries and contingent expenses of the Senate, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

3. *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, 1894.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy thousand six hundred and sixty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salaries—House of Commons, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirteen thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay expenses of Committees, Sessional and Extra Clerks, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-three thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, House of Commons, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for publishing Debates, House of Commons, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-three thousand seven hundred and thirty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to meet estimate of Serjeant-at-Arms, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventeen thousand and forty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for salaries of the officers of the Library (page 31), for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the Library, as follow, viz. :—Books: For the General Library, \$10,000; For the Library of American History, \$1,000; Contingencies, \$2,800; Binding newspapers, &c., \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for printing, binding and distributing the Laws, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for printing, printing paper and binding, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Archives, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Patent Record, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Collection and Compilation of Criminal Statistics, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Statistics, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for World's Columbian Exposition, *Chicago*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Bergeron* reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow :—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Pensions, as follow, viz. :—For amount of annuity to Lady *Cartier*, \$1,200; Mrs. *Delaney*, \$400; Mrs. *Gowanlock*, \$400; Miss *Harriet Fraser*, \$250; Mr. *Roderick Fraser*, \$150, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand one hundred and forty-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Pensions, payable on account of Fenian Raid, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet probable amount required for Veterans of War of 1812, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and eighteen dollars and thirty-eight cents be granted to Her Majesty, for compensation to Pensioners in lieu of land, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Pensions payable to Militiamen on account of Rebellion of 1885, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven dollars and twenty-eight cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Pensions, payable to Mounted Police, *Prince Albert* Volunteers and Police Scouts, on account of Rebellion of 1885, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and forty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Extra (Superannuation) Allowance to *W. Wallace*, ex-Postmaster at *Victoria, B.C.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Aid to Agricultural Societies, *North-west Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the *Haras National*, for the use of six stallions for the Experimental Farms, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Salaries and Contingencies for Organized (Quarantine) Districts, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet possible expenses in connection with Public Health, and with Cholera and other infectious diseases, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty for *Tracadie Lazaretto*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Winnipeg* and *St. Boniface* Hospitals, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Cattle Quarantines, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Bergeron* reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and seventy-five thousand seven hundred and eighty-two dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for pay of Staff, Permanent Corps and Active Militia, including allowances, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salaries and wages of civil employees—Militia, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Military properties, works and buildings, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-six thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for warlike and other stores, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for clothing and necessaries—Militia, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and seventy-nine thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for provisions, supplies and re-mounts—Militia, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-eight thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for transport and freight—Militia, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-five thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for grants in aid of Artillery and Rifle Associations and bands, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Miscellaneous and unforeseen contingencies in connection with Militia, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Royal Military College of *Canada*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for monuments for battlefields of *Canada*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Bergeron* reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-four thousand two hundred and seventy-four dollars and one cent be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Messieurs *Baring Bros. & Co.*, and Messieurs *Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co.*,  $\frac{1}{2}$  of one per cent commission on amount of bonds and stock inscribed for the sinking funds of the Guaranteed Loans from 1868 to 31st December, 1892, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.
2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay for services and disbursements in connection with the transfer of the financial agency in *London*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.
3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand one hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Civil Government, Department of the Secretary of State—To pay salary of *C. T. DeLanaudière*, as a second class clerk from 1st July, 1892, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.
4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for office of the Controller of the *North-west Mounted Police*—To provide for the statutory increase for three months to the salary of *R. S. Bishop*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.
5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand five hundred and forty dollars and thirty-two cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Trade and Commerce—To provide for the salary of the Deputy Minister from 1st January, 1893, \$1,600; To provide for the salary of 1 second class clerk from 1st January, 1893, \$550; To provide for the salary of 1 third class clerk (stenographer), \$300; To provide for the salary of 1 messenger, \$250; To provide for the salary of allowance to Private Secretary from 7th December, 1892, \$340.32; Contingencies, \$2,500; Provided, That in case of the transfer to this Department of any officers or clerks whose salaries have been provided for in the estimates of any other Department—whether inside or outside service—the amount so provided shall be available for the payment of the said salaries by this Department, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.
6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Justice—To pay statutory increase to *G. L. Foster* from 1st October, 1892, to 30th June, 1893, \$37.50; Allowance for Private Secretary to Solicitor General from 1st January to 30th June, 1893, at \$600 per annum. This sum may be paid to any member of the Civil Service, notwithstanding anything in the Civil Service Act to the contrary, \$300, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.
7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Inland Revenue Department—To provide for the payment of *Charles F. Winter*, Private Secretary to the Controller of Inland Revenue, from 15th December, 1892, to 30th June, 1893, the same being a revote of the balance of an appropriation for the same period to pay the Private Secretary to the Minister of Inland Revenue, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.
8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and fifty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Privy Council Office—To pay the following clerks their salaries from the 1st to the 31st January, 1893, notwithstanding anything in the Civil Service Act:—*D. Burke*, 31 days, at \$3 per day, \$93; *W. C. DeBrisay*, from 1st to 25th January, at \$2.50 per day, \$62.50; *F. Chadwick*, 31 days, at \$2.50 per day, \$77.50; *J. R. Fraser*, 31 days at \$2 per day, \$62; *W. Strachey*, 30 days at \$2 per day, \$60, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.
9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary*—To provide for the salary of a carriage-maker instructor, omitted from general Estimates, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.
10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and seventy-eight dollars and thirty-four cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *Dorchester Penitentiary*—To provide for the salary of a baker instructor from 11th November, 1892, to 30th June,

1893, at \$600 per annum, \$378.34 ; To compensate ex-Guard *Willard Hutchinson* for superintending construction of the fence around the penitentiary, \$200, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand six hundred and fourteen dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Legislation, House of Commons—To cover amount expended for French translation between the 9th July, 1892, and 25th January, 1893, \$2,600 ; To cover amount expended in completion of the Official Debates of session of 1892, \$15,000 ; To pay two extra clerks for session of 1893, at \$300 each, \$600 ; To provide additional amount required for sessional messengers for session of 1893, \$2,039.50 ; To pay for a leather trunk for each new Member elected since last session, \$375, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred and eighty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Library of Parliament, Contingencies—To provide for the payment of extra indemnity, granted by Order in Council of the 7th July last, to the following sessional messengers, for services during the session of 1892, viz. :—*Joseph Lafontaine*, \$90 ; *Thomas W. Hodgins*, \$90, \$180 ; To provide funds for the payment of the salaries (during one hundred days) of two extra sessional messengers for services during the session of 1893, at \$2.50 each per day, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for printing, binding and distribution of the Criminal Code, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for further amount required for printing Voters' Lists, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-four dollars and five cents be granted to Her Majesty, to reimburse Judge *Wilkinson*, Revising Officer for County of *Northumberland, N.B.*, for posting lists, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Mrs. *H. James* a gratuity of one month's salary for each year of her husband's service, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Railways and Canals—Chargeable to Capital, *Oxford* and *New Glasgow* Railway—To pay the Intercolonial Railway for unsettled freight accounts for transportation of construction materials for the *Oxford* and *New Glasgow* Branch, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Annapolis* and *Digby* Railway—construction, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards construction of *Wellington Street Bridge—Lachine Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and sixty-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Sault Ste. Marie Canal*—construction, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Rideau Canal*, to complete bridge at *Merrickville*, \$2,000 ; To complete repairs to dam at *Hog's Back*, and to build ice breakers, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand one hundred and sixteen dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Ste. Anne's Lock, &c.*—To repair old lock gates, \$4,000 ; To settle with contractor for strengthening old pier below lock, \$1,116, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards strengthening and staunching *Carillon Dam*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventeen thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Lachine Canal*—For rebuilding retaining walls at *St. Gabriel Basins*, Nos. 1 and 2, \$10,800; Repairs to north bank at *St. Gabriel locks*, \$7,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand seven hundred and twenty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Chambly Canal*, To complete purchase and installation of electric motor, and wire to run machinery in workshops, and purchase of belt, \$700; To take down and rebuild east chamber of Lock 5, \$1,500; To build coffer dam at Lock 9, lower entrance, for rebuilding lower sill and bottom of lock, \$1,000; Towards rebuilding lock walls, \$4,500; To pay legal expenses *in re The Queen vs. Black*, \$20, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to make final payments for completing Swing Bridge at *Bobcaygeon—Trent Valley Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for removing a shoal at mouth of *Chippewa River*—To pay balance due on final estimate—*Welland Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Cape Tormentine Harbour, N.B.*, to complete payments on contract, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

29. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. John Custom House, N.B.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

30. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Toronto Drill Hall*—The City of *Toronto* having provided a plot of land as agreed upon, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

31. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand three hundred and nine dollars and ninety-eight cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *North-west Territories*:—*Brandon Public Building*—Balance due Superintendent Architect, \$796.51; Lieutenant-Governor's Residence, *Regina*—To pay outstanding accounts for indispensable works performed, and furniture, fittings, &c., supplied to render the new residence ready for occupation, \$3,913.47; *Medicine Hat Immigration Building*—To provide Court House and Police accommodation, \$600, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

32. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Victoria Drill Hall*—Locality furnishing site free, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

33. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and forty-six thousand one hundred and forty dollars and twenty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Quarantine Stations—*Halifax, N.S., Lawlor's Island*—To provide for new hospital and additional accommodation, and to recoup appropriation, repairs, furniture, &c., \$27,500; *St. John, N.B., Partridge Island*—To provide for additional accommodation, and to recoup appropriation, repairs, furniture, &c., \$1,137.83; *Grosse Isle, P.Q.*—To complete equipment of station, \$50,656; *William's Head, B.C.*—To provide for new accommodation, \$62,000; Minor stations—To provide for additional accommodation, and to recoup appropriation, repairs, furniture, &c., \$1,846.42, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

34. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Repairs, furniture, &c.:—Additional amount required, \$35,000; For lighting Library of Parliament and Privy Council Office by electricity, \$5,600, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

35. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eleven thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Nova Scotia*:—*Halifax, Lawlor's Island*—Quarantine wharf, \$10,000; *West Chezzetcook*—To complete payments on contract, \$300; *Devil's Island Breakwater*—To complete payments on contract, \$350; *Sydney Quarantine Station, Keating Point*—Addition to wharf, \$1,200, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

36. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. John. N.B.*, Quarantine Station, *Partridge Island Wharf*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

37. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Ontario*:—*Rainy River Improvement of Long Sault Rapids*—To pay balance due, work being completed, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

38. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Quarantine Wharf, *William's Head, B.C.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

39. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nineteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for dredging:—*Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick*—Additional amount required, \$5,000; *Quebec and Ontario*—Additional amount required, \$14,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

40. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty—Additional amount required for new dredging plant, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

41. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand three hundred and eighty-three dollars and thirty-eight cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Bridge over *Belly River at Lethbridge, N.W.T.*—To pay balance due for work done in 1891-92, omitted in last year's Estimates, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

42. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for telegraphs, *North-west Territories*—*Prince Albert line*, between *Saskatoon and Batoche, St. Laurent and Prince Albert*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

43. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs to *Wascana dam, Regina*, on condition that what is required in addition to put the dam in a state of thorough repair be contributed by the other parties interested, and that hereafter it be taken over and maintained at the cost of the municipality—Additional amount required, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Bergeron* reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand seven hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Administration of Justice, Exchequer Court—To provide for salary of a third-class clerk from 1st January to 30th June, 1893, \$200; Additional sum required to meet contingencies occasioned by necessary publication of new Admiralty Rules and otherwise, \$1,500; To provide for the increase of the Registrar's salary by an increment of \$50 for this year, \$25, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and fifty-two dollars and fifty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay retiring allowance to Constable *Martin Murphy* (Dominion Police), for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Bergeron* reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dominion Steamers, to meet unforeseen expenses in connection with repairs for steamers "*Lansdowne*," "*Newfield*" and "*Quadra*," for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fisheries—Further amount required for the maintenance and repairs of Fishery Protection steamers and vessels, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and twenty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following persons for services

in compiling and forwarding daily reports in connection with Fisheries Intelligence Bureau during the season of 1892:—the following persons to be paid \$15 each, viz.: *J. P. Brennan, R. Benoit, C. P. LeLacheur, A. J. Clark, T. Aucoire, J. M. Viets, R. McLean, Charles Owen, E. A. Calder, J. C. Bourinot, J. Dunlop, George Stalker, P. O'Toole, Louis McKeen, M. A. Dunn, J. M. McNutt, George Rowlings, A. G. Hamilton, P. F. Fougère, E. D. Tremaine, J. N. Taylor, E. E. Letson, J. A. D'Entremont, R. L. Bolman, D. McAulay, D. Urquhart and David Murray*, \$405; *James A. Russell*, \$10; *T. C. Cooke*, \$5; *William Brymner*, \$2.50, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred and fifty-nine dollars and twenty-six cents be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the following items, viz.:—To pay *James W. Watson* for services as extra clerk from 1st July, 1892, to 18th September, at \$2 per diem, \$160; To pay *E. W. Gilbert* for services as extra clerk from 1st July, 1892, to 18th September, 1892, at \$1.50, \$120; To pay *Isaac Newton* for loss sustained in defending a suit brought against him by an American Company, \$379.26, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Expenses in connection with the *Behring Sea Arbitration*, \$15,000; To provide for expenses in connection with International Fisheries Commission, *United States and Canada*, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *J. Johnston* for services in connection with the preparation of the maps which accompanied the report of the Commissioner of the *North-west Mounted Police* for the year 1891, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Civil Service Act, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Government of the *North-west Territories*:—Amount required for the working expenses of well-boring machines, piping, &c., \$2,500; Further amount required to meet expenditure connected with Lieutenant Governor's office, \$3,700, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-two thousand nine hundred and twenty-one dollars and eighty-two cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Ontario and Quebec*;—Grant to assist the following overdrawn accounts under the authority of Order in Council of 29th September, 1892: *Indian Land Management Fund*; Province of *Quebec Indian Fund*; *Indian School Fund*, \$19,060; To provide for expenditure over and above amounts appropriated in previous years, and to close the following accounts to 30th June, 1892:—*Surveys*, \$19.09; *Relief of distress, Ontario*, \$14.83; *Purchase of blankets, Ontario and Quebec*, \$177.82; *Seed grain and relief, Quebec*, \$1,297.54; *Indian schools*, \$51.13—\$1,560.41; To provide for the payment to *W. A. Mott* of the amount of his account for legal services in connection with prosecutions for sale of liquor to Indians of *Restigouche, Quebec*, these Indians having no funds of their own, \$100; To pay moiety of the cost of erecting a bridge over the *Coulais River*, in the *Batchewana District*, \$2,261.41, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Railways and Canals:—*Lachine Canal*—To repair wharfs between locks Nos. 1 and 2, \$750; To repair lock gate valves and painting locks Nos. 2 and 3, \$1,450; For repairs and renewals of weir sluices and readjusting two stone piers in weirs at *St. Gabriel* and at *Lachine*, \$1,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide five electric lights at *Ottawa*, for *Rideau Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand three hundred and forty-six dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salaries of two electricians and one ferryman—*Beauharnois Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.



12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand six hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salaries and contingencies—*Chambly Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and sixteen dollars and sixty-six cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay a gratuity of two months' salary to the widow of the late *H. H. Killaly*, Engineer in charge of *Rapide Plat Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Bergeron* reported from the Committee of Supply, a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians—*Nova Scotia*—To provide an additional amount for medical attendance, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

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

Mr. *Bergeron* reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians—*Manitoba* and *North-west Territories*:—To complete hospital on Blood Reserve, \$600; Furniture, \$200, \$800; To complete the *Red Deer* Industrial School, and to provide barns, fences and outbuildings, \$6,000; To complete the additions to the *St. Paul* Industrial School, to provide heating apparatus and furniture, \$2,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians—*British Columbia*:—To provide a further sum to assist in the erection of buildings for the Indian Industrial School, under the auspices of the Methodist Church at *Chilliwack, B.C.*, \$2,500; To cover quarantine and other expenses incurred, to prevent an epidemic of small-pox during the summer of 1892, \$3,000.—Additional amounts required—Travelling expenses, \$1,000; Medicines, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

3. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards the expenses of the International Mining Convention, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards the expenses of determining the boundary line in *Passamaquoddy Bay*, between the southernmost point of *Prince of Wales Island* and the 141st meridian of west longitude, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

5. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Thirty-two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards the expenses of determining the boundary line between *Canada* and the *United States of America*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Messieurs *Drake, Jackson & Helmcken* for service of papers on one *Constant Durand*, performed at the request of the Belgian Consul-General, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand one hundred and two dollars and seventy-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *A. N. Montpetit* for translation of the Report of the Royal Commission of Enquiry into the Civil Service, reading and correcting proofs and preparing index of the same, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for gratuity to Mr. *Mowat*, who was seriously injured by the explosion of a barrel of varnish at *Campbellton Station*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fire at *St. John's, Newfoundland*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay further amount required for Prohibition Commission, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand and twenty-two dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay for portrait of Lord *Lansdowne*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to cover claims of the Imperial Government for relief to distressed Canadians, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand five hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Excise—Contingencies, further amount required, \$2,000; Commission to Customs officers, further amount required, \$500; To pay *John Cochrane*, Customs officer, Intercolonial Railway freight depot, *St. John, N.B.*, for services for this Department, 1st January to 30th June, 1893, \$75, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to increase the salary of *M. Kelly*, Assistant Inspector of Weights and Measures for *Quebec* Division, from 1st January to 30th June, 1893, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay a gratuity equal to two months' salary to the widow of the late *F. N. Gisborne*, Superintendent of Telegraphs, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required for completion of bridge on Ordnance lands at *Grand Falls, N.B.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and sixty-six dollars and sixty-seven cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Post Office—Amount required to increase the salary of *W. W. McLeod*, Inspector of the *Manitoba* Postal Division, from \$2,200 to \$2,400, he having completed ten years' service as Inspector on the 1st March, 1892, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dominion Lands Chargeable to Capital—Further amount required for surveys, examination of survey returns, printing of plans, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Militia expenses—Rebellion, *N.W.T.*, 1885, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty-eight thousand two hundred and forty-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Unprovided Items, 1891-92—Amount required to cover Unprovided Items as per Auditor-General's Report, pages A 20 and 21, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Bergeron* 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, for *Cape Tormentine Harbour, New Brunswick*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Ship Channel between *Quebec* and *Montreal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Turning basin, &c., *Kaministiquia River, Ontario*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *New Brunswick*, as follow:—*Chatham* Post

Office, Custom House, &c., \$15,000; *St. John* Custom House, &c., \$75,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for renewals and heavy repairs of Dominion Public Buildings—Maritime Provinces generally, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, as follow:—*Quebec*—*St. Henri* Post Office, &c.—To complete, \$13,000; *St. Hyacinthe* Post Office, Custom House, &c.—To complete, \$2,250; *St. Vincent de Paul* Penitentiary, \$32,000; *Richmond* Post Office, Customs and Inland Revenue Offices, \$4,000; *West Farnham* Post Office, Customs and Inland Revenue Offices—To complete, \$5,000; *Quebec* Post Office—New wing, \$10,000; *Montreal* Post Office—Alterations and improvements, \$12,000; Dominion Public Buildings—Renewals and heavy repairs, \$12,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty-two thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Ontario*:—*Orillia* Public Building—The Town contributing the *Wheeler* lot free of cost—To complete, \$1,600; *Port Arthur* Post Office, Custom House, &c.—To complete, \$4,600; *Toronto* Drill Hall—The City of *Toronto* having provided a plot of land as agreed upon—To complete, \$90,000; *Smith's Falls* Post Office, Custom House, &c., \$18,500; *Picton* Post Office, Custom House, &c.—To complete, \$11,000; *Kingston* Royal Military College—Model shed, \$1,500; Dominion Public Buildings—Renewals and heavy repairs, \$25,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Manitoba*:—*Winnipeg* Military Buildings, \$20,000; Dominion Public Buildings generally—Renewals and heavy repairs, \$6,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-four thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *North-west Territories*:—*Edmonton* Registry Office and Crown Lands and Timber Agents' Office—To complete, \$1,200; *Prince Albert* Crown Lands and Timber Agents' Offices—To complete, \$2,000; *Regina* Court House, Land Office and Registry Office, \$20,000; *Lethbridge* Custom House and Court House, site being furnished, \$7,000; *Calgary* Post Office, Custom House and Inland Revenue, Dominion Lands and Crown Timber Offices, \$25,000; Court House and Lock-up and police accommodation, \$7,500; *North-west* Mounted Police Buildings, \$20,000; Dominion Public Buildings—Renewals and heavy repairs, \$1,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-three thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *British Columbia*:—*Vancouver* Post Office, Custom House, &c.—To complete, \$13,000; *Victoria* Drill Hall—Locality furnishing site free of cost—To complete, \$5,500; *Victoria* Military Buildings, including *Macaulay Point* Battery—To complete, \$9,750; Dominion Public Buildings—Renewals and heavy repairs, \$5,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Experimental Farms, as follows, viz.:—Improvements, renewals, repairs, &c., in connection with buildings, fences, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Bergeron* reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand six hundred and fifty-two dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Arts, Agriculture and Statistics:—Further amount required for census and statistics, \$2,652; For advances to be made from time to time on dairy products at Experimental stations—to be refunded from sales of such products, \$6,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-seven thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Militia:—Ammunition and cartridge factory at *Quebec*, \$30,000; Military stores, \$30,000; Annual drill and training of the Militia, \$4,000; Contingencies—Gratuity to Lt.-Col. *W. N. Alger*, late district paymaster, Military District No. 2, at *Toronto*, on retirement, 31st October, 1892, 2 years' pay, \$1,200; Compensation claims—Accidents and injuries at Militia drill, \$1,500; To complete rifle range at *Sussex, N.B.*, \$400, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and seventy-six dollars and twenty-one cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Customs Department—To provide for amount omitted in main Estimates to cover statutory increase to *W. H. Grafton*, \$37.50; To provide for the payment of *J. R. K. Bristol*, Private Secretary to the Controller of Customs, from 8th December, 1892, to 30th June, 1893, the same being a revote of the balance of an appropriation for the same period to pay the Private Secretary to the Minister of Customs, \$338.71, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

4. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet further amount required for contingencies, Auditor General's office, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand one hundred and eighty-five dollars and twenty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Agriculture—To pay the following clerks their salaries from the 1st to the 31st January, 1893, notwithstanding anything in the Civil Service Act:—*John Thomson*, \$50; *R. E. Armstrong*, \$38.75; *T. H. Morgan*, \$50; *T. B. Bassett*, \$46.50; Amount required in consequence of the transfer of the salaries of several clerks from specific Votes to Contingencies, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay further amount required for printing, printing paper and binding, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and forty-five dollars and thirty-one cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the Intercolonial Railway freight charges on seed barley, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirteen thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for completion of Census, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Quarantine Service and Public Health—Additional amount required for maintenance, inspection, &c., including \$6,200 to recoup unforeseen expenses, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Cattle Quarantines—Additional amount required, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

11. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Two thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to settle claims for rags imported, which were burnt or damaged by exposure from detention at the *Grosse Isle* Quarantine, as a precaution against Asiatic Cholera, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the widow of the late *George Henry*, Quarantine steward, *Charlottetown*, a gratuity equal to two months' pay of her late husband, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for payment of Annual Drill, to be performed in Camps of instruction in the month of June, anterior to the period when the grant for the financial year 1893-94 will be available, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand six hundred and ninety-three dollars and twenty-two cents be granted to Her Majesty, for care of Military Properties—To pay claim of the City of *Ottawa*, Taxes from 1880 to 1892, inclusive, on the unused land, Rifle Range at *Ottawa*, leased by Government, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and seventy-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs to Military Properties, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards repairing a leak which has recently developed in the north bank at *St. Gabriel Locks, Lachine Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand five hundred and thirty-three dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the following items in connection with Railways, viz.:—Miscellaneous—To pay *Marcus Smith, C.E.*, a gratuity equal to six months' salary, and gratuities equal to two months' salary to Extra Clerks on leaving the service, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixteen thousand nine hundred and seventy dollars and fifty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Customs, viz.:—Miscellaneous—To reimburse Department of Marine and Fisheries amount expended for pay of crew, fuel, provisions and running expenses of Government cruiser "*Constance*," from 1st April to 31st December, 1892, \$10,112.43; Amount required to pay damages, as found by judgment and taxed costs, in the case of *Allan vs. Attwood, re seizure of the ship "Bridgewater,"* \$6,558.12; To pay *T. J. Galbraith*, landing waiter in Her Majesty's Customs at *Dunnville, Ontario*, in addition to his salary, for services as acting Sub-Collector, from 1st March, 1892, to 28th February, 1893, \$300, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and eighty-four dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Militia expenses—Rebellion in *North-west Territories*, 1885, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Bergeron* reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety thousand five hundred and eighty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Nova Scotia*:—*L'Ardoise*—Breakwater, \$2,500; *French River*—Repairs to pier, \$700; *West Chezzetcook*, \$4,400; *Digby*—Pier, \$19,000; *Mabou*—Repairs to pier—To complete, \$2,500; *Broad Cove Marsh*—Repairs to pier—To complete, \$300; *Nyanza*—Wharf, \$1,800; *Pictou Island* wharves, \$1,500; *Bayfield* new wharf, \$19,000; *Bayfield* breakwater—Repairs, \$5,000; *Boularderie Island*—Wharf on south side, \$1,600; *Cape Sable Island*—Breakwater on its southern side, \$1,400; *D'Escousse* wharf, \$4,280; *Babbins Cove*, \$1,000; *Ingonish* (south) pier—To complete, \$2,000; *Fox Island*—Beach protection, \$600; *Meteghan Cove*—Repairs to pier, \$2,700; *Maitland*—Repairs to wharf, \$600; *Blue Rock* breakwater—Repairs, \$1,000; *McNair's Cove* pier—Heavy repairs, dredging, &c., \$3,700; *Yarmouth Harbour*, \$8,000; *Grand Etang*, \$5,000; *Mabou Coal Mines*—Wharf at *Coal Mine Point*; the residents contributing in labour to the amount of \$2,000, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Prince Edward Island*:—Repairs to pier and breakwaters, \$6,000; *Miminigash*, \$1,000; *Port Selkirk* pier—Repairs, \$800; *St. Peter's Bay*—Repairs to breakwater at inner end, \$1,000; *Bay Fortune Harbour*, \$1,000; *Nine Mile Creek*—Repairs to pier, \$800, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *New Brunswick*:—*Lower Neguac*—Wharf, \$4,000; *Shippagan* breakwater—Repairs, &c., \$2,500; *Negro Point* breakwater, *St. John* harbour, \$5,000; *Tracadie*—Wharf, \$2,500; *River St. John*, including tributaries, \$10,000; *Shediac* harbour—New breakwater for protection of Intercolonial Railway wharf at *Point du Chêne*, \$30,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for general repairs and improvements to Harbour and River works—Maritime Provinces generally, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-five thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Quebec*—*Anse à l'Eau* or *Tadousac* pier, \$2,500; *Rimouski* pier—Repairs, \$2,000; *Cacouna* pier, \$1,000; *Etang du Nord*—Repairs, \$1,500; *Isle Verte* pier, \$1,000; *Murray Bay*—Renewals and repairs, \$5,700; *Lake Megantic* piers—Repairs, \$300; *Laprairie*—Works in connection with ice piers, \$2,500; *River Ottawa*—Improvement of channel at *Mille Iles*, \$1,000; *River St. Maurice*—Improvement of channel between *Grandes Piles* and *La Tuque*, \$3,500; *Ile aux Coudres*—Repairs to pier, \$1,200; *Roberval* pier, *Lake St. John*, \$5,000; *Les Eboulements*—Repairs to wharf, \$1,000; *Baie St. Paul*—Extension of wharf at *Cap aux Corbeaux*, \$9,000; *Matane*—Extension of wharf, to complete, \$700; *Chicoutimi* wharf—Repairs, \$2,000; *St. Michel de Bellechasse*—Repairs to pier, \$500; *St. Laurent*, *Island of Orleans*—Renewals, \$600; *Longueuil* pier—Enlargement and repairs—To complete, \$3,000; *Yamachiche* pier, \$1,500; General repairs and improvements to harbour and river works and bridges, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and forty-one thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Ontario* :—*Kingston* harbour, *Lake Ontario*, \$8,000; *Port Hope*—Repairs to pier, \$2,500; *River Ottawa*—Improvements of steam-boat channel through *Narrows* at *Petawawa*, above *Pembroke*, \$1,000; *Southampton*—Repairs to breakwaters, \$1,000; *Meaford* harbour works—The Town having contributed \$3,000, \$1,900; *Thornbury*, \$3,900; *Hamilton* harbour—Dredging, \$1,000; *Trenton* harbour—Dredging; locality providing \$2,600, \$3,000; *Toronto* harbour—Works at eastern and western entrance, &c., the City of *Toronto* having contributed \$100,000, \$75,000; *Port Albert*—Dredging, \$13,000; *Goderich* harbour—Extension of piers, \$15,000; *Port Rowan*—Wharf, \$4,000; *Midland* harbour—Dredging, \$2,500; *Port Arthur*—Dredging, \$5,000; General repairs and improvements to harbour and river works, also to bridges, \$5,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for general repairs and improvements to harbour and river works and to bridges, *Manitoba*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for general repairs and improvements to harbour and river works and to bridges, *North-west Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty-three thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *British Columbia* :—*Victoria Harbour*—Dredging in inner harbour, \$10,000; *Victoria Harbour*—Dredging in outer harbour, \$12,000; *Fraser River*—Improvement of channel at mouth, \$30,000; *Columbia River*—Improvements above *Golden*, \$4,500; *Columbia River*—Improvements between *Revelstoke* and *Arrow Lakes*, \$1,500; *Skeena River*, \$3,000; *Fraser River*—Protection works at *Garry Bush*, \$12,000; *Fraser River*—Improvement of navigable channel, and protection of south bank of river at *Miller's Landing* and *Sumas*, \$7,500; General repairs and improvements to harbour and river works, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers generally, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and ninety-six thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dredging, as follow :—New dredging plant, \$50,800; Dredge vessels—Repairs, \$30,000; Dredging—*Nova Scotia*, *Prince Edward Island* and *New Brunswick*, \$40,000; *Quebec* and *Ontario*, \$40,000; *Manitoba*, \$15,000; *British Columbia*, \$15,000; General service, \$6,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Slides and Booms, as follow, viz. :—Slides and booms, \$5,000; *Ottawa District*—*River Petawawa*, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Roads and Bridges, as follow :—Bridges, *Ottawa City*, over the *Ottawa River*, the Slides, the *Rideau Canal* and approaches thereto, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Telegraph Lines—Land and cable telegraph lines for the seacoasts and islands of the Lower River and Gulf of *St. Lawrence* and the Maritime Provinces—Land line on north shore of *St. Lawrence*—To improve roadway, repair line and increase operating facilities of same between *Pointe des Monts* and *Pointe aux Esquimaux*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and forty thousand four hundred and thirty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Miscellaneous items, as follow:—Surveys and Inspections, \$15,700; National Art Gallery, \$1,000; To provide for salaries of Engineers, Draughtsmen and Clerks, Chief Engineer's Office, \$54,000; To provide for salaries of Architects, Draughtsmen and Clerks, Chief Architect's Office, \$28,500; To provide for salaries of Staff, Telegraph service, \$2,230; To provide for temporary clerical and other assistance, inclusive of all services of all persons required who were first employed after 1st July, 1882, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Civil Service Act, \$30,000; Monument to the late Sir *John A. Macdonald*, \$9,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and seventy-eight thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Works:—Collection of slide and boom dues, \$4,000; Repairs and working expenses, harbours, docks and slides, \$105,900; To provide for paying the "Upper *Ottawa* Improvement Company" the authorized allowance for management, &c., in connection with logs passed through the *Chenaux* boom, *Ottawa* River, during fiscal year 1893-94, \$1,600; Telegraph lines between *Prince Edward Island* and the mainland, \$2,000; Land and cable telegraph lines of the seacoasts and islands of the lower rivers and Gulf of *St. Lawrence* and Maritime Provinces, including cost of working steamer "*Newfield*," or other vessels when required for cable service, \$28,000; Telegraph lines, *North-west Territories*, \$22,000; Telegraph lines, *British Columbia*, \$10,000; Telegraph and signal service generally, \$2,700; Public Works agency, *British Columbia*, \$2,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and sixty thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Repairs, Furniture, Heating, &c.:—Repairs, *Ottawa* Buildings—Furniture, &c., \$110,000; Rents—Dominion Public Buildings, \$12,500; *Rideau* Hall, \$15,000; Furniture for outside buildings, \$5,000; Grounds, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$6,000; Removal of snow, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$2,500; Heating Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, including salaries of engineers, firemen and elevator attendants, \$66,000; Gas and electric light, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, including roads and bridges, \$26,500; Water, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$16,500; Allowance for fuel and light, *Rideau* Hall, \$8,000; Telephone service, Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$3,500; *Major's Hill Park*, *Ottawa*, \$4,000; salaries of engineers, firemen, caretakers, &c., of Dominion Public Buildings, \$66,000; Heating, Dominion Public Buildings, fuel, &c., \$50,000; Lighting, Dominion Public Buildings, \$38,500; Water for Dominion Public Buildings, \$15,500; Sundry supplies for caretakers, engineers, firemen, &c., Dominion Buildings, \$5,000; Dominion Immigration Buildings, repairs, furniture, &c., \$3,000; Materials for repairs, &c., in connection with ventilation and lighting Public Buildings, *Ottawa*, \$4,000; Quarantine buildings, repairs and maintenance, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, as follow, viz.:—*Nova Scotia*—*Dartmouth* Post office, to complete, \$5,000; *Halifax* Drill Hall, including purchase of site, \$65,000; *Lunenburg* Post office, Custom House, &c., to complete, \$15,000; *Pictou* Post office, to complete, \$14,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Bergeron* reported from the Committee of Supply, a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty-two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with

Canadian *Pacific* Railway, viz.:—Construction, \$2,000; To pay the award of arbitrators, and balance of expenses of arbitration, and the expense of engineer and staff on expenditure, \$150,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

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

Mr. *Bergeron* reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and ninety-seven thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items in connection with Intercolonial Railway, viz.:—Increased accommodation at *Halifax*, \$150,000; Rolling stock, \$20,000; Construction, original, \$2,000; *St. Charles* Branch, \$17,000; *Indiantown* Branch, \$5,500; Increased accommodation at *Moncton*—machinery, \$2,700, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards construction of *Oxford* and *New Glasgow* Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One million dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Soulanges* Canal, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and thirty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Cornwall* Canal, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Rapide Plat* Canal, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Galops* Canal, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. Lawrence* River and Canals, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirteen thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the following purposes, viz.:—*Welland* Canal, \$10,000; *Welland* Canal Land damages, *Grand* River, \$3,700, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Murray* Canal, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Trent* Canal, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. Peter's* Canal, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One million nine hundred and six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Sault Ste. Marie* Canal, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Lachine* Canal, as follow:—Building pier above lock No. 4, *Côte St. Paul*, \$13,500; Rebuilding wharves, &c., \$6,000; Rebuilding spare gates for new locks Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, \$6,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

14. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Fourteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Welland* Canal, as follow:—Overhauling the superstructure of the piers at *Port Dalhousie* and removal of shoal, also, construction of piers for bridge at *Thorold*, \$10,000; To repair about 500 feet of the canal bank damaged by a slide on the 24th August, 1891, \$4,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

15. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Shambly* Canal, as follow:—Building fence along canal from *Langelier's* bridge to *Sheridan's* house, fronting *Main* Street, in Town of *St. John's*, \$1,000; Gravel on tow-path from mile  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 6 to complete, \$4,200; Rebuilding bridge seats of bridges Nos. 4 and 6, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.



16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. Anne's Lock*, as follow :—Repairing south channel piers, \$2,500 ; To provide one set of stop-logs and shed for same, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Carillon* and *Grenville Canals*, as follow :—Towards strengthening and repairing portion of *Carillon Dam*, \$10,000 ; To pay land and damages, and services of valuers, \$1,000 ; Rebuilding bulkheads in old locks at new locks Nos. 5 and 6, *Grenville Canal*, \$900 ; Renewing face of pier alongside lock No. 2, *Carillon Canal*, \$900, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Trent Valley Canal*, viz. :—*Bobcaygeon*, glance booms and piers, upper entrance to canal, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Beauharnois Canal*, as follow :—Building new swing bridge, lock No. 12, \$1,000 ; To provide a small electric plant for operating lock gates, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards reconstructing whole of west wall, *St. Peter's Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards settlement of claims and removal of obstructions—*Culbute Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-seven thousand six hundred and eighty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Railways and Canals, as follow :—Miscellaneous—Miscellaneous works not provided for, \$5,000 ; Arbitrations and awards, \$4,000 ; Surveys and inspections—Canals, \$3,000 ; Surveys and inspections—Railways, \$5,000 ; Railway statistics, \$1,000 ; To provide for salaries of extra clerks and copyists, \$2,000 ; To provide for salaries of engineers, draughtsmen and extra clerks, \$17,080, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three millions two hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Intercolonial Railway*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Windsor Branch Railway*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Prince Edward Island Railway*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred and twenty-two thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs and working expenses—Canals, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Salaries and Contingencies of Canal officers, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for 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 of the Government of *Canada* from midnight on Saturdays to midnight on Sundays, notwithstanding anything in the Civil Service Act to the contrary, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Bergeron* reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions ; which were read, as follow :—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies—Post Office Department, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Experimental Farms—Maintenance, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.
3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dairying interests of *Canada*, in affiliation with Experimental Farms, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.
4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the purchase of a new Steamer, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.
5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-two thousand four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for maintenance and repairs of Government Steamers, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.
6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for the examination of Masters and Mates, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.
7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay rewards for saving life and life-boat service, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.
8. *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 of shipping, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.
9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Canadian registration of shipping, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.
10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Tidal Observations, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.
11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for removal of obstructions in navigable rivers, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.
12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Winter Mail Service, *Prince Edward Island*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.
13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay Salaries and Allowances, &c., of Lighthouse Keepers, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.
14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventeen thousand five hundred and ten dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Agencies, rents and contingencies (Lighthouse and Coast Service), for the year ending 30th June, 1894.
15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and sixty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for maintenance and repairs to Lights, Fog-whistles, Buoys and Beacons and Humane Establishments, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.
16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for completion and construction of Lighthouses and Fog-alarms, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.
17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Signal Service, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.
18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for repairs to Wharves, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.
19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following sums, viz.:—Observatory, *Toronto*, \$5,250; Observatory, *Kingston*, \$500; Observatory, *Montreal*, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.
20. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-two thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Meteorological Service, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.
21. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nineteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Hydrographic Surveys, including *Georgian Bay Survey*, re-survey of Island of *Anticosti*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Marine Hospitals, as follow :—*St. Catharines* Hospital, \$500; *Kingston* Hospital, \$500; Marine Hospitals in the Provinces of *Quebec*, *New Brunswick*, *Nova Scotia*, *Prince Edward Island* and *British Columbia*, \$30,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

23. *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, 1894.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for expenses of Steam-boat Inspection, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

25. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fisheries, as follow, viz.:—Salaries and disbursements of Fishery Officers, &c.—*Ontario*—Salaries, Inspectors and Overseers, \$12,000; Disbursements, Inspectors and Overseers, \$6,000; Wages and expenses of Special Guardians, \$3,000; Miscellaneous, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fisheries, as follow, viz.:—*Quebec*—Salaries, Inspectors and Overseers, \$10,000; Disbursements, Inspectors and Overseers, \$4,000; Wages and expenses of Special Guardians, \$1,500; Miscellaneous, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fisheries, as follow, viz.:—*New Brunswick*—Salaries, Inspectors and Overseers, \$9,000; Disbursements, Inspectors and Overseers, \$5,000; Wages and expenses of Special Guardians, \$6,000; Miscellaneous, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fisheries, as follow, viz.:—*Nova Scotia*—Salaries, Inspectors and Overseers, \$13,000; Disbursements, Inspectors, Overseers and Wardens, \$6,000; Wages and expenses of Special Guardians, \$2,500; Miscellaneous, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

29. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fisheries, as follow, viz.:—*Prince Edward Island*—Salaries, Inspectors and Overseers, \$3,000; Disbursements, Inspectors and Overseers, \$700; Wages and expenses of Special Guardians, \$1,000; Miscellaneous, \$200, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

30. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fisheries, as follow, viz.:—*Manitoba*—Salaries, Inspectors and Overseers, \$2,000; Disbursements, Inspectors and Overseers, \$1,000; Wages and expenses of Special Guardians, \$1,000; Miscellaneous, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

31. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fisheries, as follow, viz.:—*North-west Territories*—Salaries, Inspectors and Overseers, \$1,500; Disbursements, Inspectors and Overseers, \$1,000; Wages and expenses of Special Guardians, \$1,000; Miscellaneous, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

32. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fisheries, as follow, viz.:—*British Columbia*—Salaries, Inspectors and Overseers, \$3,000; Disbursements, Inspectors and Overseers, \$2,000; Wages and expenses of Special Guardians, \$3,500; Miscellaneous, \$1,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

33. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fish breeding:—Building and maintenance of Fish-breeding Establishments and Lobster Hatcheries, including salary of Mr. *Prince*, \$48,000; Fish Hatchery for *Manitoba* and *North-west Territories*, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

34. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fishery Protection Vessels :—To provide for the cost, maintenance and repairs of Fishery Protection Steamers and Vessels, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

35. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet expenses in connection with Superintendence of Insurance, including \$800 salary of *R. Henderson*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

36. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet amount required for Geological Survey and Museum, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Bergeron* reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow :—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dominion Cartridge Factory, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-three thousand one hundred and seventy dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Miscellaneous items, as follow :—Building Fish-ways and clearing rivers, \$5,000; To provide for legal and incidental expenses, \$2,000; Canadian Fishery Exhibit, \$1,000; 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, \$5,000; Oyster Beds and Oyster Culture, including salary and travelling expenses of the Superintendent of Oyster Culture, \$7,500; To provide for the payment to Collectors of Customs for services in connection with the issuing of *modus vivendi* licenses, during the season of 1891, \$670.50; Expenses in connection with *Behring* Sea matters, \$10,000; To provide for expenses—International Fisheries Commission, *United States* and *Canada*, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-seven thousand nine hundred and fifty-six dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Ontario* and *Quebec* :—Relief of distress and seed grain, Province of *Quebec*, \$4,500; Relief of distress and medical attendance, *Ontario*, \$800; Blankets for Indians, *Ontario* and *Quebec*, \$1,600; Schools, *Ontario*, *Quebec* and the Maritime Provinces, \$27,450; Salaries, Chiefs *Decaire* and *McGregor*, \$100; Removal of Lake of *Two Mountains* Indians, \$1,000; Payment of *Robinson* Treaty annuities, \$16,806; Survey of Indian Reserves, \$500; To provide for the following overdrawn accounts :—Indian Land Management Fund, Province of *Quebec* Indian Fund, Indian School Fund, \$15,200, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand seven hundred and twenty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Nova Scotia* :—Salaries, \$1,200; Relief and seed grain, \$3,045; Medical attendance and medicines, \$1,400; Miscellaneous, \$75, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

5. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *New Brunswick* :—Salaries, \$1,705; Medical attendance and medicines, \$1,295; Relief and seed grain, \$2,700; Miscellaneous, \$300, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

6. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Prince Edward Island* :—Salaries and travelling expenses, \$300; Relief and seed grain, \$1,125; Medical attendance and medicines, \$350; Office and miscellaneous, \$75, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and seventy-seven thousand two hundred and seventy-one dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *Manitoba* and the *North-west Territories* :—Annuities, \$130,460; Implements and tools, \$12,143; Seed grain, \$1,700; Live stock, \$12,951; Supplies for destitute Indians, \$218,200; Triennial clothing, \$3,040; Day, boarding and industrial schools, \$210,600; Surveys, \$4,000; Farm wages, \$24,000; Supplies for farmers, \$11,667;

Sioux, \$5,393; Agency and farm buildings, \$10,897; General expenses, \$129,066; Grist and saw mills, \$3,154, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-four thousand two hundred and eighty-two dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians, *British Columbia*:—Salaries, \$19,720; Relief of distress, \$3,000; Seed grain, implements and tools, \$1,200; Medical attendance and medicines, \$5,000; Day schools, \$8,300; Industrial and boarding schools, \$29,890; Travelling expenses, \$4,500; Office and miscellaneous, \$3,000; Steamer "*Vigilant*," \$2,000; Surveys, \$9,672; Reserve commission, \$8,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

9. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *North-west Mounted Police*:—Pay of Force, \$300,000; Subsistence, \$75,000; Forage, \$70,000; Fuel and light, \$35,000; Clothing, \$45,000; Repairs, renewals, replacement of horses, arms and ammunition, \$40,000; Medicines, medical comforts and hospital expenses, \$3,000; Books, stationery and printed forms, \$4,000; Scouts, guides, billeting charges, travelling allowances, transport of men and horses, \$45,000; Contingencies, \$8,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

10. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and fifty-seven thousand six hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Government of the *North-west Territories*:—Expenditure connected with Lieut.-Governor's office, \$8,650; Schools in unorganized districts, \$5,000; Incidental justice, &c., \$7,040; Addition to salary of Clerk of Legislative Assembly, \$400; Legal adviser, \$1,200; Registrars, \$18,160; Insane patients, *Manitoba*, \$18,000; Schools, clerical assistance, printing, &c., \$199,200, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

11. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Canada Gazette*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

12. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Miscellaneous Printing, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

13. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for expenses in connection with distribution of Parliamentary documents, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

14. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty 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, 1894.

15. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for commutation in lieu of remission of duties on articles imported for the use of the Army and Navy, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the expenses of the government of the District of *Keewatin*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for maintenance of *Keewatin* and other lunatics chargeable to *Keewatin*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One 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, 1894.

19. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to compensate members of the *North-west Mounted Police* for injuries received in the discharge of duty, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

20. *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, 1894.

21. *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 57 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 the returning officers and others, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

22. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet payments to Extra Clerks, for services rendered in preparation of Returns ordered by Parliament, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

23. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven 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, 1894.

24. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Academy of Arts, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

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, 1894.

26. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for further amount required for plant for Printing Bureau, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

27. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet cost of arbitration respecting the accounts between the Dominion of *Canada* and the Provinces of *Ontario* and *Quebec*, (payments on account of services rendered may be made to members of the Civil Service, notwithstanding anything in the Civil Service Act), for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

28. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to provide for Survey of bed of Straits of *Northumberland*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

29. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine hundred and eight thousand five hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Customs—Salaries and contingent expenses of the several ports—In the Province of *Nova Scotia*, \$115,720; In the Province of *New Brunswick*, \$90,260; In the Province of *Prince Edward Island*, \$19,475; In the Province of *Quebec* \$210,345; In the Province of *Ontario*, \$303,080; In the Province of *Manitoba*, \$33,300; In the Province of *North-west Territories*, \$5,200; In the Province of *British Columbia*, \$59,495; Provinces generally—To cover any unforeseen charges 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, \$20,350; Board of Customs and outside detective service—To meet expenditure in connection therewith, including \$400, salary of Commissioner of Customs as Chairman of the Board, \$26,150; Customs laboratory—To meet expenditure in connection with the testing of sugars, &c., including pay of officers appointed or employed for that purpose, \$5,150; Miscellaneous—Contingencies of Head Office—Covering newspapers, advertising, telegraphing, locks, instruments, &c., for the several ports of entry, \$15,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

30. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and eighty thousand six hundred and forty-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Excise:—Salaries of Officers and Inspectors of Excise, and to provide for increases depending upon the result of Excise examinations, \$305,232.50; To provide for extension of Inland Revenue supervision in the *North-west Territories*, \$1,000; To provide for extra duty-pay of officers at large distilleries and other factories, \$6,000; To provide for duty-pay to officers serving long hours at other than special surveys, \$1,000; Preventive service, \$15,800; Travelling expenses, rent, fuel, stationery, &c., do. for the *North-west*, \$47,500; Stamps for imported and *Canadian* tobacco, \$20,000; To pay Collectors of Customs allowance on duties collected by them, \$4,500; Commission to sellers of stamps for *Canada* twist tobacco, \$100; To enable the Department to supply methylated spirits to manufactories, the cost of which will be recouped by manufacturers to whom they are supplied:—Rent, \$400; Heating, \$500; Light and power, \$200; Salaries, \$2,900; Stationery, \$15; Sundries, \$500; Purchase of alcohol and wood naphtha, \$75,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

31. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Culling Timber:—*Montreal*—Deputy Supervisor, \$900; *Quebec*—Salaries, \$6,750; *Three Rivers*—Deputy Supervisor, \$300; *Three Rivers*—Clerk, \$500; Contingencies, \$6,000; Pay of Cullers, \$8,300; Superannuated Cullers, \$7,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

32. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ninety-five thousand four hundred and fifty dollars, be granted to Her Majesty, for Weights and Measures and Gas:—Salaries of Officers, Inspectors and Assistant Inspectors of Weights and Measures, including extension of the service in the *North-west* or elsewhere, \$57,150; Salaries of Inspectors of Gas, \$14,350; Rent, fuel, travelling expenses, postage, stationery, &c., for Weights and Measures, \$15,950; Rent, fuel, travelling expenses, postage, stationery, &c., for Gas, \$8,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

33. *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 Inspection of Staples Act, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

34. *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, 1894.

35. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Inland Revenue—Collection of Minor Revenues, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

36. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand three hundred and five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Ordnance Lands—Collection of Minor Revenues, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

37. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three million four hundred and thirty-eight thousand three hundred and eighty-two dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Post Office—Mail service, \$2,046,842; Salaries and allowances, \$1,185,420; Miscellaneous, \$206,120, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

38. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fourteen thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Trade and Commerce:—To provide for the administration of the Chinese Immigration Act, including remuneration to Trade and Commerce and Customs Officers, \$3,500; To meet proportion of expenditure in connection with the International Customs Bureau at *Brussels*, \$600; Commercial agencies, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

39. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication with the *Magdalen* Islands, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

40. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *Grand Manan, N.B.*, and the mainland, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

41. *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 *London, Great Britain*, 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, 1894.

42. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Subsidy to a Steamer to run between *Campbellton* and *Gaspé*, and intermediate ports, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

43. *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, 1894.

44. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *Prince Edward Island* and the mainland, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

45. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *St. John* and ports in the *Basin of Minas*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

46. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *Canso*, *Arichat* and *Port Hood* 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, 1894.

47. *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, 1894.

48. *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, 1894.

49. *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 year ending 30th June, 1894.

50. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and three 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, 1894.

51. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam communication between *Halifax* and *St. John*, via *Yarmouth*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

52. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Bras d'Or* Steamship communication between *Baddeck*, *Grand Narrows* and *Iona*, daily, *St. Peter's* and *Port Mulgrave*, daily, *Irish Cove*, *East Bay* and *Grand Narrows*, twice a week, and *St. Peter's*, *Irish Cove* and *Grand Narrows*, twice a week, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

53. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steamship service between *Pictou*, *Murray Harbour*, *Georgetown* and *Montague Bridge*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

54. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steamship service between *Nanaimo* and *Victoria*, tri-weekly, and between *Comox* and *Valdez Island*, twice per week, stopping at intermediate stations, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

55. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet cost of litigated matters (Justice), for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

56. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and thirty-seven thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight dollars and twenty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Dominion Lands, chargeable to Income:—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; Homestead Inspectors' Salaries, \$8,400; Dominion Lands Agents' Salaries, \$20,400; Dominion Lands Agent, *New Westminster*, \$1,500; Crown Timber Agent, *New Westminster*, \$1,800; Salaries of Clerks in Outside Service, Forest Rangers and Intelligence officers, \$43,726.25; Travelling expenses of Inspector of Agencies, Homestead Inspectors and Superintendent of Mines, Contingencies of Superintendent of Mines, Land Board, Dominion Lands and Crown Timber Agents and at Head Office, Removal expenses, &c., stationery and printing and Half-breed Claims Commission expenses, \$40,180; 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 services of members of the Board who are also members of the Civil Service), \$1,000; Stationery, Rent of rooms and contingent expenditure of Board of Examiners of Dominion



Land Surveyors, \$200; To pay Salaries of Extra Clerks at Head Office, *Ottawa*, advertising, copying, &c., \$6,000; To provide for the salary of one Carpenter, \$732, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

57. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Dominion Lands, chargeable to Capital: To provide for the amount required for Surveys, Examination of Survey returns, printing of plans, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

58. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay salaries of Immigration Agents and employees in *Canada*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

59. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies, Canadian Immigration Agencies, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

60. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Nine thousand three hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Salaries of Immigration Agents and employees in *Great Britain and Ireland*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

61. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand one hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Contingencies of Immigration Agencies in *Great Britain and Ireland*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

62. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Women's Protective Immigration Society, *Montreal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

63. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Immigration expenses, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

64. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for cost of litigation, for the year ending 30th June, 1893.

65. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred and fifty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Civil Government:—Department of the Secretary of State—To provide for the difference between the salary of *M. F. Walsh* (Private Secretary to the Secretary of State), transferred from the Department of Inland Revenue, and that of *John Burns* transferred to that Department in Mr. *Walsh's* place, \$212.50; For the compilation of the Civil Service List, 1892, in English and French, \$240, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

66. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Agriculture—To provide for the salary of *A. Rose*, as a third class clerk, from the 1st July, 1893, \$400; To increase the salary of *A. L. Jarvis* to \$1,800, from 1st July, 1893, \$325, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

67. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Indian Affairs—To provide for the transfer of *William McGirr* from the Outside to the Inside Service (notwithstanding anything in the Civil Service Act to the contrary), for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

68. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Public Printing and Stationery—To increase the salary of *J. Foran*, caretaker at the Bureau, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

69. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eight hundred and twenty-seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Justice—To pay *J. W. Hughes* for his services from the 1st to the 31st January, 1893, \$77.50; Allowance for Private Secretary to the Solicitor-General, (This sum may be paid to any member of the Civil Service, notwithstanding anything in the Civil Service Act to the contrary), \$600; To pay *H. B. S. Lane*, in addition to his salary, for acting as Accountant of Penitentiaries, during a period of one year and eight months, \$150, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

70. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Customs Department—To provide for amount omitted in main

Estimates to cover statutory increase to *W. H. Grafton*, \$37.50; To provide for an increase in the salary of *S. L. T. Frost*, from \$525 to \$625 per annum, \$100; To provide for amount, omitted in main Estimates, to cover statutory increase to *R. R. Farrow*, three months, \$12.50, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

71. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Department of Railways and Canals—To increase the salary of *F. Beard*, (notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Civil Service Act), for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

72. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Post Office Department—Short estimated for a second class clerk in main Estimates for 1893-94, \$1,150; Short estimated for a third class clerk in main Estimates for 1893-94, \$1,000; To provide for the promotion of *E. F. Jarvis* to a second class clerkship, \$100, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

73. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Administration of Justice:—Exchequer Court of *Canada*—To provide for the salary of a third class clerk, \$400; To assist in publishing decisions of the Admiralty Court of *New Brunswick*, \$500; To provide for the salaries of two circuit Judges of the District of *Montreal*, \$6,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

74. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-one thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Penitentiaries, as follow:—*Kingston* Penitentiary—To provide for the salary of an Assistant Electrician, \$500; To provide for the salary of an Assistant Blacksmith, \$500; For construction of a female Prison and a Criminal Asylum—materials, \$10,000; Supernumerary Guard, \$500; To provide wire screening for Asylum ward, \$300; To provide a reserve armature for dynamo in electric room, \$550; Salary for Binder Twine Foreman, \$1,500; To purchase manilla fibre for manufacture of binder twine, \$25,000; To provide power plant for running binder twine machinery, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

75. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *St. Vincent de Paul* Penitentiary—Repairs necessary to the dome of central hall, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

76. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Manitoba* Penitentiary—To increase Guard *Addison's* salary as Farmer Instructor, \$100; One additional Guard, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

77. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand four hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the following items in connection with Legislation—House of Commons:—To provide for allowance to *E. P. Hartney* as examiner of Private Bills—formerly paid out of Private Bill fees, \$200; Third class clerk (omitted in main Estimates), \$750; Contingent expenses, &c., in connection with voters' lists, \$2,500; To pay the sessional indemnities of the late *D. W. Gordon* and *J. Armstrong* to their wives, respectively, \$2,000; To pay to *C. F. Ferguson* the amount of his sessional indemnity, he being absent on account of illness, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

78. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—Further amount required for printing, printing paper and binding, \$30,000; Amount required to purchase 325 copies of the new edition of *Todd* on Parliamentary Government in the Colonies, \$2,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

79. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seventy thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay additional amount for World's Columbian Exposition, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

80. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to enable the Dairy Commissioner to make purchases of cheese and butter at the several experimental stations, the proceeds of the sales of such purchases to be placed to the credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

81. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet additional amount required for Cattle Quarantine, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

82. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and sixty thousand seven hundred and twelve dollars and seventy-three cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Militia, as follow:—Purchase of land for a permanent camp at *Sussex, N.B.*, \$7,000; Drill pay, Active Militia, \$10,000; Military Institute, *Toronto*—Government grant, \$100; Dominion Artillery Association—Government grant, \$900; Gratuities to officers of the Active Militia staff who are to be placed on the retired list, \$17,212.73; Provision for purchase of modern firearms, \$16,500; Defence of *Esquimalt, B.C.*—Dominion contribution towards capital expenditure for works and buildings, \$70,000; Pay of a detachment of Royal Marine Artillery or Royal Engineers, \$35,000; Ammunition, Cartridge Factory—To provide for the free issue of ammunition to the rifle leagues, \$4,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

83. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Lachine Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

84. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Grenville Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

85. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty-seven thousand and seventy-three dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Cape Breton Railway*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

86. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for extension of the *North Sydney Branch* of the *Cape Breton Railway* to Deepwater terminus, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

87. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fourteen thousand nine hundred and sixty-eight dollars and ninety cents be granted to Her Majesty, for *Oxford and New Glasgow Railway*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

88. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-nine thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Intercolonial Railway*—Extension along front of the City of *St. John (Revote)*, \$25,000; To purchase two powerful locomotives to haul combined *Intercolonial Railway* and *Canadian Pacific Railway* trains between *Halifax* and *Moncton*, \$24,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

89. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Chambly Canal*—To pay for land flooded by canal, damages, &c., and for services and expenses of valuers, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

90. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Beauharnois Canal*—Improving drainage at *Valleyfield*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

91. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Trent Valley Canal*:—*Scugog River*—Forming new entrance channel, at mouth of river, into *Sturgeon Lake*, \$4,000; Towards building a swing bridge at *Fenelon Falls*, \$3,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

92. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Lakefield Canal*—Enlarging sluice-ways in dam, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

93. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Welland Canal*—Cleaning and deepening the back ditch on the north side of the feeder (Revote), \$1,500; Bridge over old lock No. 2, and road, \$3,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

94. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *Carillon and Grenville Canals*—Towards renowing portion of puddle wall and repairing pier on north side of upper entrance to the *Grenville Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

95. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for reporting evidence before the *Railway Committee* of the *Privy Council* and before the *Minister*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

96. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Ship Channel, River *St. Lawrence*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

97. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Nova Scotia*:—*Sydney*—Quarantine Station, *Keating Point*, \$4,000; *Dartmouth*—Revote (additional), \$5,000; *Halifax, Lawlor's Island*, Quarantine Station, \$12,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

98. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Eighteen thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *New Brunswick*:—*Tracadie*—Erection of building for lepers, \$15,000; *St. John*—Partridge Island Quarantine Station, \$3,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

99. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-five thousand eight hundred and forty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Quebec*:—Public buildings, *Montreal*—Additions, repairs, \$10,000; *St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary*—Repairs to tramway and bridge, \$1,240; *Grosse Isle Quarantine Station*—Furniture, needle and shower baths, and additional amount for detention building, \$14,600; Quarantine buildings—Disinfecting appliances, &c., on *Princess Louise* embankment, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

100. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Ontario*:—*Brantford* Drill hall—Revote, \$10,000; *Ottawa Public Buildings*—To extend electric light, \$5,000; *Ottawa Printing Bureau*—To pay the heirs of the late *H. Lépine* for the removal of a cottage from *Nepian Point*, \$250, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

101. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand two hundred and sixty-nine dollars and thirty-five cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *Manitoba*:—*Fort Osborne*—Repairs to barracks, hospital, officers' quarters and drill shed—Heating apparatus, &c., \$8,769.35; *Winnipeg*—Erection of a Military Store building, \$12,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

102. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding Five thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for new Court House—*Wolseley, North-west Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

103. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and nineteen thousand seven hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Public Buildings, *British Columbia*, as follow:—*William's Head Quarantine Station*—Furniture, &c., \$2,500; *William's Head Quarantine Station*—Detention buildings, \$15,000; *Victoria*—New Post office, \$100,000; *Agassiz*—Experimental Farm—Superintendent's residence, water supply, &c., \$2,200, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

104. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand eight hundred and seventy-four dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Nova Scotia*:—*Boularderie Island*—Wharf on south side, to complete, \$1,400; *Boularderie Island*—*Ross ferry*, \$3,200; *Pickett's Wharf*—repairs, \$800; *Maitland*—To pay balance due contractor, \$274; *La Have Island* to *West Dublin shore, via Crooked Channel* boat passage—Revote, \$1,000; *New Haven*, \$1,200, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

105. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-two thousand four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Prince Edward Island*:—*Souris*—Reconstruction of breakwater, \$20,000; *Sturgeon*—Heavy repairs to wharf, \$1,400; *Cape Traverse*—Dredging, \$4,000; *Wood Islands*—Repairs to breakwaters, dredging, &c., \$6,000; *North Rustico*—Repairs to breakwater, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

106. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Ten thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *New Brunswick*:—*Campbellton*—Improvements to ferry landing, \$1,000; *Fort Dufferin*—Repairs to protection work, \$1,250; *Quaco*—Repairs to breakwater, \$1,000; *Gardner's Creek*—New wharf, \$7,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

107. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-two thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Quebec*:—*Madawaska*

River, \$1,200; *Saguenay River*—Dredging below *Chicoutimi*, \$6,000; *St. Zotique*—Heavy repairs to wharf and ice piers, \$2,500; River du *Lièvre*—Removal of boulders at *Long Rapids*, \$1,500; *St. Anicet*—To pay for work done and complete repairs, \$1,500; *St. Jean, Ile d'Orléans*—Heavy repairs to wharf, \$2,000; *St. François*—Heavy repairs to wharf, \$2,000; *Grande Rivière*—To complete harbour of refuge, \$6,000; *St. Alphonse du Saguenay*—Urgent repairs to wharf, \$1,200; *Grand Pabos*—Towards completion of pier, \$2,000; *Crane Island*—Compensation for land taken for wharf, \$200; *St. Irénée*—Extension of wharf, \$2,000; *Philipsburg*—Construction of a pier—the municipality furnishing an equal amount, \$4,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

108. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-nine thousand five hundred and ten dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *Ontario*:—*Colpoj's Bay*—Extension of public wharf—the municipality furnishing an equal amount, \$600; *Port Rowan*—Wharf under contract—To complete, \$3,300; *Port Stanley*—Extension to piers and repairs, \$12,000; *Burlington Channel*—New ferry scow, \$1,500; River *St. Lawrence* above *Brockville*—Removal of rock, \$1,200; *Owen Sound*—Towards completion of channel, \$5,000; *Belleville*—Local authorities having furnished \$2,000—Revote, \$3,000; *Goderich Harbour*—Additional amount required, \$10,000; *Hamilton*—Dredging, \$6,000; *Midland*—Dredging—Additional amount required, \$2,500; *Cobourg*—Repairs to breakwaters, \$1,000; *Beaverton*—To pay contractor amount claimed for additional work due to extraordinary settlement, \$560; *Dyer's Bay*—Extension to wharf, \$350; *Nation River*—North Branch—For purchase of existing riparian rights and removal of dam, parties interested furnishing an equal amount, \$2,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

109. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand two hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Harbours and Rivers, *British Columbia*:—*Columbia River* below *Kootenay*—Improvements, \$1,200; *Somas River*—Removal of snags, \$500; *Fraser River*—Hydrographic survey, \$1,000; *Okanagan River*—Improvements, \$1,500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

110. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand five hundred and twenty-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Roads and Bridges:—Traffic bridges built by Government throughout the Dominion—Repairs, \$5,000; To pay balance due *Kennedy & Heney* on account of *Battle River Bridge*, \$525, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

111. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for new Dredging plant:—New Dredge for *British Columbia*, \$28,000; Dredge, Maritime Provinces, \$15,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

112. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Slides and Booms, River *Petewawa*—*Ottawa District* (Revote), for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

113. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for aid to Telephone line from *Lethbridge* to *Cardston* and extensions, 70 miles, at rate of \$30 per mile, on condition that Government messages shall be sent free, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

114. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand nine hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Telegraph lines, *British Columbia*—Telegraphic connection of *Lilloet* with the *Ashcroft-Barkerville* line, \$3,500; Telegraph connection from *French Creek* to *Alberni Canal*, \$1,400, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

115. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for compensation to *R. Steckel*, Civil Engineer, for special services in connection with measurements, &c., called for by the Department of Justice *re* the suit of the Queen *vs. Larkin, Connolly & Co.*, Contractors, *Quebec* harbour works, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

116. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Steam service between *St. John, Yarmcuth* and *Halifax*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

117. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand one hundred and three dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Ocean and River Service:—To provide for gratuities for the following members of the River Police, *Quebec*, based on their length of service, on account of disbandment of force, viz.:—*John Battle*, one year's pay, or 214 days, \$406.60; *Henry Wilson*, one year's pay, or 214 days, \$406.60; *Patrick Stephens*, one year's pay, or 214 days, \$406.60; *John Mullins*, one year's pay, or 214 days, \$406.60; *Henry Quinn*, one year's pay, or 214 days, \$353.10; *Joseph Deegan*, one year's pay, or 214 days, \$321; *Peter Waite*, one year's pay, or 214 days, \$321; *Pierre Kirouac*, one year's pay, or 214 days, \$321; *Samuel Pepin*, half year's pay, or 107 days, \$160.50, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

118. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Hydrographic Surveys:—To pay the salaries of the following officers employed on the staff of the Chief Engineer of the Marine and Fisheries Department—*W. J. Stewart*, Hydrographic Engineer, \$1,650; One assistant (not yet appointed), \$1,000; *Frederick Anderson*, Assistant on Hydrographic work, \$650; *C. F. Cox*, Assistant Engineer, \$1,300; *B. H. Fraser*, Draughtsman, \$800; *L. J. Burpee*, Stenographer and Type-writer, \$600, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

119. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Lighthouse and Coast Service:—Agencies, Rents and Contingencies—To increase the salaries of the undermentioned officers—*L. A. Blanchet*, \$50; *G. D. O'Farrell*, \$60; *A. Hamel*, \$50; *J. F. Harding*, \$50; *A. D. B. Tremaine*, \$50, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

120. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand seven hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Marine Hospitals:—Further amount required for Marine Hospitals in the Provinces of *Quebec*, *New Brunswick*, *Nova Scotia*, *Prince Edward Island* and *British Columbia*, \$5,000; To provide for the gratuity of one year's salary to the following officers, on account of closing up the Marine Hospitals in *St. John, N.B.*, and *Victoria, B.C.*, viz.:—*Dr. James Christie*, *St. John, N.B.*, \$560; *W. A. Barnes*, keeper, *St. John, N.B.*, \$300; Reverend *James Spencer*, Chaplain, *St. John, N.B.*, \$100; *Dr. J. C. Davie*, *Victoria, B.C.*, \$300; *George W. Unwin*, keeper, *Victoria, B.C.*, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

121. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand and fifteen dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Fisheries:—To provide for payment to *J. M. McNutt*, Customs officer at *Malpeque, P.E.I.*, for services performed as a reporter in connection with the Fisheries Intelligence Bureau, during the season of 1890, \$15; To provide for blasting of rock at *Loch Lomond, Grand River*, County of *Richmond, Nova Scotia*, to enable salmon and other fish to reach the spawning beds, into the lake above, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

122. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and eighty-two dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Geological Survey:—To provide for the payment of a gratuity equal to two months' salary to the widow of the late *W. H. Smith*, whose early death was aggravated by exposure while in the execution of his official duty, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

123. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand four hundred and eighty-five dollars and fifty cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians—*Ontario* and *Quebec*:—To provide a grant to assist the Agricultural Society of the *Munceys of the Thames*, \$90; To provide an amount sufficient to cover the cost of enlarging the schoolroom for the Indian girls at *Caughnawaga*, \$100; To provide necessary out-buildings for the Indian School at *Salmon River, N.S.*, \$30; To make a drain at the Indian School, *St. Mary's, N.B.*, and to renew the floors which are falling into a state of decay, \$60; To provide the grant fixed by agreement for School No. 11, Six Nations Reserve, for three years to 30th June, 1894, at \$50 per annum, \$150; To provide an amount sufficient to pay the teacher of the Lower *Muncey Mission School*, \$150; To assist the Indians of *Golden Lake, Ontario*, to build a schoolhouse upon their Reserve, \$200; To provide payment for services as approved by the Department of Justice, in connection with proof of title to the land purchased from *T. J. Lamontagne* for an Indian Reserve at *Escoumains, County of Saguenay, P.Q.*, \$55.50; To provide

a sum sufficient to erect a house for *A. M. Ironside*, Clerk and Interpreter at *Manitowaning*, \$650, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

124. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians—*Nova Scotia*—To provide for the erection of a school house on the Indian Reserve, *Shubenacadie, N.S.*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

125. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians—*Prince Edward Island*—To complete the house recently erected for the teacher of the *Lennox Island Indian School*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

126. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians—*British Columbia* :—To provide the balance of a sum sufficient to grant \$60 per annum for forty (40) pupils at the *St. Mary's Mission School, Lower Fraser, B.C.*, \$1,400; To provide the annual grant to aid in the maintenance of Hospitals for Indians at *Metlakatla* and *Fort Simpson, B.C.*, \$500 each, \$1,000; To increase the grant at present allowed the Home for Indian girls at *Fort Simpson, B.C.*, from 10 to 20 pupils at \$60 each, \$600; Towards providing for the maintenance of pupils at and furnishing the *Alert Bay Industrial School*, \$3,850, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

127. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-one thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Indians—*Manitoba and North-west Territories* :—To provide funds for the establishment of a boarding school at *Duck Lake*, under the auspices of the Roman Catholic Church: Building, \$2,000; Furnishing, \$1,000; Maintenance of pupils, first year, \$1,000, \$4,000; To grant aid to the following Indian schools in the *Moosonee District*: *Moose Fort, York Factory, Albany, Rupert's House, Port George, Martin's Falls*, \$200 each, \$1,200; To aid in the erection of a bridge across the *Bow River* on the *Stony Indian Reserve*, \$500; To aid in establishing a ferry on the *South Saskatchewan* for the *Duck Lake Agency*, \$100; For new additions, \$5,000, and furnishing, \$1,000, for the *St. Boniface Indian Industrial School*, \$6,000; To revoke part of the amount of grant for erecting the *Brandon Industrial School*, \$10,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

128. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay the following items, viz.:—To provide for the salary of *J. A. Macrae*, Inspector of Indian Agencies and Reserves, \$1,400; To provide for the salary of *G. L. Chitty* as Inspector of Timber Limits, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

129. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for *North-west Mounted Police*:—To compensate *Donald McLeod* for breach of contract for the transport of Mounted Police stores from *Calgary* to *Edmonton*, during the season of 1877, \$2,000; To pay the *Bow River Ferry Company* for a ferry scow and appliances purchased for the use of the Mounted Police at *Medicine Hat*, in the spring of 1884, \$300, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

130. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand three hundred and thirty-four dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet further amount required for Government of *North-west Territories*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

131. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards the expenses of determining the boundary line between *Canada* and the *United States of America* between the southernmost point of *Prince of Wales Island* and the 141st meridian of west longitude, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

132. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six thousand five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, towards the expense of determining the boundary line in *Passamaquoddy Bay*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

133. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Seven thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for expenses of litigation, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

134. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *O'Connor & Hogg* legal expenses in the case of *McLean vs. the Queen*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

135. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *O'Connor & Hogg*, legal expenses in the case of *Clark and Barber vs. the Queen*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

136. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *O'Connor & Hogg*, legal expenses in the case of *Woodburn vs. the Queen*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

137. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay for compilation of index (3) for Civil Service and Superannuation Bills, and names of Civil Service employees, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

138. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for classification of old records of *Canada* in office of the Privy Council, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

139. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty-two thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay judgment in case of *Barber et al. vs. the Queen*, amount of award of Exchequer Court, with interest, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

140. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Customs:—To provide for expenses of maintenance, alterations and repairs of Government steamer "*Constance*," for preventive service on Lower *St. Lawrence*, \$15,000; For purchase of a steam launch for use of steamer "*Constance*," and to be carried on board such vessel, \$1,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

141. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Three hundred and ninety-five dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Excise:—To increase the salary of *H. H. Grant*, Collector of Inland Revenue, *Halifax*, to \$1,680, the grade of the division having been raised by Order in Council of the 8th June, 1892, in accordance with the Inland Revenue Regulations, \$80; To increase the salary of *R. M. King*, Deputy Collector, *Halifax*, to \$1,260, for same reasons, \$60; Contingencies—To pay *John Cochran*, Customs Officer, Intercolonial Railway freight depot, *St. John, N.B.*, for services to this Department, during the year, \$150; To enable Department to pay medical expenses for attending *Mr. Bickle*, of *Cobourg* (Deputy Collector), he having been severely injured while in the discharge of his official duties, \$105, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

142. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two hundred and eighty-nine dollars and thirty-six cents be granted to Her Majesty, for Weights and Measures—To pay *W. W. Russell*, Assistant Inspector of Weights and Measures at *Port Arthur*, salary which was erroneously deducted from him, for 28 days in excess of the time of his absence on leave without salary, during the year 1891-92, \$39.36; To increase the salary of the following:—*R. H. Laidman*, Assistant Inspector, *Hamilton*, \$100; *F. X. Chabot*, Assistant Inspector, *Quebec*, \$100; *A. Marsan*, caretaker, increase of salary, \$50, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

143. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to pay *Hermidas Martial*, compensation for injuries received whilst working on *Chambly Canal*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

144. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Two thousand two hundred and three dollars and eighteen cents be granted to Her Majesty, to re-purchase from *P. Johnstone* certain Ordnance lands in the vicinity of the *Quebec Drill shed*, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

145. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Five thousand one hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Post Office:—Amount required to enable the Postmaster-General to pay *J. H. Bartlett*, in addition to his present salary as 2nd class clerk, the sum of \$60 for attending to the Clock in the *Ottawa Post office*, \$60; Amount required to increase the salary of *J. A. Gouin*, Postmaster of *Ottawa*, from \$2,600 to \$3,000 a year, \$400; Amount required to increase the salary



of *E. B. Bates*, Assistant Postmaster of *Ottawa*, from \$1,400 to \$1,700 a year, \$300; Amount required to increase the salary of *A. McGillis*, 1st class clerk in the *Winnipeg* Post office Inspector's office, from \$1,300 to \$1,400 a year, \$100; To provide for six additional letter carriers in the *St. John, N.B.*, Post office, at \$360 each, \$2,160; To provide for three additional Railway Mail Clerks in the *Nova Scotia* division, at \$480 each, \$1,440; Amount required to increase the salary of *F. Hawken*, Post Office Inspector of the *Ottawa* division, from \$2,000 to \$2,200 a year, in accordance with the provisions of the Civil Service Act, \$200; Further amount required as provisional allowance on ordinary salaries to meet the exceptional cost of living in *British Columbia*, \$500, for the year ending 30th June, 1894.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

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 Civil Service Superannuation Act."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Voters' Lists of 1893."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting Government Civil Service Insurance."

Bill intituled: "An Act further to amend the Dominion Lands Act."

Also, the Senate have agreed to the Amendments made by this House to the following Bills:—

Bill intituled: "An Act further to amend the General Inspection Act."

Bill intituled: "An Act further to amend the Railway Act."

Also, the Senate do not insist on their second and third Amendments made to the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting Witnesses and Evidence," to which the House of Commons have disagreed, and do agree to the Amendment made by this House to their fourth Amendment.

And also, the Senate have passed a Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend the Revised Statutes respecting the Department of Public Printing and Stationery," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

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

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend the Revised Statutes respecting the Department of Public Printing and Stationery," be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Saturday next.

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

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act relating to the granting of Subsidies in Land to Railway Companies," be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time on Saturday next.

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

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns this day, it do stand adjourned until Saturday next, at Eleven o'Clock in the morning, and that Government Orders have precedence on that day, and that all Senate Amendments to private and other Bills be considered immediately on their receipt in this House.

And then The House adjourned till Saturday next, at Eleven o'Clock, A.M.

Saturday, 1st April, 1893.

*Eleven o'Clock, A.M.*

PRAYERS.

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

Of *John A. White* and others, of *Waghorn*; of *W. A. Mickle* and others, of *Spring Bank*; of *D. S. Fulton* and others, of *Edmonton*; of *George S. Young* and others, of *Fish Creek*; of *George F. Motion* and others, of *Langdon*; of *John McDougall* and others, of *Morley*; of *J. S. McNulty* and others, of *Canmore*; of *Charles G. Ross* and others, of *Innisfail* and vicinity; of *E. W. Green* and others, of *Penhold*; of *James Bannerman* and others, of *Calgary* and other places; and of *Edward Lee* and others, of *Laggan*, all of the District of *Alberta*; and of *Thomas James Slater* and others, of *Bresaylor*, District of *Saskatchewan*, all of the *North-west Territories*; severally praying that the *North-west* Assembly may be given the control of Education, and that the Clause in the *North-west Territories* Act, requiring the Ordinances of the said Assembly published, and the proceedings of the Courts conducted, in the French language, may be repealed.

Of the Reverend *James Vincent*, Archdeacon, and others, of *Moose Factory*, *James' Bay*, *North-west Territories*; praying the House to consider favourably the claims of the Half-breeds of that Country for compensation in lieu of lands.

Of *John Smith*, Chief, and other Treaty Indians; praying the House to consider the advisability of establishing an Industrial School for the Indian children of the Reserves around *Prince Albert* and the Lower *Saskatchewan*.

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

*Resolved*, That this House doth concur in the Second Report of the Select Standing Committee on Agriculture and Colonization, in so far as the recommendations therein contained relate to the printing and distribution of the Report itself to the extent of Fifty thousand copies, and that Rule 94 be suspended in relation thereto.

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, on account of certain expenses of the Public Service for the financial year ending the 30th June, 1893, the sum of \$1,471,976.58 be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of *Canada*.

2. *Resolved*, That towards making good the Supply granted to Her Majesty, on account of certain expenses of the Public Service for the financial year ending the 30th June, 1894, the sum of \$25,183,646.03 be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of *Canada*.

Resolutions to be reported.

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

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. *Bergeron* reported the Resolutions accordingly, and the same were read, as follow :—

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The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. *Bergeron* 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 financial years ending, respectively, the 30th June, 1893, and the 30th June, 1894, 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, 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. *Bergeron* 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 taking into consideration the Amendment made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the Harbour Commissioners of *Montreal*."

The House accordingly proceeded to take into consideration the said Amendment, and the same was read, as follows:—

Page 1, line 14.—After "purpose" insert the following as Clause "A":—

*Clause A.*

2. Section eight of Chapter sixty-one of the Statutes of 1873, and section two of Chapter thirty-one of the Statutes of 1874, as amended by section four of Chapter fifty-three of the Statutes of 1891, are hereby repealed, and, in lieu thereof, it is hereby enacted that the Corporation of the Harbour Commissioners of *Montreal* shall consist of ten members, five of whom shall be appointed by the Governor in Council, one of whom shall be the Mayor of *Montreal ex officio*, during his term of office; and the remaining four of whom shall be elected, one by each of the following bodies: the *Montreal* Board of Trade, the *Montreal* Corn Exchange Association, *la Chambre de Commerce du district de Montréal*, and the shipping interest of the Harbour of *Montreal*.

2. The rotation shall continue to be every four years.

Mr. *Foster* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haggart*, That the said Amendment be amended by leaving out the word "ten" and inserting the word "eleven," and by leaving out the word "five" and inserting the word "six."

And by adding the following as a consequential Amendment:—

3. Section ten of Chapter sixty-one of the Statutes of 1873, as amended by section one of Chapter thirty-one of the Statutes of 1874, is hereby repealed, and the following substituted therefor:—

4. "The Board of Trade, the Corn Exchange Association, and *la Chambre de Commerce du district de Montréal* shall severally, at a meeting to be held at their respective Chambers or usual places of meeting, in the City of *Montreal*, at noon, on the first Monday of August (or if that day should be a legal holiday, then the next day not being such holiday) in each year, elect each one person to fill the office of Harbour Commissioner; and the person having the majority of votes of those personally present at each of the said several meetings shall be duly elected, and the Secretary shall give him a certificate of his election, and shall also certify the same to the Minister of Marine and Fisheries."

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

The said Amendment, so amended, was then agreed to.

*Resolved*, That a Message be sent to the Senate, acquainting their Honours, That this House hath amended their Amendment and hath added a consequential Amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

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

Mr. *Haggart*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 28th March, 1892, for copies of all letters, telegrams and correspondence relating to the use by the Canadian *Pacific* Railway of running privileges over the Intercolonial Railway between *Halifax* and *St. John*; and copies of all agreements between the Canadian *Pacific* Railway and the Intercolonial Railway, or any Department or officer of the Government of *Canada* relating to the running privileges given to the Canadian *Pacific* Railway over the Intercolonial Railway and to the payments to be made therefor; and also, of all agreements for the payments by the Intercolonial Railway to the Canadian *Pacific* Railway for the cars and engines of the latter run over the Intercolonial Railway. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 26d.)

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act relating to the granting of subsidies in land to 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. *Bergeron* 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, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendment made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend the Merchant Shipping Act, with respect to load lines," and the same was read, as follows:—

Page 1, line 28.—Leave out from "hereby" to "ships," and insert "repealed so far as they relate to or affect."

The said Amendment, being read a second time, was 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 from the Senate, intituled: "An Act to amend the Revised Statutes respecting the Department of Public Printing and Stationery;"

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. *Bergeron* 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 resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question, which was on Thursday last proposed, That the Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act respecting the Speaker of the Senate," be now read a second time.

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

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

*Ordered*, That the Debate be adjourned.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth:—

The Senate have passed the following Bills without any amendment:—

Bill intituled: "An Act relating to the custody of Juvenile Offenders in the Province of *New Brunswick*."

Bill intituled: "An Act to authorize the granting of subsidies in aid of the construction of the lines of Railway therein mentioned."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the appointment of Commissioners to the World's Columbian Exposition."

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act respecting the Royal Military College."

Bill intituled: "An Act further to amend the Petroleum Inspection Act."

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act respecting Ocean Steam-ship Subsidies."

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Homestead Exemption Act."

Bill intituled: "An Act to prevent the manufacture and sale of filled or imitation cheese and to provide for the branding of dairy products."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the *Drummond* County Railway Company."

Bill intituled: "An Act further to amend the Acts respecting the Duties of Customs."

Bill intituled: "An Act further to amend the Act respecting the Senate and House of Commons."

Bill intituled: "An Act for the 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, 1893, and the 30th June, 1894, and for other purposes relating to the Public Service."

Also, the Senate have agreed to the Amendments, and the consequential Amendment made by this House to their Amendment to the Bill, intituled "An Act respecting the Harbour Commissioners of *Montreal*," without any amendment.

A Message was received from His Excellency the Governor General by *Réné E. Kimber*, Esquire, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod:—

Mr. SPEAKER,—

I am commanded by His Excellency the Governor General to acquaint this Honourable House, That it is the pleasure of His Excellency that the Members thereof do forthwith attend him in the Senate Chamber.

Accordingly, Mr. Speaker with The House, went up to attend His Excellency, where His Excellency was pleased to give, in Her Majesty's name, the Royal Assent to the following Public and Private Bills:—

An Act respecting the *Hamilton* Provident and Loan Society.

An Act to incorporate the Dominion Burglary Guarantee Company (Limited).

An Act respecting the Central Counties Railway Company.

An Act respecting the Grand Trunk, *Georgian Bay* and Lake *Erie* Railway Company.

An Act respecting the *Manitoba* and South-eastern Railway Company.

An Act respecting the *St. Lawrence* and *Adirondack* Railway Company.

An Act to amend the Act to readjust the Representation in the House of Commons.

An Act to give effect to an Agreement between the Grand Trunk Railway Company of *Canada*, the Canadian *Pacific* Railway Company, and the Corporation of the City of *Toronto*.

An Act respecting the Lake *Erie* and *Detroit* River Railway Company.

An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the *Montreal* and *Atlantic* Railway Company.

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An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the Manufacturers' Accident Insurance Company, and to change its name to "The Manufacturers' Guarantee and Accident Insurance Company."

An Act to incorporate the Eastern Trust Company.

An Act respecting the *Alberta* Railway and Coal Company.

An Act to amend the law relating to Holidays.

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An Act respecting the disposal of moneys paid in connection with proceedings before Parliament.

An Act for the relief of *Edmund Holyoake Heward*.

An Act for the relief of *Martha Ballantyne*.

An Act for the relief of *James Balfour*.

An Act respecting the Western Counties Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to the *Yarmouth* and *Annapolis* Railway Company.

An Act respecting the *Canada* Life Assurance Company.

An Act to revive and amend the Act to incorporate the Equity Insurance Company, and to change the name of the Company to the *St. Lawrence* Insurance Company.

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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 certain 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, 1893, and the 30th June, 1894, and for other purposes relating to the Public Service, to which I humbly request Your Excellency's assent.”

To this Bill the Royal Assent was signified in the following words:—

“In Her Majesty's name, His Excellency the Governor General thanks Her Loyal Subjects, accepts their benevolence, and assents to this Bill.”

After which His Excellency was pleased to deliver the following Speech to both Houses:—

*Honourable Gentlemen of the Senate :*

*Gentlemen of the House of Commons :*

In relieving you from attendance in Parliament for this year, I congratulate you upon the energy and promptitude with which you have disposed of the duties of the session just ended.



The assembly at *Paris* of the *Behring* Sea Arbitration Tribunal gives reason to hope that the differences which have existed between the Government of the *United States* and the Government of the Dominion are approaching a satisfactory adjustment, while the nomination of the Prime Minister of *Canada* as one of the arbitrators affords a guarantee that the interests of our sealers will be properly though not unduly safeguarded.

The treaty of commerce which was negotiated with *France* on behalf of *Canada* has been laid before you together with the correspondence which passed during the negotiations; but, owing to the late period of the session at which the treaty was received, and the pendency of communications as to its bearing in respect of most-favoured nation treatment and the interpretation of certain of its clauses, my Government has thought it advisable to postpone for the present its ratification by Parliament.

I thank you for the ample provisions you have made to protect the country from the possible introduction of cholera, and I trust that the precautions taken will result in guarding against any danger from that source.

The liberal provisions made for the proper representation of *Canada* at the World's Columbian Exposition will, I doubt not, enable this country to make a worthy exhibit of her resources and progress among the nations of the World.

The various Acts which you have placed upon the Statute book will contribute to the maintenance of public security and the continued progress of the Country.

*Gentlemen of the House of Commons :*

I thank you for the liberal provisions you have made for the requirements of the Public Service.

*Honourable Gentlemen of the Senate :*

*Gentlemen of the House of Commons :*

I feel with deep regret that the period of my official connection with the Dominion is drawing towards its close and that in all probability I am taking leave of you for the last time. Lest this should be the case, I desire to avail myself of the present occasion to express my abiding interest in all that concerns the welfare of *Canada*, and my sincere affection to her people, who have never failed to testify their loyalty to the person and throne of our Sovereign, and to show kindness and consideration to her representative. It will ever be my sincere desire to be of service to the Dominion and I shall continue to cherish feelings of the warmest solicitude for the welfare and prosperity of those amongst whom I have been placed during the past five years.

I pray that the blessing of Almighty God may at all times attend you.

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 Thursday, the Eleventh day of May next, to be here holden, and this Parliament is accordingly prorogued until Thursday, the Eleventh day of May next.

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| 50. Copy of proceedings of the Halifax Conference with Newfoundland delegates upon the Fishery question, &c. ( <i>Printed, 63, 122.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 20d.</i> )   | By Message                       | 63              |
| 51. Further papers respecting the enforcement against Canadian vessels, of the Newfoundland Bait Act. ( <i>Printed, 66, 122.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 20e.</i> )  | By Message                       | 66              |
| 52. Correspondence relating to the suspension of Edward Hackett, Inspector of Fisheries, P. E. Island, &c. ( <i>Not printed, 175.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 48.</i> )  | By Address<br>87                 | 131             |
| 53. Correspondence respecting the appointment of a Fishery officer for the Bonne Espérance Division, in lieu of Mr. W. H. Whitely. ( <i>Not printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 20h.</i> )  | By Order<br>114                  | 244             |
| 54. Order in Council authorizing the issue of licenses to United States fishing vessels for purchasing bait, &c., for 1893. ( <i>Not printed, 175.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 54.</i> )   | —                                | 135             |
| 55. Papers relating to the fishing rights of F. F. Rouleau, of Rimouski. ( <i>Not printed, 175.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 20g.</i> )   | By Address<br>27th July,<br>1891 | 148             |
| 56. Copy of certificates of qualification held by each of the Commanders of the Fishery Protection Service. ( <i>Not printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 20i.</i> )   | By Order<br>152                  | 245             |
| 57. Correspondence in relation to the treatment endured by Canadian fishermen from Newfoundland fishermen in Labrador. ( <i>Not printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 20j.</i> )  | By Address<br>177                | 258             |
| 58. Copies of instructions issued to Fishery Overseers in Berthier, Maskinongé and other counties in Quebec in 1892; also, statement of fishing licenses issued in the same counties. ( <i>Not printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 20k.</i> ) | By Order<br>177                  | 259             |
| <i>Fishing Bounties:</i>   |                                  |                 |
| 59. Return showing vessel owners applying for bounties for years 1889 to 1891, and not receiving the same. ( <i>Not printed, 123.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 20.</i> )  | By Order<br>23rd March<br>1892   | 32              |
| 60. Return giving comparative statement for years 1882 to 1891 of the number of bounty claims received and the number paid. ( <i>Not printed, 124.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 20a.</i> )  | By Order<br>27th May,<br>1891    | 36              |
| 61. Statement in reference to fishing bounty payments for 1891-92. ( <i>Not printed, 124.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 20b.</i> )   | By Act                           | 53              |

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| <i>Fishing Bounties—Concluded.</i>  |                   |             |
| 62. Correspondence relating to irregularities in the payment of fishing bounties in county of Victoria, N.S.  | By Order<br>57    | —           |
| 63. Return of persons receiving fishery bounties in the counties of Victoria and Guysborough, N.S., in 1892. ( <i>Not printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 20l.</i> )   | By Order<br>88    | 260         |
| <i>French Treaty :</i>  |                   |             |
| 64. Agreement entered into with the French Republic regulating commercial relations. ( <i>Printed, 165, 174.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 51.</i> )  | By Message        | 133         |
| 65. Correspondence in relation to the Agreement with France for regulating commercial relations. ( <i>Printed, 165, 226.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 51a.</i> )   | By Address<br>162 | 162         |
| 66. Supplementary Return on the same subject. ( <i>Printed, 226.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 51b.</i> )   | —                 | 179         |
| 67. Further Supplementary Return on the same subject. ( <i>Printed, 226.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 51c.</i> )   | —                 | 202         |
| 68. <i>Galops Rapids</i> :—Report of plans and surveys made by Mr. Kennedy, on Galops Rapids channel.   | By Order<br>112   | —           |
| 69. <i>Geological Survey</i> :—Summary Report of Geological Survey Department for 1892. ( <i>Printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 13a.</i> )  | —                 | —           |
| <i>Governor-General :</i>   |                   |             |
| 70. Statement showing total amount of money paid since Confederation in connection with the office of Governor-General. ( <i>Printed, 174.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 49.</i> )  | By Address<br>55  | 131         |
| 71. Copy of Royal Instructions to His Excellency the Governor-General on his appointment. ( <i>Printed, 226.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 69.</i> )  | —                 | Senate.     |
| 72. <i>Harbours, Piers and Breakwaters</i> :—Statement showing money spent since Confederation on Harbours, Piers and Breakwaters, dredging, &c., especially in Harbour of Montreal, and showing amounts loaned to the Harbour Commissioners of Quebec and Montreal respectively. | By Order<br>112   | —           |
| 73. <i>Herchmer, Lawrence</i> :—Copy of the Report of Judge Wetmore on the charges made against Mr. Lawrence Herchmer. ( <i>Not printed, 175.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 47.</i> )   | By Address<br>87  | 126         |
| 74. <i>Horses</i> :—Trade with Great Britain—Horses. ( <i>Printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 2d.</i> )  | —                 | —           |

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| 75. <i>House of Commons</i> :—Minutes of Council appointing Internal Economy Commissioners.   | By Message          | 36          |
| 76. <i>Imports and Exports</i> :—Statement of Imports and Exports from 1st July, 1892, to 1st January, 1893, &c. ( <i>Not printed, 227.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 64.</i> )                                     | By Order<br>55      | 181         |
| 77. <i>Indians</i> :—Annual Report of the Department of Indian Affairs for year 1892. ( <i>Printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 14.</i> )   | By Com. of<br>H. E. | 136         |
| 78. <i>Inland Revenue</i> :—Reports, Returns and Statistics for 1891-92. ( <i>Printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 6.</i> )   | By Com. of<br>H. E. | 31          |
| <i>Insurance :</i>  |                     |             |
| 79. Preliminary abstract of business of Canadian Life Insurance Companies in Canada for 1892. ( <i>Printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 4a.</i> )   | By Act              | 88          |
| 80. Report of Superintendent of Insurance for 1892. ( <i>Printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 4.</i> )  | By Act              | —           |
| 81. Abstract of statements of Insurance Companies in Canada for 1892. ( <i>Printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 4b.</i> )   | —                   | —           |
| <i>Interior :</i>   |                     |             |
| 82. Annual Report of the Department of the Interior for 1892. ( <i>Printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 13.</i> )   | By Com. of<br>H. E. | 185         |
| 83. Orders in Council of 1892 relating to the Department of the Interior. ( <i>Printed, 123.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 29.</i> )  | By Act              | 66          |
| 84. <i>Intoxicating Liquors</i> :—Copy of commission constituting certain persons a Royal Commission respecting the traffic in intoxicating liquors. ( <i>Not printed, 227.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 67.</i> ) | —                   | Senate      |
| 85. <i>James' Bay</i> :—Reports, &c., relating to exploring expeditions made to James' Bay and Hudson's Bay.  | By Order<br>112     | —           |
| 86. <i>Kentville</i> :—Correspondence relating to the construction of a public building at Kentville.   | By Order<br>150     | —           |
| 87. <i>Lacoutre, Joseph</i> :—Correspondence relating to the claim of Joseph Lacoutre for damages caused to his property by the Chambly Canal.  | By Order<br>177     | —           |
| 88. <i>Library of Parliament</i> :—Report of Joint Librarians. ( <i>Printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 17.</i> )  | By Act              | 31          |
| 89. <i>Liverpool, N.S.</i> :—Statement showing the various kinds of manufacturing establishments in Liverpool, N.S.   | By Order<br>151     | —           |



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| 90. <i>Lobsters</i> :—Report on the Lobster Industry, 1892.<br>( <i>Printed.</i> ) (S. Papers, No. 10d.)   | —                   | —           |
| 91. <i>London, City of</i> :—Statement giving the names of the 804 manufacturers of the City of London referred to in the Census of 1891.  | By Order<br>151     | —           |
| 92. <i>Lurcher Shoal</i> :—Correspondence relating to the Lurcher Shoal, Bay of Fundy.<br>( <i>Not printed.</i> ) (S. Papers, No. 72.)   | By Order<br>87      | 244         |
| <i>Manitoba School Act</i> :   |                     |             |
| 93. Petitions, correspondence, &c., relating to the Manitoba School Act of 1890 and to Section 22 of the Manitoba Act, and Section 93 of the British North America Act. ( <i>Printed</i> , 93, 123.) (S. Papers, No. 33.)  | By Address<br>53    | 69          |
| 94. Supplementary Return on the same subject.<br>( <i>Printed</i> , 115, 174.) (S. Papers, No. 33c.)   | —                   | 114         |
| 95. Judgment of Judicial Committee of the Privy Council in the appeal case of <i>Barrett vs. the City of Winnipeg</i> , or the Manitoba School Case.<br>( <i>Printed</i> , 123.) (S. Papers, No. 33a.)   | By Address<br>54    | 74          |
| 96. Supplementary Return on the same subject.<br>( <i>Printed</i> , 123.) (S. Papers, No. 33b.)  | —                   | 85          |
| 97. Copy of deliberations, resolutions and ordinances of the former Council of Assiniboia relating to educational matters within its jurisdiction prior to 1870: Statement of amounts paid by the said Council and the Hudson's Bay Company for the maintenance of schools, memoranda and instructions serving as a basis for the negotiations which resulted in Manitoba becoming one of the Provinces of the Dominion, &c., &c.<br>( <i>Printed.</i> ) (S. Papers, No. 33d.) | —                   | Senate.     |
| 98. <i>Marine and Fisheries</i> :—Annual Report of the Department of Marine and Fisheries.<br>( <i>Printed.</i> ) (S. Papers, No. 10.)   | By Com. of<br>H. E. | 32          |
| 99. <i>McDougall, Lauchlin</i> :—Correspondence relating to the claim of Lauchlin McDougall for superannuation.<br>( <i>Not printed.</i> ) (S. Papers, No. 73.)  | By Order<br>151     | 244         |
| 100. <i>McGreevy, R. H.</i> :—Correspondence with Judge Bossé in relation to the trial and condemnation of R. H. McGreevy and O. E. Murphy, in 1891.<br>( <i>Not printed</i> , 227.) (S. Papers, No. 66.)  | By Order<br>160     | 196         |

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| 101. <i>McNamee, F. B.</i> :—Copy of claims made by Messrs. F. B. McNamee & Co., in connection with the Report of the Select Committee of the House appointed in 1887. ( <i>Not printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 71.</i> )                   | By Address<br>88    | 216         |
| <i>Militia :</i>   |                     |             |
| 102. Annual Report of the Department of Militia and Defence to 30th June, 1892. ( <i>Printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 19.</i> )  | By Com. of<br>H. E. | 38          |
| 103. Establishment Lists of the Active Militia for 1893-94. ( <i>Printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 19a.</i> )   | By Com. of<br>H. E. | 204         |
| 104. <i>Mines and Minerals Act, N.S.</i> :—Correspondence relating to the disallowance of the Nova Scotia Act of 1892 to amend and consolidate the Acts relating to Mines and Minerals. ( <i>Printed, 226.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 63.</i> ) | By Address<br>112   | 181         |
| 105. <i>Montreal Customs House</i> :—Statement showing persons employed in the Montreal Customs House, 1st January, 1868, and 1st January, 1893. ( <i>Not printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 77.</i> )   | By Address          | Senate.     |
| 106. <i>Mount Forest</i> :—Statement of the names of the owners of the different industrial establishments in Mount Forest.  | By Order<br>152     | —           |
| 107. <i>Newfoundland</i> :—Further papers respecting the several questions at issue between the Dominion and Newfoundland. ( <i>Printed, 174.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 20f.</i> )   | By Message          | 154         |
| 108. <i>Northumberland Straits</i> :—Statement showing the expenditure incurred in carrying on borings in the Straits of Northumberland. ( <i>Not printed, 227.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 58.</i> )  | By Order<br>159     | 160         |
| <i>North-West Territories :</i>  |                     |             |
| 109. Statement showing the number of school teachers employed in the North-west Territories; the number of pupils attending each school, &c.   | By Order<br>154     | —           |
| 110. Statement showing the entire cost of the Lieutenant-Governor's residence at Regina, N.W.T.  | By Order<br>151     | —           |
| 111. <i>Oyster Fisheries</i> :—Report on the Oyster fisheries of Canada, 1892. ( <i>Printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 10b.</i> )  | —                   | 36          |
| <i>Penitentiaries :</i>  |                     |             |
| 112. Annual Report of Minister of Justice thereon. ( <i>Printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 18.</i> )   | By Com. of<br>H. E. | 32          |

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| <i>Penitentiaries—Concluded.</i>  |                             |             |
| 113. Evidence taken before Mr. J. G. Moylan in connection with the investigation held at Kingston Penitentiary last year. ( <i>Not printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 38.</i> )   | By Order<br>87              | 91          |
| 114. Statement of amount of money paid as visitors' entrance fees at Kingston Penitentiary; also of goods manufactured, laundry work done, &c.  | By Address<br>151           | —           |
| 115. <i>Petite Nation River</i> :—Report of Mr. Hamel upon the deepening of the <i>Petite Nation River</i> .  | By Order<br>150             | —           |
| 116. <i>Picket's Pier</i> :—Correspondence since 1890 relating to <i>Picket's Pier</i> , N.S.   | By Order<br>57              | —           |
| <i>Pig Iron :</i>   |                             |             |
| 117. Statement showing quantities of <i>Pig Iron</i> produced in Canada and amount of bounty paid during years 1881 to 1892. ( <i>Printed, 174.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 37b.</i> )                                    | By Order<br>55              | 148         |
| 118. Statement of <i>Pig Iron</i> produced and bounty paid thereon since 16th March, 1892. ( <i>Printed, 123.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 37.</i> )   | —                           | 78          |
| 119. Statement showing quantity of <i>Pig Iron</i> produced in Canada and bounty paid thereon from 1870 to 1880; also quantity imported during the same period. ( <i>Printed, 123.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 37a.</i> ) | By Order<br>87              | 107         |
| 120. <i>Police</i> :—Annual Report of Commissioner of the Northwest Mounted Police for 1892. ( <i>Printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 15.</i> )  | By Com. of<br>H. E.         | 126         |
| <i>Post Office :</i>  |                             |             |
| 121. Annual Report of Postmaster-General for 1891-92. ( <i>Printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 12.</i> )   | By Com. of<br>H. E.         | 48          |
| 122. Papers relating to the dismissal of the Postmaster of McIntyre. ( <i>Printed, 122.</i> )—( <i>S. Papers, No. 21.</i> )   | By Order<br>2nd May<br>1892 | 32          |
| 123. Petitions, &c., regarding increased mail service at Harkaway Post Office. ( <i>Not printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 59a.</i> )   | By Order<br>55              | 244         |
| 124. Petitions, &c., relative to maladministration in relation to the <i>Baillarge Post Office</i> , County <i>Levis</i> .  | By Order<br>55              | —           |
| 125. Correspondence relating to the dismissal of <i>Edouard Lesage</i> , Postmaster of <i>St. Léon</i> . ( <i>Not printed, 227.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 21a.</i> )  | By Order<br>87              | 165         |
| 126. Papers relating to the change in the location of the <i>Post Office of Notre Dame du Rosaire</i> . ( <i>Not printed, 227.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 59.</i> )  | By Order<br>87              | 176         |

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| 127. Correspondence respecting the establishment of a new Post Office at Rougement.  | By Order<br>112                           | —           |
| 128. Petitions and correspondence respecting a change in the Post Office of St. Sebastien, Beauce.<br>( <i>Not printed.</i> ) (S. Papers, No. 59b.)                                    | By Order<br>113                           | 244         |
| 129. Correspondence relating to irregularities in the Post Office at Kemptville.   | By Order<br>113                           | —           |
| 130. Correspondence respecting better Mail service between Montreal and Ottawa and to and from Perkins Mills, Stagburn and other places in the County of Ottawa.                       | By Order<br>159                           | —           |
| 131. <i>Printing, Public</i> :—Annual Report of the Department of Public Printing and Stationery, for 1891-92.<br>( <i>Printed.</i> ) (S. Papers, No. 16d.)                            | By Com. of<br>H. E.                       | 107         |
| 132. <i>Public Accounts</i> :—Public Accounts for 1891-92.<br>( <i>Referred.</i> ) (S. Papers, No. 2.)   | By Com. of<br>H. E.                       | 32          |
| 133. <i>Public Works</i> :—Annual Report of the Minister of Public Works. ( <i>Printed.</i> ) (S. Papers, No. 8.)  | By Com. of<br>H. E.                       | 85          |
| 134. " <i>Quadra</i> ," Steamer :—Correspondence regarding the contract for repairing the Steamer " <i>Quadra</i> ."<br>( <i>Not printed.</i> ) (S. Papers, No. 74.)                   | By Address<br>153                         | 256         |
| <i>Railways :</i>  |   |             |
| 135. Annual Report of the Department of Railways and Canals for 1891-92. ( <i>Printed.</i> ) (S. Papers, No. 9.)   | By Com. of<br>H. E.                       | 68          |
| 136. Reports, Railway Statistics, &c., of the Dominion for 1891-92. ( <i>Printed.</i> ) (S. Papers, No. 9b.)   | By Act                                    | 244         |
| 137. Return up to latest date of all subjects affecting the Canadian Pacific Railway, as to selection of route, progress of work, &c.<br>( <i>Printed</i> , 123.) (S. Papers, No. 30.) | By Resolu-<br>tion of 20th<br>Feb., 1882. | 66          |
| 138. List of all lands sold by the Canadian Pacific Railway Co., from 1st October, 1891.<br>( <i>Not printed</i> , 123.) (S. Papers, No. 30a.)   | —   | 66          |
| 139. Correspondence relating to the granting of a subsidy to the Canadian Pacific Railway Co., for the rebuilding of a bridge at St. Michel d'Yamaska.                                 | By Order<br>160                           | —           |
| 140. Statement showing the revenue of the Intercolonial Railway for years 1890 to 1892.<br>( <i>Printed</i> , 122.) (S. Papers, No. 26b.)  | By Order<br>54                            | 104         |

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| 141. Statement showing working expenses of the Intercolonial Railway for years 1890 to 1892.<br>( <i>Printed, 122.</i> ) (S. Papers, No. 26a.)  | By Order<br>54                  | 104         |
| 142. Correspondence relating to the use by the Canadian Pacific Railway of running privileges over the Intercolonial Railway between Halifax and St. John.<br>( <i>Not printed.</i> ) (S. Papers, No. 26d.) | By Order<br>28th March,<br>1892 | 300         |
| 143. Copy of latest time table for passenger trains on the Interecolonial. ( <i>Not printed, 124.</i> ) (S. Papers, No. 26.)  | —                               | Senate.     |
| 144. Papers relating to the claim of C. J. Labrie in connection with the construction of the St. Charles Branch Railway. ( <i>Not printed, 227.</i> ) (S. Papers, No. 60.)                                  | By Order<br>112                 | 177         |
| 145. Statement showing the number of employees dismissed from the Prince Edward Island Railway since 1st March, 1892.   | By Order<br>160                 | —           |
| 146. Order in Council authorizing the Stanstead, Shefford and Chambly Railway to build a bridge over the Richelieu River at St. John's, P.Q.<br>( <i>Not printed 125.</i> ) (S. Papers, No. 44.)            | By Address<br>55                | 108         |
| 147. Copy of Order in Council allowing the Stanstead, Shefford and Chambly Railway Co. to build a wharf at St. John's, P.Q.   | By Address<br>153               | —           |
| 148. Correspondence respecting the granting of a subsidy to the Quebec Oriental Railway.<br>( <i>Not printed, 125.</i> ) (S. Papers, No. 45.)   | By Address<br>56                | 108         |
| 149. Petitions from Municipal Corporations asking that Railways be compelled to build culverts on natural watercourses crossing their lines.<br>( <i>Not printed, 227.</i> ) (S. Papers, No. 61.)           | By Order<br>113                 | 181         |
| 150. Correspondence with Railway Companies which have received subsidies in lands as to the disposition of such lands.  | By Order<br>113                 | —           |
| 151. Correspondence relating to the granting of a subsidy to the Central Ontario Railway Co.<br>( <i>Not printed, 227.</i> ) (S. Papers, No. 62.)   | By Address<br>113               | 181         |
| 152. Return showing the moneys spent in each of the provinces by the Dominion Government on railways, harbours, dredging and public buildings.  | By Order<br>153                 | —           |
| 153. <i>Reciprocity with the United States</i> :—Correspondence in reference to the negotiations with the United States as to reciprocity, canal tolls and wrecking and towing.                             | By Address<br>56                | —           |

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| <i>Receipts and Expenditures :</i>   |                     |                 |
| 154. Ten days' statement of Receipts and Expenditures from 11th to 20th January, 1892 and 1893.<br>( <i>Not printed, 124.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 24.</i> )  | —                   | 36              |
| 155. Similar statement to 31st January.<br>( <i>Not printed, 124.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 24a.</i> )   | —                   | 53              |
| 156. Similar statement to 10th February.<br>( <i>Not printed, 124.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 24b.</i> )  | —                   | 83              |
| 157. Similar statement to 10th March.<br>( <i>Not printed, 227.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 24c.</i> )   | —                   | 159             |
| 158. Similar statement to 20th March.<br>( <i>Not printed, 227.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 24d.</i> )   | —                   | 182             |
| 159. Statement of Receipts and Expenditures from 1st July, 1892, to 31st January, 1893.  | By Order<br>55      | —               |
| 160. <i>Revenue, Dominion</i> :—Statement showing the amount of Revenue paid into the Dominion Treasury by the different provinces.  | By Order<br>153     | —               |
| 161. <i>Rivière du Loup</i> :—Statement of payments made for deepening the Rivière du Loup.  | By Order<br>113     | —               |
| 162. <i>Rustico Breakwater</i> :—Correspondence respecting the state of the Breakwater at Rustico, P.E.I.  | By Order<br>160     | —               |
| 163. <i>Sandford Breakwater</i> :—Correspondence, &c., relating to the threatened destruction of the Breakwater at Sandford, N.S.  | By Order<br>57      | —               |
| 164. <i>Secretary of State</i> :—Annual Report of the Secretary of State, for 1892.<br>( <i>Printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 16.</i> )   | By Com. of<br>H. E. | 131             |
| 165. <i>Small-pox</i> :—Correspondence relating to the introduction of small pox into Victoria and Vancouver, B.C., by the mail steamers from Japan and China.<br>( <i>Not printed, 175.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 56.</i> ) | —                   | Senate.         |
| 166. <i>Soulanges Canal</i> :—Names of tenderers, &c., for section 8 of the Soulanges Canal.<br>( <i>Not printed, 125.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 42.</i> )   | By Order<br>54      | 104             |
| 167. <i>Steam-boat Inspection</i> :—Report of Chairman of Board of Steam-boat Inspection for 1892.<br>( <i>Printed.</i> ) ( <i>S. Papers, No. 11.</i> )  | By Act              | —               |

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| 168. <i>Swine</i> :—Orders in Council regulating the slaughter of swine for exportation in bond, and quarantine regulations governing the importation of such swine for slaughtering in bond.   | By Address<br>56    | —           |
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