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HIS EXCELLENCY THE RIGHT HONORABLE SIR HENRY CHARLES
KEITH PETTY FITZMAURICE, MARQUIS OF LANSDOWNE,
GOVERNOR GENERAL, &c., &c., &c.

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JOHN J. MCGEE,
Deputy Governor.

[L. S.]

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

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS Our Parliament of Canada stands prorogued to the TWELFTH day of the month of JULY instant, at which time, at our CITY OF OTTAWA, you were held and constrained to appear ; Now KNOW YE, that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our Loving Subjects, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council for Canada, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time aforesaid, hereby convoking and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, on the TWENTY-THIRD day of the month of AUGUST next, to meet Us in Our Parliament of Canada, at Our CITY OF OTTAWA, there to take into consideration the state and welfare of Our said Dominion of Canada, and therein to do as may seem necessary. HEREBY 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 Entirely-Beloved Cousin, the Most Honorable Sir HENRY CHARLES KEITH PETTY-FITZMAURICE, Marquis of Lansdowne, in the County of Somerset, Earl of Wycombe, of Chipping Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, Viscount Calne and Calnestone, in the County of Wilts, and Lord Wycombe, Baron of Chipping Wycombe in the County of Bucks, in the Peerage of Great Britain; Earl of Kerry and Earl of Shelbune, Viscount Clanmaurice and Fitzmaurice, Baron of Kerry, Lixnaw, and Dunkerron, in the Peerage of Ireland; Knight Grand Cross of our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor General of Canada, and Vice-Admiral of the same.

At Our Government House, in Our CITY OF OTTAWA, this NINTH day of JULY, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and in the Fiftieth year of Our Reign.

By Command,
RICHARD POPE,
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery,
Canada.

CANADA.



A. G. RUSSELL,
Administrator.

[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 :

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS Our Parliament of Canada stands prorogued to the TWENTY-THIRD 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 enjoying you, and each of you, on the FOURTH day of the month of OCTOBER next, to meet Us in Our Parliament of Canada, at Our CITY OF OTTAWA, there to take into consideration the state and welfare of Our said Dominion of Canada, and therein to do as may seem necessary. HEREBY FAIL NOT.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed. WITNESS, Our Trusty and Well-Beloved General, The Right Honorable LORD ALEXANDER GEORGE RUSSELL, Companion of Our Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Administrator of the Government of Canada, and Commander of Our Forces therein, &c., &c.

At Our Government House, in Our CITY OF OTTAWA, this TWENTIETH day of AUGUST, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and in the Fiftieth year of Our Reign.

By Command,
RICHARD POPE,
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery,
Canada.

CANADA.



A. G. RUSSELL,
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Victoria, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c.

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 :

A PROCLAMATION.

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

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed. WITNESS, Our Trusty and Well-Beloved General, the Right Honorable LORD ALEXANDER GEORGE RUSSELL, Companion of Our Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Administrator of the Government of Canada, and Commander of Our Forces therein, &c., &c.

At Our Government House, in Our CITY OF OTTAWA, this THIRTIETH day of SEPTEMBER, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and in the Fiftieth year of Our Reign.

By Command,
RICHARD POPE,
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery,
Canada.

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:

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS Our Parliament of Canada stands prorogued to the FIFTEENTH day of the month of NOVEMBER instant, at which time at Our CITY OF OTTAWA, you were held and constrained to appear; Now Know YE, that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our Loving Subjects, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council for Canada, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time aforesaid, hereby convoking and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, on the TWENTY-SEVENTH 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. HEREBY 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 Entirely-Beloved Cousin, the Most Honorable Sir HENRY CHARLES KEITH PETTY-FITZMAURICE, Marquis of Lansdowne, in the County of Somerset, Earl of Wycombe, of Chipping Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, Viscount Calne and Calnstone, in the County of Wilts, and Lord Wycombe, Baron of Chipping Wycombe in the County of Bucks, in the Peerage of Great Britain; Earl of Kerry and Earl of Shelburne, Viscount Clannaurice and Fitzmaurice, Baron of Kerry, Lixnaw, and Dunkerron, in the Peerage of Ireland; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor General of Canada, and Vice Admiral of the same.

At Our Government House, in Our CITY OF OTTAWA, this ELEVENTH day of NOVEMBER, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and in the Fiftieth year of Our Reign.

By Command,
 RICHARD POPE,
 Clerk of the Crown in Chancery,
 Canada.

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:

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS Our Parliament of Canada stands prorogued to the TWENTY-SEVENTH day of the month of DECEMBER instant, at which time, at Our CITY OF OTTAWA, you were held and constrained to appear; Now KNOW YE, that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our Loving Subjects, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council for Canada, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time aforesaid, hereby convoking and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, on the FIFTH day of the month of FEBRUARY 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 there to do as may seem necessary. HEREBY 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 Entirely Beloved Cousin, the Most Honorable SIR HENRY CHARLES KEITH PETTY-FITZMAURICE, Marquis of Lansdowne, in the County of Somerset, Earl of Wycombe, of Chipping Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, Viscount Calne and Calstone, in the County of Wilts, and Lord Wycombe, Baron of Chipping Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, in the Peerage of Great Britain; Earl of Kerry and Earl of Shelburne, Viscount Clanmaurice and Fitzmaurice, Baron of Kerry, Lixnaw, and Dunkerron, in the Peerage of Ireland; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor General of Canada and Vice-Admiral of the same.

At Our Government House, in Our CITY OF OTTAWA, this TWENTY-THIRD day of DECEMBER, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and in the Fiftieth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

RICHARD POPE,
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery,
Canada.

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 all whom it may concern—GREETING:

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS We have thought fit, by and with the advice and consent of Our Privy Council for Canada, to DISSOLVE the present Parliament of Canada, which stands prorogued to the FIFTH day FEBRUARY next; Now KNOW YE, that we do for that end publish this Our Royal Proclamation, and do hereby DISSOLVE the said Parliament of Canada accordingly; and the Senators and the Members of the House of Commons are discharged from their meeting and attendance on the said FIFTH day of FEBRUARY next.

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 Entirely Beloved Cousin, the Most Honorable Sir HENRY CHARLES KEITH PETTY-FITZMAURICE, Marquis of Lansdowne, in the County of Somerset, Earl of Wycombe, of Chipping Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, Viscount Calne and Calnstone, in the County of Wilts, and Lord Wycombe, Baron of Chipping Wycombe in the County of Bucks, in the Peerage of Great Britain; Earl of Kerry and Earl of Shelburne, Viscount Clanmaurice and Fitzmaurice, Baron of Kerry, Lixnaw, and Dunkerron, in Peerage of Ireland; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor General of Canada, and Vice Admiral of the same.

At Our Government House, in Our CITY of OTTAWA, the FIFTEENTH day of JANUARY, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and in the Fiftieth year of Our Reign.

By Command,
 RICHARD POPE,
 Clerk of the Crown in Chancery,
 Canada.

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 all to whom these presents shall come—GREETING:

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS We are desirous and resolved, as soon as may be, to meet Our people of Our Dominion of Canada, and to have their advice in Parliament; We do make known Our Royal Will and Pleasure to call a Parliament, and to further declare that by the advice of our Privy Council for Canada, We have this day given Orders for issuing Our Writs in due form, for calling a Parliament in Our said Dominion, which Writs are to bear date on the SEVENTEENTH day of JANUARY instant, to be returnable on the SEVENTH day of APRIL next.

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, Deputy of Our Right Trusty and Entirely-Beloved Cousin, the Most Honorable Sir HENRY CHARLES KEITH PETTY-FITZMAURICE, Marquis of Lansdowne, in the County of Somerset, Earl of Wycombe, of Chipping Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, Viscount Calne and Calnstone, in the County of Wilts, and Lord Wycombe, Baron of Chipping Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, in the Peerage of Great Britain; Earl of Kerry and Earl of Shelburne, Viscount Clanmaurice and Fitzmaurice, Baron of Kerry, Lixnaw and Dunkerron, in the Peerage of Ireland; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor General of Canada, and Vice Admiral of the same.

At Our Government House, in Our CITY OF OTTAWA, this FIFTEENTH day of JANUARY, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and in the Fiftieth year of Our Reign.

By Command,
 RICHARD POPE,
 Clerk of the Crown in Chancery,
 Canada.

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 all whom these presents shall come—GREETING :

KNOW YE, that We, being desirous and resolved as soon as may be, to meet Our People of Our Dominion of Canada, and to have their advice in Parliament, do hereby, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council of Canada, summon and call together the House of Commons in and for Our said Dominion, to meet at Our CITY OF OTTAWA, in Our said Dominion, on THURSDAY, the SEVENTH day of APRIL next, then and there to have conference and treaty with the Great Men and Senate of Our said Dominion.

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 Entirely-Beloved Cousin, the Most Honorable Sir HENRY CHARLES KEITH PETTY-FITZMAURICE, Marquis of Lansdowne, in the County of Somerset, Earl of Wycombe, of Chipping Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, Viscount Calne and Calstone in the County of Wilts, and Lord Wycombe, Baron of Chipping Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, in the Peerage of Great Britain; Earl of Kerry and Earl of Shelburne, Viscount Clanmaurice and Fitzmaurice, Baron of Kerry, Lixnaw, and Dunkerron, in the Peerage of Ireland; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor General of Canada and Vice Admiral of the same.

At Our Government House, in Our CITY OF OTTAWA, this FIFTEENTH day of JANUARY, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and in the Fiftieth year of Our Reign.

By Command,
RICHARD POPE,
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery,
Canada.

CANADA.



JOHN J. MCGEE,
Deputy Governor.

[L.S.]

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

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

WHEREAS the Meeting of Our Parliament of Canada stands Prorogued to the SEVENTH day of the month of APRIL next, NEVERTHELESS, for certain causes and considerations, We have thought fit further to prorogue the same, so that neither you, nor any of you, on the said day at Our CITY OF OTTAWA to appear are to be held and constrained: for WE DO WILL THAT you and each of you, be as to Us, in this matter, entirely exonerated; commanding, and by the tenor of these presents, enjoining you, and each of you, and all others in this behalf interested, that on WEDNESDAY, the THIRTEENTH day of the month of APRIL 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 favor of God be ordained.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed. WITNESS, JOHN J. MCGEE, Esquire, Deputy of Our Right Trusty and Entirely Beloved Cousin, the Most Honorable Sir HENRY CHARLES KEITH PETTY-FITZMAURICE, Marquis of Lansdowne, in the County of Somerset, Earl of Wycombe, of Chipping Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, Viscount Calne and Calnstone, in the County of Wilts, and Lord Wycombe, Baron of Chipping Wycombe in the County of Bucks, in the Peerage of Great Britain; Earl of Kerry and Earl of Shelburne, Viscount Clanmaurice and Fitzmaurice, Baron of Kerry, Lixnaw, and Dunkerron, in the Peerage of Ireland; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor General of Canada, and Vice Admiral of the same.

At Our Government House, in OUR CITY OF OTTAWA, this THIRD day of MARCH, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and in the Fiftieth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

RICHARD POPE,

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery,
Canada.

JOURNALS
OF
THE SENATE
OF
CANADA.

Wednesday, 13th April, 1887.

Wednesday the thirteenth day of April, in the fiftieth year of the reign of Our Sovereign Lady Queen Victoria, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, being the First Session of the Sixth Parliament, of the Dominion of Canada, as continued by Prorogation to this day.

The Members in attendance in the Senate Chamber in the City of Ottawa, were :—

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archibald,
Armand,
Bellerose,
Chaffers,
Clemow,
Cochrane,
Flint,
Glasier,
Gowan,*

*Lacoste,
Leonard,
Lewin,
McClelan,
McInnes (B.C.),
McKindsey,
McMaster,
McMillan,*

*MacInnes,
Miller,
Montgomery,
O'Donohoe,
Piquet,
Pelletier,
Plumb,
Read,*

*Robitaille,
Scott,
Smith,
Sutherland,
Thibaudeau,
Trudel,
Vidal,
Wark.*

PRAYERS.

The Members of the Senate were informed that a Commission under the Great Seal had been issued, appointing the Honorable Josiah Burr Plumb to be the Speaker of the Senate.

The said Commission was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

CANADA.



Lansdowne.

[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 the Honorable Josiah Burr Plumb, a Senator of Our Dominion of Canada.

GREETING :

Jno. S. D. THOMPSON, } Know You, that reposing special trust and confidence
 Attorney General, } in your loyalty, integrity and ability—we do hereby
 Canada. } nominate, constitute and appoint you the said The
 Honorable Josiah Burr Plumb to be the Speaker of the Senate of Our Dominion of
 Canada, in the room and stead of the Honorable William Miller.

To have, hold, exercise and enjoy the said office of Speaker of the Senate of Our Dominion of Canada, unto you the said The Honorable Josiah Burr Plumb, with all and every the powers, rights, authority, privileges, profits, emoluments, and advantages, unto the said office of right and by law appertaining during pleasure.

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 Entirely-Beloved Cousin, the Most Honorable Sir HENRY CHARLES KEITH PETTY-FITZMAURICE, Marquis of Lansdowne, in the County of Somerset, Earl of Wycombe, of Chipping-Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, Viscount Caln and Calnstone in the County of Wilts, and Lord Wycombe, Baron of Chipping-Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, in the Peerage of Great Britain; Earl of Kerry and Earl of Shelburne, Viscount Clanmaurice and Fitzmaurice, Baron of Kerry, Lixnaw, and Dunkerron, in the Peerage of Ireland; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor General of Canada, and Vice-Admiral of the same. At our Government House, in Our City of Ottawa, this Fourth day of April, in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-seven, and in the Fiftieth Year of Our Reign.

By Command.

J. A. CHAPLEAU,
 Secretary of State.

The Honorable the Speaker then took the Chair at the foot of the Throne, to which he was conducted by the Honorable Messieurs Smith and Robitaille, the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod preceding.

The Mace (which before lay under the Table) was then laid upon the Table, and it was

Ordered, That the said Mace be carried before His Honor.

The Honorable the Speaker reported to the House that the Clerk had received a communication from the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, and

The same was then read by the Clerk.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journal, and it is as follows:—

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, CANADA,
OTTAWA, 12th January, 1887.

This is to certify that His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased to summon to the Senate, by Letters Patent, under the Great Seal, bearing date the twelfth day of January, instant, Samuel Merner, of the Village of New Hamburg, in the Province of Ontario, Esquire.

R. POPE,

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery for Canada.

To EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN, Esquire,

Clerk of the Senate.

The Honorable the Speaker reported to the House that the Clerk had received a communication from the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, and

The same was then read by the Clerk.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journal, and it is as follows:—

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, CANADA,
OTTAWA, 12th January, 1887.

This is to certify that His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased to summon to the Senate, by Letters Patent, under the Great Seal, bearing date the twelfth day of January, instant, Charles Eusèbe Casgrain, of the Town of Windsor, in the Province of Ontario, Doctor of Medicine.

R. POPE,

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery for Canada.

To EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN, Esquire, •

Clerk of the Senate.

The Honorable the Speaker reported to the House that the Clerk had received a communication from the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, and

The same was then read by the Clerk.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journal, and it is as follows:—

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, CANADA,
OTTAWA, 5th April, 1887.

This is to certify that His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased to summon to the Senate, by Letters Patent, under the Great Seal, bearing date the twenty-fifth day of January, last, Louis Adelard Senecal, of Montreal, Esquire, and to appoint him for the Electoral Division of Mille Isles, in the Province of Quebec, in the room of the Honorable Louis R. Masson, resigned.

R. POPE,

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery for Canada.

To EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN, Esquire,

Clerk of the Senate.

The Honorable the Speaker reported to the House that the Clerk had received a communication from the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, and
The same was then read by the Clerk.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journal, and it is as follows :—

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, CANADA,
OTTAWA, 5th April, 1887.

This is to certify that His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased to summon to the Senate, by Letters Patent, under the Great Seal, bearing date the fourth day of February, last, Lachlan McCallum, of Stromness, Esquire, in and for the Province of Ontario.

R. POPE,
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery for Canada.

To EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN, Esquire,
Clerk of the Senate.

The Honorable the Speaker reported to the House that the Clerk had received a communication from the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, and
The same was then read by the Clerk.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journal, and it is as follows :—

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, CANADA,
OTTAWA, 5th April, 1887.

This is to certify that His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased to summon to the Senate, by Letters Patent, under the Great Seal, bearing date the eighth day of February, last, William E. Sanford, of Hamilton, merchant, in and for the Province of Ontario, in the room of the Honorable Sir Alexander Campbell, K.C.M.G., resigned.

R. POPE,
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery for Canada.

To EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN, Esquire,
Clerk of the Senate.

The Honorable the Speaker informed the House, that there was a Member without ready to be introduced, when the Honorable Louis Adelard Senecal was introduced between the Honorable Messieurs Lacoste and Robitaille.

The Honorable Mr. Senecal presented Her Majesty's Writ summoning him to the Senate.

The same was then read by the Clerk, and

Ordered, to be put upon the Journal, and it is as follows :—

CANADA.



Lansdowne.

[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 Trusty and Well-Beloved Louis Adelard Senecal, of the City of Montreal, Esquire, of the Province of Quebec, in Our Dominion of Canada.

GREETING :

KNOW YE, that as well for the especial trust and confidence We have manifested

in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion, and We do appoint you for the Mille Isles Electoral Division of Our Province of Quebec, and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear for the purposes aforesaid in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden: and this you are in no wise to omit.

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 Entirely-Beloved Cousin, the Most Honorable Sir HENRY CHARLES KEITH PETTY-FITZMAURICE, Marquis of Lansdowne, in the County of Somerset, Earl of Wycombe, of Chipping-Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, Viscount Caln and Calnstone, in the County of Wilts, and Lord Wycombe, Baron of Chipping-Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, in the Peerage of Great Britain; Earl of Kerry and Earl of Shelburne, Viscount Clanmaurice and Fitzmaurice, Baron of Kerry, Lixnaw, and Dunkerron, in the Peerage of Ireland; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor General of Canada, and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c., &c., &c. At our Government House, in Our City of Ottawa, this Twenty-fifth day of January, in the Year of Our Lord, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-seven, and in the Fiftieth Year of Our Reign.

By Command.

R. POPE,

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, Canada.

The Honorable the Speaker informed the House, that there was a Member without ready to be introduced, when the Honorable Lachlan McCallum was introduced between the Honorable Messieurs Smith and Flint.

The Honorable Mr. McCallum presented Her Majesty's Writ summoning him to the Senate.

The same was then read by the Clerk, and Ordered, to be put upon the Journal, and it is as follows:—

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.

To Our Trusty and Well-Beloved Lachlan McCallum, Esquire, of Our Province of Ontario, in Our Dominion of Canada.

GREETING:

KNOW YE, that as well for the especial trust and confidence We have manifested in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion, and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden: and this you are in no wise to omit.

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 Entirely-Beloved Cousin, the Most Honorable Sir HENRY CHARLES KEITH PETTY-FITZMAURICE, Marquis of Lansdowne, in the County of Somerset, Earl of Wycombe, of Chipping-Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, Viscount Caln and Calnstone in the County of Wilts, and Lord Wycombe, Baron of Chipping-Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, in the Peerage of Great Britain; Earl of Kerry and Earl of Shelburne, Viscount Clanmaurice and Fitzmaurice, Baron of Kerry, Lixnaw, and Dunkerron, in the Peerage of Ireland; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor General of Canada, and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c., &c., &c. At our Government House, in Our City of Ottawa, in Our Dominion of Canada, this Fourth day of February, in the Year of Our Lord, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-seven, and in the Fiftieth Year of Our Reign.

By Command.

R. POPE,

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, Canada.

The Honorable the Speaker informed the House, that there was a Member without ready to be introduced, when the Honorable William E. Sanford was introduced between the Honorable Messieurs Smith and Flint.

The Honorable Mr. Sanford presented Her Majesty's Writ summoning him to the Senate.

The same was then read by the Clerk, and

Ordered, to be put upon the Journal, and it is as follows :—

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 Trusty and Well-Beloved William E. Sanford, of the City of Hamilton, in Our Province of Ontario, in Our Dominion of Canada.

GREETING :

KNOW YE, that as well for the especial trust and confidence We have manifested in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion, and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden: and this you are in no wise to omit.

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 Entirely-Beloved Cousin, the Most Honorable Sir HENRY CHARLES KEITH PETTY-FITZMAURICE, Marquis of Lansdowne, in the County of Somerset, Earl of Wycombe, of Chipping-Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, Viscount

Caln and Calnstone in the County of Wilts, and Lord Wycombe, Baron of Chipping-Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, in the Peerage of Great Britain; Earl of Kerry and Earl of Shelburne, Viscount Clanmaurice and Fitzmaurice, Baron of Kerry, Lixnaw, and Dunkerron, in the Peerage of Ireland; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor General of Canada, and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c., &c., &c. At Our Government House, in Our City of Ottawa, in Our Dominion of Canada, this Eighth day of February, in the Year of Lord, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-seven, and in the Fiftieth Year of Our Reign.

By Command.

R. POPE,

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, Canada.

The Honorable the Speaker informed the House, that there was a Member without ready to be introduced, when the Honorable Charles Eusèbe Casgrain was introduced between the Honorable Messieurs Smith and Robitaille.

The Honorable Mr. Casgrain presented Her Majesty's Writ summoning him to the Senate.

The same was then read by the Clerk, and

Ordered, to be put upon the Journal, and it is as follows:—

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.

To Our Trusty and Well-Beloved Charles Eusèbe Casgrain, of the Town of Windsor, Doctor of Medicine, of Our Province of Ontario, in Our Dominion of Canada.

GREETING:

KNOW YE, that as well for the especial trust and confidence We have manifested in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern. We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion, and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden: and this you are in no wise to omit.

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 Entirely-Beloved Cousin, the Most Honorable Sir HENRY CHARLES KEITH PETTY-FITZMAURICE, Marquis of Lansdowne, in the County of Somerset, Earl of Wycombe, of Chipping-Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, Viscount Caln and Calnstone in the County of Wilts, and Lord Wycombe, Baron of Chipping-Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, in the Peerage of Great Britain; Earl of Kerry and Earl of Shelburne, Viscount Clanmaurice and Fitzmaurice, Baron of Kerry, Lixnaw, and Dunkerron, in the Peerage of Ireland; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished

Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor General of Canada, and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c., &c., &c. At Our Government House, in Our City of Ottawa, in Our Dominion of Canada, this Twelfth day of January, in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-seven, and in the Fiftieth Year of Our Reign.

By Command.

R. POPE,
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, Canada.

Whereupon the Honorable Messieurs Senecal, McCallum, Sanford and Casgrain came to the Table and took and subscribed the oath prescribed by law, which was administered by Edouard Joseph Langevin, Esquire, one of the Commissioners appointed for that purpose, and took their seats accordingly.

The Honorable the Speaker then acquainted the House that the Clerk of the Senate had laid upon the Table the certificate of one of the Commissioners setting forth that the Honorable Messieurs Senecal, McCallum, Sanford and Casgrain, Members of the Senate, had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required by the British North America Act, 1867.

The Honorable the Speaker presented to the House the following communication from His Excellency the Governor General's Secretary.

OTTAWA, 9th April, 1887.

SIR,—I am directed by His Excellency the Governor General to inform you that the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Canada, in his capacity as Deputy Governor, will proceed to the Senate Chamber to open the Session of the Dominion Parliament, on Wednesday, the 13th instant, at three o'clock.

I have the honor to be, Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

HENRY STREATFIELD, Captain,
Governor General's Secretary.

The Honorable
The Speaker of the Senate.

The House was adjourned during pleasure.

After some time the House was resumed.

The Honorable William Johnstone Ritchie, Knight, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Canada, Deputy Governor, being seated in the Chair on the Throne,

The Honorable the Speaker commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House,—“It is the Deputy Governor's desire that they attend him immediately in this House.”

Who, being come,

The Honorable the Speaker said :—

Honorable Gentlemen of the Senate :

Gentlemen of the House of Commons :

I have it in command to let you know that His Excellency the Governor General does not see fit to declare the causes of his summoning the present Parliament of

Canada until a Speaker of the House of Commons shall have been chosen according to law, but to-morrow, at the hour of three o'clock in the afternoon, His Excellency will declare the causes of his calling this Parliament.

The Deputy Governor was pleased to retire, and the House of Commons withdrew.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery,

The House adjourned until To-morrow, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon.

Thursday, 14th April, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>McDonald,</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Archibald,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>McMaster,</i>	<i>Sanford,</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Schultz,</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Hamilton,</i>	<i>MacInnes,</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Smith,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Clemow.</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Leónard,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Thibaudeau,</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>Piquet,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Ferrier,</i>	<i>McClelan.</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>

PRAYERS.

The Honorable the Speaker reported to the House that the Clerk had received a Certificate from the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, and

The same was then read by the Clerk.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journal, and it is as follows:—

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, CANADA,
OTTAWA, 13th April, 1887.

This is to certify that His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased to summon to the Senate, by Letters Patent, under the Great Seal, bearing date the twelfth day of April, instant, the Honorable John Jones Ross, of Ste. Anne de la Pérade, and to appoint him for the Electoral Division of De la Durantaye, in the Province of Quebec, *vice* the Honorable Jean Charles Chapais, deceased.

R. POPE,

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery for Canada.

To EDUARD J. LANGEVIN, Esquire,
Clerk of the Senate.

The Honorable the Speaker informed the House, that there was a Member without ready to be introduced,

When the Honorable Samuel Merner was introduced between the Honorable Messieurs Smith and Flint.

The Honorable Mr. Merner presented Her Majesty's Writ summoning him to the Senate.

The same was then read by the Clerk, and

Ordered, to be put upon the Journal, and it is as follows:—

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.

To Our Trusty and Well-Beloved Samuel Merner, of the Village of New Hamburg, Esquire, of Our Province of Ontario, in Our Dominion of Canada.

GREETING:

KNOW YE, that as well for the especial trust and confidence We have manifested in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion, and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whencesoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden: and this you are in no wise to omit.

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 Entirely-Beloved Cousin, the Most Honorable Sir HENRY CHARLES KEITH PETTY-FITZMAURICE, Marquis of Lansdowne, in the County of Somerset, Earl of Wycombe, of Chipping-Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, Viscount Caln and Calstone in the County of Wilts, and Lord Wycombe, Baron of Chipping-Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, in the Peerage of Great Britain; Earl of Kerry and Earl of Shelburne, Viscount Clancourie and Fitzmaurice, Baron of Kerry, Lixnaw and Dunkerron, in the Peerage of Ireland; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor General of Canada, and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c., &c., &c. At Our Government House, in Our City of Ottawa, in Our Dominion of Canada, this Twelfth day of January, in the Year of Our Lord, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-seven, and in the Fiftieth Year of Our Reign.

By Command.

R. POPE,

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, Canada.

The Honorable Mr. Merner came to the Table, and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by Law, which was administered by Edouard Joseph Langevin, Esquire, a Commissioner appointed for that purpose, and took his seat accordingly.

The Honorable the Speaker acquainted the House, that the Clerk of the Senate had laid upon the Table, a Certificate of the Commissioner, setting forth that the Honorable Samuel Merner, a Member of the Senate, had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required by the British North America Act, 1867.

The House was adjourned during pleasure.

The House was resumed.

His Excellency the Most Honorable Sir HENRY CHARLES KEITH PETTY-FITZMAURICE, Marquis of Lansdowne, in the County of Somerset, Earl of Wycombe, of Chipping-Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, Viscount Caln and Calstone in the County of Wilts, and Lord Wycombe, Baron of Chipping-Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, in the Peerage of Great Britain; Earl of Kerry and Earl of Shelburne, Viscount Clanmaurice and Fitzmaurice, Baron of Kerry, Lixnaw and Dunkerron, in the Peerage of Ireland; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor General of Canada, and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c., &c., &c., being seated on the Chair on the Throne,

The Honorable the Speaker commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House,—“It is His Excellency's pleasure they attend him immediately in this House,”

Who, being come,

The Honourable Joseph Alderic Ouimet said:—

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY:

The House of Commons have elected me as their Speaker, though I am but little able to fulfil the important duties thus assigned to me.

If, in the performance of those duties, I should at any time fall into error, I pray that the fault may be imputed to me, and not to the Commons, whose servant I am, and who through me, the better to enable them to discharge their duty to their Queen and Country, humbly claim all their undoubted rights and privileges, especially that they may have freedom of speech in their debates, access to Your Excellency's person at all seasonable times, and that their proceedings may receive from Your Excellency the most favorable consideration.

The Honorable the Speaker of the Senate said:—

MR. SPEAKER,

I am commanded by His Excellency the Governor General to declare to you that he freely confides in the duty and attachment of the House of Commons to Her Majesty's person and Government, and not doubting that their proceedings will be conducted with wisdom, temper, and prudence, he grants, and upon all occasions will recognize and allow, their constitutional privileges.

I am commanded also to assure you, that the Commons shall have ready access to His Excellency upon all seasonable occasions, and that their proceedings, as well as your words and actions, will constantly receive from him the most favorable construction.

His Excellency the Governor General was then pleased to open the Session by a Gracious Speech to both Houses.

Honorable Gentlemen of the Senate:

Gentlemen of the House of Commons:

It is my pleasing duty on the opening of a new Parliament to congratulate you on the general prosperity of the country and on the prospect of a coming season of peace and progress.

You will, I am sure, gladly join with the rest of the loyal subjects of the Queen in offering Her Majesty your sincere congratulations on Her having reached the fiftieth anniversary of Her accession to the Throne, and in giving expression to an earnest hope that she may be long spared to reign over Her vast Dominions.

The prominent position taken by Canada at the Colonial and Indian Exhibition, recently held in London, has made the Dominion more widely and favorably known than before, and will, I have no doubt, contribute largely to its material progress by calling attention to the advantages offered by our country to the agriculturist, and by attracting the capital necessary for the development of its great natural resources.

Negotiations between Her Majesty's Government and that of the United States on the Fishery Question, with respect to which my Government has been fully informed and consulted, are still in progress, and will, we may be permitted to hope, result in an arrangement honorable and satisfactory to both nations.

Meanwhile the necessary provision has been made for the protection of our in-shore fisheries. The papers on this subject will be laid before you.

Your attention will be invited to the expediency of establishing a Department of Trade and Commerce, under the supervision of a responsible Minister.

You will also be asked to consider the propriety of making such improvement in the organization of the Departments of Justice, Customs, and Inland Revenue, as will provide greater facilities for the despatch of the large and increasing volume of business with which those Departments are charged.

A measure will be submitted to you giving representation in the Senate to the North-West Territories in addition to that which they now possess in the House of Commons.

Other measures will be laid before you, and among them will be found Bills for the amendment of the Acts relating to Government Railways, for providing a better mode of trial of claims against the Crown, for the improvement of the Procedure in Criminal Cases, and for the further amendment of the Chinese Immigration Act.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons :

You will be asked, in order to provide against the possible interruption of the navigation of our great inland waters, for an appropriation in aid of the construction of a canal to connect the waters of Lakes Huron and Superior at Sault Ste. Marie.

The accounts for the past year will be laid before you, as well as the Estimates for the ensuing year. They have been prepared with due regard to economy and the requirements of the Public service.

Honorable Gentlemen of the Senate :

Gentlemen of the House of Commons :

I commend these important subjects and the others which may be laid before you to your best consideration, with full confidence in your earnest desire to promote the development and well-being of Canada.

His Excellency the Governor General was pleased to retire, and the House of Commons withdrew.

The Honorable Mr. Smith presented to the House, a Bill intituled "An Act relating to Railways."

The said Bill was read for the first time.

The Honorable the Speaker reported His Excellency's Speech from the Throne, and the same was then read by the Clerk.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery, it was

Ordered, That the House do take into consideration the Speech of His Excellency the Governor General on Monday next.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery, it was -

Ordered, That all the Members present during this Session be appointed a Committee to consider the Orders and Customs of this House and Privileges of Parliament, and that the said Committee have leave to meet in this House, when and as often as they please.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery,

The House adjourned.

Friday, 15th April, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Ferrier,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>
<i>Archibald,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>McMaster,</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Sanford,</i>
<i>Botsford,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Schultz,</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Hamilton,</i>	<i>MacInnes,</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Smith,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Olemov,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>DeBlots,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Paquet,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>			

PRAYERS.

The following Petition was brought up, and laid on the Table:—

By the Honorable Mr. Carvell,—Of the St. Gabriel Levee and Railway Company.

The Honorable the Speaker presented to the House,—The Report of the Joint Librarians on the state of the Library of Parliament, for the year 1886.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TO THE HONORABLE THE SPEAKER OF THE SENATE.

The Librarians of Parliament have the honor to report as follows:—

Since the last Session, in consequence of a visit of one of the Library staff to the United States, a large number of the Public Documents of the United States hitherto

missing from our collection, have been added to the shelves, making the collection of American Congressional Documents almost complete.

Special attention has been paid to the literature dealing with the great questions of the day; and Members will find on the shelves all works that could be obtained or that were considered valuable concerning the relations of Capital and Labor, the operation of the Commissions of Industrial Statistics in the United States, and the working the system of Railway Commissioners in England.

Since last year a number of works of the first rank in German literature have been added to the Library, at the suggestion of an Honorable Member of the Senate accepted by the Library Committee. Translations also of the principal German classics have been provided for the use of Members.

The Librarians desire to call the attention of Parliament to the need for providing a good general Index to the reports of Parliamentary Proceedings in both Houses. The volumes of Hansard since 1875 now make a formidable array, and a general index to the series would be gladly welcomed by Members.

In order that such a work may be complete the Librarians venture to suggest the reprinting of the debates from 1867 to 1875, at which date the present series of Hansard Debates begin. The debates from 1867 to 1871 are contained in scrap-books seldom available for the use of Members generally. The debates for 1870-71-72 are now out of print and not obtainable. There are no reports for 1873-74. If these debates were reprinted and revised under the charge of an impartial and capable man a very valuable work would be done in preserving a continuous record of the political history of the Dominion.

Several valuable additions have been made to the American and Canadian section during the past year. Among them are four of the Relations des Jésuites; Boucher Histoire de la Nouvelle France, 1664,—all original editions; and a journal of Chas. Carrol's visit to Canada as one of the Commissioners from Congress in 1776. It may be here remarked that, owing to the increase in the numbers and activity of American and English collectors, the price of rare works is steadily going up, and that special efforts should be made to secure, as occasion offers, those that are still required to complete the Library collection.

Enough progress has been made in this section of the Library to warrant the reprinting the American and Canadian Catalogue. It was first published long before the union of the British North American Provinces, and contains reference more particularly to works relating to the then Province of Canada. Since the date of its issue, 1857, the additions to that section of the Library have been so large that the Catalogue has become practically useless. Moreover this Catalogue, as it stands in the Library with the additions, does not contain the titles of the numerous pamphlets that have been published during the interval, in the classes where they should be found; it having been decided at the outset to keep in the Library a list, only, of these publications. Time, and the large number of pamphlets, have shown that it would be preferable to classify them along with larger works.

The publication of a new edition of the American Catalogue, or of the Canadian section only, would be very useful to Members of Parliament, besides supplying to writers of biography and history valuable data on Canadian bibliography.

It is much to be desired that Members of Parliament would not seek to extend the number of persons privileged to obtain books from the Library, a number already much too large; and that in returning books during the Session, messengers and pages should be instructed to see that the books are duly credited to the Member returning them. The neglect of this necessary precaution causes frequent misunderstanding.

The Catalogue of the accessions to the Library during the past year will be found to be an improved subject and author Catalogue. It will be distributed immediately to Members, bound, according to the order of the Printing Committee (obtained by the Librarians last Session) in such a manner as will enable Members to readily distinguish it from the blue books. Particular attention is directed to the list of donations and of pamphlet volumes, &c.

The Librarians have to acknowledge with much pleasure the gift of a bust of the Duke of Newcastle, formerly Colonial Secretary, presented to the Library by the Right Honorable Sir John Macdonald. This bust, the work of a distinguished Sculptor, has been duly placed in the Library and forms a valuable addition to the Statuary by which the Library is adorned.

The Librarians have also to acknowledge the receipt from the British Government of the numerous, costly and most valuable reports of the Challenger Expedition which were sent to the Library on the application of the Honorable the Secretary of State, through the High Commissioner in London. These reports have been carefully indexed, and their contents swell the Scientific Section of the Catalogue of additions.

The Librarians have also to acknowledge the great courtesy of the Honorable the Secretary of State at Washington in promising for the use of the Library, the extensive and valuable records of the late Civil War, which are in course of publication. The great courtesy of the officers of the United States Government and of the various States in supplying the Library with reports that are asked for, makes us regret that we have so little to offer them in return.

Among the donations of the year is one from Hon. Mr. Haythorne, of the Senate, a member of the Library Committee, consisting of a valuable collection of the Laws of Prince Edward Island from the earliest period of the Island's legislative history. An example so well set may well be recommended to those gentlemen who, having passed many years in public life, have accumulated large stores of valuable public documents and pamphlets, for which the only permanent place of deposit for useful purposes is the Parliamentary Library.

The number of books added to the Library during the past two years is estimated to be about 9,500 volumes, making the total number of volumes 120,694.

Annexed will be found a table showing the circulation of Library books during the year. If the large figures induce Members to aid in diminishing the number of persons who have access to the Library, the institution, intended as a Library of reference for Members of Parliament, will benefit greatly.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

A. DECELLES, G.L.
MARTIN J. GRIFFIN, P.L.

(For List of Copyrights, Donations, &c., Vide Sessional Papers, No. 17.)

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honorable the Speaker presented to the House,—A statement of affairs of the British Canadian Loan and Investment Company up to 31st December, 1886.

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

(Vide Sessional Papers, No. 27.)

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford,

The House adjourned until Monday next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Monday, 18th April, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Archibald,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>McMaster,</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Sanford,</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Guvremont,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Schultz,</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Macfarlane,</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Botsford,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Smith,</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Facoste,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Sullivan,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Olemow,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>	<i>Turner,</i>
<i>DeBlois,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Pdquet,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>

PRAYERS.

The Honorable the Speaker informed the House that there was a Member without ready to be introduced, when the Honorable John Jones Ross was introduced between the Honorable Messieurs Smith and Robitaille.

The Honorable Mr. Ross presented Her Majesty's Writ summoning him to the Senate.

The same was then read by the Clerk, and

Ordered, to be put upon the Journal, and it is as follows :—

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 Trusty and Well-Beloved the Honorable John Jones Ross, of Ste. Anne de la Pérade, in our Province of Quebec, in our Dominion of Canada.

GREETING :

KNOW YE, that as well for the special trust and confidence We have manifested in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and

arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion, and We do appoint you for the De la Durantaye Electoral Division of our Province of Quebec, and command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear for the purposes aforesaid in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden : and this you are in no wise to omit.

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 Entirely-Beloved Cousin, the Most Honorable Sir HENRY CHARLES KEITH PETTY-FITZMAURICE, Marquis of Lansdowne, in the County of Somerset, Earl of Caln and Calnstone in the County of Wilts, and Lord Wycombe, Baron of Chipping-Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, in the Peerage of Great Britain; Earl of Kerry and Earl of Shelburne, Viscount Clanmaurice and Fitzmaurice, Baron of Kerry, Lixnaw and Dunkerron, in the Peerage of Ireland; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor General of Canada, and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c., &c., &c. At our Government House, in Our City of Ottawa, in our Dominion of Canada, this Twelfth day of April, in the Year of Our Lord, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-seven, and in the Fiftieth Year of Our Reign.

By Command.

R. POPE,
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, Canada.

Whereupon the Honorable Mr. Ross came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by Edouard Joseph Langevin, Esquire, one of the Commissioners appointed for that purpose, and took his seat accordingly.

The Honorable the Speaker then acquainted the House that the Clerk of the Senate had laid upon the Table the Certificate of one of the Commissioners setting forth that the Honorable Mr. Ross, a Member of the Senate, had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required by the British North America Act, 1867.

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

By the Honorable Mr. Almon,—Of John P. Mott, President, and Charles Longard, Secretary-Treasurer of the Nova Scotia Permanent Benefit Building Society and Savings Fund.

By the Honorable Mr. McCallum,—Of the Brantford, Waterloo and Lake Erie Railway Company.

By the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie,—Of Marie Louise Noel, formerly of the Town (now City) of Sherbrooke, in the District of Saint Francis, and Province of Quebec, now of the City of Philadelphia, in the State of Pennsylvania, one of the United States of America.

By the Honorable Mr. Sanford,—Of the Hamilton, Guelph and Buffalo Railway Company.

By the Honorable Mr. Gowan,—Of Thomas Long, and others, of the Town of Collingwood, in the Province of Ontario; and of the Western Assurance Company.

The Honorable Mr. Smith, a member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—The Report of the Minister of Justice as to Penitentiaries in Canada, for the year ended 30th June, 1886.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 4.*)

The Honorable Mr. Smith, a member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—The Annual Report of the Department of Indian Affairs, for the year ended 31st December, 1886.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 6.*)

The Honorable Mr. Smith, a member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—A return to an Address of the Senate dated 28th May, 1886, for a copy of the Minute of the Treasury Board and Orders in Council appointing the late John Gray, Deputy Collector of Inland Revenue at Prescott, and also a copy of the Order in Council or other Order cancelling said appointment, with their respective dates.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 23.*)

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of His Excellency's Speech from the Throne at the opening of Parliament,

The Honorable Mr. McCallum moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Casgrain,

That the following 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 Most Honorable Sir HENRY CHARLES KEITH PETTY-FITZMAURICE, Marquess of Lansdowne, in the County of Somerset, Earl of Wycombe, of Chipping-Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, Viscount Caln and Calnstone in the County of Wilts, and Lord Wycombe, Baron of Chipping-Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, in the Peerage of Great Britain; Earl of Kerry and Earl of Shelburne, Viscount Clanmaurice and Fitzmaurice, Baron of Kerry, Lixnaw and Dunkerron, in the Peerage of Ireland; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor General of Canada.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY :—

We, Her Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Senate of Canada in Parliament assembled, humbly thank Your Excellency for your gracious Speech at the opening of this Session.

We rejoice that it is Your Excellency's pleasing duty on the opening of a new Parliament to congratulate us on the general prosperity of the country and on the prospect of a coming season of peace and progress.

We respectfully beg leave to assure Your Excellency that we gladly join with the rest of the loyal subjects of the Queen in offering Her Majesty our sincere congratulations on Her having reached the fiftieth anniversary of Her accession to the Throne, and in giving expression to an earnest hope that she may be long spared to reign over Her vast Dominions.

It affords us great pleasure to learn that the prominent position taken by Canada at the Colonial and Indian Exhibition recently held in London has made the Dominion more widely and favorably known than before, and we concur in Your

Excellency's expression of opinion that it will, no doubt, contribute largely to its material progress by calling attention to the advantages offered by our country to the agriculturist, and by attracting the capital necessary for the development of its great natural resources.

We learn with much interest that negotiations between Her Majesty's Government and that of the United States on the Fishery Question, with respect to which Your Excellency's Government has been fully informed and consulted, are still in progress, and will, we may be permitted to hope, result in an arrangement honorable and satisfactory to both nations.

We thank Your Excellency for informing us that meanwhile the necessary provision has been made for the protection of our inshore fisheries, and that the papers on this subject will be laid before us.

Your Excellency having been pleased to intimate that our attention will be invited to the expediency of establishing a Department of Trade and Commerce under the supervision of a responsible Minister, we beg leave to assure Your Excellency that the subject shall receive our most careful consideration.

We hear with pleasure that we shall also be asked to consider the propriety of making such improvement in the organization of the Departments of Justice, Customs, and Inland Revenue, as will provide greater facilities for the despatch of the large and increasing volume of business with which those Departments are charged.

We receive with great interest the information that a measure will be submitted to us giving representation in the Senate to the North-West Territories in addition to that which they now possess in the House of Commons.

We also thank Your Excellency for informing us that other measures will be laid before us, and that among them will be found Bills for the amendment of the Acts relating to Government Railways, for providing a better mode of trial of claims against the Crown, for the improvement of the Procedure in Criminal Cases, and for the further amendment of the Chinese Immigration Act.

We humbly beg leave to assure Your Excellency that these important subjects and the others which may be laid before us shall receive our best consideration, and that Your Excellency may have full confidence in our earnest desire to promote the development and well-being of Canada.

After Debate,

The question of concurrence being put thereon, it was unanimously resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General by such Members of this House as are Members of the Privy Council.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Botsford, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery,

The House adjourned.

Tuesday, 19th April, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McMaster,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Archibald,</i>	<i>Glazier,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Ross (Laurentides),</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>Macfarlane,</i>	<i>Ross</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Macpherson</i>	<i>(de la Durantaye),</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>(Sir David Lewis),</i>	<i>Sanford,</i>
<i>Botsford,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Lacoste,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Smith,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Sullivan,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>	<i>Turner,</i>
<i>DeBlois,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Pâquet,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>	

PRAYERS.

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

By the Honorable Mr. Cochrane,—Of John B. Daly, and others, inhabitants of the County of Stanstead.

By the Honorable Mr. Girard,—Of E. P. Blaiklock, and others, of the Town of Emerson, in the Province of Manitoba.

By the Honorable Mr. Read,—Of Robert Baird, and others, of the Town of Kincardine, in the Province of Ontario.

By the Honorable Mr. McKindsey,—Of Charles McRae, and others, of the County of Bruce, in the Province of Ontario.

By the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie,—Of Susan Ash, of the City of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec.

By the Honorable Mr. Allan,—Of The Western Canada Loan and Savings Company.

By the Honorable Sir David Lewis Macpherson,—Of Alexander Manning, and others, of the City of Toronto, and elsewhere.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petition was read :—

Of the St. Gabriel Levée and Railway Company; praying for an Act extending the time for completing their works; granting certain powers to the Corporation of the City of Montreal and other Municipalities, and for changing their terminus in Côte St. Paul, if necessary.

The Honorable Mr. Smith, a member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—The Report of the Secretary of State of Canada, for the year ended 31st December, 1886.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 5.*)

The Honorable Mr. Smith, a member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—The Annual Report of the Department of the Interior, for the year 1886.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 7.*)

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Sir David Lewis Macpherson,
The House adjourned.

Wednesday, 20th April, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

Allan,
Almon,
Archibald,
Armand,
Baillargeon,
Bellerose,
Bolduc,
Botsford,
Carvell,
Casgrain,
Chaffers,
Clemow,
Cochrane,
DeBlois,
Dever,
Dickey,

Ferguson,
Girard,
Glasier,
Gowan,
Grant,
Guévremont,
Haythorne,
Howlan,
Kaulbach,
Leonard,
Lewin,
McCallum,
McClelan,
McDonald (C.B.),
McInnes (B.C.),
McKay,

McKindsey,
McMaster,
McMillan,
Macdonald (B.C.),
Macfarlane,
Macpherson
(Sir David Lewis),
Merner,
Miller,
Montgomery,
Odell,
O'Donohoe,
Ogilvie,
Piquet,
Pelletier,
Poirier,

Power,
Read,
Robitaille,
Ross (Laurentides),
Ross
(de la Durantaye),
Sanford,
Scott,
Smith,
Stevens,
Sullivan,
Sutherland,
Trudel,
Vidal,
Wark.

PRAYERS.

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

By the Honorable Mr. McKindsey,—Of William Bell, and others, of the City of Toronto.

By the Honorable Mr. Gowan,—Of William C. VanHorne, and others, Bondholders of the South-Eastern Railway Company.

By the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie,—Of Fanny Margaret Riddell, of Beaconsfield, in the Province of Quebec.

By the Honorable Mr. Merner,—Of H. C. Lackner, Mayor, and others, of the Town of Berlin, in the Province of Ontario.

By the Honorable Mr. Vidal,—Of the Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada; of the Midland Railway of Canada; of the Ontario Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company; of the Grand Trunk, Georgian Bay and Lake Erie Railway Company; and of the Primitive Methodist Colonization Company (Limited).

By the Honorable Mr. Ross (Laurentides),—Of Sir A. T. Galt, and others (two Petitions).

By the Honorable Mr. McCallum,—Of Robie Uniache, and others, of the City of Halifax, in the Province of Nova Scotia; of Thomas C. Keefer, and others, of Ottawa and elsewhere; and of Samuel M. Brookfield, of the City of Halifax.

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

Of John P. Mott, President, and Charles Longard, Secretary-Treasurer of the Nova Scotia Permanent Benefit Building Society and Savings Fund, praying for the passing of an Act allowing the said society to transact business as a building society in the Provinces of New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island, and for other purposes.

Of the Brantford, Waterloo and Lake Erie Railway Company; praying for an Act to amend their Act of incorporation.

Of the Hamilton, Guelph and Buffalo Railway Company; praying for an Act to amend their Act of incorporation and to change their name to that of The Hamilton Central Railway Company.

Of Thomas Long, and others, of the Town of Collingwood, in the Province of Ontario; praying to be incorporated for the purpose of building an Hospital in the Town of Collingwood.

Of the Western Assurance Company; praying for an Act to amend their Acts of incorporation by changing the mode of voting at meetings of shareholders; allowing the directors to increase the Reserve Fund with consent of the shareholders, and for other purposes.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Sir David Lewis Macpherson, it was

Ordered, That the time for presenting Petitions for Private Bills, which expires on Friday, the twenty-second day of April, instant, be extended to the thirteenth day of May next.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Sir David Lewis Macpherson, it was

Ordered, That the time limited for presenting Private Bills, which expires on Wednesday, the twenty-seventh day of April, instant, be extended to the twentieth day of May next.

The Honorable Mr. Smith, a member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—The Report of the Minister of Agriculture for the Dominion of Canada, for the calendar year, 1886.

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

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

The Honorable Mr. Smith, a member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—The Nineteenth Annual Report of the Department of Marine, for the fiscal year ended 30th June, 1886.

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

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

The Honorable Mr. Smith, a member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—The Annual Report of the Minister of Railways and Canals, for the past fiscal year from 1st July, 1885, to the 30th June, 1886.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 13.*)

A Message was brought from the House of Commons in the following words:—

HOUSE OF COMMONS,
TUESDAY, 19th April, 1887.

Resolved, That a Message be sent to the Senate, requesting that their Honors will unite with this House in the formation of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the subject of the Printing of Parliament, and that the members of the Select Standing Committee on Printing, viz.: The Honorable Messieurs Bowell and Foster, and Messieurs Amyot, Bergin, Bourassa, Charlton, Davin, Desjardins, Grandbois, Innes, McMullen, Putnam, Somerville, Taylor, Tisdale, Trow, and Vanasse, will act as members, on the part of this House, of the said Joint Committee on the Printing of Parliament.

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

Attest,

J. G. BOUBINOT,
Clerk of the Commons.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Sir David Lewis Macpherson, it was

Resolved, That the Honorable Messieurs Allan, Almon, Baillargeon, Bellerose, Botsford, DeBoucherville, Gowan, Haythorne, Lacoste, Macpherson (Sir David Lewis), Miller, Odell, Poirier, Power, Ryan, Scott, Sullivan, Trudel, and Wark, be appointed a Committee to assist His Honor the Speaker in the direction of the Library of Parliament, so far as the interests of this House are concerned, and to act on behalf of this House as members of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the Library.

Ordered, That the said Resolution be communicated to the House of Commons by one of the Masters in Chancery.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Sir David Lewis Macpherson, it was

Resolved, That the Honorable Messieurs Casgrain, Dever, Girard, Gowan, Guévremont, Haythorne, Kaulbach, McClelan, McKindsey, McMillan, Macfarlane, Ogilvie, Pelletier, Read, Turner, Vidal, and Wark, be appointed a Committee to superintend the Printing of this House during the present Session, and be instructed to act on behalf of this House with the Committee of the House of Commons, as a Joint Committee of both Houses on the subject of Printing.

Ordered, That the said Resolution be communicated to the House of Commons by one of the Masters in Chancery.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Sir David Lewis Macpherson, it was

Ordered, That the Honorable Messieurs Allan, Archibald, Bellerose, Botsford, Boyd, Carvell, Chaffers, Clemow, Cochrane, Ferrier, Hamilton, Lacoste, Lewin, McCallum, MacInnes (Burlington), McMaster, Macpherson (Sir David Lewis), Odell, Pâquet, Robitaille, Ross (Laurentides), Ryan, Sanford, Senecal, Smith, Sullivan, Thibaudeau, Trudel, Turner, and Wark, be appointed a Committee on Banking and Commerce for the present Session, to whom shall be referred all Bills on these subjects.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Sir David Lewis Macpherson, it was

Ordered, That the Honorable Messieurs Alexander, Allan, Bellerose, DeBoucherville, Carvell, Cochrane, Dickey, Ferguson, Ferrier, Hamilton, Kaulbach, Leonard, McCallum, McClelan, McDonald, McKay, McKindsey, Macdonald, MacInnes (Burlington), Montgomery, Miller, O'Donohoe, Ogilvie, Power, Robitaille, Ryan, Sanford, Schultz, Scott, Senecal, Smith, Stevens, Sutherland, Turner, and Vidal, be appointed a Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors for the present Session, to whom shall be referred all Bills on these subjects.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Sir David Lewis Macpherson, it was

Ordered, That the Honorable Messieurs Alexander, Archibald, Armand, Botsford, Chaffers, DeBlois, Dickey, Ferrier, Flint, Girard, Grant, Hamilton, Howlan, Leonard, McClelan, McDonald (Cape Breton), McInnes (B.C.), McKay, McKindsey, McMaster, McMillan, Macfarlane, Macpherson (Sir David Lewis), Miller, Odell, O'Donohoe, Pâquet, Pelletier, Power, Read, Robitaille, Ryan, Scott, Schultz, Smith, Stevens, and Vidal, be appointed a Committee to examine and report upon the Contingent Accounts of the Senate for the present Session.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Sir David Lewis Macpherson, it was

Ordered, That the Honorable Messieurs Almon, Archibald, Armand, Bellerose, Bolduc, Botsford, Carvell, DeBlois, Dever, Ferrier, Flint, Girard, Glasier, Gowan, Grant, Guévremont, Haythorne, Howlan, Lacoste, McInnes (B.C.), McKay, McMillan, Macdonald (B.C.), Macfarlane, Merner, Miller, Montgomery, O'Donohoe, Ogilvie, Pâquet, Pelletier, Poirier, Power, Read, Reesor, Ross (de la Durantaye), Schultz, Scott, Stevens, Sullivan, Sutherland, and Trudel, be appointed a Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, with power to examine and enquire into all such matters and things as may be referred to the said Committee, to report from time to time their observations and opinions thereon, and to send for persons, papers and records.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Sir David Lewis Macpherson, it was

Ordered, That the Honorable Messieurs Bolduc, Casgrain, DeBoucherville, Haythorne, Howlan, McCallum, Macfarlane, Merner, Ross (de la Durantaye), Schultz,

Scott, Thibaudau, Trudel, and Vidal, be appointed a Committee to inquire into the best means to be adopted to obtain correct Reports of the Debates and Proceedings of the Senate, and for the publication of the same, and to report from time to time their views to the House.

The Honorable Mr. Bellerose moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Armand, That when the House adjourns on Friday, the 22nd day of April, instant, it do stand adjourned until Wednesday, the 11th day of May next, at Eight o'Clock in the evening.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and
Ordered accordingly.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Sir David Lewis Macpherson,
The House adjourned.

Thursday, 21st April, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>
<i>Archibald,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>McMaster,</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Macfarlane,</i>	<i>Ross (Laurentides),</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Macpherson</i>	<i>Sanford,</i>
<i>Botsford,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	(<i>Sir David Lewis</i>),	<i>Schultz,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Lacoste,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Smith,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>DeBlois,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Paquet,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>
<i>Ferguson,</i>			

PRAYERS.

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

By the Honorable Mr. Kaulbach,—Of William Arthur Lavell, of the Town of Smith's Falls, in the County of Lanark, in the Province of Ontario.

By the Honorable Sir David Lewis Macpherson,—Of J. A. Longhead, and others, of Calgary.

By the Honorable Mr. McCallum,—Of Horace Norton, and others, of the County of Huron, in the Province of Ontario.

By the Honorable Mr. Read,—Of R. C. Carter, and others, of Deseronto, in the Province of Ontario.

By the Honorable Mr. Vidal,—Of the Honorable George W. Ross, and others, of the City of Toronto.

The Honorable the Speaker presented to the House, the following Certificate from the Clerk of the Senate:—

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE SENATE,
OTTAWA, 18th April, 1887.

In the matter of W. A. Lavell, Petitioner for a Bill of Divorce:—

I hereby certify that I have received from the Petitioner the sum of Two hundred dollars, in accordance with the Eighty-third Rule of this House.

EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN,
Clerk of the Senate.

The Honorable the Speaker presented to the House, the following Certificate from the Clerk of the Senate:—

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE SENATE,
OTTAWA, 20th April, 1887.

In the matter of Susan Ash, Petitioner for a Bill of Divorce:—

I hereby certify that I have received from the Petitioner the sum of Two hundred dollars, in accordance with the Eighty-third Rule of this House.

EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN,
Clerk of the Senate.

The Honorable the Speaker presented to the House, the following Certificate from the Clerk of the Senate:—

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE SENATE,
OTTAWA, 20th April, 1887.

In the matter of Dame Marie Louise Noel, Petitioner for a Bill of Divorce from her husband, Robert L. Johnson:—

I hereby certify that I have received from the Petitioner the sum of Two hundred dollars, in accordance with the Eighty-third Rule of this House.

EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN,
Clerk of the Senate.

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

Of John B. Daly, and others, of the County of Stanstead; praying to be incorporated as The Mississippi Junction Railway Company.

Of E. P. Blaiklock, and others, of the Town of Emerson, in the Province of Manitoba; praying to be incorporated as a company for building a Railway from the Town of Emerson to the Town of Portage la Prairie, in said Province.

Of Robert Baird, and others, of the Town of Kincardine, in the Province of Ontario; praying to be incorporated as The Kincardine and Teeswater Railway Company."

Of Charles McRae, and others, of the County of Bruce, in the Province of Ontario; praying to be incorporated as The Teeswater and Inverhuron Railway Company.

Of the Western Canada Loan and Savings Company; praying for an Act amending their Act of incorporation; and

Of Alexander Manning, and others, of the City of Toronto; praying to be incorporated as The Brandon, Souris City and Rock Lake Railway Company.

The Honorable Mr. Howlan, from the Select Committee appointed to examine and report upon the Contingent Accounts of the Senate, presented their First Report. Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE,
COMMITTEE ROOM No 2,
THURSDAY, 21st April, 1887.

The Select Committee appointed to examine and report upon the Contingent Accounts of the Senate for the present Session, beg leave to make their First Report as follows:—

Your Committee recommend:—

1. That the quorum thereof be reduced to Nine (9) Members.
2. That the resignation of Mr. F. A. McCord, of the office of Junior Clerk, as appears by a letter from him to the Clerk of the Senate, dated the twenty-fourth day of March last, informing the Clerk of the Senate that he had been appointed Assistant Law Clerk and Chief English Translator to the House of Commons, and tendering his resignation of the office of Junior Clerk on the staff of the Senate, be accepted as on and from said date.
3. That Mr. Charles Young, Speaker's Messenger, be appointed Junior Clerk, at a salary of nine hundred and fifty dollars (\$950) a year, said appointment and salary to be dated and reckoned as on and from the twenty-fourth day of March last, on which date Mr. Young was, by order of the Honorable William Miller, then Speaker of the Senate, provisionally appointed to discharge the duties of Junior Clerk, in place of Mr. F. A. McCord, resigned. The appointment to be on the same terms as to increase of salary as that of Mr. McCord.
4. That on the recommendation of the Honorable the Speaker of the Senate, Joseph Larose, Messenger, be appointed Speaker's Messenger, at a salary of eight hundred dollars (\$800) a year, said appointment and salary to be dated and reckoned from the thirteenth day of April, instant.

All which is respectfully submitted.

GEORGE W. HOWLAN,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Howlan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Gowan, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their First Report, recommending the reduction of their Quorum to Nine Members.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Gowan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Howlan, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.

The Honorable Mr. Allan, from the Committee on Banking and Commerce, presented their First Report, recommending the reduction of the Quorum to Nine Members.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Allan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Pelletier, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, presented their First Report, recommending the reduction of the Quorum to Nine Members.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Dickey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Miller, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.

The Honorable Mr. Vidal, acting Chairman, from the Committee appointed to enquire into the best means to be adopted to obtain correct Reports of the Debates and Proceedings of the Senate and for the publication of the same, and to report from time to time, presented their First Report, recommending the reduction of their Quorum to Seven Members.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Howlan, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.

The Honorable the Speaker presented to the House,—The Accounts and Vouchers of the Clerk of the Senate for the year ending 31st December, 1886.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons in the following words:—

HOUSE OF COMMONS,

WEDNESDAY, 20th April, 1887.

Resolved, That a Message be sent to the Senate informing their Honors that this House has appointed Sir Adolphe Caron, and Messieurs Amyot, Cockburn, Colby, Davies, Davin, Desjardins, Edgar, Kirkpatrick, Langelier (Montmorency), O'Brien, Scriver, Thérien, Weldon (Albert), Weldon (St. John), and Wright, 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 the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest,

J. G. BOUBINOT,

Clerk of the Commons.

The Hon. Mr. Macdonald moved, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Kaulbach, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General; praying that His Excellency will cause to be laid before this House, copies of the reports of the Commander of Her Majesty's Ship "Cormorant," and of the Superintendent of Indian Affairs for British Columbia, relative to the agrarian troubles last winter at the Indian Reserve of Metlakathla, together with all correspondence during the years 1886 and 1887 between the Dominion and Provincial Governments on the same subjects.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and it was

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General by such Members of this House as are Members of the Privy Council.

The Order of the Day being read for the reading of the Petition of Marie Louise Noel, formerly of the Town (now City) of Sherbrooke, in the District of Saint Francis, and Province of Quebec, now of the City of Philadelphia, in the State of Pennsylvania, one of the United States, praying for the passing of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Robert L. Johnson.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie presented to the House certain papers,—The Notice for Bill of Divorce and Return of Service.

The Notice and Return of Service were then read by the Clerk, as follow:—

I, Edward B. Worthington, of the City of Sherbrooke, in the District of Saint Francis, and Province of Quebec, Notary Public, do most solemnly declare:—

That at the City of Sherbrooke, in the Province of Quebec, on the ninth day of October, eighteen hundred and eighty-six, between the hours of three and four in the afternoon, I did personally serve the Respondent, Robert L. Johnson, of the said City of Sherbrooke, at his domicile in said City of Sherbrooke, with a Notice of the application to, the Parliament of Canada, on behalf of Dame Marie Louise Noel for a Bill of Divorce from said Robert L. Johnson, the Respondent, and I then and there delivered said Notice to said Robert L. Johnson in person, a true and correct copy of which Notice is hereunto annexed and is also published in the *Canada Gazette*.

I further most solemnly declare that said Respondent, Robert L. Johnson, is personally known to me, and that said Respondent is the Respondent mentioned in said Notice, and that I explained to him the purport of said Notice and application. That the Respondent, Robert L. Johnson, thereupon demanded of the Declarant, whether the Notice then served on him was similar to that already published in the *Canada Gazette*, to which I replied that the Notices were similar.

And I made this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of an Act passed in the thirty-seventh year of Her Majesty's Reign, for the suppression of Voluntary and Extra-judicial Oaths.

And I have signed,

E. B. WORTHINGTON, N.P.

Declared to before the undersigned }
 Judge of the Superior Court for }
 the Province of Quebec, at the }
 City of Sherbrooke, in said Pro- }
 vince, this 8th day of November, }
 A. D. eighteen hundred and }
 eighty-six. }

J. T. BROOKS, J.S.C.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada, at the next Session thereof, on behalf of Dame Marie Louise Noel, formerly of the then Town, now City of Sherbrooke, in the District of Saint Francis, and Province of Quebec, now of the City of Philadelphia, in the State of Pennsylvania, one

of the United States of America, for a Bill of Divorce from her husband, Robert L. Johnson, of the said City of Sherbrooke, caretaker, on the ground of adultery and desertion.

LAWRENCE & MORRIS,
Solicitors for Applicant.

Dated at Sherbrooke, the 24th day of August, 1886.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McKay, That the Petition of Marie Louise Noel, formerly of the Town (now City) of Sherbrooke, in the District of Saint Francis, and Province of Quebec, now of the City of Philadelphia, in the State of Pennsylvania, one of the United States of America, praying for the passing of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Robert L. Johnson, be now read and received.

Which being objected to,

The question of concurrence was put thereon, and the same was then, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

The Petition of Marie Louise Noel was then read and received.

The Order of the Day being read for the reading of the Petition of Susan Ash, of the City of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec, praying for the passing of an Act to dissolve her marriage with William Manton.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie presented to the House certain papers,—The Notice of Bill of Divorce and Return of Service.

The Notice and Return of Service was then read by the Clerk, as follow:—

“ A.”

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada, at its next Session, on the part of Dame Susan Ash, of the City of Montreal, in the District of Montreal and Province of Quebec, to obtain a Bill of Divorce from her husband, William Manton, of parts unknown in the United States of America, on the ground of desertion and because the said William Manton, having obtained a divorce from the said Susan Ash before the Supreme Court for the State of Massachusetts, one of the United States of America, has contracted a second marriage.

DUHAMEL, RAINVILLE & MARCEAU,
Attorneys for the said Dame Susan Ash.

Canada, }
Province of Ontario. }

I, the undersigned, François Raymond Marceau, Advocate, of the City of Montreal, in the District of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec, but now being in the City of Ottawa, in the Province of Ontario, do solemnly declare:—

That I know Dame Susan Ash, of the said City of Montreal, who is applying to the Parliament of Canada for an Act of Divorce from her husband, William Manton, and that I am one of the Solicitors and Attorneys of the said Dame Susan Ash.

That having been informed by the said Susan Ash, and by correspondence on her behalf, and also through conversation with divers persons, that the said William Manton was reputed to reside in the City of Boston, or in West Medford, both places in the State of Massachusetts, one of the United States of America, I did, on the nineteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, serve two true copies of the Notice hereto annexed, marked “A,” upon the said William Man-

ton, by depositing the said true copies thereof in writing in the Post Office in the said City of Ottawa, separately addressed as follows:—

WILLIAM MANTON, Esq.,
Boston, Mass., U.S.

WILLIAM MANTON, Esq.,
West Medford, Mass., U.S.

and paid the postage thereon.

And I make this declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and in virtue of the Act passed in the thirty-seventh year of Her Majesty's reign, intituled: "An Act for the suppression of Voluntary and Extra-judicial Oaths."
F. R. MARCEAU.

Declared and acknowledged before
me, at the City of Ottawa, in }
the Province of Ontario, on this }
twentieth day of April, A.D. }
1887.

J. A. GEMMILL,
A Commissioner for taking Affidavits.

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

I, the undersigned John Smardon, Manufacturer, of the City of Montreal, in the District of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec, in the Dominion of Canada, do solemnly declare:—

That I am the maternal uncle of Susan Ash who is applying to the Parliament of Canada for a divorce from her husband, William Manton.

That shortly after her marriage with the said William Manton, at the City of Montreal aforesaid, to wit: About the month of September, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, the said Susan Ash returned to the said City of Montreal, where she has resided ever since, and since the last above mentioned date I have had constant social relations with the said Susan Ash.

That during the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty or one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, I was informed that the said William Manton had obtained from the Supreme Court of the County of Suffolk, in the State of Massachusetts, one of the United States of America, a divorce from the said Susan Ash, and had afterwards contracted a second marriage with a Miss Mary Hatch, of the Village of Sterling, in the County of Hastings, in the Province of Ontario, and was cohabiting with the said Miss Hatch as man and wife in the City of Boston, in the said State of Massachusetts.

That by reason of the friendship and affection I had for the said Susan Manton, my niece, and of the interest I took in her welfare, I made several attempts to discover the place of residence of the said William Manton to ascertain if the said marriage of the said William Manton with the said Mary Hatch had been solemnized, in order that she might claim any relief to which she might be entitled by reason of the premises.

That among others, I did during the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, inquire from Joseph Manton, Trader, of the said City of Montreal, uncle of the said William Manton, as to the place of residence and abode of the said William Manton, and that the said Joseph Manton ignored and could give me no information about the same.

That I afterwards, with the same object, during the years one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one and one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, engaged the services of a detective agency of the said City of Montreal, who by themselves

and by detectives residing in the said City of Boston, searched during several months for the said William Manton, both in Canada and the United States of America, but all to no avail.

That I am informed that the marriage of the said William Manton with the said Mary Hatch was and is illegal and that I believe that the said William Manton having been informed that he was liable to be, and if found would be prosecuted for bigamy, has ever since his said marriage hidden himself, and is still hiding himself, and is passing himself under an assumed name.

That since the last above-mentioned dates, I have been alive to every circumstance that could have led me to the discovery of the residence of the said William Manton, but that I have no means of discovering the same.

And I make this declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and in virtue of the Act passed in the thirty-seventh year of Her Majesty's reign, intitled: "An Act for the suppression of Voluntary and Extra-judicial Oaths."

JOHN SMARDON.

Declared and acknowledged before me, at the City of Montreal, in the District of Montreal, on this twelfth day of April, A. D. 1887.

WM. B. S. REDDY,

Commissioner, Superior Court.

Boston,
State of Massachusetts,
United States of America. }

I, the undersigned, Guillaume Henri Desjardins, Doctor in Medicine, of the City of Boston, in the State of Massachusetts, one of the United States of America, being duly sworn upon the Holy Evangelists, doth depose and say:—

That I am a resident in the City of Boston, in the State of Massachusetts, one of the United States of America, for the last five and a-half years, and that I am well acquainted with every part of the said City of Boston and its surroundings.

That about six months ago Messieurs Duhamel, Rainville and Marceau, Advocates of the City of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec, in the Dominion of Canada, sent me a manuscript copy of the notice of demand of divorce by Dame Susan Ash, of the said City of Montreal, against William Manton her husband, published in the *Official Gazette* of Canada, with the special request to serve the said copy of notice upon the said William Manton.

That during the last six months, I have made several attempts to serve the said notice upon the said William Manton, and that with that view I have made repeated inquiries to know his place of residence or of employment from the civic and public authorities of the said City of Boston and of West Medford, and also from my personal friends and acquaintances in the said City of Boston, and in West Medford, and that I could get no information concerning the whereabouts of the said William Manton, and in consequence, I was unable to serve the said notice.

That from my enquiries and the informations I have received, I believe that the said William Manton does not reside in the said City of Boston, nor in West Medford.

And I have signed,

G. H. DESJARDINS, M.D.

Sworn and acknowledged before me, at the City of Boston, in the State of Massachusetts, on this 13th day of April, A.D. 1887.

C. A. HENDERSON.

H.B.M. Consul, Boston, U.S.A.

Canada,
Province of Ontario. }

I, the undersigned, James Murray Gray, Minister of the Presbyterian Church, residing in the Village of Stirling, in the County of Hastings, in the Province of Ontario, do solemnly declare:—

That I am aware from the Registers of Civil Status, that one William Manton, of Boston, in the State of Massachusetts, married one Miss Mary Ford Hatch, of the said Village of Stirling, on the third of September, 1884.

That I was also informed of the said marriage by Dame Catharine Hatch, the mother of the said Mary Ford Hatch.

That at the special request of Messieurs Duhamel, Rainville and Marceau, Advocates, of the City of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec, I have, on several occasions during the last three months, interviewed the said Dame Catharine Hatch, for the special purpose of inquiring about the place of residence and domicile of the said William Manton, and I was informed by the said Dame Catharine Hatch that the said William Manton, after his marriage, left to take his residence in West Medford, a part of the said City of Boston, and that she knows of no other place where the said William Manton may reside.

And I make this declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and in virtue of the Act passed in the thirty-seventh year of Her Majesty's reign, intituled: "An Act for the suppression of Voluntary and Extra-judicial Oaths."

J. M. GRAY.

Declared before me, at Stirling, in
the County of Hastings, in the
Province of Ontario, on this
eighteenth day of April, A. D.
1887.

G. H. BOULTER,
Justice of the Peace.

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

I, the undersigned Susan Ash, of the City of Montreal, in the District of Montreal, Province of Quebec, do solemnly declare:—

That I am applying to the Parliament of Canada for a Bill of Divorce with William Manton, my husband, on the ground of desertion, and because the said William Manton has contracted a second marriage with one Mary Ford Hatch, of the Village of Stirling, in the Province of Ontario.

That having been informed that the said William Manton was cohabiting with the said Mary Ford Hatch in the City of Boston, in the State of Massachusetts, one of the United States of America, I did, during the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, go to the said City of Boston, where, during three weeks, I inquired and searched for the said William Manton, but all to no avail.

That since that time I have frequently inquired from the relatives of the said William Manton, as to the latter's residence, but I was informed that they had no communication whatever with him, and could furnish me no information as to the place of residence and abode of the said William Manton.

That the only relatives of the said William Manton, whose residence I know, are Joseph Manton, gunsmith, of the said City of Montreal, and Dame Catherine Hatch, of the Village of Stirling, in the County of Hastings, in the Province of Ontario, who is the mother of the said Mary Ford Hatch above mentioned.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and in virtue of the Act passed in the thirty-seventh year of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled: "An Act for the suppression of Voluntary and Extra-judicial Oaths."

Declared and acknowledged before
me, at the City of Montreal, in
the District of Montreal, on this
twentieth day of April, A. D.
1887.

SUSAN ASH.

GEO. KERNICK,
Deputy Prothonotary, Superior Court, District of Montreal.

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

I, the undersigned, Adrien Laverdure, of the City of Montreal, in the District of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec, Bailiff, do solemnly declare:—

That I know Dame Susan Ash, of the said City of Montreal, Petitioner for an Act of Parliament of Divorce from her husband, William Manton:—

That at the instance and by the request of the said Susan Ash I served a copy in writing of the Notice hereto annexed, marked "A," upon the said William Manton on the 20th day of April, instant, by delivering a true copy or duplicate of the said Notice to and leaving the same with Joseph Manton, gunsmith, of the said City of Montreal, who is the uncle of the said William Manton, at the same time informing him that I made the said service at the instance of the said Susan Ash, and asking him where the said William Manton then was, to which he replied he did not know and had not heard of him "since many years," to wit, since "he left Canada."

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and in virtue of the Act passed in the thirty-seventh year of Her Majesty's reign, intituled: "An Act for the suppression of Voluntary and Extra-judicial Oaths.

A. LAVERDURE.

Declared and acknowledged before
me, at the City of Montreal, on
this twentieth day of April, A. D.
1887.

WILL. BRUCE,
Commissioner Superior Court for the Province of Quebec.

"A."

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada, at its next Session, on the part of Dame Susan Ash, of the City of Montreal, in the District of Montreal and Province of Quebec, to obtain a Bill of Divorce from her husband, William Manton, of parts unknown in the United States of America, on the ground of desertion and because the said William Manton having obtained a divorce from the said Susan Ash before the Supreme Court of the State of Massachusetts, one of the United States of America, has contracted a second marriage.

DUHAMEL, RAINVILLE & MARCEAU,
Attorneys for the said Dame Susan Ash.

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DUHAMEL, RAINVILLE & MARCEAU,
Attorneys for the said Dame Susan Ash.

Canada,
Province of Ontario. }

I, the undersigned, J. M. Gray, Minister of the Presbyterian Church of Canada, of the Village of Stirling, in the County of Hastings, in the Province of Ontario, do solemnly declare:—

That at the instance and by the request of Messieurs Duhamel, Rainville and Marceau, Solicitors and Attorneys for Dame Susan Ash, of the City of Montreal, Petitioner for an Act of Parliament of Divorce from her husband, William Manton, I served a copy in writing of the Notice hereto annexed marked "A" upon the said William Manton on the twentieth day of April, instant, by delivering a true copy or duplicate of the said notice to and leaving the same with Dame Catharine Hatch, widow of Henry Hatch, of the said Village of Stirling, who is the mother of Mary Ford Hatch, who married the said William Manton in September, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, at the same time informing her that I made the said service at the instance of the said Messieurs Duhamel, Rainville and Marceau, Solicitors and Attorneys of the said Dame Susan Ash, and asking her where the said William Manton then was, to which she replied that the last information she had of the residence of the said William Manton, was in West Medford, a part of the City of Boston, in the State of Massachusetts, one of the United States of America, and that she knew of no other place of residence of the said William Manton.

And I make this declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and in virtue of the Act passed in the thirty-seventh year of Her Majesty's reign, intituled: "An Act for the suppression of Voluntary and Extra-judicial Oaths."

JAMES M. GRAY.

Declared and acknowledged before me, at the Village of Stirling, in the Province of Ontario, on the twentieth day of April, A. D. 1887.

C. H. BOULTER,
Justice of the Peace.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McKay,

That the Petition of Susan Ash, of the City of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec, praying for the passing of an Act to dissolve her marriage with William Manton, be now read and received.

Which being objected to,

The question of concurrence was put thereon, and the same was then, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

The Petition of Susan Ash was then read and received.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery,

The House adjourned.

Friday, 22nd April, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>
<i>Archibald,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Glaster,</i>	<i>McMaster,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>McMillan.</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Sanford,</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>Macfarland,</i>	<i>Schultz,</i>
<i>Botsford,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Smith,</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Turner,</i>
<i>DeBlois,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Pâquet,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>

PRAYERS.

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

By the Honorable Mr. Clemow,—Of John Carson, Mayor, and others, of the City of Kingston.

By the Honorable Mr. McCallum,—Of Isaac Foster, and others, of the County of Norfolk, in the Province of Ontario.

By the Honorable Mr. McInnes,—Of The Grange Trust (Limited).

By the Honorable Mr. Sanford,—Of the South Saskatchewan Valley Railway Company.

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

Of William Bell, and others, of the City of Toronto; praying to be incorporated as The Manufacturers' Life and Accident Insurance Company.

Of William C. Van Horne, and others, Trustees for the Bond-holders of the South Eastern Railway; praying for an Act to abolish their trust, to allow them to sell the property held under the same, and for other amendments.

Of H. C. Lackner, Mayor, and others, of the Town of Berlin, in the Province of Ontario; praying to be incorporated as The Berlin and Canadian Pacific Junction Railway.

Of the Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada; praying for an Act empowering them to acquire certain obligations of leased lines and issue further Debenture Stock in lieu thereof; also for power to take over and dispose of certain lands in which they are interested, and for other purposes.

Of the Midland Railway of Canada; praying that the time for the completion of several of the lines of railway forming part of the said Railway, be extended, and for other purposes.

Of the Ontario Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company; praying for an Act declaring their railway a work for the general advantage of Canada, and for other purposes.

Of the Grand Trunk, Georgian Bay and Lake Erie Railway Company; praying for an Act extending the time for the completion of certain of their works and for building a branch to Owen Sound, and for other purposes.

Of the Primitive Methodist Colonization Company (Limited); praying for an Act empowering them to receive paid-up stock in exchange for land or other property of the Company, and for other purposes.

Of the Honorable Sir A. T. Galt, and others; praying to be incorporated as a Company to build a Railway from a point on the North Western Coal and Navigation Company's Railway into British Columbia.

Of the Honorable Sir A. T. Galt, and others; praying to be incorporated as a Company for building a Railway from "Dunmore," on the Canadian Pacific Railway, to the United States boundary.

Of Robie Uniacke, and others, of the City of Halifax, in the Province of Nova Scotia; praying to be incorporated as The Halifax and West India Steamship Company (Limited).

Of T. C. Keefer, and others; praying to be incorporated as The Canadian Society of Civil Engineers;—and

Of Samuel M. Brookfield, and others, of the City of Halifax; praying to be incorporated as The Eastern Canada Savings and Loan Company (Limited).

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their Second Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,
FRIDAY, 22nd April, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make their Second Report.

Your Committee have examined the following Petitions, and find that the Seventy-second Rule has been complied with, viz:—

Of Marie Louise Noel, formerly of the Town (now City) of Sherbrooke, in the District of Saint Francis and Province of Quebec, now of the City of Philadelphia, in the State of Pennsylvania, one of the United States of America; praying for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Robert L. Johnson;—and

Of Susan Ash, of the City of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec; praying for an Act to dissolve her marriage with William Manton.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their Third Report.

Ordered, That it be received, and the same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,
FRIDAY, 22nd April, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make their Third Report.

Your Committee have examined the following Petitions, and find that sufficient Notice has been given in each case:—

Of the St. Gabriel Levee and Railway Company; praying for an Act extending the time for completing their works, granting certain powers to the Corporation of the City of Montreal and other Municipalities, and for changing their terminus at Côté St. Paul, if necessary.

Of the Brantford, Waterloo and Lake Erie Railway Company; praying for an Act to amend their Act of incorporation.

Of Thomas Long, and others, of the Town of Collingwood, in the Province of Ontario; praying to be incorporated for the purpose of building an Hospital in the Town of Collingwood.

Of E. P. Blaiklock, and others, of the Town of Emerson, in the Province of Manitoba; praying to be incorporated as a Company for building a Railway from the Town of Emerson to the Town of Portage la Prairie, in the said Province.

Of Robert Baird, and others, of the Town of Kincardine, in the Province of Ontario; praying to be incorporated as the Kincardine and Teeswater Railway Company.

Of Charles McRae, and others, of the County of Bruce, in the Province of Ontario; praying to be incorporated as the Teeswater and Inverhuron Railway Company;”—and

Of the Western Canada Loan and Savings Company; praying for an Act amending their Act of incorporation.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie presented to the House the Bill intituled: “An Act for the relief of Marie Louise Noel.”

The said Bill was read for the first time.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McKay,

That the said Bill be read a second time on Thursday, the twelfth day of May next, and that Notice thereof be affixed on the doors of this House, and the Senators summoned; and that the said Marie Louise Noel may be heard by her Counsel at the second reading to make out the truth of the allegations of the said Bill, and that Robert L. Johnson may have a copy of the said Bill, and that Notice be given to him of the said second reading, or sufficient proof adduced of the impossibility of so doing, and that he be at liberty to be heard by Counsel what he may have to offer against the said Bill, at the same time; that the said Marie Louise Noel do attend this House on the said twelfth day of May next, in order to her being examined on the second reading of the said Bill, if the House shall think fit, whether there has or has not been any collusion directly or indirectly on her part, relative to any act of adultery that may have been committed by her husband to obtain such separation, or whether there be any collusion, directly or indirectly, between her and her husband or any other person or persons, touching the said Bill of Divorce, or touching any action at law which may have been brought by her against any person for

criminal conversation with him, the said husband of the said Marie Louise Noel, and also whether at the time of the adultery of which she complains, he was by deed or otherwise by her consent living separately and apart from and released by her, as far as in her lay, from his conjugal duty, or whether she was at the time of such adultery, cohabiting with him, as her husband.

Which being objected to,

The question of concurrence was put thereon, and the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie presented to the House the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of Susan Ash."

The said Bill was read for the first time.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McKay,

That the said Bill be read a second time on Thursday, the twelfth day of May next, and that Notice thereof be affixed on the doors of this House, and the Senators summoned; and that the said Susan Ash may be heard by her counsel at the second reading, to make out the truth of the allegations of the said Bill, and that William Manton may have a copy of the said Bill, and that Notice be given to him of the said second reading, or sufficient proof adduced of the impossibility of so doing, and that he be at liberty to be heard by Counsel what he may have to offer against the said Bill, at the same time; that the said Susan Ash do attend this House on the said twelfth day of May next, in order to her being examined on the second reading of the said Bill, if the House shall think fit, whether there has or has not been any collusion directly or indirectly on her part, relative to any act of adultery that may have been committed by her husband to obtain such separation, or whether there be any collusion, directly or indirectly, between her and her husband, or any other person or persons, touching the said Bill of Divorce, or touching any action at law which may have been brought by her against any person for criminal conversation with him, the said husband of the said Susan Ash, and also whether at the time of the adultery of which she complains, he was by deed, or otherwise by her consent, living separately and apart from and released by her, as far as in her lay, from his conjugal duty, or whether she was at the time of such adultery, cohabiting with him, as her husband,

Which being objected to,

The question of concurrence was put thereon, and the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

The Honorable Mr. Vidal, from the Joint Committee on the Printing of Parliament, presented their First Report, recommending the reduction of the Quorum to Nine Members.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Howlan, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.

The Honorable Mr. Allan presented to the House,—A Bill intituled: "An Act to enable the Western Canada Loan and Savings Company to extend their business, and for other purposes."

The said Bill was read a first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Allan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Lewin, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Friday, the thirteenth day of May next.

The Honorable Mr. Howlan moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General; praying that His Excellency will be pleased to cause to be laid before this House, a copy of the plans and reports of the late Survey concerning the proposed Subway between Cape Traverse, Prince Edward Island, and Cape Tormentine, New Brunswick.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and it was

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General by such Members of this House as are Members of the Privy Council.

The Honorable Mr. Glasier moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery, That a Select Committee be appointed to inquire into the action taken by the Government and payments made or recommended, since the report of a former Select Committee presented to this Honorable House on the 17th March, 1881, by the Honorable Mr. Read, Chairman, and adopted by concurrence of the Whole House on the following day, in relation to "the circumstances of a debt alleged to devolve upon the Dominion Government by the British North America Act, and said to be now due to the Honorable Benjamin Beveridge, James Tibbets and others, but the payment of which is withheld for some cause unknown," and that the said Committee be composed of the Honorable Messieurs Montgomery, Read, Lewin, Trudel, Robitaille, Boyd, Dever, and the mover, with power to send for persons and papers.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

The Order of the Day being read for the reading of the Petition of Margaret Riddell, praying for the passing of a Act to dissolve her marriage with George Field Herchmer,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McKay, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until Thursday, the twelfth day of May next.

The Honorable Mr. Smith moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, That the House do now adjourn.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and

The Honorable the Speaker declared the House continued until Wednesday, the eleventh day of May next, at eight o'clock in the evening.

Wednesday, 11th May, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Archibald,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Ryan,</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Sanford,</i>
<i>Belduc,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>Macfarlane,</i>	<i>Schultz,</i>
<i>Botsford,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Boyd,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Smith,</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Sullivan,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Clemon.</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Pâquet,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>DeBlois,</i>	<i>McClelan.</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>		

PRAYERS. •

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

By the Honorable Mr. Macdonald,—Of John Secord, and others, of the Town of Regina, in the North-West Territories, and elsewhere; and of Alexander MacLean and others, of the City of Ottawa, and elsewhere.

By the Honorable Mr. Carvell,—Of the Edmonton and Saskatchewan Land Company.

By the Honorable Mr. McKindsey,—Of the St. Catharines and Niagara Central Railway Company, and of John Monteith, of Lake Rosseau, in the District of Parry Sound, in the Province of Ontario; of the Atlantic and North-West Railway Company, of the Ontario and Quebec Railway Company, and of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

By the Honorable Mr. Girard,—Of the Manitoba and North-Western Railway Company of Canada, of the Saskatchewan and Western Railway Company, and of the Winnipeg and Hudson's Bay Railway and Steamship Company.

By the Honorable Mr. Almon,—Of the Honorable Donald McInnes, and others, of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec.

By the Honorable Mr. Macfarlane,—Of John Hendry and others, of New Westminster in the Province of British Columbia; and of the Western Counties Railway Company.

By the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie,—Of D. Blain, and others, of the City of Toronto.

By the Honorable Mr. Ryan,—Of the Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway Company.

By the Honorable Mr. Clemow,—Of the Ottawa and Gatineau Valley Railway Company.

By the Honorable Mr. Grant,—Of the Pictou Bank.

By the Honorable Mr. Vidal,—Of Thurston G. Hall, and others, of the City of Chicago, in the State of Illinois, one of the United States of America, and elsewhere.

By the Honorable Mr. McCallum,—Of Frank Turner, and others, of Bracondale; of Robert Henry, and others, and of D. J. Richardson, and others, of the City of Brantford, all in the Province of Ontario.

By the Honorable Mr. Gowan,—Of the Canada Permanent Loan and Savings Company.

By the Honorable Mr. Robitaille,—Of James Baker, Warden and William Flynn, Secretary-Treasurer, of Gaspé, in the Province of Quebec; of L. R. Baker, Mayor, of Beauharnois, and others, of Montreal, of the Province of Quebec; and of Sir George Stephen, and others, of the Dominion of Canada.

By the Honorable Mr. Sanford,—Of Andrew Henderson, and others, of the District of Alberta.

By the Honorable Mr. McMillan,—Of John Stevenson, Mayor, of the Town of Peterborough, in the Province of Ontario.

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

Of J. A. Longhead, and others, of Calgary; praying to be incorporated as The Chinook Belt and Peace River Railway Company.

Of Horace Norton, and others, of the County of Huron, in the Province of Ontario; praying to be incorporated as The Chinook and Canada Pacific Junction Railway Company.

Of R. C. Carter, and others; praying to be incorporated as The Oshawa Railway and Navigation Company;—and

Of the Honorable George W. Ross, and others, of the City of Toronto; praying to be incorporated as The Canada Accident and Indemnity Assurance Company.

The Honorable the Speaker presented to the House,—A Return from the Clerk of the Senate, in reference to the property qualification of Senators.

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

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE SENATE,
OTTAWA, Tuesday, 3rd May, 1887.

In conformity with the Resolution of the Senate of the ninth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, I have the honor to lay on the Table of the House the following list of the Honorable Senators who have made and subscribed the renewed declaration of their property qualification before me, up to, and includ-

ing the second day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and I certify the same to be correct.

Date upon which declaration was made and subscribed.	Page of Register.	Names.
1887.		
Honorable Messieurs		
April 21.....	1	David Reesor,
do 21.....	2	Elijah Leonard,
do 19.....	3	William McMaster,
do 19.....	4	Sir David Lewis Maspherson, K.C.M.G.,
do 13.....	5	Billa Flint,
do 19.....	6	George William Allan,
do 14.....	7	John Hamilton,
do 13.....	9	Joseph F. Armand,
do 16.....	10	William Henry Chaffers,
do 14.....	11	Jean Baptiste Quévremont,
do 14.....	12	James Ferrier,
do 15.....	14	Thomas D. Archibald,
do 18.....	15	Robert B. Dickey,
do 22.....	16	William Miller,
do 19.....	17	Amos Edwin Botsford,
do 20.....	18	William Hunter Odell,
do 22.....	19	David Wark,
do 15.....	20	John Ferguson,
do 22.....	21	Abner Reid McOlelan,
do 13.....	22	John Glasier,
do 15.....	23	James Dever,
do 19.....	24	Alexander Macfarlane,
do 13.....	25	Frank Smith,
do 22.....	26	Robert Read,
do 16.....	27	Marc Amable Girard,
do 14.....	28	John Sutherland,
do 16.....	29	William John Macdonald,
do 15.....	30	Henry A. N. Kaulbach,
do 19.....	31	Matthew Henry Cochran,
do 13.....	32	Alexander Vidal,
do 19.....	34	Joseph Hyacinthe Bellerose,
do 15.....	35	Donald Montgomery,
do 15.....	36	Robert Poore Haythorne,
do 21.....	37	François Xavier A. Trudel,
do 20.....	38	Richard William Scott,
do 14.....	39	Pierre Baillargeon,
do 20.....	40	Anselme Homère Paquet,
do 20.....	41	Gardner Green Stevens,
do 15.....	42	James D. Lewin,
do 14.....	43	Lawrence Geoffrey Power,
do 14.....	44	Robert Patterson Grant,
do 13.....	45	Charles A. Pantaléon Pelletier,
do 19.....	48	William J. Almon,
do 22.....	49	Jedediah Slason Carvell,
do 14.....	51	George William Howlan,
do 18.....	52	Thomas McKay,
do 18.....	53	Alexander W. Ogilvie,
do 15.....	54	Donald MacInnes,
do 13.....	55	Thomas R. McInnes,
do 13.....	56	John O'Donohoe,
do 14.....	57	John Schultz,
do 13.....	58	Josiah Burr Plumb,
do 18.....	59	Pierre Antoine DeBlois,
do 13.....	60	Donald McMillan,
do 18.....	61	James Turner,
do 13.....	62	George C. McKindsey,
do 20.....	63	James Gibb Ross,
do 15.....	64	Alexander Lacoste,
do 14.....	65	William McDonald,

Date upon which declaration was made and subscribed.	Page of Register.	Names.
1887.		Honorable Messieurs
April 19.....	66	Joseph Bolduc,
do 13.....	67	Théodore Robitaille,
do 13.....	68	James Robert Gowan,
do 18.....	69	Michael Sullivan,
do 19.....	70	Francis Clemow,
do 18.....	71	Pascal Poirier.

EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN,
Clerk of the Senate.

The Honorable Mr. Smith, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, informed the House that he had a Message from His Excellency the Governor General, under his Sign Manual, which His Excellency had commanded him to deliver to this House. The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

LANSDOWNE.

Honorable Gentlemen of the Senate :

I thank you sincerely for your Address, and for the assurance of support which it contains. I now commend to your consideration the measures that will be laid before you.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
OTTAWA, 27th April, 1887.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the Clerk be authorized to receive from the Honorable Messieurs Thomas Ryan and John Boyd the renewal declaration of their property qualification.

The Honorable Mr. Smith, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, rose in his place and informed the House that the Honorable Charles Cormier, Senator for the Electoral Division of Kennebec, in the Province of Quebec, departed this life at his residence, Plessisville, in the aforesaid Province of Quebec, on Saturday, the seventh May, instant.

The Honorable Mr. McKindsey presented to the House,—A Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Teeswater and Inverhuron Railway Company."

The said Bill was read a first time.

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Friday next.

The Honorable Mr. Smith, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—Articles of agreement entered into between James Leamy and Donald McGillivray and Her Majesty Queen Victoria, represented by the Minister of Railways and Canals, Canada, for the removal and rebuilding of certain portions of the wharf at Port Moody, British Columbia, Canadian Pacific Railway, 107th Contract.

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

(Vide Sessional Papers, No.34h.)

The Honorable Mr. Smith, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—A Return of the names and salaries of all persons appointed to or promoted in the Civil Service during the year 1836, in terms of Section 58, Sub section 22 of "The Civil Service Act" (Revised Statutes 17).

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 5a.*)

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal,
The House adjourned.

Thursday, 12th May, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Archibald,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Ross (Laurentides),</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Ryan,</i>
<i>Boillargeon,</i>	<i>Guèremont,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Sanford,</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Macfarlane,</i>	<i>Schultz,</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Hewlan,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Botsford,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Smith,</i>
<i>Boyd,</i>	<i>Lacoste,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Sullivan,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Pâquet,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>DesBlois,</i>	<i>McClellan,</i>	<i>Povier,</i>	<i>Turner,</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Power,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Read,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>
<i>Girard,</i>			

PRAYERS.

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

By the Honorable Mr. McCallum,—Of George H. Howard, and others, of the Town of Niagara Falls, in the Province of Ontario.

By the Honorable Mr. Stevens,—Of A. H. Moore, Mayor, and L. A. Audet, Secretary-treasurer, of the Municipality of the Township of Magog.

By the Honorable Mr. Lacoste,—Of L. I. Sergeant, and others, proprietors of real estate in the St. Antoine Ward, of the City of Montreal, and the Municipalities of St. Cunegonde and St. Henri, in the West Ward.

By the Honorable Mr. Sanford,—Of the Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land Company (Limited).

By the Honorable Mr. Read,—Of the Municipal Council of the Township of Kincardine; of the Municipal Council of the Township of Huron; of the Municipal Corporation of the Town of Kincardine; of the Municipal Council of the Village of Teeswater, and of Thomas P. Pearce, of the City of Belleville, all in the Province of Ontario.

By the Honorable Mr. Robitaille,—Of the Geographical Society of Quebec.

By the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie,—Of Hugh McLennan, and others, of the City of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec.

By the Honorable Mr. Guévremont,—Of the Municipal Council of the Town of Sorel, in the Province of Quebec; and of the Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Company.

By the Honorable Mr. Leonard,—Of the St. Thomas, Ontario, Board of Trade; and of I. E. Smith, Mayor, and others, of St. Thomas, in the Province of Ontario.

By the Honorable Mr. Bolduc,—Of the Témiscouata Railway Company.

By the Honorable Mr. Sullivan,—Of the Ontario Pacific Railway Company.

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

Of John Carson, Mayor, and others, of the City of Kingston; praying to be incorporated as a Company to build a Railway from Kingston to Smith's Falls and Ottawa, and with the consent of the Crown to take over and work the Rideau Canal and to extend and improve the same.

Of Isaac Foster, and others, of the County of Norfolk, in the Province of Ontario; praying to be incorporated as The South Norfolk Railway.

Of the Grange Trust (Limited); praying for the passing of an Act authorizing them to wind up their affairs;—and

Of the South Saskatchewan Valley Railway Company; praying for an Act authorizing a change in the route of their line of Railway; for granting them running powers over the line of Qu'Appelle, Long Lake and Saskatchewan Railway and Steamboat Company, or for power to amalgamate or purchase said Railway.

The Honorable Mr. Smith, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—A Return of the average number of men employed on the Dominion Police Force during each month of the year 1886, and of their pay and travelling expenses (under Revised Statutes of Canada, Chapter 184, Section 5).

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 28.*)

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills presented their Fourth Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE,
COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,
THURSDAY, 12th May, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make their Fourth Report.

Your Committee have examined the following Petitions, and find that sufficient Notice has been given in each case:—

Of the Hamilton, Guelph and Buffalo Railway Company; praying for an Act to amend their Act of incorporation and to change their name to that of The Hamilton Central Railway Company.

Of the Western Assurance Company; praying for an Act to amend their Acts of incorporation, by changing the mode of voting at meetings of shareholders, allowing the Directors with consent to increase the Reserve Fund and increase or reduce the Capital Stock, and for other purposes.

Of William Bell, and others, of the City of Toronto; praying to be incorporated as The Manufacturers' Life and Accident Insurance Company.

Of the Primitive Methodist Colonization Company (Limited); praying for an Act empowering them to receive paid-up stock in exchange for land or other property of the Company, and for other purposes.

Of Sir A. T. Galt, and others; praying to be incorporated as a Company to build a Railway from a point on the North-Western Coal and Navigation Company's Railway into British Columbia.

Of the Honorable Sir A. T. Galt, and others; praying to be incorporated as a Company for building a Railway from Dunmore, on the Canadian Pacific Railway, to the United States Boundary.

Of Thomas C. Keefer, and others; praying to be incorporated as The Canadian Society of Civil Engineers.

Of J. A. Longhead, and others, of Calgary; praying to be incorporated as The Chinook Belt and Peace River Railway Company;—and

Of John P. Mott, President, and Charles H. Longard, Secretary-Treasurer, of the Nova Scotia Permanent Benefit Building Society and Savings Fund; praying for the passing of an Act allowing the said Society to transact business as a Building Society in the Provinces of New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island, and for other purposes.

Your Committee also examined the Petition of W. C. Van Horne, and others, Trustees for the Bondholders of the South-Eastern Railway; praying for an Act to abolish their Trust, to allow them to sell the property held under the same and for other amendments, and find that the prayer of the Petition is not covered by the Notice, inasmuch as the applicants advertise their intention to apply for an Act to abolish their Trust and constitute them a corporation under the Railway Act, 1879, and its amendments, whereas in their Petition they ask for power to sell the property and distribute the proceeds among the parties entitled thereto and to constitute the purchaser or purchasers a corporation under the Railway Act, but as it is claimed by the Petition that the interests of the creditors will be better served by a Bill passed in accordance with the terms of the Petition, your Committee recommend that the Notice be deemed sufficient.

Your Committee also examined the Petition of the Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada; praying for an Act empowering them to acquire certain obligations of leased lines and issue Debenture Stock in lieu thereof, and also for power to take over and dispose of certain lands in which they are interested, and for other purposes; and find that the Petition prays for more than was given notice of, inasmuch as they ask for power to use the additional issue of Debenture Stock for the general purposes of the Company, but as it will be competent for the Committee to whom the

Bill shall be referred to provide that no injury to any party shall arise therefrom, your Committee therefore recommend that the Notice be deemed sufficient.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Miller, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Dickey, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be concurred in, in so far as the last two paragraphs are concerned.

The Honorable Mr. Almon, presented to the House,—A Bill intituled : "An Act respecting the Nova Scotia Permanent Benefit Building Society and Savings Fund."

The said Bill was read a first time.

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Wednesday next.

The Honorable Mr. Vidal presented to the House,—A Bill intituled : "An Act respecting the Primitive Methodist Colonization Company (Limited)."

The said Bill was read a first time.

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled : "An Act to amend 'The Government Railways Act,'" to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Friday next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled : "An Act to amend 'The Railway Act,'" to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled : "An Act to amend the Act respecting Public Officers," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled : "An Act respecting Public Stores," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Tuesday next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled : "An Act respecting the Banff National Park," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Tuesday next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the representation of the North-West Territories in the Senate of Canada," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Wednesday next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act respecting Offences against Public Morals and Public Convenience," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Wark, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the reading of the Petition of William Arthur Lavell, of the Town of Smith's Falls, in the Province of Ontario, praying for the passing of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Ada Mary Caton.

The Honorable Mr. Kaulbach presented to the House certain papers,—The Notice for Bill of Divorce and Return of Service.

The Notice and Return of Service were then read by the Clerk, as follow:—

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada, at the first Session thereof which may be holden after the expiration of six months from the first publication of this Notice, on behalf of William Arthur Lavell, of the Town of Smith's Falls, in the County of Lanark, in the Province of Ontario, Physician, for a Bill declaring that a ceremony and contract of marriage, solemnized and entered into at the City of Hamilton, in the County of Wentworth, in the said Province of Ontario, on the twenty-ninth day of September, A.D. 1882, between the said William Arthur Lavell, by and under the name of Arthur Vane and Ada Mary Caton, then of the Village of Newburgh, in the County of Lennox and Addington, in the said Province of Ontario, residence now unknown, by and under the name of Marie Herbert, was, and is, null and void on the ground that the said marriage was solemnized and entered into by and under false names. Or in the alternative for a Bill of Divorce from his wife Ada Mary Lavell, *née* Caton, formerly of the Village of Newburgh, in the County of Lennox and Addington, in the Province of Ontario, residence now unknown, on the grounds of desertion, bigamy and adultery.

SCOTT, MAC TAVISH & McCracken,

Solicitors for Applicant.

Dated at Ottawa this 25th day of May, 1886.

DOMINION OF CANADA, }
Province of Ontario, }
County of Frontenac, }

To Wit:

In the matter of an application for the relief of William A. Lavell.

I, John Morgan Shaw, of the City of Kingston, in the County of Frontenac, Druggist, do solemnly declare that I did, on the sixth day of July, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, serve Ada Mary Caton or Ada Mary Lavell, now known as Ada Mary Fralick, in the annexed Notice named, with a true duplicate of the said annexed notice, by delivering said duplicate to herself personally at the Village of Newburgh, in the County of Lennox and Addington.

2. That I am and have been personally well acquainted with the said Ada Mary Caton, and know that the person so served is the person referred to in said notice as having entered into said marriage contract with William Arthur Lavell there referred to.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and by virtue of the Act passed in the thirty-seventh year of Her Majesty's reign, intituled : "An Act for the suppression of Voluntary and Extra-judicial Oaths." Declared before me at Kingston, in the County of Frontenac, this 12th day of April, A.D. 1887. }

JOHN MORGAN SHAW.

CHAS. T. SMITH,
A Commissioner.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honorable Mr. Kaulbach moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Macfarlane,

That the Petition of William Arthur Lavell, of the Town of Smith's Falls, in the Province of Ontario, praying for the passing of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Ada Mary Caton, be now read and received,

Which being objected to,

The question of concurrence was put thereon, and the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

The Petition of William Arthur Lavell was then read and received.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled : "An Act for the relief of Marie Louise Noel," and that the Petitioner do attend at the Bar and be heard by Counsel.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie presented to the House,—The Certificate of the Clerk of the Senate,

Which said certificate was then read by the Clerk, as follows :—

I, Edouard Joseph Langevin, Clerk of the Senate, hereby certify that Notice of the Day, fixed by Order of the Senate, made on Friday, the twenty-second day of April, 1887, for the second reading of the Bill intituled : "An Act for the relief of Marie Louise Noel," was, pursuant to the Standing Order of the Senate, in that behalf, affixed upon the doors of the Senate throughout a period of fourteen days after the first reading of the said Bill, and between the said twenty-second day of April, A.D. 1887, and the seventh day of May, A. D. 1887.

Given under my hand, at the Senate Chamber, in the City of Ottawa, of the Province of Ontario, in the Dominion of Canada, this seventh day of May, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN,
Clerk of the Senate.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal,

That Henry Daniel Lawrence be called to the Bar of this House, to be sworn and examined.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative.

Then, Henry Daniel Lawrence was called to the Bar of the House, and being sworn, was examined as follows :—

Q. What is your name, place of residence and occupation ?

A. Henry Daniel Lawrence, of the City of Sherbrooke, in the Province of Quebec, Advocate.

Q. Look at the paper writing now produced and shown to you marked "A," intituled : "An Act for the relief of Marie Louise Noel," and at the paper writing

now produced and shown to you marked "B," being an order of the Senate, dated the 22nd day of April, 1887, both writings being certified by the Clerk of the Senate. Did you serve copies of these writings with the certificates thereon of the Clerk of the Senate upon any person, and if so, upon whom; and on what day and date and at what place?

A. I served true copies of the writings now shown to me marked "A" and "B" respectively with the certificates thereon respectively of the Clerk of the Senate, upon the said Robert L. Johnson, in Sherbrooke, the 28th day of April, A.D. 1887, at the City of Sherbrooke, in the Province of Quebec.

Q. State the particular mode in which you effected such service?

A. I served the said copies of the writings "A" and "B" on the said Robert L. Johnson personally, by handing the same to him and leaving the same with him then and there, explaining to him personally the purport and exigencies thereof.

Q. Do you know the said Robert L. Johnson, and the Petitioner, Marie Louise Noel?

A. I know the said Robert L. Johnson, and I know the said Marie Louise Noel. I have known the said R. L. Johnson for some years.

Q. Is the person Robert L. Johnson upon whom you served copies of the writings marked "A" and "B" respectively, the same Robert L. Johnson who is named in the said writings respectively and who is therein styled the husband of the said Marie Louise Noel?

A. Yes; he is the same person.

Q. Did you compare the said duplicate copies of the writings "A" and "B" with the said writings respectively and ascertain that they were true copies.

A. I compared carefully the said copies of the writings "A" and "B" with the said writings respectively and I ascertained that they were true copies?

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery, That the examination of the said Petitioner at the Bar be dispensed with, but that it be an instruction to any Select Committee to whom the said Bill may be referred to examine the said Marie Louise Noel, generally.

Which being objected to,

The question of concurrence was put thereon, and the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery, That the Petitioner, Marie Louise Noel, being in attendance at the Bar of the Senate and ready to be examined in this matter as well generally as in regard to any collusion or connivance between the parties to obtain such separation, her examination be for the present dispensed with, but that it be an instruction to any Committee to whom the Bill on the subject may be referred to make such examination.

Which being objected to,

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery, That the said Bill for the relief of Marie Louise Noel be now read a second time.

Which being objected to,

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

The Hon. Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery,

That the Bill be referred to a Select Committee composed of the Honorable Messieurs Dickey, Gowan, Macfarlane, McKay, Clemow, McKirdsey, Stevens, San-

ford, and the mover, to report thereon with all convenient speed, with power to send for papers and records and examine witnesses on oath, and that all persons summoned to appear before the Senate in this matter appear before the said Committee, and that the said Committee have leave to employ a shorthand reporter.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled : "An Act for the relief of Susan Ash," and that the Petitioner do attend at the Bar and be heard by Counsel.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie presented to the House,—The Certificate of the Clerk of the Senate,

Which said Certificate was then read by the Clerk, as follows :—

I, Edouard J. Langevin, Clerk of the Senate, hereby certify that Notice of the day fixed by Order of the Senate, made on Friday, the twenty-second day of April, 1887, for the second reading of the Bill intituled : "An Act for the relief of Susan Ash," was, pursuant to the Standing Order of the Senate, in that behalf, affixed upon the doors of the Senate throughout a period of fourteen days after the first Reading of the said Bill, and between the said twenty-second day of April, A.D. 1887, and the seventh day of May, A.D. 1887.

Given under my hand at the Senate Chamber, in the City of Ottawa, in the Province of Ontario, in the Dominion of Canada, this seventh day of May, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN,
Clerk of the Senate.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie presented to the House,—An Affidavit from Susan Ash, the Petitioner.

The same was then read by the Clerk, and is as follows :—

DOMINION OF CANADA.	}	In the matter of the application of Susan Manton, <i>née</i> Ash, to the Parliament of Canada, for a Bill of Divorce from her husband, William Manton.
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I, Susan Ash, of the City of Montreal, in the District of Montreal, and Province of Quebec, the Petitioner above named, do solemnly declare :—

That, as appears by the solemn declarations filed before this Honorable House at the time of the reading of my Petition for a Divorce from my husband, William Manton, all attempts made to find the said William Manton to cause to be served upon him the Notice of application to the Parliament of Canada for the said divorce, were of no avail.

That since the reading of the said Petition I caused further inquiries to be made from Joseph Manton, of the said City of Montreal, Gunsmith, and from Dame Catherine Hatch, widow of Henry Hatch, of the Village of Stirling, in the Province of Ontario, who are the only two relatives of my said husband whose residence I know, to discover the residence of the said William Manton in order to cause the service upon him of the Bill intituled : "An Act for the relief of Susan Ash," and the Order of the Senate for the second reading of the said Bill, but that the said Joseph Manton and Catherine Hatch declared that they had no communication with the said William Manton, ignored his residence, and could give no information about the same, and that in consequence I was unable to effect personal service of the said Bill and said Notice upon the said William Manton.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and in virtue of the Act passed in the thirty-seventh year of Her Majesty's

Reign, intituled: "An Act for the Suppression of Voluntary and Extra-judicial Oaths."

Declared and acknowledged before me, at the City of Ottawa,)
in the Province of Ontario, on this 12th day of May, in)
the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and)
eight-seven.)

SUSAN ASH.

J. A. GEMMILL,
A Commissioner, &c., &c.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery, That the examination of the Petitioner, Susan Ash, at the Bar be dispensed with, but that it be an instruction to any Select Committee to whom the said Bill may be referred, to examine the said Susan Ash, generally.

Which being objected to,

The question of concurrence was put thereon, and the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery, That the said Bill for the relief of Susan Ash be now read a second time.

Which being objected to,

The question of concurrence was put thereon, and the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery, That the said Bill be referred to a Select Committee composed of the Honorable Messieurs Dickey, Gowan, Macdonald, McInnes, Haythorne, Ferrier, Vidal, Turner, and the mover, to report thereon with all convenient speed, with power to send for papers and records, and examine witnesses on oath, and that all persons summoned to appear before the Senate in this matter, appear before the Committee, and that the said Committee have leave to employ a shorthand reporter.

Which being objected to,

The question of concurrence was put thereon, and the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

The Honorable the Speaker presented to the House the following Certificate from the Clerk of the Senate:—

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE SENATE,
OTTAWA, 25th April, 1887.

In the matter of Fanny Margaret Herchmer, Petitioner for a Bill of Divorce:—

I hereby certify that I have received from the Petitioner the sum of Two hundred dollars, in accordance with the Eighty-third Rule of this House.

EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN,
Clerk of the Senate.

The Order of the Day being read for the reading of the Petition of Fanny Margaret Riddell, of Beaconsfield, in the Province of Quebec, praying for the passing of an Act to dissolve her marriage with George Field Herchmer.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie presented to the House certain papers,—The Notice for Bill of Divorce and Return of Service.

The Notice and Return of Service were then read by the Clerk, as follow:—

I, Stephen Redgrave, of Donald, in the Province of British Columbia, do solemnly declare:

1st. That I did on the twentieth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, at Rogers' Pass, on the Canadian Pacific Railway, in the Province of British Columbia, personally serve George Field Herchmer, then residing at Rogers' Pass, in the Province of British Columbia, Doctor of Medicine, with a duplicate copy of the original Notice hereunto annexed, and marked "A," by leaving the same with himself in person at Rogers' Pass aforesaid.

2nd. That the said George Field Herchmer is well known to me and has been for some months last past.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and in virtue of an Act passed in the thirty-seventh year of Her Majesty's reign, intituled: "An Act for the Suppression of Voluntary and Extra-judicial Oaths."

STEPHEN REDGRAVE,
Sheriff of Kootenay, B.C.

Sworn before me at Donald, in the)
Province of British Columbia,)
this 20th day of September, 1886.)

W. H. LILLEY,
Justice of the Peace.

"A."

Notice is hereby given by Fanny Margaret Riddell, now residing at Beaconsfield, in the Parish of Pointe Claire, in the District of Montreal, and Province of Quebec, wife of George Field Herchmer, of some place in the North-West Territories unknown, Doctor of Medicine, that she will apply at the next Session of the Parliament of Canada for a Divorce from her said husband for the causes of desertion and adultery.

ABBOTT, TAIT & ABBOTTS,
Solicitors for Applicant.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery, That the Petition of Fanny Margaret Riddell, of Beaconsfield, in the Province of Quebec, praying for the passing of an Act to dissolve her marriage with George Field Herchmer, be now read and received.

Which being objected to,

The question of concurrence was put thereon, and the same was then, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

The Petition of Fanny Margaret Riddell was then read and received.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford,

The House adjourned.

Friday, 13th May, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Reesor,</i>
<i>Archibald,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Ross (Laurentides),</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>Macfarlane,</i>	<i>Ryan,</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Guburemont,</i>	<i>Macpherson</i>	<i>Sanford,</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>(Sir David Lewis),</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Botsford,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Smith,</i>
<i>Boyd,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Sullivan,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Levin,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>Glemow,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Piquet,</i>	<i>Turner,</i>
<i>DeBlois,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Power,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>

PRAYERS.

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

By the Honorable Mr. Girard,—Of the Winnipeg and Hudson's Bay Railway.

By the Honorable Mr. Turner,—Of the Imperial Guarantee and Loan Society.

By the Honorable Mr. Allan,—Of Lieutenant Colonel David Smith, and other Officers and Privates of the Volunteer Service on duty during the Fenian Raid upon Canada in the year 1866; of the Corporation of the City of Toronto; of the Freehold Loan and Savings Company, and of the British Canadian Loan and Investment Company (Limited).

By the Honorable Mr. McCallum,—Of the Municipal Corporation of the Town of Woodstock; of James Austin, and others, of the City of Toronto, and of the Alberta and Athabasca Railway Company.

By the Honorable Mr. Sanford,—Of the General Conference of the Methodist Church.

By the Honorable Mr. Gowan,—Of Edward King Dodds, and others, and of David Creighton, and others, of the Town of Owen Sound and elsewhere.

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

Of John Secord, and others, of the Town of Regina, in the North-West Territories, and elsewhere; praying to be incorporated as The Regina and Wood Mountain Railway Company.

Of Alexander MacLean, and others; praying to be incorporated as The Upper Columbia Railway Company.

Of the Edmonton and Saskatchewan Land Company; praying for an Act empowering them to sell and convey to shareholders lands or other property of the Company in lieu of shares given in payment for such lands or property.

Of the St. Catharines and Niagara Central Railway Company; praying for an Act empowering them to build their line through the City of Hamilton, on the route to Toronto, to connect by a branch with any railway running into Toronto, and to extend their western line from any point on the Grand River to the Town of Woodstock.

Of the Atlantic and North-West Railway; praying for an Act confirming their acquisition of the International Railway of Maine, and of the International Railway, and confirming the lease of the said consolidated line to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

Of the Ontario and Quebec Railway Company; praying for an Act authorizing them to acquire the line of the West Ontario Pacific Railway Company, and for confirming the authority they hold of leasing the same to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

Of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company; praying for an Act confirming their acquisition of an extension of the Ontario and Quebec Railway, and the lease of the Atlantic and North-West Railway; to facilitate the construction of a bridge across the St. Mary River; to confirm the location of branch lines to the cities of Vancouver and New Westminster; to confirm the sale of the Aylmer branch; and granting authority to construct other branch lines by raising money thereon.

Of the Saskatchewan and Western Railway Company; praying for an Act declaring their work one for the general advantage of Canada, giving them power to extend their line of Railway, and confirming the lease of said Railway to the Manitoba and North-Western Railway Company.

Of the Winnipeg and Hudson's Bay Railway and Steamship Company; praying for an Act consolidating and amending their Acts of Incorporation, and changing the name of the said Company to The Winnipeg and Hudson's Bay Railway Company.

Of the Honorable Donald MacInnes, and others, of the City of Montreal; praying to be incorporated as The Londonderry Iron Company.

Of John Hendry, and others, of New Westminster, in the Province of British Columbia; praying to be incorporated as a Company to build a Railway between Semiahmoo Bay and New Westminster.

Of the Western Counties Railway Company; praying for an Act declaring their work one for the general advantage of Canada, and to authorize them to issue Debentures, Stock or Preference Shares, and construct, purchase, acquire or amalgamate with certain other Railways.

Of D. Blain, and others, of the City of Toronto; praying to be incorporated as The Imperial Trusts Company of Canada.

Of the Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway Company; praying for an Act to extend the time for completing the said Railway; to extend their line of railway to Sault Ste. Marie; to ratify a certain agreement with the Canadian Pacific Railway, and for other purposes.

Of the Ottawa and Gatineau Valley Railway Company; praying for an Act declaring their works to be for the general advantage of Canada, and giving them power to extend their line of Railway on to some point on or near James' Bay; and also to a point at or near the City of Ottawa, crossing the River Ottawa by a bridge, and for changing the name of the said Company, and otherwise amending their Act of Incorporation.

Of the Picton Bank; praying for the passing of an Act authorizing the winding up of the said Bank.

Of Thurston G. Hall, and others, of the City of Chicago, in the State of Illinois, one of the United States of America, and elsewhere; praying to be incorporated as The Dominion Oil, Pipe, Line and Manufacturing Company.

Of Frank Turner, and others; praying to be incorporated as The Canadian Power Company.

Of Robert Henry, and others, of the City of Brantford; praying to be incorporated as The South Ontario Pacific Railway Company.

Of D. J. Richardson, and others, of the City of Brantford; praying for the passing of an Act to have Government Inspection of the Sanitary arrangements of Workshops.

Of the Canada Permanent Loan and Savings Company; praying for the passing of an Act to enable them to extend their business, and for other purposes.

Of the Municipal Council of the County of Gaspé; praying that such means may be taken as will assure the immediate completion of the Baie des Chaleurs Railway as far as Gaspé Basin.

Of L. R. Baker, and others, of Beauharnois; praying to be incorporated as The South-Western Railway Company.

Of Sir George Stephen, and others; praying to be incorporated as The Niagara and Woodstock Railway Company.

Of Andrew Henderson, and others, of the District of Alberta; praying for the passing of the Bill to incorporate The Chinook Belt and Peace River Railway Company;—and

Of the Corporation of the Town of Peterborough; praying that the Canada Temperance Act, 1878, may be amended by placing Towns containing a population of seven thousand and over, may be placed in the same position as Cities are under the said Act.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marie Louise Noel," to report thereon with all convenient speed, with power to send for persons, papers and records, presented the following Report:—

Ordered, That it be received and

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows :—

THE SENATE,
COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,
FRIDAY, 12th May, 1887.

The Select Committee to whom, by order of your Honorable House of date the eleventh day of May, instant, was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marie Louise Noel," to report thereon with all convenient speed, with power to send for persons, papers and records, beg leave to make their First Report, as follows :—

Your Committee, in obedience to the Order of Reference, have examined the said Bill, and have agreed to report the same with the following amendments :—

Page 1, line 12.—After "wife" insert "that afterwards in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, the Petitioner cohabited with the said Robert L. Johnson for one night only."

And in obedience to the Seventy-eighth Rule of your Honorable House, your Committee report to your Honorable House, herewith, the evidence taken down in writing of the witnesses heard on oath before your Committee, together with that of the Petitioner, whom, in compliance with the instruction from your Honorable House to that effect, your Committee have examined upon oath, as well generally as in regard to any collusion or connivance between the parties to obtain a separation, and also all vouchers adduced before your Committee.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Gowan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, it was

Ordered, That the said Report, with the evidence returned therewith, together with the Bill therein referred to, be taken into consideration by the House on Monday next.

The Honorable Mr. Macdonald moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Kaulbach,

That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General; praying that His Excellency will cause to be laid before this House, copies of all Correspondence between the Imperial and Dominion Governments relating to the Defences of British Columbia during the years 1886 and 1887.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and it was

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General by such Members of this House as are Members of the Privy Council.

The Honorable the Speaker presented to the House, the following Certificate from the Clerk of the Senate :—

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE SENATE,
OTTAWA, 13th May, 1887.

In the matter of John Monteith, Petitioner for a Bill of Divorce :—

I hereby certify that I have received from the Petitioner the sum of Two hundred dollars, in accordance with the Eighty-third Rule of this House,

EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN,
Clerk of the Senate.

The Order of the Day being read for the reading of the Petition of John Monteith, of Lake Rosseau, in the District of Parry Sound, in the Province of Ontario, praying for the passing of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Mary Ann Wright.

The Honorable Mr. McKindsey presented to the House certain papers,—The Notice for Bill of Divorce, with affidavits attached.

The Notice and affidavits attached were then read by the Clerk, as follow :—

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of the Dominion of Canada, at the first Session thereof which may be holden after the expiration of six months from the date of this Notice by me, John Monteith, of the Village of Rosseau, in the District of Parry Sound, in the Province of Ontario, Inn Keeper, for a Bill of Divorce from my wife, Mary Ann Monteith, formerly of the said Village of Rosseau, but now residing at the City of Philadelphia, in the State of Pennsylvania, one of the United States of America, or elsewhere out of the Dominion of Canada, on the grounds of adultery and desertion.

JOHN MONTEITH.

*By his solicitors, Fullerton, Cook & Miller,
of the City of Toronto, in the County of York.*

Dated this 2nd day of July, 1886.

DOMINION OF CANADA, }
Province of Ontario, }
District of Parry Sound, } In the matter of the application of John Monteith, of
To Wit: } the Village of Rosseau, in the District of Parry Sound, for a
Divorce from his wife, Mary Ann Monteith.

I, William Hubbert, of the Town of Barrie, in the County of Simcoe, Constable, do solemnly declare :—

1. That I did, on the 18th day of April A.D. 1887, personally serve Thomas Wright with a true copy of the Notice hereunto annexed, by handing the same to and leaving the same with the said Thomas Wright, at his house, in the Township of Vespra, within said County of Simcoe.

2. That I know the said Thomas Wright so served, and that he is the father of the said Mary Ann Monteith.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Act passed in the thirty-seventh year of Her Majesty's reign, intituled: "An Act for the suppression of Voluntary and Extra judicial Oaths."

Solemnly declared before me, at the Town }
of Barrie, in the County of Simcoe, this }
18th day of April, A.D. 1887.

WILLIAM HUBBERT.

JOHN DICKINSON,
A Notary Public.

DOMINION OF CANADA, }
Province of Ontario, }
District of Parry Sound, } In the matter of the application of John Monteith, of
To Wit: } the Village of Rosseau, in the District of Parry Sound, for
a Divorce from his wife, Mary Ann Monteith.

I, William Hubbert, of the Town of Barrie, in the County of Simcoe, Constable, do solemnly declare :—

1. That I did, on the 18th day of April, A.D. 1887, personally serve Mary Ann Wright with a true copy of the Notice hereunto annexed, by handing the same to and leaving the same with the said Mary Ann Wright, at her house, in the Township of Vespra, in the said County of Simcoe.

2. That I know the said Mary Ann Wright so served, and that she is the mother of the said Mary Ann Monteith.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Act passed in the thirty-seventh year of Her Majesty's reign, intituled: "An Act for the suppression of Voluntary and Extra judicial Oaths."

Solemnly declared before me, at the Town of }
Barrie, in the County of Simcoe, this 18th }
day of April, A.D. 1887. }

WILLIAM HUBBERT.

JOHN DICKINSON,
A Notary Public.

DOMINION OF CANADA, }
Province of Ontario, } In the matter of the application of John Monteith, of
District of Parry Sound, } the Village of Rosseau, in the District of Parry Sound, for
To Wit: } a Divorce from his wife, Mary Ann Monteith.

I, William Hubbert, of the Town of Barrie, in the County of Simcoe, Constable, do solemnly declare:—

1. That I did, on the 18th day of April, A.D. 1887, personally serve Eliza Turner with a true copy of the Notice hereunto annexed, by handing the same to and leaving the same with the said Eliza Turner, at her house, in the Township of Vespra, within said County of Simcoe.

2. That I know the said Eliza Turner so served, and that she is a sister of the said Mary Ann Monteith.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Act passed in the thirty-seventh year of Her Majesty's reign, intituled: "An Act for the suppression of Voluntary and Extra-judicial Oaths."

Solemnly declared before me, at the Town of }
Barrie, in the County of Simcoe, this 18th }
day of April, A.D. 1887. }

WILLIAM HUBBERT.

JOHN DICKINSON,
A Notary Public.

ROSSEAU, November 6th, 1886.

MESSRS. FULLERTON, COOK & Co., Toronto.

GENTLEMEN,—In answer to yours of the 1st inst., I beg to apologize for neglect in not answering before. My reason for not doing so: I have been much absent from home. I have done everything within my power to find where she is, but failed. I have written to the Chiefs of Police in every town of importance in the Eastern, and all likely places in the Western, States of America, but have failed to find any clue, having enclosed photos of them the same as enclosed to you in this letter. I have also had communications with her mother, Mrs. Wright, of Midhurst, Barrie; also his mother, Mrs. Storkey, of Rugby, P.Q., and I think neither of their mothers are acquainted with where they are. How to get better information I am at a loss to know.

DOMINION OF CANADA, }
Province of Ontario, } In the matter of the Petition of John Monteith, of the
To Wit: } Village of Rosseau, in the District of Parry Sound, for a
Bill of Divorce from his wife, Mary Ann Monteith.

I, John Monteith, of the Village of Rosseau, in the District of Parry Sound, do solemnly declare:—

1. I am the above-named applicant.

2. That since my wife, Mary Ann Monteith, abandoned her home and ran away to the States, as set out in the Petition filed in the above matter, I have made and caused to be made every possible search that I thought would be likely in any way to lead to the discovery of her whereabouts, but without success.

3. That for the purposes of more effectually making such search and obtaining such information, I caused photographs of my said wife and William G. Norton, referred to in my said Petition, to be made, and caused said photographs to be sent to the Chiefs of Police in all places in the Eastern and Western States where I thought it at all probable they would be located.

4. The portion of a letter hereto annexed is a portion of a letter sent by me to my solicitors, Messrs. Fullerton, Cook & Miller, on the 6th day of November last past, in answer to a letter from them inquiring what I had done, and the photographs of my wife and the said Norton, fastened thereto, show the manner in which I sent their photographs to the said Chiefs of Police, and the said letter so written by me to my solicitors was written in good faith and correctly expresses what I had then done, and I have since then not been able to obtain the slightest clue to my wife's whereabouts, and am in utter and absolute ignorance of the same.

5. That I have expended in making the said searches, and upon inquiries and trouble I have taken to discover my wife's whereabouts, the sum of seven hundred and ten dollars.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Act passed in the thirty-seventh year of Her Majesty's reign, intituled: "An Act for the suppression of Voluntary and Extra judicial Oaths."

Solemnly declared before me, at the Village }
of Rosseau, in the District of Parry Sound, }
this 3rd day of May, A.D. 1887. }

JOHN MONTEITH.

EBENEZER SWETT,

A Commissioner for taking affidavits for use in H. C. J.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,
7 PEMBERTON SQUARE,
BOSTON, December 1st, 1885.

JOHN HOLTON, Esquire,
Chief Constable,
Rosseau, Ont.

SIR,—Yours of November 26th, 1885, received, and in reply would say that we are unable to locate the parties representing the photographs.

Yours with respect,

CYRUS SMALL,
Superintendent of Police.

Per J. R. BURRILL,
Deputy Superintendent.

CLEVELAND, O., December 1st, 1885.

JOHN HOLTON,
Chief Constable,
Rosseau, Ont.

There is a couple living here for about a week that may be the party of whom you sent the photos. The man goes by the name of John Broberg, a Swede, about

30 years old; full black beard; white spot on left eye; tall, slim; talks broken English. The woman is Scotch; 35 or 40 years old; short and stout; says she is a divorced woman; has three large trunks with her.

Yours respectfully,

C. McHANNAN,
Captain of Detectives.

MILWAUKEE, December 1st, 1885.

JOHN HOLTON,
Chief Constable,
Rosseau, Ont.

DEAR SIR,—In answer to yours of 26th ult., will say, that after diligent search, we failed to find the parties whose pictures were enclosed in your letter.

Yours respectfully,
F. J. RIES,
Chief of Police.

DOMINION OF CANADA, } In the matter of the application of John Monteith, of
Province of Ontario, } the Village of Rosseau, in the District of Parry Sound, for a
To Wit: } Bill of Divorce from his wife, Mary Ann Monteith.

I, John Holton, of the Village of Rosseau, in the District of Parry Sound, do solemnly declare:—

1. I was Chief Constable of the said Village of Rosseau.
2. During last year I was employed by the above-named John Monteith to make search for, and ascertain if possible, the whereabouts of his wife, Mary Ann Monteith.
3. Pursuant to his instructions I wrote to the Police Department in the following towns and cities in the United States: New York, Albany, Oswego, Buffalo, Rochester, Jersey City, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Detroit, Michigan City, Chicago, Milwaukee, Boston, Philadelphia, Pittsburg.
4. The letters hereto annexed are letters received by me in answer to such inquiries.
5. I was unable to obtain any information as to the whereabouts of the said Mary Ann Monteith, or that would give me any clue on which to pursue further inquiries about her, and I have been obliged to abandon the said search, because I could not in any way obtain any clue or information to enable me to hope to successfully prosecute the said search.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Act passed in the thirty-seventh year of Her Majesty's reign, intituled: "An Act for the suppression of Voluntary and Extra-judicial Oaths."

Solemnly declared before me, at the Village of }
Rosseau, in the District of Parry Sound, } JOHN HOLTON.
this 3rd day of May, A.D. 1887.

EBENEZER SWETT,
A Commissioner for taking Affidavits for use in the H.C.J.

The Honorable Mr. McKindsey moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Gowan, That the Petition of John Monteith, of Lake Rosseau, in the District of Parry Sound, in the Province of Ontario, praying for the passing of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Mary Ann Wright, be now read and received,
Which being objected to,

The question of concurrence was put thereon, and the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

The Petition of John Monteith was then read and received.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to enable the Western Canada Loan and Savings Company to extend their business, and for other purposes," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Allan, seconded by the Honorable Sir David Lewis Macpherson, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Teeswater and Inverhuron Railway Company," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Gowan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraph and Harbors.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Government Railways Act," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Sir David Lewis Macpherson, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Sir David Lewis Macpherson, it was

Ordered, That the time for presenting Petitions for Private Bills, which expires to-day, be extended to Monday, the thirtieth day of May instant, and that the time for presenting Private Bills to the Senate, which expires upon Friday, the twentieth day of May instant, be extended to Monday, the sixth day of June next.

The Honorable Mr. Smith, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, informed the House that he had a Message from His Excellency the Governor General, under his sign manual, which His Excellency had commanded him to deliver to this House.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

LANSDOWNE.

The Governor General transmits to the Senate, a copy of a despatch which he has received from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, enclosing copy of a communication from the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, showing arrangements which have been adopted in order to meet the views of the Colonial Governments, in relation to the Imperial pay and pension, and to the promotion in the Imperial Service of Imperial naval and military officers employed by Colonial Governments.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE.

Ottawa, April, 1887.

(Circular.)

DOWNING STREET, February 1st, 1887.

SIR,—In the year 1885 questions were raised by the Governments of Canada and Victoria, in relation to the Imperial pay and pension, and to the promotion in the Imperial Service, of Imperial naval and military officers employed by Colonial Governments. Her Majesty's Government have had the subject under their con-

sideration, and I have now the honor to enclose copy of a communication from the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, showing the arrangements which have been adopted in order to meet the views of the Colonial Governments. I may add that civilian pensioners will likewise be permitted to take service under Colonial Governments without suffering any deduction from their Imperial pensions.

The correspondence on the subject, which is not yet quite complete, will be presented to Parliament, but the enclosure to this despatch is forwarded to you in advance, as containing the decision arrived at.

I have the honor to be, Sir,

Your most obedient humble servant,

H. T. HOLLAND.

The Officer Administering the Government of

21,995.

No.

(Admiralty to Colonial Office.)

ADMIRALTY, December 3, 1886.

SIR,—With reference to previous correspondence relative to the general question of the employment of naval and military officers in naval or military appointments under Colonies which receive no contribution from Imperial funds, I am commanded by my Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty to transmit herewith, for the information of the Secretary of State for the Colonies, copy of a letter which they have received on the subject from the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury, dated 20th ultimo.

In view of the concessions contained in this Treasury letter, no further question appears to exist, and my Lords will accordingly take steps to procure the necessary Order in Council with regard to naval and marine officers.

I am to add that my Lords propose departmentally to fix a limit on these Colonial appointments of three years from date of taking up appointment.

I am, &c,

The Under Secretary of State,
Colonial Office.

(Signed) EVAN MACGREGOR.

[Enclosure in No. .]

TREASURY CHAMBERS, November 20, 1886.

SIR,—I am directed by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury to transmit herewith, for the information of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, a copy of a letter which my Lords have caused to be addressed to the War Office on the subject of the conditions of employment of military officers by the Colonial Governments.

I am to state that my Lords consent to the application of like rules to naval officers.

I have, &c.,

The Secretary, Admiralty.

(Signed) R. E. WELBY.

TREASURY CHAMBERS, November 19, 1886.

SIR,—The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury have had before them Mr. Knox's letter of the 11th ultimo, respecting the employment of naval and military officers by Colonial Governments, and direct me to state that, on the recom-

mentation of Mr. Secretary Smith, they agree to the following rules, which, it will be observed, involve a further and very important concession to the Colonies at the cost of the British taxpayer.

(1.) If the officer be on the active list of the army, he will draw no pay from Imperial funds during his employment by the Colonial Government, but, if the Secretary of State see fit, his service under that Government may count towards promotion and retirement, as though it were service in the Imperial army, and the retired pay earned by his Colonial service, so long as he remains on the active list, will be chargeable upon Imperial funds.

(2.) If the officer retire from the army whilst serving under the Colonial Government he may at once draw so much of his retired pay as was earned by army service prior to his entering the Colonial service; and on retiring from the Colonial service he may also draw the retired pay earned by so much of his Colonial service as preceded his retirement from the army.

Article 991 of the Pay Warrant must be amended accordingly.

(3.) If the officer be on the retired list when he accepts Colonial employment, his retired pay need not be suspended in whole or part by reason of such employment unless the Secretary of State deems fit, even though the retired pay may have been earned by mixed army and civil service.

(4.) No service under a Colonial Government subsequent to retirement from the army shall increase the charge for an officer's retired pay upon Imperial funds.

(5.) These rules may be applied to officers now in Colonial employment.

I am to add that my Lords will not press further for the restriction of the Colonial employment of an officer on the active list to five years.

I am, &c.,

The Financial Secretary, War Office.

(Signed)

R. E. WEBBY.

P.S.—This letter has been communicated to the Board of Admiralty with an intimation that my Lords assent to the application of like rules to naval officers.

The Honorable Mr. Smith, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—The Civil Service List of Canada on the first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 5b.*)

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Sir David Lewis Macpherson,

The House adjourned until Monday next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Monday, 16th May, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Archibald,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Ryan,</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>Macfarlane,</i>	<i>Sanford,</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Schultz,</i>
<i>Botsford,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>MacInnes,</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Boyd,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>(Burlington),</i>	<i>Smith,</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Turner,</i>
<i>DeBlois,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Piquet,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>

PRAYERS.

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

By the Honorable Mr. Chaffers,—Of the Provisional Directors of the Hydraulic and Manufacturing Company of St. Johns and Iberville.

By the Honorable Mr. McKindsey,—Of the Hamilton and North-Western Railway Company.

By the Honorable Mr. DeBlois,—Of the Honorable James Ross Gibbs, and others:

By the Honorable Mr. Sanford,—Of the Local Assembly 2132, K. of L., Hamilton.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were severally read:—
Of George H. Howard, and others, of the Town of Niagara, in the Province of Ontario; praying to be incorporated as the Niagara River Bridge Company.

Of the Corporation of the Township of Magog; praying for the passing of the Bill to amend the Incorporation Act of the Waterloo and Magog Railway Company.

Of L. J. Sergeant, and others, proprietors of real estate in the St. Antoine Ward of the City of Montreal, and the Municipalities of St. Cunegonde and St. Henri; praying that the Bill to amend the Incorporation Act of the Atlantic and North-West Railway Company may not be passed without a clause conserving their rights to indemnity for injury to their property.

Of the Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land Company (Limited); praying for the passing of an Act reducing their Capital Stock, and for other purposes.

Of the Municipal Council of the Township of Kincardine; of the Municipal Council of the Township of Huron; of the Municipal Corporation of the Town of Kincardine, and of the Municipal Council of the Village of Teeswater, all in the Province of Ontario; praying for the passing of the Bill to incorporate the Kincardine and Teeswater Railway Company.

Of T. P. Pearce; praying for an Act to incorporate himself and associates a Company to own and operate the line of the Cobourg, Peterborough and Marmora Railway and Mining Company, purchased by him at a sale made under a Decree of the High Court of Justice for Ontario.

Of the Geographical Society of Quebec; praying that aid may be given to enable them to carry out the objects of their Society.

Of Hugh McLenan, and others, of the City of Montreal; praying to be incorporated as the Equity Insurance Company.

Of the Municipal Corporation of the Town of Sorel; praying that means be employed by the Government for the removal of certain shoals in the St. Lawrence opposite the Town of Sorel.

Of the Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Company; praying for an Act to more clearly define the mode of Presiding at its meetings and to authorize the further issue of Bonds.

Of the Board of Trade of the City of St. Thomas, in the Province of Ontario; praying for the passing of an Act relating to the equitable distribution of Insolvent Estates and the subsequent discharge of unfortunate debtors.

Of J. E. Smith, Mayor, and 380 others, of the City of St. Thomas, in the Province of Ontario; praying that the case of Joseph Swisher, a volunteer of 1837, may be taken into consideration, and compensation rendered to him.

Of the Témiscouata Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act for the amendment of their Act of Incorporation;—and

Of the Ontario Pacific Railway Company; praying for an Act to amend their Act of Incorporation.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their Fifth Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE,
COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,
MONDAY, 16th May, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make their Fifth Report.

Your Committee have examined the following Petitions, and find that sufficient Notice has been given in each case:—

Of Horace Norton, and others, of the County of Huron, in the Province of On-

tario; praying to be incorporated as the Goderich and Canada-Pacific Junction Railway Company.

Of John Secord, and others, of the Town of Regina, in the North-West Territories, and elsewhere; praying to be incorporated as the Regina and Wood Mountain Railway Company.

Of the Ontario and Quebec Railway Company; praying for an Act authorizing them to acquire the line of the West Ontario Pacific Railway Company, and for confirming the authority they hold of leasing the same to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

Of the Atlantic and North-West Railway Company; praying for an Act confirming their acquisition of the International Railway of Maine, and of the International Railway, and confirming the lease of the said consolidated line to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

Of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company; praying for an Act confirming their acquisition of an extension of the Ontario and Quebec Railway, and the lease of the Atlantic and North-West Railway; to facilitate the construction of a bridge across the Ste. Mary River; to confirm the location of branch lines to the cities of Vancouver and New Westminster; to confirm the sale of the Aylmer section to the Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway, and granting authority to construct other branch lines by raising money thereon.

Of John Hendry, and others, of New Westminster, in the Province of British Columbia; praying to be incorporated as a Company to build a Railway from or between Semiahmoo Bay and New Westminster.

Of D. Blain, and others, of the City of Toronto; praying to be incorporated as The Imperial Trusts Company of Canada.

Of the Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway Company; praying for an Act to extend the time for completing the said railway; to extend their line of railway to Sault Ste. Marie; to ratify a certain agreement with the Canadian Pacific Railway, and for other purposes.

Of Thurston G. Hall, and others, of the City of Chicago, in the State of Illinois, one of the United States of America, and elsewhere; praying to be incorporated as The Dominion Oil Pipe Line and Manufacturing Company.

Of the Canada Permanent Loan and Savings Company; praying for the passing of an Act to enable them to extend their business, and for other purposes.

Of the Ontario and Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company; praying for an Act declaring their Railway a work for the general advantage of Canada, and for other purposes;—and

Of the St. Catharines and Niagara Central Railway Company; praying for an Act empowering them to build their line through the City of Hamilton on the route to Toronto, to connect by a branch with any railway running into Toronto, and to extend their western line from any point on the Grand River to the Town of Woodstock.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their Sixth Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE,
COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,
MONDAY, 16th May, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make their Sixth Report.

Your Committee have examined the following Petitions, and find that the Seventy-second Rule has been complied with in each case:—

Of Fanny Margaret Riddell, of Beaconsfield, in the Province of Quebec; praying for an Act to dissolve her marriage with George Field Herchmer;—and

Of William Arthur Lavell, of the Town of Smith's Falls, in the County of Lanark, in the Province of Ontario; praying for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Ada Mary Caton.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their Seventh Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE.

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,
MONDAY, 16th May, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make their Seventh Report.

Your Committee have examined the following Petition:—

Of the Honorable Donald MacInnes, and others, of the City of Montreal; praying to be incorporated as the Londonderry Iron Company, and find that Notice of this application has only been published in the *Canada Gazette* and two local newspapers in the City of Montreal. That they are of the opinion that as the works to be operated by the applicants are situated in the Province of Nova Scotia, the Notice should have been published in the District affected in that Province. They, however, recommend the suspension of the Fifty-first Rule, in so far as it relates to the same, as it will be competent for the Committee to whom the Bill shall be referred, to provide that no injury to any party shall arise therefrom.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Almon, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Turner, it was

Ordered, That the Fifty-first Rule of this House be suspended in so far as the same relates to the Petition of the Honorable Donald MacInnes, and others, of the City of Montreal, as recommended in the Seventh Report of the Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie presented to the House the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of Fanny Margaret Riddell."

The said Bill was read for the first time.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal,

That the said Bill be read a second time on Tuesday, the seventh day of June next, and that Notice thereof be affixed on the doors of this House, and the Senators summoned; and that the said Fanny Margaret Riddell may be heard by her Counsel at the second reading to make out the truth of the allegations of the said Bill, and that George Field Herchmer may have a copy of the said Bill, and that notice be given to him of the said second reading, or sufficient proof adduced of the impossibility of so doing, and that he be at liberty to be heard by Counsel what he may have to offer against the said Bill, at the same time; that the said Fanny Margaret Riddell do attend this House on the said seventh day of June next, in order to her being examined on the second reading of the said Bill, if the House shall think fit, whether

there has or has not been any collusion directly or indirectly on her part, relative to any act of adultery that may have been committed by her husband to obtain such separation, or whether there be any collusion, directly or indirectly, between her and her husband or any other person or persons, touching the said Bill of Divorce, or touching any action at law which may have been brought by her against any person for criminal conversation with him, the said husband of the said Fanny Margaret Riddell, and also whether at the time of the adultery of which she complains, he was by deed or otherwise by her consent living separately and apart from and released by her, as far as in her lay, from his conjugal duty, or whether she was at the time of such adultery, cohabiting with him, as her husband.

Which being objected to,

The question of concurrence was put thereon, and the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

The Honorable Mr. Kaulbach presented to the House the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Arthur Lavell."

The said Bill was read for the first time.

The Honorable Mr. Kaulbach moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Macdonald, That the said Bill be read a second time on Tuesday, the thirty-first day of May, instant, and that Notice thereof be affixed on the doors of this House, and the Senators summoned; and that the said William Arthur Lavell may be heard by his Counsel at the second reading to make out the truth of the allegations of the said Bill, and that Ada Mary Caton may have a copy of the said Bill, and that Notice be given to her of the said second reading, or sufficient proof adduced of the impossibility of so doing, and that she be at liberty to be heard by Counsel what she may have to offer against the said Bill, at the same time; that the said William Arthur Lavell do attend this House on the said thirty-first day of May, instant, in order to his being examined on the second reading of the said Bill, if the House shall think fit, whether there has or has not been any collusion, directly or indirectly on his part, relative to any act of adultery that may have been committed by his wife to obtain such separation, or whether there be any collusion, directly or indirectly, between him and his wife or any other person or persons, touching the said Bill of Divorce, or touching any action at law which may have been brought by him against any person for criminal conversation with her, the said wife of the said William Arthur Lavell, and also whether at the time of the adultery of which he complains, she was by deed or otherwise by his consent living separately and apart from and released by him, as far as in him lay, from her conjugal duty, or whether she was at the time of such adultery, cohabiting with him, and under the protection and authority of him as her husband.

Which being objected to,

The question of concurrence was put thereon, and the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan presented to the House a Bill intituled: "An Act to enable the Canada Permanent Loan and Savings Company to extend their business, and for other purposes."

The said Bill was read a first time.

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Primitive Methodist Colonization Company (Limited)," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. MacInnes, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Railway Act," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ryan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House on Wednesday next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act respecting Public Officers," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ryan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House on Wednesday next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act respecting Offences against Public Morals and Public Convenience," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. MacInnes, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House on Wednesday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the report of the Select Committee, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marie Louise Noel,"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for putting the House into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Government Railways Act,"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ryan, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until Wednesday next.

The Honorable the Speaker presented to the House,—A Return of the Clerk of the Senate in reference to the property qualification of Senators.

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

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE SENATE,
OTTAWA, 16th May, 1887.

I hereby certify that in conformity with the Resolution passed by the Senate on the eleventh day of May, instant, the Honorable Messieurs Thomas Ryan and John Boyd have, on the twelfth and fourteenth of May, instant, made and subscribed before me the Renewal Declaration of their property qualification, on pages thirteen and fifty of the Register of Record in my office.

EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN,
Clerk of the Senate.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the St. Catharines and Niagara Central Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr McKindsey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McMillan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Wednesday next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Ontario Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Mac-Innes, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Wednesday next.

The Honorable Mr. Smith, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented,—A Return to an Address dated 12th April, 1886, presented to His Excellency the Governor General; praying that he will cause to be laid before this House, copies of all communications between the Dominion Government, or any Department or officer thereof, and any person whomsoever, respecting certain dynamite imported into Halifax, Nova Scotia, during the year 1885, by Messieurs H. H. Fuller & Co., and seized by the Customs authorities for alleged under-valuation.

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

(Vide Sessional Papers, No. 61.)

The Honorable Mr. Smith, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented,—A Return to an Address dated 13th May, 1887, for copies of all correspondence between the Imperial and Dominion Governments, relating to the Defences of British Columbia, during the years 1885 and 1887.

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

(Vide Sessional Papers, No. 62.)

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ryan,

The House adjourned.

Tuesday, 17th May, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Reesor,</i>
<i>Archibald,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Ross (Laurentides),</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>Macfarlane,</i>	<i>Ryan,</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>MacInnes</i>	<i>Sanford,</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>(Burlington),</i>	<i>Schultz,</i>
<i>Botsford,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Boyd,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Smith,</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Sullivan,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Pâquet,</i>	<i>Turner,</i>
<i>DeBlois,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Power,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>			

PRAYERS.

The Honorable the Speaker reported to the House, that the Clerk had received a communication from the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, and

The same was then read by the Clerk.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journal, and it is as follows :—

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, CANADA,
OTTAWA, 12th May, 1887.

This is to certify that His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased to summon to the Senate, by Letters Patent, under the Great Seal, bearing date the twelfth day of May instant, the Honorable John Joseph Caldwell Abbott to appoint him for the Inkerman Electoral Division, in the Province of Quebec.

R. POPE,

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery for Canada.

To *EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN*, Esquire,
Clerk of the Senate.

The Honorable the Speaker informed the House, that there was a Member without ready to be introduced, when the Honorable John Joseph Caldwell Abbott was introduced between the Honorable Messieurs Smith and Robitaille.

The Honorable Mr. Abbott presented Her Majesty's Writ summoning him to the Senate.

The same was then read by the Clerk, and
Ordered, To be put upon the Journal, and it is as follows :—

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 Trusty and Well-Beloved the Honorable John Joseph Caldwell Abbott, of Our Province of Quebec, in Our Dominion of Canada.

GREETING :

KNOW YE, that as well for the especial trust and confidence We have manifested in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion, and We do appoint you for the Inkerman Electoral Division of our Province of Quebec, and command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear for the purposes aforesaid in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden : and this you are in no wise to omit.

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, Deputy of Our Right Trusty and Entirely-Beloved Cousin, the Most Honorable Sir HENRY CHARLES KEITH PETTY-FITZMAURICE, Marquis of Lansdowne, in the County of Somerset, Earl of Wycombe, of Chipping-Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, Viscount Caln and Calnstone, in the County of Wilts, and Lord Wycombe, Baron of Chipping-Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, in the Peerage of Great Britain ; Earl of Kerry and Earl of Shelburne, Viscount Clanmaurice and Fitzmaurice, Baron of Kerry, Lixnaw, and Dunkerron, in the Peerage of Ireland ; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor General of Canada, and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c., &c., &c. At our Government House, in Our City of Ottawa, in Our Dominion of Canada, this Twelfth day of May, in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-seven, and in the Fiftieth Year of Our Reign.

By Command.

R. POPE,

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, Canada.

Whereupon the Honorable Mr. Abbott came to the Table, and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by Edouard Joseph Langevin, Esquire, one of the Commissioners appointed for that purpose, and took his seat accordingly.

The Honorable the Speaker then acquainted the House, that the Clerk of the Senate had laid upon the Table, the Certificate of one of the Commissioners, setting forth that the Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Senate, had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required by the British North America Act, 1867.

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

By the Honorable Mr. Turner,—Of Thomas Paterson, and others, Provisional Directors of the Anglo-Canadian Bank, and others.

By the Honorable Mr. Ross (Laurentides),—Of the Quebec Board of Trade.

By the Honorable Mr. Flint,—Of W. H. Richards, and forty-eight others; of A. C. Webb, and five hundred and three others; of William Chambers, and thirty-seven others; of James Nelson, and ninety-seven others; of J. W. Hopkins, and thirty-five others; of David Stott, and thirty-five others; of W. H. Wilson, and ninety-nine others; of Thomas Andrews, and thirty-seven others; of John O'Leary, and thirty-two others; of John Gibson, and twenty-seven others; of Edward Wier, and forty-five others; of Thomas McBride, and eighteen others; of George Campbell, and thirty-three others; of John Boyd, and thirty six others; of D. P. Clark, and thirty-six others; of Frances Johnston, and twenty-two others, and of John McGregor and thirty-six others, all of the County of Northumberland; of John Hodge, and eleven others; of James Western, and forty-one others; of Henry Simmons, and forty others; of Joseph L. Fetherston, and thirty-seven others; of Timothy Wiseman, and forty-eight others; of P. Trebilcock, and thirty-nine others; of Thomas Battell, and forty others; of W. H. Bocket, and thirty-eight others; of J. Fitzgerald, and thirty-five others; of James Eagan, and thirty-three others; of C. H. Osler, and thirty-four others; of W. Brook, and thirty-seven others; of William Miller, and thirty-seven others; of Michael Murphy, and thirty-six others; of Thomas Lawler, and thirty-eight others; of J. Sutherland, and thirty-eight others; of Hugh C. Dennis, and thirty-three others; and of J. E. Kennedy, and thirty-seven others, all of the Town of Cobourg.

By the Honorable Mr. Read,—Of H. Corby, and others of Belleville.

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

Of the Winnipeg and Hudson's Bay Railway and Steamship Company; praying for the passing of an Act to consolidate and amend their Acts of Incorporation, to authorize an extension to the International Boundary, and to change the name of the Company to The Winnipeg and Hudson's Bay Railway Company.

Of the Imperial Guarantee and Loan Society for an Act to amend their Act of Incorporation, and to change the name thereof to The Finance and Trust Company of Canada.

Of Lieutenant-Colonel David Smith, and others, Officers and Privates of the Volunteer Service on duty during the Fenian Raids upon Canada, in the years 1866-70, respectively; praying that their services may be rewarded by medals or grants of land.

Of the Corporation of the City of Toronto; praying for the passing of an Act to compel Telegraph, Telephone, or Electric Light Companies to place their wires underground.

Of the Freehold Loan and Savings Company; praying for an Act to amend their Act of Incorporation.

Of the Corporation of the Town of Woodstock ; praying that the Canada Temperance Act, 1878, may be repealed, or amended so as to relieve such Municipalities as Woodstock from its operation, upon a vote of the requisite majority of the electors to that effect.

Of James Austin, and others, of the City of Toronto ; praying to be incorporated as The Guarantee and Pension Fund Society of the Dominion Bank.

Of the Alberta and Athabasca Railway Company ; praying for the passing of an Act to amend their Act of Incorporation.

Of the General Conference of the Methodist Church ; praying for the passing of an Act for the better protection of Women and Girls.

Of the British Canadian Loan and Investment Company (Limited) ; praying for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation.

Of Edward King Dodds, and others ; praying to be incorporated as The Canadian Horse Insurance Company ;—and

Of David Creighton, and others, of the Town of Owen Sound and elsewhere ; praying to be incorporated as The Standard Printing and Publishing Company (Limited).

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: An Act respecting the Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting Public Stores," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House on Friday next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Banff National Park," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House on Friday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Report of the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marie Louise Noel,"

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal, That the said Report be adopted.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal,

That a Message be sent to the House of Commons by one of the Masters in Chancery, to communicate to that House the evidence taken before the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marie Louise Noel," and the papers referred to them, with a request that the same be returned to this House.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith,

The House adjourned.

Wednesday, 18th May, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Abbott,</i>	<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Reesor,</i>
<i>Archibald,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Ross (Laurentides),</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Ryan,</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>Macfarlane,</i>	<i>Sanford,</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>MacInnes,</i>	<i>Schultz,</i>
<i>Botsford,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>(Burlington),</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Boucherville, de,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Smith,</i>
<i>Boyd,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Sullivan,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Lacoste,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>	<i>Turner,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Paquet,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>DeBlois,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>

PRAYERS.

The Honorable the Speaker reported to the House that the Clerk had received a communication from the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, and

The same was then read by the Clerk.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journal, and it is as follows:—

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, CANADA,
OTTAWA, 13th May, 1887.

This is to certify that His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased to summon to the Senate, by Letters Patent, under the Great Seal, bearing date the thirteenth day of May, instant, the Honorable Pierre Fortin, of Quebec, and to appoint him for the Electoral Division of Kennebec, in the Province of Quebec, vice the Honorable Charles Cormier, deceased.

R. POPE,

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery for Canada.

To EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN, Esquire,
Clerk of the Senate.

The Honorable the Speaker informed the House, that there was a Member without ready to be introduced, when the Honorable Pierre Fortin was introduced between the Honorable Messieurs Abbott and DeBlois.

The Honorable Mr. Fortin presented Her Majesty's Writ summoning him to the Senate.

The same was then read by the Clerk, and

Ordered, To be put upon the Journal, and it is as follows:—

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 Trusty and Well-Beloved the Honorable Pierre Fortin, of Our Province of Quebec, in Our Dominion of Canada.

GREETING :

KNOW Ye, that as well for the especial trust and confidence We have manifested in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion, and We do appoint you for the Kennebec Electoral Division of Our Province of Quebec, and do command you that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear for the purposes aforesaid in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden: and this you are in no wise to omit.

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, Deputy of Our Right Trusty and Entirely-Beloved Cousin, the Most Honorable Sir HENRY CHARLES KEITH PETTY-FITZMAURICE, Marquis of Lansdowne, in the County of Somerset, Earl of Wycombe, of Chipping-Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, Viscount Caln and Calnstone, in the County of Wilts, and Lord Wycombe, Baron of Chipping-Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, in the Peerage of Great Britain; Earl of Kerry and Earl of Shelburne, Viscount Clanmaurice and Fitzmaurice, Baron of Kerry, Lixnaw, and Dunkerron, in the Peerage of Ireland; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor General of Canada, and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c., &c., &c. At our Government House, in Our City of Ottawa, in Our Deminion of Canada, this Thirteenth day of May, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-seven, and in the Fiftieth Year of Our Reign.

By Command,

R. POPE,

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, Canada.

Whereupon the Honorable Mr. Fortin came to the Table, and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by Edouard Joseph Langovin, Esquire, one of the Commissioners appointed for that purpose, and took his seat accordingly.

The Honorable the Speaker then acquainted the House, that the Clerk of the Senate had laid upon the Table, the Certificate of one of the Commissioners, setting forth that the Honorable Mr. Fortin, a Member of the Senate, had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required by the British North America Act, 1867.

The following Petition was brought up, and laid on the Table:—

By the Honorable Mr. Cochrane,—Of Charles D. Warren, and others.

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

Of the Provisional Directors of the Hydraulic and Manufacturing Company of St. John's and Iberville; praying for an Act of Incorporation.

Of the Hamilton and North-Western Railway Company; praying for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation.

Of the Honorable James Ross Gibbs, and others, of the City of Quebec and elsewhere; praying for the passing of an Act to revive and amend the Act incorporating the Quebec and James' Bay Railway Company;—and

Of Local Assembly 2132, Knights of Labor, Hamilton; praying for more stringent legislation regarding the importation of Chinese.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of Susan Ash," to report thereon with all convenient speed, with power to send for persons, papers and records, presented the following report.

Ordered, That it be received, and

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE,
COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,
TUESDAY, 17th May, 1887.

The Select Committee to whom, by order of this Honorable House, of date 12th day of May, instant, was referred the Bill intituled : " An Act for the relief of Susan Ash," to report thereon with all convenient speed, and with power to send for persons, papers and records, beg leave to make their First Report, as follows :—

Your Committee, in obedience to the Order of Reference, have examined the said Bill, and have agreed to report the same with the following amendments :—

(In the Preamble.)

Page 1, line 13.—Leave out from " that " to " on " in line 20, and insert " the said William Manton."

Page 1, line 25.—After " her " insert " in a state of adultery."

And in obedience to the Seventy-eighth Rule of your Honorable House, the Committee report to your Honorable House herewith the evidence taken down in writing of the witnesses heard on oath before your Committee, together with that of the Petitioner, whom, in compliance with the instructions from your Honorable House to that effect, your Committee have examined upon oath, as well generally as in regard to any collusion or connivance between the parties to obtain a separation, and also all vouchers adduced before your Committee.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

R. B. DICKEY,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Dickey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, it was,

Ordered, That the said Report, with the evidence returned therewith, together with the Bill therein referred to, be taken into consideration by the House on Thursday, the 26th instant.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their Eighth Report.

Ordered, That it be received, and the same was then read by the Clerk as follows :—

THE SENATE,
COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,
WEDNESDAY, 18th May, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make their Eighth Report.

Your Committee have examined the following Petition and find that the Seventy-second Rule has been complied with :—

Of John Monteith, of Lake Rosseau, in the District of Parry Sound, in the Province of Ontario; praying for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Mary Ann Wright.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their Ninth Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows :—

THE SENATE,
COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,
WEDNESDAY, 18th May, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make their Ninth Report.

Your Committee have examined the following Petitions and find that sufficient notice has been given in each case :—

Of Samuel M. Brookfield, and others, of the City of Halifax; praying to be incorporated as The Eastern Canada Savings and Loan Company (Limited).

Of Alexander MacLean, and others; praying to be incorporated as The Upper Columbia Railway Company.

Of the Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land Company (Limited); praying for the passing of an Act reducing their Capital Stock, and for other purposes.

Of T. P. Pearce; praying for an Act to incorporate himself and associates a Company to own and operate the line of the Cobourg, Peterborough and Marmora Railway and Mining Company, purchased by him at a sale made under a Decree of the High Court of Justice for Ontario.

Of Hugh McLenan, and others, of the City of Montreal; praying to be incorporated as The Equity Insurance Company.

Of the Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Company; praying for the passing of an Act to more clearly define the mode of Presiding at its meetings and to authorize the further issue of Bonds.

Of the Freshhold Loan and Savings Company; praying for an Act to amend their Act of Incorporation;—and

Of the British Canadian Loan and Investment Company (Limited); praying for certain amendments to their Act of Incorporation.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

The Honorable Mr. McKindsey presented to the House,—A Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Monteith."

The said Bill was read for the first time.

The Honorable Mr. McKindsey moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Gowan,

That the said Bill be read a second time on Thursday, the second day of June next, and that Notice thereof be affixed on the doors of this House, and the Senators summoned; and that the said John Monteith may be heard by his Counsel at the second reading to make out the truth of the allegations of the said Bill, and that Mary Ann Wright may have a copy of the said Bill, and that Notice be given to her of the said second reading, or sufficient proof adduced of the impossibility of so doing, and that she be at liberty to be heard by Counsel what she may have to offer against the said Bill, at the same time; that the said John Monteith do attend this House on the said second day of June next, in order to his being examined on the second reading of the said Bill, if the House shall think fit, whether there has or has not been any collusion, directly or indirectly, on his part, relative to any act of adultery that may have been committed by his wife to obtain such separation, or whether there be any collusion, directly or indirectly, between him and his wife or any other person or persons, touching the said Bill of Divorce, or touching any action at law which may have been brought by him against any person for criminal conversation with her, the said wife of the said John Monteith, and also whether at the time of the adultery of which he complains, she was by deed, or otherwise by his consent living separately and apart from and released by him, as far as in him lay, from her conjugal duty, or whether she was at the time of such adultery, cohabiting with him and under the protection and authority of him as her husband,

Which being objected to,

The question of concurrence was put thereon, and the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and
Ordered, accordingly.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Dickey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Miller, it was

Ordered, That the Honorable Mr. Abbott be added to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, appointed for the present Session.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Allan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Lewin, it was

Ordered, That the Honorable Mr. Abbott be added to the Committee on Banking and Commerce, appointed for the present Session.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Howlan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Gowan, it was

Ordered, That the Honorable Mr. Abbott be added to the Committee appointed to examine and report upon the Contingent Accounts of the Senate for the present Session.

The Honorable Mr. Schultz moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Girard,

That a Select Committee composed of the Honorable Messieurs Allan, Almon, Bolduc, Botsford, Carvell, Chaffers, Ferrier, Girard, Howlan, Kaulbach, Leonard, McCallum, McClelan, McInnes (B.C.), Macdonald (B.C.), Macpherson (Sir David Lewis), Merner, Miller, Ogilvie, Pelletier, Reesor, Robitaille, Sanford, Senecal, Sutherland, Thibaudeau, Turner, and the mover, be appointed a Committee for the purpose of collecting information regarding the existing natural food products of the North-West Territories, and the best means of conserving and increasing them; and that the said Committee have leave to send for persons, papers and records. Five to be quorum.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered, accordingly.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Bellerose, That when the House adjourns this day, it do stand adjourned until Wednesday, the twenty-fifth day of May, instant, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Honorable Mr. Vidal, in amendment, moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Power,

That when the House adjourns on Friday next, it do stand adjourned until Wednesday, the twenty-fifth day of May, instant, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the House divided, and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

CONTENTS :

The Honorable Messieurs

Almon,	Girard,	McDonald (C.B.),	Odell,
Archibald,	Glasier,	McInnes (B.C.),	Power,
Boyd,	Grant,	McKay,	Ryan,
Dever,	Haythorne,	Macdonald (B.C.),	Sutherland,
Dickey,	Kaulbach,	Merner,	Vidal,
Ferguson,	Lewin,	Miller,	Wark.—27.
Flint,	McCallum,	Montgomery,	

NON-CONTENTS :

The Honorable Messieurs

Abbott,	Carvell,	McKindsey,	Sanford,
Allan,	Casgrain,	O'Donohoe,	Schultz,
Armand,	Chaffers,	Ogilvie,	Scott,
Baillargeon,	DoBlois,	Pâquet,	Smith,
Bellerose,	Fortin,	Plumb (Speaker),	Stevens,
Bolduc,	Guévremont,	Read,	Turner.—25.
Boucherville, de,			

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

The question of concurrence being then put on the main motion as amended the same was also resolved in the affirmative, and
Ordered, accordingly.

The Honorable Mr. McInnes moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General; praying that His Excellency will cause to be laid before this House, a full Return of all Chinese entering and leaving Canadian Ports; the number entering and leaving each Port, and for each month since the passage of the Chinese Immigration Restriction Act in July, 1885, up to the 1st January, 1887; also, the amount of revenue derived from Chinese immigration, and the cost of enforcing the Act between the aforesaid dates.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and it was

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General by such Members of this House as are Members of the Privy Council.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was,

Ordered, That when the House adjourns this day it do stand adjourned until Friday next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was,

Ordered, That the Honorable Mr. Fortin be added to the Committee on Contingent Accounts, and also to the Committee on Reporting Debates, appointed for the present Session.

The Honorable Mr. Abbott moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, That this House do now adjourn.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and,

The Honorable the Speaker declared this House continued until Friday next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Friday, 20th May, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Abbott,</i>	<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Pâquet,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>
<i>Archibald,</i>	<i>Fortin,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Ross (Laurentides),</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Ryan,</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Schultz,</i>
<i>Boucherville, de,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>Macfarlane,</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Boyd,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Turner,</i>
<i>DeBlois,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>

PRAYERS.

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

Of Thomas Patterson, and others, Provisional Directors of the Anglo-Canadian Bank, and others; praying for an Act to extend the time for obtaining the Certificate required by Section Seven of the Banks and Banking Act.

Of the Quebec Board of Trade; praying that the Government will take such measures as to ensure the speedy construction of a bridge across the St. Lawrence at the City of Quebec.

Of W. H. Richards, and forty-eight others; of A. C. Webb, and five hundred and three others; of William Chambers, and thirty-seven others; of James Nelson, and ninety-seven others; of J. W. Hopkins, and thirty-five others; of David Stott, and thirty-five others; of W. H. Wilson, and ninety-nine others; of Thomas Andrews, and thirty-seven others; of John O'Leary, and thirty-two others; of John Gibson, and twenty-seven others; of Edward Wier, and forty-five others; of Thomas McBride, and eighteen others; of George Campbell, and thirty-three others; of John Boyd, and thirty-six others; of D. P. Clark, and thirty-six others; of Frances Johnston, and twenty-two others, and of John McGregor, and thirty-six others, all of the County of Northumberland; of John Hodge, and eleven others; of James Western, and forty-one others; of Henry Simmons, and forty others; of Joseph L. Fetherston, and thirty-seven others; of Timothy Wiseman, and forty-eight others; of P. Trebilcock, and thirty-nine others; of Thomas Battell, and forty others; of W.

H. Bocket, and thirty-eight others; of J. Fitzgerald, and thirty-five others; of James Eagan, and thirty-three others; of C. H. Osler, and thirty-four others; of W. Brook, and thirty-seven others; of William Miller, and thirty-seven others; of Michael Murphy, and thirty-six others; of Thomas Lawler, and thirty-eight others; of J. Sutherland, and thirty-eight others; of Hugh C. Dennis, and thirty-three others; and of J. E. Kennedy, and thirty-seven others, all of the Town of Cobourg, all in the Province of Ontario; praying for the repeal of the Scott Act;—and

Of H. Corby, and others; praying for the passing of the Bill to incorporate The Bay of Quinté Bridge Company.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their Tenth Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE,

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8.

FRIDAY, 20th May, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make their Tenth Report.

Your Committee have examined the following Petitions, and find that sufficient notice has been given in each case:—

Of John R. Daly, and others, of the County of Stanstead; praying to be incorporated as the Massawippi Junction Railway Company.

Of R. C. Carter, and others; praying to be incorporated as the Oshawa Railway and Navigation Company.

Of the Grange Trust (Limited); praying for the passing of an Act authorizing them to wind up their affairs.

Of the Manitoba and North-Western Railway Company of Canada; praying for an Act confirming the lease of the Saskatchewan and Western Railway to them, for amending their Act of Incorporation, for legalizing certain bonds issued by them, and for other purposes.

Of the Témiscouata Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act for the amendment of their Charter of Incorporation.

Of the Ontario Pacific Railway Company; praying for an Act to amend their Act of Incorporation.

Of the Honorable George W. Ross, and others, of the City of Toronto; praying to be incorporated as the Accident and Indemnity Assurance Company;—and

Of Sir George Stephen, and others; praying to be incorporated as the Niagara and Woodstock Railway Company.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

The Honorable Mr. McInnes presented to the House,—A Bill intituled: "An Act to provide for the conveyance of Legislators and Judges free of charge over Railways."

The said Bill was read a first time.

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Thursday next.

The Honorable Mr. Schultz, from the Select Committee appointed for the purpose of collecting information regarding the existing natural food products of the North West Territories, and the best means of conserving and increasing them, presented their First Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE,
COMMITTEE ROOM No. 2,
FRIDAY, 20th May, 1887.

The Select Committee appointed for the purpose of collecting information regarding the existing natural food products of the North-West Territories, and the best means of conserving and increasing them, have the honor to make their First Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that leave be given them to employ a shorthand writer to take down the evidence to be given before your Committee.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN SCHULTZ,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Schultz, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Sutherland, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.

The Honorable the Speaker presented to the House a Return of the Clerk of the Senate in reference to the property qualification of Senators.

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

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE SENATE,
OTTAWA, 20th May, 1887.

I hereby certify that I have received from the Honorable Joseph Rosaire Thibaudau, Senator for the Rigaud Electoral Division, and the Honorable Charles Boucher de Boucherville, Senator for the Montarville Electoral Division, both in the Province of Quebec, in the form prescribed in the 5th Schedule annexed to the British North America Act, 1867, a renewed declaration of their property qualification, signed by them before a Justice of the Peace on the sixteenth and fourteenth days of May instant, and remaining of record in my office.

EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN,
Clerk of the Senate.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Trudel, it was

Ordered, That the renewal declaration of the property qualification of the Honorable Messieurs Joseph Rosaire Thibaudau and Charles Boucher de Boucherville, as certified to have been received by the Clerk, be deemed sufficient.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Nova Scotia Permanent Benefit Building Society and Savings Fund," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Almon, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Turner, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Representation of the North-West Territories in the Senate of Canada" was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ryan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House, on Wednesday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled: "An Act to enable the Canada Permanent Loan and Savings Company to extend their business, and for other purposes,"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Gowan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Howlan, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until Thursday next.

The Order of the Day being read for putting the House into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Railway Act,"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ryan, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until Thursday next.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act respecting Public Officers."

(In the Committee.)

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. de Boucherville, from the said Committee, reported that they gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ryan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act respecting Offences against Public Morals and Public Convenience."

(In the Committee.)

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Haythorne, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Wark, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Government Railways Act."

(In the Committee.)

Title read and postponed.

Preamble read and postponed.

First clause read and agreed to.

Second clause read and agreed to.

Preamble again read and amended as follows:—

Page 1, line 7.—After "Act" insert "Chapter 38, of the Revised Statutes of Canada.

The title again read and agreed to.

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Vidal, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with an amendment.

Ordered, That the said amendment be now received.

And the said amendment, being read a second time, was agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ryan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time, on Thursday next.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Howlan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ryan,

The House adjourned until Wednesday next, at eight o'clock in the evening.

Wednesday, 25th May, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Abbott,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>
<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Ferrier,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Fortin,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>McMaster,</i>	<i>Ross</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	(<i>de la Durantaye</i>),
<i>Boucherville, de,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Ryan,</i>
<i>Boyd,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>Macfarlane,</i>	<i>Sanford,</i>
<i>Carveil,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Smith,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>DeBlois,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Paquet,</i>	

PRAYERS.

His Honor the Speaker informed the House that he had granted leave of absence to the Venerable Archdeacon Lauder, D.C.L., Chaplain of the Senate, and that his duties are being performed in his absence by the Reverend W. J. Muckleston, M.A., of Ottawa.

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—A Return to an Address, dated the 22nd April, 1887, to His Excellency the Governor General; praying that His Excellency will be pleased to cause to be laid before this House, a copy of the plans and reports of the late survey concerning the proposed subway between Cape Traverse, Prince Edward Island, and Cape Tormentine, New Brunswick.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 63.*)

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

By the Honorable Mr. Lewin,—Of the New Brunswick Railway Company.

By the Honorable Mr. Dickey,—Of the Montreal Telegraph Company.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petition was read:—

Of Charles D. Warren, and others; praying to be incorporated as The Manufacturers' Accident Insurance Company.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the St. Catharines and Niagara Central Railway Company," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Glasier, it was,

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Ontario and Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ferrier, it was,

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ferrier, it was,

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was,

Ordered, That the time limited for receiving Reports on Private Bills, which expires to-day, be extended to Friday, the twenty-fourth day of June next.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting Public Stores."

(In the Committee.)

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. de Boucherville, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Banff National Park."

(In the Committee.)

Title read and postponed.

Preamble read and postponed.

First clause read and agreed to.

Upon the second clause being read,

It was moved to amend the same as follows:—

Page 1, line 43.—Leave out "Banff National" and insert "Rocky Mountains."

It was moved in amendment:—

Page 1, line 43.—Leave out "Banff National" and insert "Rocky Mountains;" and after "Park" in same line insert "of Canada."

Which being objected to, and the question of concurrence put thereon,

The Committee divided:

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NON-CONTENTS, 13.

So it was resolved in the affirmative, and

The question being put on the main motion, as amended, the same was also resolved in the affirmative, and

The said second clause, as amended, was agreed to.

Third clause read and agreed to.

Fourth clause read and amended as follows:—

Page 2, line 26.—After "fish" insert "of wild birds generally."

Page 2, line 37.—Leave out "three months," and after "imprisonment" in the same line insert "for not more than three months."

Fifth clause read and amended as follows:—

Page 2, line 48.—After "Gazette" insert "and in any other manner that may be provided from time to time by regulations made by the Governor in Council."

Ordered, That the following clause be added to the Bill:—

"6. Nothing in this Act contained shall affect the obligation of the Government (if any) arising out of the conditions of the acquisition of the North-West Territories."

Preamble read and agreed to.

Title again read and amended as follows:—

Leave out all the words after "The" and insert "Rocky Mountains Park of
"Canada."

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Pelletier, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the said amendments be now received.

And the said amendments, being read a second time, were agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. Read, from the Joint Committee on Printing, presented their Second Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

COMMITTEE ROOM.

18th May, 1887.

The Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, beg leave to submit the following as their Second Report:—

The Committee would respectfully recommend that the following documents be printed, viz.:—

5c. Return of the names and salaries of all persons appointed to or promoted in the Civil Service during the year ending 1886, in terms of Section 58, sub-section 2, of "The Civil Service Act." (Revised Statutes 17.) (*Sessional Papers only.*)

17. Report of the Joint Librarians of Parliament on the state of the Library of Parliament. (*Sessional Papers only.*)

22. Statement of Miscellaneous Unforeseen Expenses. (*Sessional Papers only.*)

25. Statement of all Superannuations and Retiring allowances in the Civil Service, giving the name and rank of each person superannuated, or retired, his salary, age and length of service, his allowance, and cause of retirement, and whether the vacancy has been filled by promotion or new appointment, &c., for the year ended 31st December, 1886. (*Sessional Papers only.*)

37. Return to Order,—Statement of sums deposited in the Post Office Savings-Bank and Government Savings Banks on the 1st January, 1886, showing:—

Number of depositors holding amounts over \$1,000	
" " " " " 500 and under \$1,000	
" " " " " 300 " " 500	
" " " " " below 300	

with total amount held by each class respectively. (*Sessional Papers only.*)

48. Correspondence relative to the seizure of British American Vessels in Behring Sea by the United States authorities in 1886. (*Distribution and Sessional Papers, with Map.*)

49. Return to Order,—Showing how many ice-boats are owned by the Government for crossing at the Capes, the number of men employed in the service during the winter of 1887, the number of trips made by said boats, the date of each trip, and the number of passengers who crossed in said boats. (*Distribution only.*)

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

20. Return to Order (1886),—Copies of Petitions or Letters from the Indians on the North Shore of Lake Huron or Lake Nipissing, with reference to their rights of:

fishing in those waters; and correspondence on the same subject between the Department of Indian Affairs and the local Superintendents.

21. Statement of Governor General's Warrants issued since last Session of Parliament, on account of the year 1885-86, and on account of the year 1886-87.

23. Return to Address (*Senate*) (1886),—Copy of the Minute of the Treasury Board and Orders in Council appointing the late John Gray Deputy Collector of Inland Revenue at Prescott, and also a copy of the Order in Council or other Order cancelling said appointment, with their respective dates.

24. Return to Order of The House of the 18th instant, for a Return of the Receipts and Expenditure, in detail, chargeable to the Consolidated Fund, from the 1st day of July, 1885, to the 10th day of April, 1886, and from the 1st day of July, 1887, with Estimates of Receipts and Expenditure.

24a. Return to Order,—Showing Receipts and Expenditure from 1st July to 20th April, in the years 1-86 and 1887 respectively, with Estimates for each year.

24b. Return to Order,—Return of Receipts and Expenditures to date of 1st May in the years 1886 and 1887, respectively, together with Estimates of each year. Also, Memorandum of Interest to be paid on the 1st of May.

26. General Statements and Return of Baptisms, Marriages and Burials in certain Districts of the Province of Quebec.

27. Statement of affairs of the British Canadian Loan and Investment Company up to 31st December, 1886.

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

29. Report on Manitoba Census, in accordance with the requirements of the Census Act.

30. Return to Order (1886),—Correspondence relative to the closing of the Northern Entrance into Port Hood Harbour, with copies of Reports of the Chief Engineer of the Public Works Department in reference to the matter; also copy of plan, specification and tenders asked for by the late Minister of Public Works in 1878.

31. Return to Order,—In the form used in the Statements usually published in the *Gazette*, of the Exports and Imports from the 1st day of July, 1886, to the 1st day of April, 1887, distinguishing the products of Canada and those of other Countries.

33. Return to Order,—Showing amount owing by the Exchange Bank to the Government of Canada at the time of the Bank's failure, and statements showing all sums (with dates of payment) paid on account of such indebtedness.

34a. Articles of agreement entered into between James Leamy and Donald McGillivray and Her Majesty Queen Victoria, represented by the Minister of Railways and Canals, for the removal and rebuilding of certain portions of the Wharf at Port Moody, British Columbia, Canadian Pacific Railway, 107th contract.

35. Return to Order (1886),—Correspondence, or other documents, relating to the establishment of a Post Office at a certain place called "Les Fonds," in the Parish of St. Antoine, County of Lotbinière.

36. Return to Order,—Statement showing all sums collected since the 1st of October, 1868, under the provisions of Statutes and Orders in Council in that behalf, as duty on foreign reprints of British copyright works, giving the amounts so collected upon each copyright work, and showing the amounts remitted in each year to the Imperial Government for payment to those beneficially interested in the copyright of such works.

38. A detailed Statement of all Bonds and Securities registered in the Department of the Secretary of State of Canada, submitted to the Parliament of Canada under "The Revised Statutes of Canada," (Chapter 19, Section 23).

39. Return to Address,—Reports of Inspector McLaren and Mr. Bremner, of the Customs Department, to the Minister of Customs, as to the mode of gauging molasses at the Port of St. Stephen, N.B., and also any Reports as to the mode used at the Port of St. John, N.B., and any Orders in Council issued upon those Reports or instructions of the Department of Customs.

40. Return to Order,—Showing the date at which the Steamer *Northern Light* commenced running between Prince Edward Island and Pictou, in the Fall of 1886; how many trips were made by the said Steamer, the date of each trip up to 15th April, instant, with number of passengers.

41. Return to Order,—Showing how many trips were made by the Steamer *Neptune*, last winter, from Prince Edward Island to the mainland, the date of each trip, and the amount paid for said service, also the number of passengers.

42. Return to Address,—Copies of all applications made to the Government, and of all recommendations made in relation to the position of Superintendent of the Chambly Canal; of the document appointing the present incumbent of that position; with a statement of his yearly salary, and of all contingencies allowed him, and of the respective salaries paid to the two predecessors of the present Superintendent.

44. Certified Copy of a Report of a Committee of the Honorable the Privy Council, approved by His Excellency the Governor General in Council on the 31st January, 1887, respecting the Railway from Oxford to New Glasgow, Nova Scotia.

45. Return to Address,—Copy of the Commission or other document appointing Sir Alexander Campbell and Mr. Sandford Fleming as representatives of Canada at the Colonial Conference in London, and of any instructions given to them in such capacity; and all papers respecting said Conference.

46. Report of the Montreal Flood Commission.

47. Return to Order,—Copies of the accounts of the Revising Officer for the Electoral District of Kamouraska, including the cost of printing the Electoral Lists, the account of the Revising Officer's Clerk and that of his Bailiff, with a statement of the amount paid by the Government to each of the said officers.

47b. Return to Order,—Showing up to date the several sums paid in respect of preparation and Revision of Voters' Lists in County of Prince Edward for 1886, viz.:—

Amount paid Revising Officer.

do do Clerk.

do do Bailiff.

do do for Printing.

Also amounts claimed for said revision yet unpaid.

50. Return to Order,—Number of Preventive Officers appointed on our Frontier since the 1st of January, 1886, giving the names of the several parties so appointed, with their residence and salaries.

51. Return to Order,—Quantity and value of Tea imported from China and Japan, and entered at ports or outports of British Columbia, either for home consumption or in transit, from the 1st July, 1885, to the 1st April, 1887.

52. Return to Order (in detail),—Showing the description and values of Grain and Animal Products exported from the Dominion of Canada, from 1st July, 1886, to 1st April, 1887.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

ROBT. READ,
Chairman.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Dickey, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration by the House to-morrow.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith,

The House adjourned.

Thursday, 26th May, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Abbott,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Piquet,</i>
<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Ferrier,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Fortin,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>McMaster,</i>	<i>Ross (Laurentides).</i>
<i>Boucherville, de,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Ross (de la Durantaye),</i>
<i>Boyd,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Ryan,</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>Macfarlane,</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Smith,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Lacoste,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Turner,</i>
<i>DeBlois,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>

PRAYERS.

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

By the Honorable Mr. Ryan,—Of the Rhode Island Locomotive Works, and others; of the Montreal, Portland and Boston Railway, and of George Hendee, and others, Shareholders and Bondholders of the South-Eastern Railway.

By the Honorable Mr. McClelan,—Of the Corporation of the Village of Brighton, in the County of Northumberland.

By the Honorable Mr. Ferrier,—Of the Montreal and Champlain Junction Railway.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to revive and amend the Act to incorporate the Saint Gabriel Levee and Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Ontario and Quebec Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McInnes, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill intituled :
" An Act to amend the Government Railways Act," as amended,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill intituled :
" An Act respecting the Bauff National Park," as amended,

The Honorable Mr. Abbott moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, That the said Bill, as amended, be not now read a third time, but that it be re-committed to a Committee of the Whole House for further consideration.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the said Bill.

(In the Committee.)

Ordered, That the third amendment made to the Bill read as follows:—

Page 2, line 39.—After "Gazette" insert "and in any other manner that may be provided thereby by the Governor in Council."

Ordered, That the following be added to the Bill:—

"7. This Act may be cited as the Rocky Mountains Park Act, 1887."

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Peletier, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with certain further amendments.

Ordered, That the said amendments be now received.

And the said amendments being read a second time were agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Representation of the North-West Territories in the Senate of Canada."

(In the Committee.)

Title read and postponed.

Preamble read and postponed.

First clause read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the following clause be added to the Bill:—

"2. No person shall be appointed a Senator under the Act unless he shall possess the qualifications provided for by Section 23 of the British North America Act,

1867, and for the purposes of this Act, the word Province, wherever it is used in the said Section, shall be construed to mean the North-West Territories."

Preamble read and agreed to.

Title read and agreed to.

After some time the House was resumed, and
The Honorable Mr. Girard, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with an amendment.

Ordered, That the said amendment be now received.

And the said amendment being read a second time was agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith,
it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Report of the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of Susan Ash,"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled: "An Act to provide for the conveyance of Legislators and Judges free of charge over Railways,"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McInnes, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until Thursday next.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith,

The House adjourned.

Friday, 27th May, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Abbott,</i>	<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Ferrier,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Fortin,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Ross (Laurentides),</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McMaster,</i>	<i>Ross (de la Durantaye)</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Glazier,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Ryan,</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Schultz,</i>
<i>Boucherville, de,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>Macfarlane,</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Boyd,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Smith,</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>Clemow.</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>Pôquet,</i>	<i>Turner,</i>
<i>De Blois,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McClelan.</i>		

PRAYERS.

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

By the Honorable Mr. Merner,—Of the Guelph Junction Railway Company.

By the Honorable Mr. Vidal,—Of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada.

By the Honorable Mr. Smith,—Of the Board of Trade of the City of Toronto.

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

Of the New Brunswick Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act authorizing them to make a further issue of Debentures, and for other purposes.

Of the Montreal Telegraph Company; praying that the Bill relating to the South-Eastern Railway may not be passed, unless a clause or clauses are inserted therein protecting their rights and property.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the St.

Catharines and Niagara Central Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Gowan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their Eleventh Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE,

COMMITTEE ROOM No 8.

FRIDAY, 27th May, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make their Eleventh Report.

Your Committee have examined the following Petitions, and find that sufficient Notice has been given in each case:—

Of H. C. Lackner, and others, of the Town of Berlin, in the Province of Ontario; praying to be incorporated as The Berlin and Canadian Pacific Junction Railway.

Of the Grand Trunk, Georgian Bay and Lake Erie Railway Company; praying for an Act extending the time for the completion of certain of their works, and for building a branch to Owen Sound, and for other purposes.

Of George H. Howard, and others, of the Town of Niagara, in the Province of Ontario; praying to be incorporated as The Niagara River Bridge Company;—and

Of James Austin, and others, of the City of Toronto; praying to be incorporated as The Guarantee and Pension Fund Society of the Dominion Bank.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Ontario Sault Sté. Marie Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ferrier, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Primitive

Methodist Colonization Company (Limited)," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Grand Trunk Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ferrier, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Teeswater and Inverhuron Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him the report the same with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive them.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follow:—

Page 1, line 16.—After "Ontario" insert "via the Village of Glamis."

Page 1, line 17.—After "County" insert the following as sub-section 2:—"2. With the consent of the Saugeen Valley Railway Company, build and operate a branch railway from said Village of Glamis, via Walkerton, to Mount Forest."

Page 1, line 27.—After "within" insert "three"; after "passes" insert "after the right to use such stream or watercourse has been lawfully acquired."

Page 2, line 12. After "than" insert "one hundred and fifty."

Page 2, line 30.—Leave out from "have" to the end of sub-section 2, and insert "power forthwith to open stock books and procure subscriptions of stock for the undertaking, and to receive payments on account of stock subscribed, and to cause plans and surveys to be made, and to deposit in any chartered bank of Canada moneys received by them on account of stock subscribed."

Page 3, line 12.—After "and" insert "in respect to special meetings."

Page 3, line 14.—Leave out from "as" to "shares" and insert "one thousand."

Page 3, line 28.—Leave out "five" and insert "a majority of the."

Page 4, line 17.—Before "thousand" insert "twenty."

Page 4, line 19.—Leave out from "2" to the end of the second sub-section of section 11.

Page 4, line 24.—Leave out "debentures" and insert "debenture stock."

Page 4, line 29.—Leave out "debentures" and insert "debenture stock."

Page 4, line 34.—Leave out "debentures" and insert "debenture stock."

Page 4, line 37.—Leave out "debentures" and insert "debenture stock."

Page 4, line 45.—Leave out "debentures" and insert "debenture stock."

Page 5, line 4.—Leave out “bondholders” and insert “holders of bonds and debenture stock.”

Page 5, line 8.—Leave out “debentures” and insert “debenture stock.”

Page 5, line 14.—Leave out “debentures” and insert “debenture stock.”

Page 5, line 19.—Leave out “debentures” and insert “debenture stock.”

Page 5, line 22.—Leave out “debentures” and insert “debenture stock.”

Page 5, line 27.—Leave out “debentures” and insert “debenture stock.”

Page 5, line 34.—Leave out from “any” to “holder”; after “holder” insert “of bonds or debenture stock.”

Page 5, line 36.—After “debenture” insert “stock.”

Page 5, line 42.—Leave out “debentures” and insert “debenture stock.”

Page 5, line 47.—Leave out “debentures” and insert “debenture stock.”

Page 6, line 1.—Leave out “debentures” and insert “debenture stock.”

Page 6, line 7.—Leave out from the first “the” to the second “directors.”

Page 6, line 15.—Leave out from “stock” to the end of section 16.

The said amendments being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put on each, they were severally agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Gowan, it was

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

The House was adjourned during pleasure.

After some time the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. Bellerose moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Armand, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General; praying that His Excellency will be graciously pleased to cause to be laid before this House, a copy of a letter dated 10th September, 1886, and signed by Jos. H. Bellerose, in relation to the difficulties at the St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, together with a copy of a letter from C. A. Nutting, Esq., Advocate, dated 28th August, 1886, upon the same subject; and also, a copy of the report of Mr. Sherwood, Superintendent of Government Police, charged by the Honorable the Minister of Justice with the verification of the facts contained in the last mentioned letter.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and it was

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General by such Members of this House as are Members of the Privy Council.

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—A Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, dated the 19th day of May, 1886; praying His Excellency to be pleased to cause to be laid before this House, a copy of a letter from the Department of Justice, Penitentiaries Branch, addressed, on or about the 18th of June, 1883, to the Warden of St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, requesting that officer to draw the attention of the Deputy Warden of that institution to certain charges brought against the latter by *L'Etendard* newspaper, which accused him of having unduly interfered in the Elections for the County of Laval in 1883; also, a copy of the reply of the said Deputy Warden; also, a copy of a second letter of the Department of Justice, Penitentiaries Branch, to the said Warden on the subject of a new charge brought against the latter officer by the same newspaper, which complained that Deputy Warden Ouimet made

use of convicts to carry on his correspondence and particularly to prepare the reply mentioned in the first place, and requiring the Warden to demand an explanation from his Deputy on this subject, with the reply of the Deputy Warden; also, copies of all other memoranda, documents, letters, &c., which may form part of the record, whether they be dated before or after the documents herein above mentioned.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 4n.*)

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—A Return to an Address dated the 21st day of May, 1886, to His Excellency the Governor General; praying His Excellency to be pleased to cause to be laid before this House, a copy of the Report of Inspector Moylan, upon the complaints made in 1884 by Deputy Warden Ouimet, of St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, against J. E. Durocher, ex-Guard of that institution, with copies of the evidence taken at the time of the Enquiry referred to, and of the judgment of the Honorable the Minister of Justice, and also copies of all other documents relating to such complaints.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 4b.*)

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Representation of the North-West Territories in the Senate of Canada," was, as amended, read a third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to enable the Canada Permanent Loan and Savings Company to extend their business, and for other purposes," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Gowan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Howlan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being read for putting the House into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Railway Act,"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Second Report of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Girard, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith,

The House adjourned until Monday next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Monday, 30th May, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Abbott,</i>	<i>Ferrier,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Fortin,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McMaster,</i>	<i>Ross (de la Durantaye)</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Ryan,</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Sanford,</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>Macfarlane,</i>	<i>Schultz,</i>
<i>Boucherville, ac,</i>	<i>Guéremont,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Boyd,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Smith,</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Kaubach,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Sullivan,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Lacoste,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>Oguvie,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>DeBlois,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>Pdquet,</i>	<i>Turner,</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>
<i>Ferguson,</i>			

PRAYERS.

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

By the Honorable Mr. Ryan,—Of the Union Bank of Canada, and others, unsecured creditors of the South-Eastern Railway.

By the Honorable Mr. Trudel,—Of the Reverend L. A. Deziel, and others, of the District de Montmagny, in the County of Bellechasse.

By the Honorable Mr. de Boucherville,—Of L. E. Morin, Mayor, and others, of Longueuil (two Petitions).

By the Honorable Mr. Abbott,—Of J. C. Abbott, and others, of Montreal.

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

Of the Rhode Island Locomotive Works, and others; of the Montreal, Portland and Boston Railway, and of George Hendee, and others, Shareholders and Bondholders of the South-Eastern Railway; severally praying that the Bill relating to the South Eastern Railway may not be passed unless a clause or clauses are inserted therein, protecting their rights, and that a Committee may be appointed to investigate certain facts alleged in their Petitions.

Of the Corporation of the Village of Brighton, in the County of Northumberland; praying that the Bill to incorporate The Bay of Quinté Bridge Company may not pass into law.

Of the Montreal and Champlain Junction Railway Company; praying that the Bill incorporating the South-Western Railway Company may not be passed.

The Honorable Mr. Power moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Caryell,

To Resolve, That in the opinion of this House it is the duty of the Government of Canada to see that, in any arrangement for the admission of United States fishermen to the territorial waters of Canada, which may be entered into between the Governments of Great Britain and the United States, special provision shall be made that the fishermen of the latter country when within the waters of Canada shall be subject to the laws and regulations by which Canadian fishermen are for the time being governed.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was unanimously resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

The Honorable Mr. Abbott moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Scott,

That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty the Queen, in the following words:—

To the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty:

MOST GRACIOUS SOVEREIGN

We, Your Majesty's loyal and dutiful subjects, the Senate of Canada, in Parliament assembled, beg to offer our sincere congratulations on the happy completion of the fiftieth year of Your auspicious Reign.

The Supreme Disposer of events has made Your Majesty the Ruler of the fifth part of the habitable globe. Hundreds of millions of almost every race and tongue are proud to own your sway. But among them all, there is no community that cherishes a more heartfelt attachment to Your Majesty's person and Throne, than the people of the Canadian Dominion.

Once a colony of France, won in a struggle not less honorable to the vanquished than the victors, it was not long till its fidelity to the Crown was severely tried. How it stood the test was known to Your Majesty's illustrious father, when he honored with his friendship the hero of Chateauguay—the brave De Salaberry. And when the daughter of the Duke of Kent ascended to the Throne, the event was hailed as the dawn of an era which should bring to British and French Canada not only prosperity and progress, but the spirit of unity and goodwill. Under the influence of the great gift of constitutional self-government, conferred upon Canada in the early years of Your Majesty's reign, the country has made rapid progress. It has shared in the general advancement of the last half century, in the wonderful discoveries and application of science—the railway, the steamship, the telegraph, and their conquests of time and space; the multiplication of manufactures, the expansion of commerce, the blessings of legal reform, the diffusion of education, and in the wearing away of prejudices through increased intercourse between man and man. If the Empire's progress compares favorably during the last fifty years with that of the world at large, so does the progress of Canada compare favorably with that of the Empire. From a few scattered Provinces, it has become a great Federation, stretching from ocean to ocean, and linking by its iron path the European to the Asiatic portions of Your Majesty's domain.

It has been the good fortune of the people of Canada to enjoy, from time to time, the honor of the presence and countenance of several members of the Royal

Family, and this relationship not only deepened their loyal devotion to the Head of the British Empire, but enhanced their regard for the wife and mother, their veneration for the memory of the husband and father.

Our earnest prayer is that He who is the Ruler of all nations and the King of all Kings, may uphold, direct and preserve Your Majesty for many long years to reign over a prosperous and contented people.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was unanimously resolved in the affirmative.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Scott, it was

Ordered, That the said Address be engrossed, and that His Honor the Speaker do sign the same on behalf of this House.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Scott, it was

Resolved, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons by one of the Masters in Chancery to acquaint that House that the Senate has adopted the said Address to Her Most Gracious Majesty, and to request their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. Bellerose moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Baillargeon, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General; praying that His Excellency will be graciously pleased to cause to be laid before this House, a copy of a letter and of a telegraphic despatch addressed by the Honorable Minister of Justice to the Honorable J. H. Bellerose, dated the 10th December, 1886; a copy of the reply of the letter; and also, copies of declarations made by the employés of the St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, on the tenth and eleventh of the same month, in reply to the questions put to them by the Honorable the Minister of Justice and the Honorable the Secretary of State on the administration of the St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and it was

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General by such Members of this House as are Members of the Privy Council.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act incorporating the Alberta and Athabasca Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McCallum, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McMillan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Thursday next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Kincardine and Teeswater Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Girard, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Wednesday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Government Railways Act," as amended,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until Thursday next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to revive and amend the Act to incorporate the Saint Gabriel Levee and Railway Company," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Ontario and Quebec Railway Company" was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Read, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Report of the Select Committee, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of Susan Ash," together with the evidence taken before the said Committee,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for putting the House into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Railway Act,"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be discharged, and that the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith,

The House adjourned.

Tuesday, 31st May, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Abbott,</i>	<i>Ferrier,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Flint.</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Fortin,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Armand.</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McMaster.</i>	<i>Ross (Laurentides),</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Ryan,</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>Macfarlane,</i>	<i>Sanford,</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>MacInnes.</i>	<i>Schultz,</i>
<i>Boucherville, de,</i>	<i>Guèvremont,</i>	<i>(Burlington),</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Boyd,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Smith,</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Sullivan,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Lacoste,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>De Blois,</i>	<i>Lewin.</i>	<i>Pâquet,</i>	<i>Turner,</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>
<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>		

PRAYERS.

The following Petition was brought up, and laid on the Table:—

By the Honorable Mr. Odell,—Of Hugh Cameron, and others, of Black River, in the Province of New Brunswick.

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

Of the Guelph Junction Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act giving them power to extend their line of Railway to some point on Lake Huron, at or near Goderich.

Of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada; praying for the better protection of Women and Girls.

Of the Board of Trade of the City of Toronto; praying for the construction of a Telegraph line along the Indian Peninsular to Tobermory and Storm Signal Stations at Tobermory and Cone Island.

The Honorable Mr. de Boucherville, from the Committee appointed to enquire into the best means to be adopted to obtain correct Reports of the Debates and Proceedings of the Senate, and for the publication of the same, and to report from time to time, presented their Second Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE,

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 2,

TUESDAY, 31st May, 1887.

The Select Committee appointed to enquire into the best means to be adopted to obtain correct Reports of the Debates and Proceedings of the Senate, and for the publication of the same, and to report from time to time, present their Second Report.

Your Committee recommend that four copies of the daily issue of the Senate Debates be distributed to each Senator, in place of five copies as at present.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. B. DE BOUCHERVILLE,

Chairman.

On motion of the Honorble Mr. de Boucherville, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Dickey, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their Twelfth Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE,

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,

TUESDAY, 31st May, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make their Twelfth Report.

Your Committee have examined the following Petitions, and find that sufficient notice has been given in each case:—

Of John Carson, Mayor, and others, of the City of Kingston; praying to be incorporated as a company to build a railway from Kingston to Smith's Falls and Ottawa, and with the consent of the Crown to take over and work the Rideau Canal, and to extend and improve the same.

Of the Western Counties Railway Company; praying for an Act declaring their works one for the general advantage of Canada, and to authorize them to issue debenture stock or preference shares, and construct, purchase, acquire or amalgamate with certain other railways.

Of the Alberta and Athabasca Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act to amend their Act of incorporation.

Of the Imperial Guarantee and Loan Society; praying for an Act to amend their Act of incorporation, and to change the name thereof to The Finance and Trust Company of Canada.

Of Edward King Dodds, and others; praying to be incorporated as The Canadian Horse Insurance Company.

Of the Hamilton and North-Western Railway Company; praying for certain amendments to their Act of incorporation.

Of the Honorable James Gibbs Ross, and others, of the City of Quebec, and elsewhere; praying for the passing of an Act to revive and amend the Act incorporating the Quebec and James' Bay Railway Company;—and

Of Thomas Patterson, and others, Provisional Directors of the Anglo-Canadian Bank, and others; praying for an Act to extend the time, that the certificate required by Section Seven of the Banks and Banking Act shall be obtained.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,

Chairman.

The Honorable Mr. Allan, from the Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to enable the Western Canada Loan and Savings Company to extend their business, and for other purposes," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with an amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive it.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

Page 1, line 30.—Leave out the fourth clause.

The said amendment being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put thereon, it was agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Allan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Lewin, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint the House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. Allan, from the Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Nova Scotia Permanent Building Society and Savings Fund," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive them.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follow:—

Page 1, line 21.—Leave out "such."

Page 1, line 30.—Leave out from "thereof" to "immediately" in line 31.

Page 1, line 34.—Leave out from "or" to "thereof" and insert "any amendment."

Page 1, line 37.—Leave out from "they" to "now" in line 38.

Page 1, line 38.—Leave out from "now" to "may."

Page 2, line 1.—Leave out from "2" to "Province" in line 2 and insert "no person, nor any body corporate having legal authority so to do; resident beyond the limits of the."

Page 2, line 2.—Leave out from "Scotia" to "a" in line 4, and insert "shall be restricted from becoming."

Page 2, line 4.—Leave out from "society" to "may" and insert "by reason of such residence, and such person or body corporate."

Page 2, line 6.—After "writing" insert "as is."

Page 2, line 7.—After "his" insert "or its."

Page 2, line 11.—Leave out from "he" to "a" and insert "or it were."

Page 2, line 12.—Leave out from "Scotia" to the end of the clause 2.

Page 2, line 16.—Leave out from "Scotia" to the end of the clause 3.

Page 2, line 30.—Leave out from "thereon" to "as."

Page 2, line 51.—Leave out from "money" to "and" in line 52 and insert "so borrowed and received by the society, whether secured by debentures or not."

Page 3, line 8.—Leave out clause 7.

Page 3, line 15.—Leave out from "persons" to the end of clause 8.

Page 3, line 24.—After "of" insert "this Act and of." After "Act" insert "of the Province of Nova Scotia and any amendments thereof." Leave out from "and" to "shall" and insert "of the rules now in force."

Page 3, line 28.—Leave out from "of" to "said" in line 29.

Page 3, line 31.—Leave out from “society” to “secured” and insert “made upon the security of real estate may be further.”

Page 3, line 32.—Leave out from “property” to the end of clause 11 and insert “as collateral thereto.”

The said amendments being read a second time, and the question of concurrence being put on each, they were severally agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Almon, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Turner, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: “An Act to incorporate the Manufacturers’ Life Insurance Company,” to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Gowan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Thursday next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: “An Act to incorporate the Goderich and Canadian Pacific Junction Railway Company,” to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McCallum, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Flint, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Thursday next.

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—A Return to an Address dated the 13th May, 1887, for copies of all correspondence between the Imperial and Dominion Governments relating to the Defences of British Columbia during the years 1886 and 1887.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 62.*)

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—A Return to an Address, dated the 30th April, 1886, for a copy of a letter to the Warden of the Penitentiary of St. Vincent de Paul, dated 31st July, 1885, signed by ex-Keeper J. B. Desormeau, of the said Penitentiary, against his dismissal, and making most serious charges against certain officials, and asking for an indemnity.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No 4i.*)

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—A Return to an Address, dated the 20th May, 1886, for a copy of the Report made by the Warden of St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary upon the fact of a reconciliation having taken place between that officer and his two assistants—the Deputy Warden and the Head Keeper—as ordered by the Minister of Justice, and as also mentioned in the Annual Report of the Inspector for 1884-85, page xxv, lines 21, 22, 23, 24.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 4j.*)

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Privy Council of Canada, presented to the House,—A Return to an Address of the Senate, dated the 5th of May, 1886,

for the copy of a letter to the Warden of the Penitentiary of St. Vincent de Paul, dated 31st July, 1885, and signed by ex-Guard J. E. Durocher, protesting against his dismissal, and making serious charges against certain officials.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 4k.*)

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—A Return to an Address of the Senate, dated 10th May, 1886, for a copy of the plea or defence, in writing, of Warden Laviolette, filed at the end of the inquiry, made in 1884, into the administration of the Penitentiary of St. Vincent de Paul, by Messieurs Moylan and Baillairgé.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 4h.*)

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—A Return to an Address, dated 20th May, 1886, for a copy of Inspector Moylan's Report on the inquiry made by him into the escape of one Dorion, one of the convicts then confined in St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, with copies of the evidence and of all other documents bearing upon that escape, including the decision of the Government upon the said Report.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 4f.*)

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented,—A Return to an Address, dated 20th May, 1886, for a copy of the *addenda* for the written defence of the Warden of St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, filed at the end of the inquiry of 1884; also, a copy of the reply of the said Warden to the answers of Deputy Warden Ouimet to the charges made against him by the Warden.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 4g.*)

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented,—A Return to an Address of the Senate, dated 14th May, 1886, for copies of all Reports which may have been made by Inspector Moylan, or by any other persons appointed by the Government for that purpose, on and upon the occasion of the escapes, in 1881, of certain persons named Herwood and Williams, then prisoners at St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, as well as copies of all evidence taken at the inquiries which preceded these Reports; and also, copies of all other documents forming part of the record thereof.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 4l.*)

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—A Return to an Address of the Senate, dated 17th May, 1886, for a copy of a letter or memorandum addressed by J. G. Baillairgé, Esquire, one of the members of the Commission appointed to make an investigation into the management of the St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, in 1884, to Godfroi Laviolette, Esquire, Warden of that Penitentiary, requesting the latter to withdraw from his reply to the defence of Mr. Telesphore Ouimet, all that might be considered an attack upon, or complaint against the Inspector, the other member of the Commission of Enquiry;

also a copy of Mr. Laviolette's answer to this demand; also a copy of the report upon the state of that institution, made by the Warden of the aforesaid Penitentiary, to the Inspector after the customary visit of the latter at the beginning of the present year 1886, probably in February last, if such report has been made; also a copy of the judgment or decision of the Honorable Minister of Justice following the report by Messieurs Moylan and Baillairgé upon the inquiry held by them in 1884, into the management of St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary.

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

(Vide Sessional Papers, No. 4e.)

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented,—A Return to an Address of the Senate, dated 14th May, 1886, for a copy of the Report upon the inquiry made by Inspector Moylan into certain complaints or charges against Roumald Gadbois, one of the employees at St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, at the end of the year 1884, or the commencement of the year 1885, together with copies of the evidence taken, and of all other documents forming part of the record thereof.

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

(Vide Sessional Papers, No. 4d.)

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—A Return to an Address of the Senate, dated 12th May, 1886, for copies of the Reports made by the Inspector of Penitentiaries upon the escape of one Fortier, a prisoner, from the Penitentiary of St. Vincent de Paul, on or about the 1st October, 1884; and, also, copies of the evidence taken at the time of the inquiries referred to, and of all other documents forming part of the record thereof.

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

(Vide Sessional Papers, No. 4c.)

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented,—A Return to an Address of the Senate, dated the 21st day of May, 1886, for a copy of the Report of Inspector Moylan upon the complaints made in 1884 by Chief Keeper McCarthy, of St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, against Hector Demers, then Guard in that institution, with copies of the evidence taken, and of the judgment rendered by the Honorable the Minister of Justice; and, also, copies of all other documents relating to such complaints.

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

(Vide Sessional Papers, No. 4m.)

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented,—A Return to an Address of the Senate, dated the 19th May, 1886, for copies of the evidence of Jean Baptiste Desormeau, Jos. E. Durocher and Hector Demers, formerly employees at St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary; also, copies of the evidence of Felix Lesage, Guard; Leandre Mazuret, Steward; Noel Beauparlant, Instructor of shoemaking; Adolphe Lefebvre, Messenger; George B. Lamarche, Storekeeper, and Godfroi Laviolette, Warden, who were called upon to give evidence in 1884, at the time of the inquiry into the management of the aforesaid Penitentiary, made by Messieurs Moylan and Baillairgé, the Commissioners appointed for that purpose.

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

(Vide Sessional Papers, No. 4o.)

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Arthur Lavell," and that the Petitioner do attend at the Bar and be heard by Counsel,

The Honorable Mr. Kaulbach presented to the House,—The Certificate of the Clerk of the Senate,

Which said Certificate was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

I, Edouard Joseph Langevin, Clerk of the Senate, hereby certify that Notice of the day fixed by Order of the Senate, made on Monday, the sixteenth day of May, 1887, for the second reading of the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Arthur Lavell," was, pursuant to the Standing Order of the Senate, in that behalf, affixed upon the doors of the Senate throughout a period of fourteen days after the first reading of the said Bill, and between the said sixteenth day of May, A.D. 1887, and the thirty-first day of May, A.D. 1887.

Given under my hand, at the Senate Chamber, in the City of Ottawa, in the Province of Ontario, in the Dominion of Canada, this thirty-first day of May, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN,
Clerk of the Senate.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honorable Mr. Kaulbach moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Macfarlane,

That the Order for the second reading of the said Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Arthur Lavell," be further considered to-morrow.

Which being objected to,

The question of concurrence was put thereon, and the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Report of the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of Susan Ash" together with the evidence taken before the said Committee,

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery,

That the said Report be adopted.

After Debate,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Haythorne, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal, it was

Ordered, That the Debate upon the said motion be postponed until to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, to return the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Banff National Park;"—and, also:

The Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Representation of the North-West Territories in the Senate of Canada," and to acquaint this House that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Senate to the said Bills, without any amendment.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery,

The House adjourned.

Wednesday, 1st June, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Abbott,</i> <i>Allan,</i> <i>Almon,</i> <i>Armand,</i> <i>Baillargeon,</i> <i>Bellerose,</i> <i>Bolduc,</i> <i>Boucherville, de,</i> <i>Boyd,</i> <i>Carvell,</i> <i>Casgrain,</i> <i>Chaffers,</i> <i>Clemow,</i> <i>DeBlois,</i> <i>Dever,</i> <i>Dickey,</i> <i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>Ferrier,</i> <i>Flint,</i> <i>Portin,</i> <i>Girard,</i> <i>Glasier,</i> <i>Gowan,</i> <i>Grant,</i> <i>Guévremont,</i> <i>Haythorne,</i> <i>Howlan,</i> <i>Kaulbach,</i> <i>Leonard,</i> <i>Lewin,</i> <i>McCallum,</i> <i>McClelan,</i> <i>McDonald (C.B.),</i> <i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>McKay,</i> <i>McKindsey,</i> <i>McMaster,</i> <i>McMillan,</i> <i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i> <i>Macfarlane,</i> <i>MacInnes,</i> (<i>Burlington</i>), <i>Merner,</i> <i>Miller,</i> <i>Montgomery,</i> <i>Odell,</i> <i>O'Donohoe,</i> <i>Ogilvie,</i> <i>Pâquet,</i> <i>Pelletier,</i> <i>Poirier,</i>	<i>Power,</i> <i>Re id,</i> <i>Robitaille,</i> <i>Ross (Laurentides),</i> <i>Ross (de la Durantaye),</i> <i>Ryan,</i> <i>Sanford,</i> <i>Schultz,</i> <i>Scott,</i> <i>Smith,</i> <i>Stevens,</i> <i>Sullivan,</i> <i>Sutherland,</i> <i>Turner,</i> <i>Vidal,</i> <i>Wark.</i>
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PRAYERS.

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

By the Honorable Mr. McCallum,—Of the Municipal Council of the Town of Niagara Falls.

By the Honorable Mr. Sullivan,—Of David Gilmour, President of the Board of Trade of the Town of Trenton, and of the Municipal Corporation of the Town of Trenton, in the Province of Ontario.

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

Of the Union Bank of Canada, and others, unsecured creditors of the South-Eastern Railway; praying that the Bill relating to the said Railway may not be passed, unless arrangements are made to pay, or satisfy, their just claims against said Railway.

Of the Reverend L. A. Déziel, and others, of the Parish of St. Michel de Bellechasse, in the Province of Quebec; praying that the Government may assume the debt incurred by the Municipality of said Parish in the building of a wharf, and may take charge of keeping said wharf in repair for the future.

Of L. E. Morin, Mayor, of Longueuil, and others, of the County of Chambly; praying that the Government may cause the channel of the River St. Lawrence to be deepened, widened and straightened, and that the obstructions made by the works of the Montreal Harbor Commissioners be removed.

Of L. E. Morin, Mayor, and others, of the Town of Longueuil, Province of Quebec; praying for the building of a Post Office adequate to the wants of the population of the said town; and

Of the Honorable J. J. C. Abbott and others; praying to be incorporated under the name of the Royal Victoria Hospital.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Nova Scotia Permanent Building Society and Savings Fund," as amended, was read a third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Kincardine and Teeswater Railway Company," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Girard, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Second Report of the Select Committee appointed to inquire into the best means to be adopted to obtain correct Reports of the Debates and Proceedings of the Senate, and for the publication of the same, and to report from time to time,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. de Boucherville, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Arthur Lavell," and that the Petitioner do attend at the Bar and be heard by Counsel,

The Honorable Mr. Kaulbach moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Macfarlane,

That Thomas Arthur Elliott be called to the Bar of this House, to be sworn and examined.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative.

Then Thomas Arthur Elliott was called to the Bar of this House, and, being sworn, was examined as follows:—

Q. What are your name, place of residence, and occupation or legal addition?
A. Thomas Arthur Elliott, of the Town of Brockville, in the County of Leeds, Student-at-Law.

Q. Look at paper writing now produced and shown to you marked "A," intituled "An Act for the relief of William Arthur Lavell," and at the paper writing now produced and shown to you, marked "B," being an Order of the Senate dated the 16th day of May, A.D. 1887, both writings being certified by the Clerk of the Senate. Did you serve, or attempt to serve, copies of these writings with the certificates thereon of the Clerk of the Senate upon any person, and if so, upon whom, and in what manner, on what date and at what place? A. On the evening of Friday, the 27th day of May, 1887, I arrived in Detroit, in the State of Michigan, one of the United States of America, and was, on inquiry, informed that Ada Mary Lavell (*née* Caton) had been living in Detroit, but had left there, and was at that time in Europe. Upon receiving that information I proceeded to the office of the *Detroit Free Press*, of which newspaper W. G. Fralick, mentioned in paper writing marked "A," is City Editor, and there served him with a true compared copy of each of the

said paper writings the said W. G. Fracliek having before such service told me that the said Ada Mary Lavell (*née* Caton) mentioned in the said paper writings was in Europe, and at that time, he thought, she was in Spain. I also, on the morning of the 28th day of May, 1887, served a true compared copy of each of said paper writings on Ervin Palmer, a member of the firm of Palmer & Palmer, Attorneys-at-Law, who, as I was informed and believe, were Attorneys for the said Ada Mary Lavell (*née* Caton), by delivering the same to and leaving the same with the said Ervin Palmer, at his office in the said City of Detroit.

I served the said paper writings in manner aforesaid, believing then as I do now, that it was impossible to serve the said Ada Mary Lavell (*née* Caton) personally.

Q. Do you know, and how long have you known personally, the said Ada Mary Lavell (*née* Caton)? A. I do know her, and have known her personally for over eight years.

Q. Is the person referred to by you as Ada Mary Lavell (*née* Caton) the person from whom the Petitioner herein is seeking divorce? A. Yes.

Q. Do you know the Petitioner personally, and if so, how long? A. Yes, I have known him for over thirteen years.

The said Thomas Arthur Elliott was directed to withdraw.

The Honorable the Speaker informed the House that William Arthur Lavell, the Petitioner in this case, was in attendance below the Bar, ready to be examined by the Senate generally, or as to any collusion or connivance between the parties to obtain a separation.

The Honorable Mr. Kaulbach moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Macfarlane, That the examination of the Petitioner in this matter, as well generally as in regard to any collusion or connivance between the parties to obtain a separation, be for the present dispensed with, but that it be an instruction to any Committee to whom the Bill upon the subject may be referred, to make such examination.

Which being objected to,

The question of concurrence was put thereon, and the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

The Honorable Mr. Kaulbach moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Macfarlane, That the said Bill for the relief of William Arthur Lavell be now read a second time.

Which being objected to,

The question of concurrence was put thereon, and the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

The Honorable Mr. Kaulbach moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Macfarlane,

That the said Bill be referred to a Select Committee composed of the Honorable Messieurs Macfarlane, Gowan, Sullivan, Schultz, Clemow, Ferrier, Vidal, Sanford, and the mover, to report thereon with all convenient speed, with power to send for persons, papers and records, and examine witnesses on oath, and that all persons summoned to appear before the Senate in this matter appear before said Committee, and that the Committee have leave to appoint a shorthand writer.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

The Honorable the Speaker presented to the House,—A Protest from Ada M. Fracliek, in the matter of the Bill for the relief of William Arthur Lavell.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the House resumed the adjourned Debate on the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie's motion, viz. :—

That the Report of the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill intituled

“An Act for the relief of Susan Ash,” together with the evidence taken before said Committee, be adopted.

After further Debate,

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the House divided, and the names being called for, they were taken down as follow:—

CONTENTS :

The Honorable Messieurs

Abbott,	Grant,	Macdonald (B.C.),	Read,
Allan,	Leonard,	Macfarlane,	Ross (Laurentides),
Almon,	Lewin,	MacInnes	Sanford,
Carvell,	McCallum,	(Burlington),	Schultz,
Clemow,	McClelan,	Merner,	Stevens,
Ferrier,	McInnes (B.C.),	Montgomery,	Sutherland,
Flint,	McKay,	Odell,	Turner,
Glasier,	McKindsey,	Ogilvie.	Vidal,
Gowan,	McMaster,	Plumb (Speaker),	Wark.—35.

NON-CONTENTS :

The Honorable Messieurs

Baillargeon,	Dever,	Kaulbach,	Robitaille,
Boucherville, de,	Dickey,	O'Donohoe,	Ross
Chaffers,	Fortin;	Power,	(de la Durantaye).—13.
De Blois,	Haythorne,		

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill for the relief of Susan Ash, as amended, be read a third time to-morrow.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Carvell,

The House adjourned.

Thursday, 2nd June, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Abbott,</i>	<i>Ferrier,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Fortin,</i>	<i>McMaster,</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Ross (Laurentides),</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Ross (de la Durantaye)</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>Macfarlane,</i>	<i>Ryan,</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>McInnes</i>	<i>Sanford,</i>
<i>Boucherville, de,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>(Burlington),</i>	<i>Schultz,</i>
<i>Boyd,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Smith,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Sullivan,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>DeBlois,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Piquet,</i>	<i>Turner,</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>

PRAYERS.

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

By the Honorable Mr. Clemow,—Of the Canada Atlantic Railway Company.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Clemow, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Grant, it was

Ordered, That the said Petition of the Canada Atlantic Railway Company; praying to be permitted to present a Petition for an Act to amend their Act of incorporation, be now read and received.

The said Petition was then read by the Clerk, and laid on the Table.

By the Honorable Mr. Abbott,—Of the Manitoba South-Western Colonization Railway Company.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery, it was

Ordered, That the said Petition of the Manitoba South-Western Colonization Railway Company; praying to be permitted to present a Petition for an Act extending the time for the completion of their Railway, be now read and received.

The said Petition was then read by the Clerk, and laid on the Table.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petition was read:—

Of Hugh Cameron, and others, of Black River, in the Province of New Brunswick; praying that means may be taken to prohibit Railway and Steamboat traffic, on the Lord's Day.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill intituled : "An Act to amend the Government Railways Act," as amended,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until Tuesday next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled : " An Act to amend the Chinese Immigration Act," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time Tuesday next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled : " An Act to amend the Penitentiary Act," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled : " An Act to amend the Act respecting Sick and Distressed Mariners," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled : " An Act to amend the law respecting Procedure in Criminal Cases," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill intituled : "An Act for the relief of Susan Ash,"

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery,

That the said Bill be now read a third time.

After Debate,

The Honorable Mr. Power moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Lewin,
That the Debate on the said motion be postponed until to-morrow.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery,

The House adjourned.

Friday, 3rd June, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Abbott,</i>	<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>
<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Ferrier,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Fortin,</i>	<i>McMaster,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Robitaille.</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Ross (Laurentides),</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>Macfarlane,</i>	<i>Ross (de la Durantaye),</i>
<i>Botsford,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>MacInnes</i>	<i>Ryan,</i>
<i>Boucherville, de,</i>	<i>Guéremont,</i>	<i>(Burlington),</i>	<i>Sanford,</i>
<i>Boyd,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Schultz,</i>
<i>Carveil,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>DeBlois,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Paquet,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>		

PRAYERS.

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

By the Honorable Mr. Almon,—Of Joseph Woods, and others, of Halifax, in the Province of Nova Scotia.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Almon, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Power, it was

Ordered, That the Petition of Joseph Woods, and others, of Halifax; praying to be permitted to present a Petition to incorporate them as the Bermuda and Cuba Steam Shipping Company of Canada, be now read and received.

The said Petition was then read by the Clerk, and laid on the Table.

By the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie,—Of the Corporation of the Town of Lindsay, in the Province of Ontario.

By the Honorable Mr. Ross (Laurentides),—Of the Board of Trade of the City of Quebec.

By the Honorable Mr. McInnes (British Columbia),—Of William Murray, Mayor of Sherbrooke.

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

Of the Municipal Council of the Town of Niagara Falls; praying for the passing of the Bill incorporating the Niagara River Bridge Company.

Of David Gilmour, President of the Board of Trade, and of the Municipal Corporation of the Town of Trenton; praying that the Bill to incorporate the Bay of Quinté Bridge Company may not be passed.

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—A Return to an Address, dated the 27th May, 1887, to His Excellency the Governor General; praying that His Excellency will be graciously pleased to cause to be laid before this House, a copy of a letter dated 10th September, 1886, and signed by Jos. H. Bellerose, in relation to the difficulties at the St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, together with a copy of a letter from C. A. Nutting, Esq., Advocate, dated 28th August, 1886, upon the same subject; and also, a copy of the report of Mr. Sherwood, Superintendent of Government Police, charged by the Honorable the Minister of Justice with the verification of the facts contained in the last-mentioned letter.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 4d.*)

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill, intituled: "An Act to revive and amend the Act to incorporate the Saint Gabriel Levee and Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time on Monday next.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill, intituled: "An Act respecting the Ontario and Quebec Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same, with an amendment which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive it.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

Page 1, line 30.—After "Council" insert "and thereupon the point of junction of the two railways shall be substituted for the point between Ingersoll and St. Thomas, heretofore fixed as the point of junction between the existing line of the Ontario and Pacific Railway and its extension westwards."

The said amendment being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put thereon, it was agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Gowan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with an amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills presented their Thirteenth Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE,
COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,
FRIDAY, 3rd June, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make their Thirteenth Report.

Your Committee have examined the following Petitions, and find that sufficient notice has been given in each case:—

Of the Winnipeg and Hudson's Bay Railway and Steamship Company; praying for the passing of an Act to consolidate and amend their Acts of incorporation, to authorize an extension to the International Boundary, and to change the name of the Company. (Two Petitions.)

Of L. R. Baker, and others, of Beauharnois; praying to be incorporated as The South-Western Railway Company.

Of H. Corby, and others; praying to be incorporated as The Bay of Quinté Bridge Company.

Of the Guelph Junction Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act giving them power to extend their line of Railway to some point on Lake Huron at or near Goderich;—and

Of the Ottawa and Gatineau Railway Company; praying for an Act declaring their works to be for the general advantage of Canada, giving them power to extend their line of Railway to some point on or near James' Bay, and otherwise amending their Act of incorporation.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their Fourteenth Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE,
COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,
FRIDAY, 3rd June, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make their Fourteenth Report.

Your Committee have examined the following Petition, and find that it is of a nature not requiring the publication of notice:—

Of the Honorable J. J. C. Abbott, and others; praying to be incorporated under the name of The Royal Victoria Hospital.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their Fifteenth Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE,
COMMITTEE ROOM, No. 8,
FRIDAY, 3rd June, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make their Fifteenth Report.

Your Committee have considered the following Petition:—

Of the Canada Atlantic Railway Company; praying to be permitted to present a Petition, praying for an Act to amend their Act of incorporation;—and

Your Committee find that although the time for presenting Petitions for Private Bills to the Senate has expired—that satisfactory reasons were given for the delay in this case, and they, therefore, recommend that the Forty-ninth Rule be suspended and that leave be given to the said Canada Atlantic Railway Company to petition as prayed for.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Clemow, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Grant, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted, and the Forty-ninth Rule of this House be suspended as recommended in the said Report.

The following Petition was brought up, and laid on the Table:—

By the Honorable Mr. Clemow,—Of the Canada Atlantic Railway Company.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Clemow, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Grant, it was

Ordered, That the Petition of the Canada Atlantic Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act to amend their Act of incorporation, be now read and received.

The said Petition was then read by the Clerk, and laid on the Table.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Railway Act," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same, with several amendments which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive them.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follow:—

Page 1, line 10.—Leave out "has been" and insert "is."

Page 1, line 11.—Leave out "is."

Page 1, line 14.—Leave out "will render" and insert "renders."

Page 1, line 16.—Leave out "said."

Page 1, line 23.—Leave out "said." Leave out from "may" to "such" in line 26, and insert "on the application of any railway company, whose railway, at rail level, crosses, or is crossed by, the railway of any other company, by an order in writing, signed and countersigned as aforesaid, direct such companies to adopt and put in use at such crossing."

Page 1, line 32.—Leave out "said."

Page 1, line 40.—After "Act" insert "and every railway gate at a farm crossing shall be of sufficient width for the purposes for which it is intended."

Page 1, line 40.—After the third clause insert the following as Clause A:—

Clause A.

4. Sub-section two of section one hundred of "The Railway Act" is hereby repealed."

In the Preamble.

Page 1, line 1.—Leave out from "to" to "therefore," in line 6, and insert amend 'The Railway Act' (The Revised Statutes of Canada, Chapter one hundred and nine) in the manner hereinafter provided."

The said amendments being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put on each, they were severally agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time on Tuesday next.

The Honorable Mr. Abbott presented to the House,—a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend Chapter forty-three of the Revised Statutes of Canada, otherwise known as the 'Indian Act.'"

The said Bill was read a first time.

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the House resumed the adjourned Debate on the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie's motion, viz.:—That the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of Susan Ash," as amended, be now read a third time.

After further Debate,

The question of concurrence was put on the said motion, and the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. Vidal moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery,

That a Message be sent to the House of Commons by one of the Masters in Chancery, to communicate to that House the evidence taken before the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of Susan Ash," and the papers referred to them, with a request that the same be returned to this House.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Monteith," and that the Petitioner do attend at the Bar and be heard by Counsel,

The Honorable Mr. McKindsey presented to the House,—The Certificate of the Clerk of the Senate.

Which said certificate was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

I, Edouard Joseph Langevin, Clerk of the Senate, hereby certify that Notice of the day fixed by Order of the Senate, made on Wednesday, the eighteenth day of May, 1887, for the second reading of the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Monteith," was, pursuant to the Standing Order of the Senate, in that behalf, affixed upon the doors of the Senate throughout a period of fourteen days after the first reading of the said Bill, and between the said eighteenth day of May, A.D. 1887, and the second day of June, A.D. 1887.

Given under my hand, at the Senate Chamber, in the City of Ottawa, in the Province of Ontario, in the Dominion of Canada, this second day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN,
Clerk of the Senate.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honorable Mr. McKindsey presented to the House, certain affidavits. The same were then read by the Clerk, as follow :—

DOMINION OF CANADA, }
Province of Ontario, }
County of York. } In the matter of John Monteith, Petitioner for a
Divorce from his wife, Mary Ann Monteith.

I, John Monteith, of the Village of Rosseau, in the District of Parry Sound, Hotel Keeper, do solemnly declare :—

1. I am the above-named applicant.
2. That, as appears by the solemn declarations filed before this Honorable House, at the time of the reading of my Petition for a Divorce from my wife, Mary Ann Monteith, all attempts made to find the said Mary Ann Monteith to cause to be served upon her the notice of application to the Parliament of Canada for the said Divorce, were of no avail.

3. That since the making of the said solemn declarations I have not received any information of any nature or kind soever to indicate to me where my said wife is to be found, or where I can obtain any information concerning her, and I still know of no means by which I can ascertain her whereabouts.

4. That I have caused services of the Bill intituled : " An Act for the relief of John Monteith," and the Order of the Senate for the second reading of the said Bill, to be made upon Thomas Wright, Mary Ann Wright, Eliza Turner, William Ditchburn and Ebenezer Swett, and caused copies of the same to be left at the Lankin House, formerly the Walkerly House, St. Catharines, and to be served on Joseph Walkerley, the former proprietor thereof, as shown by the solemn declarations forwarded herewith.

5. That I know of no other persons on whom service of the Bill intituled : " An Act for the relief of John Monteith," and the Order of the Senate for the second reading of the said Bill, would be likely to cause the same to reach or come to the said Mary Ann Monteith, and I have done everything in my power, so far as I know, to cause such Bill and Order to come to the knowledge and notice of the said Mary Ann Monteith.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Act passed in the thirty-seventh year of Her Majesty's reign, intituled : " An Act for the suppression of Voluntary and Extra-judicial Oaths."

Solemnly declared before me, at the City }
of Toronto, in the County of York, }
this 30th day of May, A.D. 1887. }

JOHN MONTEITH.

H. E. MORPHY,
A Commissioner.

DOMINION OF CANADA, }
Province of Ontario, }
County of York, } In the matter of John Monteith, Petitioner for a Divorce
To Wit : } from his wife, Mary Ann Monteith.

I, Mahlon Cowan, of the City of Toronto, in the County of York, Law Student, do solemnly declare :—

1. That I did, on Friday, the 27th day of May, 1887, serve a true copy of the Bill intituled : " An Act for the relief of John Monteith," and a true copy of the Order of the Senate for the second reading of the said Bill, on the Lankin House, formerly the Walkerly House, St. Catharines, by handing the said copies to and leaving the same with Levi Lankin, the present proprietor of the said house, in the said house.

2. That I am informed and believe the said Lankin House, formerly the Walkerly House, where I made the said service, is the last known place of abode of Mary Ann Monteith, wife of John Monteith, named in the said Bill.

3. That I did, on Saturday, the 28th day of May, 1887, personally serve a true copy of the said Bill and the said Order upon Joseph Walkerly, by handing the same to and leaving the same with the said Joseph Walkerly, at the Walkerly House, in Port Dalhousie, in the County of Lincoln, of which House the said Joseph Walkerly is now the proprietor, as I am informed and believe.

4. That the said Joseph Walkerly was, as I am informed and believe, the proprietor of the Walkerly House, St. Catharines, at the time the said Mary Ann Monteith made the said Walkerly House, St. Catharines, her place of abode.

5. That I personally compared the said copies so served upon the Lankin House, St. Catharines, and upon the said Joseph Walkerly, with the original Bill, and original Order, and know that the said copies so served were true and correct copies of the said originals.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Act passed in the thirty-seventh year of Her Majesty's reign, intituled: "An Act for the suppression of Voluntary and Extra-judicial Oaths."

Solemnly declared before me, at the City }
of Toronto, in the County of York, }
this 30th day of May, A.D. 1887.

M. COWAN.

JOHN AKERS,
A Commissioner, &c., Notary Public.

DOMINION OF CANADA. }
Province of Ontario, }
District of Parry Sound, }
To Wit:

In the matter of the application of John Monteith, for a Bill of Divorce from his wife, Mary Ann Monteith.

I, William Hubbert, of the Town of Barrie, in the County of Simcoe, Constable, do solemnly declare:—

1. That I did personally serve Eliza Turner, of the Township of Vespra, in the County of Simcoe, with a true copy of the notice hereto annexed, and with a true copy of the Bill, intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Monteith," hereto annexed, by handing the said copy of the said notice, and the said copy of the said Bill to, and leaving the same with, the said Eliza Turner.

2. That I know the said Eliza Turner so served, and know that she is reputed to be the sister of the said Mary Ann Monteith, formerly Mary Ann Wright, mentioned in the said Act for the relief of John Monteith.

3. That I personally compared the said copies so served with the said originals hereto annexed, and the said originals hereto annexed, and the said copies so served, were true and correct copies of the said originals.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Act passed in the thirty-seventh year of Her Majesty's reign, intituled: "An Act for the suppression of Voluntary and Extra-judicial Oaths."

Solemnly declared before me, at the Town }
of Barrie, in the County of Simcoe, }
this 30th day of May, A.D. 1887.

WILLIAM HUBBERT.

JOHN DICKINSON,
A Commissioner.

DOMINION OF CANADA. }
 Province of Ontario, }
 District of Parry Sound, } In the matter of the application of John Monteith,
To Wit : } for a Bill of Divorce from his wife, Mary Ann Monteith.

I, William Hubbert, of the Town of Barrie, in the County of Simcoe, Constable, do solemnly declare :—

1. That I did personally serve Mary Ann Wright, of the Township of Vespra, in the County of Simcoe, with a true copy of the notice hereto annexed, and with a true copy of the Bill intituled : " An Act for the relief of John Monteith," hereto annexed, by handing the said copy of the said notice and the said copy of the said Bill to, and leaving the same with, the said Mary Ann Wright.

2. That I know the said Mary Ann Wright so served, and know that she is reputed to be the mother of the said Mary Ann Monteith, formerly Mary Ann Wright, mentioned in the said " Act for the relief of John Monteith."

3. That I personally compared the said copies so served with the said originals hereto annexed, and the said copies so served were true and correct copies of the said originals.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Act passed in the thirty-seventh year of Her Majesty's reign, intituled : " An Act for the suppression of Voluntary and Extra-judicial Oaths."

Solemnly declared before me, at the Town }
 of Barrie, in the County of Simcoe, this }
 30th day of May, A.D. 1887.

WILLIAM HUBBERT.

JOHN DICKINSON,
 A Commissioner.

DOMINION OF CANADA. }
 Province of Ontario, }
 District of Parry Sound, } In the matter of the application of John Monteith,
To Wit : } for a Bill of Divorce from his wife, Mary Ann Monteith.

I, William Hubbert, of the Town of Barrie, in the County of Simcoe, Constable, do solemnly declare :—

1. That I did personally serve Thomas Wright, of the Township of Vespra, in the County of Simcoe, with a true copy of the notice hereto annexed, and with a true copy of the Bill intituled " An Act for the relief of John Monteith," hereto annexed, by handing the said copy of the said notice and the said copy of the said Bill to, and leaving the same with, the said Thomas Wright.

2. That I know the said Thomas Wright so served, and know that he is reputed to be the father of the said Mary Ann Monteith, formerly Mary Ann Wright, mentioned in the said " Act for the relief of John Monteith."

3. That I personally compared the said copies so served, with the said originals hereto annexed, and the said copies so served were true and correct copies of the said originals.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Act passed in the thirty-seventh year of Her Majesty's reign, intituled : " An Act for the suppression of Voluntary and Extra-judicial Oaths."

Solemnly declared before me, at the Town }
 of Barrie, in the County of Simcoe, and }
 Province of Ontario, this 30th day of }
 May, A.D. 1887.

WILLIAM HUBBERT.

JOHN DICKINSON,
 A Commissioner.

DOMINION OF CANADA. }
 Province of Ontario, }
 District of Parry Sound, } In the matter of the application of John Monteith,
To Wit: } for a Bill of Divorce from his wife, Mary Ann Monteith.

I, John Holton, of the Village of Rosseau, in the County of Simcoe, Constable, do solemnly declare:—

1. That I did personally serve William Ditchburn, of the Village of Rosseau, in the County of Simcoe, with a true copy of the notice hereto annexed, and with a true copy of the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Monteith," hereto annexed, by handing the said copy of the said notice and the said copy of the said Bill to, and leaving the same with, the said William Ditchburn.

2. That I know the said William Ditchburn so served, and know that he is Post Master at the Village of Rosseau, in the County of Simcoe, and the said Post Office was the last place at which Mary Ann Monteith, formerly Mary Ann Wright, wife of John Monteith mentioned in the said "Act for the relief of John Monteith," received her letters prior to the time of her elopement with William G. Norton, as set out in the said "Act for the relief of John Monteith," hereto annexed.

3. That I personally compared the said copies so served with the said originals hereto annexed, and the said copies so served were true and correct copies of the said originals.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Act passed in the thirty-seventh year of Her Majesty's reign, intituled: "An Act for the suppression of Voluntary and Extra-judicial Oaths."

Solemnly declared before me, at the Village }
 of Rosseau, in the County of Simcoe, }
 this 28th day of May, A.D. 1887. }

JOHN HOLTON.

EBEN SWETT, J.P.,
 Com'r. in H. C. J.

DOMINION OF CANADA. }
 Province of Ontario, }
 District of Parry Sound, } In the matter of the application of John Monteith, for
To Wit: } a Bill of Divorce from his wife, Mary Ann Monteith.

I, Herbert F. Jones, of the Village of Rosseau, in the County of Simcoe, Clerk, do solemnly declare:—

1. That I did personally serve Eben Swett, of the Village of Rosseau, in the County of Simcoe, with a true copy of the notice hereto annexed, and with a true copy of the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Monteith," hereto annexed, by handing the said copy of the said notice and the said copy of the said Bill to, and leaving the same with, the said Eben Swett.

2. That I know the said Eben Swett so served, and know that he is a Magistrate, residing in the said Village of Rosseau, in the County of Simcoe, and I know that he personally attended to business for one William G. Norton, mentioned in the said "Act for the relief of John Monteith," hereto annexed, and transacted the business of the said William G. Norton after the time that Mary Ann Monteith, wife of the said John Monteith, left him and eloped with the said William G. Norton.

3. That I personally compared the said copies so served with the said originals hereto annexed, and the said copies so served were true and correct copies of the said originals.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Act passed in the thirty-seventh year of Her Majesty's reign, intituled: "An Act for the suppression of Voluntary and Extra-judicial Oaths."

Solemnly declared before me, at the Village }
of Rosseau, in the County of Simcoe, }
this 28th day of May, A.D. 1887.

HERBERT F. JONES.

WM. L. LAURSON,
A Commissioner, &c.

The Honorable Mr. McKindsey moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Gowan, That this House is satisfied with the proof adduced of the impossibility of complying with Rule 76 of the Senate, requiring personal service upon the party from whom divorce is sought, of the notice of the second reading, and a copy of the Bill for the relief of John Monteith.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and
Ordered accordingly.

The Honorable the Speaker informed the House that John Monteith, the Petitioner in this case, was in attendance below the Bar, ready to be examined by the Senate generally, or as to any collusion or connivance between the parties to obtain a separation.

The Honorable Mr. McKindsey moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Gowan, That the examination of the Petitioner in this matter, as well generally as in regard to any collusion or connivance between the parties to obtain a separation, be for the present dispensed with, but that it be an instruction to any Committee to whom the Bill upon the subject may be referred, to make such examination.

Which being objected to,
The question of concurrence was put thereon, and the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and
Ordered accordingly.

The Honorable Mr. McKindsey moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Gowan, That the Bill for the relief of John Monteith be now read a second time.
Which being objected to,
The question of concurrence was put thereon, and the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

The Honorable Mr. McKindsey moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McInnes (B.C.),

That the Bill be referred to a Select Committee composed of the Honorable Messieurs Gowan, Macdonald (B.C.), Clemow, Vidal, McCallum, McKay, McClelan, Read, and the mover, to report thereon with all convenient speed, with power to send for persons, papers and records and examine witnesses on oath, and that all persons summoned to appear before the Senate in this matter appear before the said Committee, and that the said Committee have leave to employ a shorthand reporter.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and
Ordered accordingly.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled "An Act to provide for the conveyance of Legislators and Judges free of charge over Railways,"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McInnes, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until Thursday next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act incorporating the Alberta and Athabasca Railway Company," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McCallum, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Casgrain, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Manufacturers' Life Insurance Company" was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Glasier, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Goderich and Canadian Pacific Junction Railway Company," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McCallum, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Casgrain, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Penitentiary Act,"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act respecting Sick and Distressed Mariners,"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act respecting Procedure in Criminal Cases,"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until Monday next.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford.

The House adjourned until Monday next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Monday, 6th June, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Abbott,</i>	<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Ferrier,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Reesor,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Fortin,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Ross (de la Durantaye),</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Ryan,</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>Macfarlane,</i>	<i>Schultz,</i>
<i>Botsford,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Boucherville, de,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Boyd,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Sullivan,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>	<i>Turner,</i>
<i>DeBlois,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>Paquet,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>	

PRAYERS.

The Honorable Mr. Allan, from the Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to enable the Canada Permanent Loan and Savings Company to extend their business, and for other purposes," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Gowan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. Allan, from the Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Manufacturers' Life Insurance Company" reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Gowan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Read, from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, presented their Third Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

COMMITTEE ROOM,
3rd June, 1887.

The Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament beg leave to present the following as their Third Report.

The Committee carefully examined the following Returns, and recommend that they be printed, viz:—

216. Return to Order,—Showing amounts (in detail) expended under Warrants from the Governor General in each of the years from 1873 to 1886, both inclusive.—(*Sessional Papers.*)

54. Return to Order,—Showing the quantity of grain of any kind in bushels carried over the Intercolonial Railway from Rivière du Loup to Halifax during the period July 1st, 1885, to March 31st, 1887, with the net amount of money received for freight thereon and passed to the credit of the same Railway.—(*Sessional Papers.*)

57. Return to Order, giving:—

1st. The total number of Chinese who have arrived in the different Ports in the Dominion, from the 1st of January, 1886, to the 31st March, 1887, specifying the Ports.

2nd. The amount of duty on head money collected from Chinese during that period.

3rd. The amount paid to the Provincial Governments under the Chinese Restriction Act during the same period.

4th. The number of Chinese who have entered the Dominion during the same period under the return certificates, and the Reports (if any) of any Custom Officer with reference thereto.

5th. The number of Chinese who have entered the Dominion during the same period, as students, men of science, or travellers.

6th. The cost to the Dominion of administering the Chinese Restriction Act for the last fiscal year.—(*Distribution and Sessional Papers.*)

59. Return to Order,—Return of the names of those persons, outside of the Militia, who have been recommended for Scrip, for services of whatever kind in the late Rebellion.—(*Sessional Papers.*)

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

4a. Return to Address (Senate) (1886).—Copy of a letter from the Department of Justice, Penitentiaries Branch, addressed, on or about the 18th June, 1883, to the Warden of St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, requesting that officer to draw the attention of the Deputy Warden of that institution to certain charges brought against the latter by *L'Etendard* newspaper, which accused him of having unduly interfered in the Elections for the County of Laval in 1883; also, a copy of the reply of the said Deputy Warden; also, a copy of a second letter of the Department of Justice, Penitentiaries Branch, to the said Warden on the subject of a new charge brought against the latter officer by the same newspaper, which complained that Deputy Warden Ouimet made use of convicts to carry on his correspondences, and particularly to prepare the reply mentioned in the first place, and requiring the Warden to demand an explanation from his Deputy on this subject, with the reply of the Deputy Warden; also, copies of all other memoranda, documents, letters, &c., which may form part of the record, whether they be dated before or after the documents herein above mentioned.

5d. Return to Order.—Statement showing names of all candidates at the promotion examination held at Ottawa, beginning on March 1st, past; names of all who passed such examinations, copies of all examination papers submitted to such candidates; also Statement showing whether any, and if so, which of such candidates were examined at such examinations later than the said 1st of March, and what questions were submitted to such candidate or candidates.

19. Return to Address (1886).—Return showing:—

1. The total number of Orders in Council or Departmental Orders, since 1870, recommending the granting of Licenses or Permits to cut timber in the Dominion of Canada, with the total area (actual or approximate) covered by such Orders.

2. For each separate year since 1870, the name and address of each applicant in whose favour such Order was made; the date of each Order; the area covered by each Order; the location of the land covered by each such Order; the ground rent and Crown dues, respectively, paid in each case, and the bonus, if any, in addition to the cost of surveys, in each case required; also the whole area covered by such Orders in each year.

3. The total number of Licenses issued under the authority of the several Orders in Council; the total area covered by each License, whether the area consisted of detached pieces of land or of compact blocks; and the period of time in each case during which the License was operative; and, in the case of Permits, the purpose for which the timber was required.

20a. Return to Order.—Showing the amount of arrears now due to the Chippewa Indians of Lakes Huron and Superior, on the surrender of lands made by them under the Robinson Treaty, and all correspondence between the Indian Department of the Dominion Government and the Provincial Government of Ontario, relative to the same, since the 3rd day of May last.

55. Return to Order.—Copies of the bargains, agreements or contracts (not already brought down) made between the Government and the Grand Trunk Railway Company, respecting the purchase of the North Shore Railroad between Montreal and Quebec, or between St. Martin's and Quebec; and also for copies of the contracts between the Canadian Pacific Railway Company and the Grand Trunk Railway Company for the purchase or transfer of the said portion of the North Shore Railway.

56. Return to Order.—Copies of all memorials, petitions and correspondence asking for the appointment of a Junior Judge for the County of Elgin; also the names of all applicants for the said position since January 1st, 1886.

58. Return to Order.—Copies of all correspondence, departmental orders, reports, and other papers relating to Tracadie Harbour, Prince Edward Island.

60. Certified Copy of a Report of a Committee of the Honourable the Privy Council, approved by His Excellency the Governor General, granting an additional annual subsidy of \$20,000 to the Province of Prince Edward Island.

61. Return to Address (Senate).—Copies of all communications between the Dominion Government, or any Department or office thereof, and any person whomsoever, respecting certain dynamite imported into Halifax, Nova Scotia, during the year 1885, by Messieurs H. H. Fuller & Co., and seized by the Customs authorities for alleged undervaluation.

62. Return to Address (Senate).—Copies of all correspondence between the Imperial and Dominion Governments, relating to the Defences of British Columbia, during the years 1886 and 1887.

63. Return to Address (Senate).—Copy of the plans and reports of the late survey concerning the proposed subway between Cape Traverse, Prince Edward Island, and Cape Tormentine, New Brunswick.

64. Return to Order.—Copies of all correspondence in the possession of the Department of Indian Affairs respecting the dismissal of Mr. Napoleon Giasson from his position as measurer of stone, at Caughnawaga, in the County of Laprairie.

The Committee would also submit the following Resolutions as recommendations :—

Resolved, That on account of the size of the volumes of the Journals and Sessional Papers pertaining to the Session of 1886, being over and above that specified in the contract, that the contractor, W. McG. Mortimer, be allowed an additional sum of five cents per volume, for the volumes bound in that year (the same as he received for the years 1884 and 1885), such sum to cover all demands for extras of whatever nature or kind soever.

Resolved, That in the opinion of this Committee the furnishing of the stationery required in either House should remain under the control of each House, as at present, and that the " Act respecting the Department of Public Printing and Stationery" be so amended as to provide for the same.

Resolved, That the salary of Mr. E. Botterell, the Distributor, and the salary of Mr. N. Boulet, the Assistant Distributor, be increased by \$200 each; such increase to date from the 1st day of January, 1887.

All which is respectfully submitted.

ROBERT READ,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Girard, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration on Wednesday next.

The Honorable Mr. Read, from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, presented their Fourth Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows :—

COMMITTEE ROOM,
3rd June, 1887.

The Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament beg leave to submit, as their Fourth Report, the report of their Sub-Committee, appointed to Audit the Printing Accounts, and for other purposes, together with the report of the Clerk of the Committee on the Printing Services of the past year, and the Parliamentary Printing Account Annual Statement for the fiscal year from the 1st July, 1885, to the 30th June, 1886, all thereto annexed; which, having adopted, they respectfully recommend for the consideration of both Houses.

All which is respectfully submitted.

ROBERT READ,
Chairman.

REPORT OF THE CLERK OF THE COMMITTEE.

To the Chairman and Members of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament :—

GENTLEMEN,—I beg to submit the Annual Statement of the receipts and expenditure on account of the Printing of Parliament for the fiscal year ended 30th June, 1886.

Accompanying this Statement is the following letter from the Auditor General :—

AUDITOR GENERAL'S OFFICE,
OTTAWA, 2nd December, 1886.

SIR,—I am returning herewith your Statement of expenditure on account of Parliamentary Printing for 1885-86.

The only difference is the refund of \$390.32 for printing Private Bills, Session

1885—credited on your Statement to accounts of 1885-86, and in the books of this office to accounts of 1884-85. I have made a memorandum to this effect on the back of your Statement.

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

J. L. McDougall,
Auditor General.

H. HARTNEY, Esq.,
Accountant, House of Commons, Ottawa.

I also received the following letter from Mr. Mortimer, for many years past the contractor for the binding of the Sessional Papers, &c.:—

OTTAWA, October 8th, 1886.

HENRY HARTNEY, Esq.,
House of Commons.

DEAR SIR,—As there has been no arrangement made with me for the binding of the Sessional Papers, or other bindings, &c., required for both Houses of Parliament, I beg to state that I am willing to continue the contract for 1887 under the existing arrangement.

Trusting this will be satisfactory,

I remain yours obediently,

W. MCG. MORTIMER.

The extension of the printing contract to the 31st December, 1887, and the new contract for the manufacturing of the printing paper entered into by Mr. J. R. Barber for one year, to the same date, have both been signed, and the required securities have been deposited to my credit.

By an arrangement with the contractor, the paper under the new contract being of a better quality, was utilized for the Blue-books of this Session, thus very much improving their appearance.

Provision will have to be made during the Session for the future performance of all the printing services.

I must again respectfully draw the attention of the Committee to the want of proper accommodation in the Distributing Office, as well as for the storage of the printed sheets and printing paper.

The sum of \$80,000 has been placed on the Estimates for the Printing of Parliament for the ensuing year, being the same amount as last year.

All which is respectfully submitted.

HENRY HARTNEY,
Clerk Joint Committee on Printing.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
22nd April, 1887.

REPORT OF THE SUB-COMMITTEE.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
1st June, 1887.

The Sub-Committee of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, to which was referred the accounts in connection with the printing services of Parliament of the past year, for the purpose of audit, beg leave to submit the following as their First Report:—

The Sub-Committee carefully examined the annual statement of the Parliamentary Printing accounts, and having verified the expenditure, item by item, with the receipted accounts and vouchers produced, and finding it correct, have certified to the same.

The statement is also in accord with the books in the office of the Auditor General, as certified by him, with the exception of the sum of \$380 being credited in the one Department to the accounts of 1884-85, and in the other to those of 1885-86.

The accounts are so kept and arranged as to be of easy and satisfactory audit.

The Sub-Committee personally visited and inspected the Distribution Office and the store-rooms in connection therewith, and find that more extended accommodation is immediately required for the proper and safe performance of the work.

They also inspected the vaults where the reserve stock of the Journals and Sessionals Papers are arranged and classified ready for immediate reference, but all the available space being taken up, further classification must cease till more accommodation is furnished.

At a meeting of the Railway Committee, the members of the Sub-Committee present availed themselves of the opportunity to bring this matter under the notice of the Minister of Public Works, and as the subject of further accommodation for the Railway Committee was also under discussion, the Minister stated these matters would be taken into consideration. The Sub-Committee have, therefore, every hope that the difficulties will now be overcome.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

D. BERGIN,
Chairman.

ALPH. DESJARDINS,
JAMES TROW.

Dr. PARLIAMENTARY PRINTING ACCOUNT—Annual Statement, from 1st July, 1885, to 30th June, 1886. Cr.

1885-86.	RECEIPTS.	Amount.	Vouchers No.	EXPENDITURE.	Amount.
		\$ cts.			\$ cts.
	Letters of Credit—Appropriation account.....	91,000 00	1885-86.		
	REFUNDS:—		1	Printing:—Balance due on last year's account.....	5,301 76
	Account Departmental Reports...\$ 9,454 83 L. C.			do The 20 p. c. retained from last account.....	7,582 48
	Account do .. 1,768 89			do Account to 31st December, 1885, in full.....	1,092 88
	Account do do .. 6,771 96			do Account to 30th June, 1886	\$39,697 02
	Account Printing Private Bills:—			do Less 20 p. c. retained.	7,939 40
	Session, 1886	\$380 32	2	Binding	31,757 62
	do 1886	591 02	3	Printing Paper	4,893 40
			4	Lithographing	27,446 57
			5	Insurance.....	2,719 93
			6	Salaries	57 50
			7	Postage	6,797 50
			8	Geological Reports	56 75
			9	Miscellaneous, \$158.45, less refund by L. Dubé, \$23.17.....	3,265 63
			10	Advertising	135 28
				Advertising	245 82
				Total Expenditure	100,353 12
			11	Bank balance deposited to credit of Receiver-General.....	78 54
			12	Miscellaneous, Account L. Dubé	23 17
				Undrawn, including cost of Printing Private Bills.....	19,502 19
		119,957 02			119,957 02

PARLIAMENTARY PRINTING ACCOUNT—Annual Statement, &c.—Continued.

Balance of paper on hand:—
 2,289 Rms. of Royal, at \$2.524 \$ 5,779 72
 237½ Rms. of Foolscap, at 97½c. 296 55
 \$ 6,006 27

Expenditure, as above \$100,363 12
 REFUNDS:—
 Account Departmental Reports \$ 21,985 68
 Account Private Bills Printing. 971 34
 23,957 02
 Total cost, Parliamentary Printing \$ 71,386 10

HENRY HARTNEY,
Clerk, Printing of Parliament.

The Expenditure of \$71,386.10, shown by the above account, differs from that in the books of this office only by the sum of \$380.32, which was credited by the Accountant of the House of Commons in 1885-86, as shown above; while it was credited in the books of this office in 1884-86.

J. IORN McDOUGALL, *Auditor General.*

AUDITOR GENERAL'S OFFICE,
 OTTAWA, 2nd December, 1886.

Audited and found correct,

D. BERGIN,
 ALPH. DESJARDINS,
 JAMES TROW.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
 30th June, 1886.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Girard, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration on Wednesday next.

The Honorable Mr. Read, from the Select Committee appointed to inquire into the action taken by the Government and payments made or recommended, since the report of a former Select Committee presented to this Honorable House on the 17th March, 1881, by the Honorable Mr. Read, Chairman, and adopted by concurrence of the Whole House on the following day, in relation to "the circumstances of a debt alleged to devolve upon the Dominion Government by the British North America Act, and said to be now due to the Honorable Benjamin Beveridge, James Tibbets and others, but the payment of which is withheld for some cause unknown," and that the said Committee be composed of the Honorable Messieurs Montgomery, Read, Lewin, Trudel, Robitaille, Boyd, Dever, and the mover, with power to send for persons and papers, presented their First Report.

Ordered, That it be received, and the same was then read by the Clerk as follows :—

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 2.

WEDNESDAY, 1st June, 1887.

The Select Committee appointed by order of Your Honorable House on Friday, the twenty-second day of April last, to inquire into the action taken by the Government and payments made or recommended, since the report of a former Select Committee presented to this Honorable House on the 17th March, 1881, by the Honorable Mr. Read, Chairman, and adopted by concurrence of the Whole House on the following day, in relation to "the circumstances of a debt alleged to devolve upon the Dominion Government by the British North America Act, and said to be now due to the Honorable Benjamin Beveridge, James Tibbets and others, but the payment of which is withheld for some cause unknown, beg leave to make their First Report, as follows :—

That Your Committee having heard the statements of the Auditor General and of the Deputy Minister of Justice, in reference to the matter referred to, Your Committee find it appears that the Government of New Brunswick agreed to the payment of twenty thousand two hundred and sixty-three dollars and thirty-one cents (\$20,263.31), of the amount of twenty-one thousand six hundred and eighteen dollars and twenty-five cents (\$21,618.25), which the former Select Committee of Your Honorable House reported on the 17th March, 1881, was due by New Brunswick to Canada on the 12th November, 1856, and which Your Committee also find to have been so due at the last-mentioned date.

The whole question now appears to Your Committee to be as to the right of the claimants to interest upon the said amount of twenty-one thousand six hundred and eighteen dollars and twenty-five cents (\$21,618.25) from the time at which payment thereof was due. Your Committee is of opinion that the Order of Reference does not give them power to consider this question, and they beg leave to ask further instructions from your Honorable House thereon.

All which is respectfully submitted.

ROBERT READ,
Chairman.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill intituled : "An Act for the relief of John Monteith," presented their First Report.

Ordered, That it be received, and

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows :—

THE SENATE,

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,

SATURDAY, 4th June, 1887.

The Select Committee to whom, by order of Your Honorable House made on Friday, the third day of June instant, was referred the Bill intituled : "An Act for

the relief of John Monteith," to report thereon with all convenient speed, with power to send for persons, papers, and records, beg leave to make their First Report, as follows:—

Your Committee, in obedience to the Order of Reference, have examined the said Bill, and have agreed to report the same with the following amendments, which, in the opinion of Your Committee, are rendered necessary by the variance between certain allegations of the Preamble and the evidence adduced in proof thereof.

In the Preamble.

Page 1, line 2.—Leave out "Muskoka" and insert "Parry Sound."

Page 1, line 6.—Leave out from "is" to "this" and insert "resident and domiciled in."

Page 1, line 8.—Leave out from "was" to "this" and insert "resident and domiciled in." After "now" insert "supposed to be."

Page 1, line 11.—After "them" insert "in the Province of Ontario." Leave out "September" and insert "December."

Page 1, line 15.—After "husband" insert "and their four children, issue of their said marriage."

Page 1, line 16.—Leave out from "she" to "and" in line 18, and insert "committed adultery; that since the date last aforesaid she has remained separate and apart from her said husband."

And in obedience to the 78th Rule of your Honorable House, Your Committee report to your Honorable House, herewith, the evidence taken down in writing of the witnesses heard on oath before Your Committee, as well as that of the Petitioner, whom, in compliance with the instructions from your Honorable House to that effect, Your Committee have examined upon oath, as well generally as in regard to any collusion or connivance between the parties to obtain a separation, and also all vouchers adduced before your Committee.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Gowan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McKindsay, it was

Ordered, That the said Report, with the Evidence and Exhibits returned therewith, together with the Bill therein referred to, be taken into consideration by this House to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented—A Report of the Commissioner of the North-West Mounted Police Force, 1886.

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

(Vide Sessional Papers, No. 7 A.)

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—A Supplementary Report of the Inspector of Penitentiaries for the year ended 30th June, 1886.

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

(Vide Sessional Papers, No. 4 A.)

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Imperial Trusts Company of Canada," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act further to amend the Act respecting the Canadian Pacific Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Merner, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Niagara Falls Bridge Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McCallum, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Sullivan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the Hamilton, Guelph and Buffalo Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to the Hamilton Central Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Turner, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to authorize the Grange Trust (Limited) to wind up its affairs," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Girard, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Wednesday next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Prescott County Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Clemow, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Merner, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Berlin and Canadian Pacific Junction Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Merner, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Clemow, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill

intituled: "An Act to incorporate the South Ontario Pacific Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. Abbott presented to the House,—A Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Royal Victoria Hospital."

The said Bill was read a first time.

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Wednesday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill intituled: "An Act to revive and amend the Act to incorporate the Saint Gabriel Levee and Railway Company,"

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal,

That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, in amendment, moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford,

That the said Bill be not now read a third time, but that it be amended by adding the following to the sixth clause:—

"And upon assuming the work the said city shall have the right to exercise all powers of the Company relating thereto."

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative.

The question of concurrence being again put on the main motion, as amended, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with an amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend Chapter forty-three of the Revised Statutes of Canada, otherwise known as the Indian Act."

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Penitentiary Act,"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act respecting Sick and Distressed Mariners,"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act respecting Procedure in Criminal Cases,"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the Brantford, Waterloo and Lake Erie Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McCallum, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Sullivan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Collingwood General and Marine Hospital," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Gowan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Howlan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford,

The House adjourned.

Tuesday, 7th June, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Abbott,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>
<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Ferrier,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Fortin,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Ross (de la Durantaye),</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Ryan,</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>Macfarlane,</i>	<i>Sanford,</i>
<i>Botsford,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>MacInnes,</i>	<i>Schultz,</i>
<i>Boucherville, de,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>(Burlington),</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Boyd,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Sullivan,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Turner,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>DeBlois,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Piquet,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>	

PRAYERS.

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

By the Honorable Mr. Sullivan,—Of Captain George Atkinson, and others, of the Bay of Quinté, and of Oswego, in the County of New York. (Two petitions.)

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled : "An Act to incorporate the Kincardine and Teeswater Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same, with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive them.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follow :—

Page 1, line 16.—Leave out from "Paxton" to "William" in line 17.

Page 1, line 17.—After "Fairbairn" insert "and."

Page 1, line 17.—Leave out "and."

Page 1, line 18.—Leave out "William Scott."

Page 5, line 40.—Leave out from "Company" to "may."

The said amendments being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put on each, they were severally agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Dickey, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled : "An Act to amend the Act incorporating the Alberta and Athabasca Railway Company," reported they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same, with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive them.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follow :—

Page 1, line 39.—After "the" insert "aggregate," and after "bonds" insert "to be."

Page 1, line 40.—Leave out from "issued" to "shall," and insert "under the said Act as hereby amended," and after "exceed" insert "in all."

The said amendments being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put on each, they were severally agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Power, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Lewin, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be taken into consideration by the House to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled : "An Act to incorporate the Goderich and Canadian Pacific Junction Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same, with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive them.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follow:—

Page 2, line 38.—Leave out “thirty” and insert “sixty.”

Page 2, line 40.—After “thereon” insert “into one or more of the Chartered Banks of Canada designated by the Directors, such ten per centum not to be withdrawn from such Bank or otherwise applied except for the purposes of the Company.”

Page 3, line 8.—Leave out from “elected” to “director” in line 9, and insert “a.”

Page 3, line 10.—Leave out “ten” and insert “twenty.”

Page 3, line 35.—Leave out from “stock” to the end of the clause.

Page 4, line 10.—Leave out “ten” and insert “fifteen.”

Page 5, line 15.—Leave out from “bonds” to “hereby.”

Page 5, line 24.—After “made” insert “drawn.”

Page 5, line 29.—After “made” insert “drawn, accepted or endorsed, as aforesaid.”

Page 5, line 30.—After “made” insert “drawn, accepted or endorsed.”

Page 5, line 36.—Leave out from “out” to “authority” and insert “proper,” and leave out from “authority” to “Provided” in line 37.

Page 5, line 41.—Leave out from “bank” to “23” in line 46.

Page 6, line 28.—Leave out from “pany” to “28” in line 41.

The said amendments being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put on each, they were severally agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Dickey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Read, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be taken into consideration by the House to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their Sixteenth Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE,

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,

TUESDAY, 7th June, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make their Sixteenth Report.

Your Committee have examined the following Petitions, and find that sufficient Notice has been given in each case:—

Of the Midland Railway Company of Canada; praying that the time for the completion of the several lines of railway forming part of the said railway be extended, and for other purposes.

Of the Canada Atlantic Railway Company; praying for an Act to amend their Act of incorporation;—and

Of Isaac Foster, and others, of the County of Norfolk, in the Province of Ontario; praying to be incorporated as the South Norfolk Railway Company.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their Seventeenth Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE,
COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8.
TUESDAY, 7th June, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make their Seventeenth Report.

Your Committee have considered the following Petitions:—

Of the Manitoba South-Western Railway Company; praying to be permitted to present a Petition for an Act extending the time for the completion of their Railway; and

Your Committee find that although the time for presenting Petitions for Private Bills to the Senate has expired, that satisfactory reasons were given for the delay in this case, and they, therefore, recommend that the Forty-ninth Rule be suspended, and that leave be given to the said Manitoba South-Western Railway to petition as prayed for.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted and the Forty-ninth Rule of this House be suspended, as recommended in the said Report.

The following Petition was brought up, and laid on the Table:—

By the Honorable Mr. Vidal,—Of the Manitoba South-Western Colonization Railway Company.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their Eighteenth Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE,
COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,
TUESDAY, 7th June, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make their Eighteenth Report.

Your Committee have considered the following Petition:—

Of Joseph Wood, and others, of Halifax; praying to be permitted to present a Petition for an Act incorporating them as the Bermuda and Cuba Steam Shipping Company of Canada; and it having been represented to your Committee that the parties do not intend to proceed with the Bill this Session, they recommend that no further action be taken on the said Petition.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Almon, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Power, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their Nineteenth Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE,

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,

Tuesday, 7th June, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make the following as their Nineteenth Report:—

On the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Prescott County Railway Company."

Your Committee find that the notices required by the Fifty-first Rule have been duly given.

Your Committee recommend, that as satisfactory reasons were given for a Petition not having been presented to the Senate for this Bill, that the Fifty-seventh Rule be suspended in this case.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Clemow, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Merner, it was

Ordered, That the Fifty-seventh Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Prescott County Railway Company," as recommended in the Nineteenth Report of the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Clemow, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Merner, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Prescott County Railway Company," be read a second time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. Allan, from the Joint Committee on the Library of Parliament, presented their First Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

The Joint Committee of both Houses on the Library of Parliament have the honor to submit their First Report, as follows:—

The Librarians having asked the Committee to consider the advisability of (1st) reprinting certain volumes of the debates of the Senate and Commons; and (2nd) preparing a consolidation of the indexes of the various volumes of *Hansard*, it was ordered that the Librarians be instructed to procure estimates of the cost of the proposed work.

Your Committee having again considered the question of preparing the Canadian section of the American Catalogue of the Library, and being convinced that this is a very necessary work, renew the advice tendered to the House during the last Session, that the Catalogue be reprinted. A very rich collection of materials for Canadian history is at present deprived of much of its value by the imperfect condition of the catalogue.

The thanks of your Committee were tendered to the Honorable Mr. Haythorne for his timely and valuable donation of volumes of Prince Edward Island Statutes, which makes the Library collection now very useful to members.

The attention of your Committee having been again called to the mutilation of books and newspaper files in the Library, it is deemed necessary to bring the matter prominently before the notice of the House. The mutilations exhibited to the Committee were of a scandalous and inexcusable character. A rare pamphlet on the Fisheries question was torn from one of the pamphlet volumes, and the Librarians have no present hope of being able to supply its place. Reports have been torn from copies of the Sessional Papers, and the volumes replaced on the shelves. It is obvious that the usefulness of the Library will be greatly endangered if a practice so barbarous continues. The Librarians naturally express their unwillingness to establish

any system of espionage. In the meantime notice will be put up in the Library, giving warning against the mutilation of books.

A Committee was appointed to audit the accounts of the Library.

It was resolved unanimously that the Minister of Public Works be requested to consider favorably the introduction of the electric light into the Library before the next Session.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Allan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Pelletier, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration by the House on Friday next.

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Privy Council of Canada, presented to the House,—The following Return as to the Immigration of Chinese and as to the working of the Chinese Restriction Act.

Ordered, That it be received, and

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

1st. The total number of Chinese who have arrived at the different ports in the Dominion, from the 1st of January, 1886, to the 31st of March, 1887, specifying the Ports ?

Victoria.....	787
Montreal.....	1
Emerson.....	8
Port Arthur.....	1
Total.....	797

2nd. The amount of duty or head money collected from Chinese during that period?—\$6,350.

3rd. The amount paid to the Provincial Governments under the Chinese Restriction Act during the same period?—British Columbia, \$2,525.

4th. The number of Chinese who have entered the Dominion during the same period under return certificates, and the reports (if any) of any Customs Officer with reference thereto?—Total number, 246. No reports received.

5th. The number of Chinese who have entered the Dominion during same period, as students, men of science, or travellers?—The number who have entered as such, or under other exemptions in the Act, is 424.

6th. The cost to the Dominion of administering the Chinese Restriction Act for the last fiscal year?—For fiscal year 1885-86, \$1,629.26.

W. G. PARMELEE,
Chief Controller.

CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT,
OTTAWA, 21st May, 1887.

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House a Return to an Address of the Senate, dated the 21st April, 1887, for copies of the reports of the Commander of Her Majesty's Ship "Cormorant," and of the Superintendent of Indian Affairs for British Columbia, relative to the agrarian troubles last winter at the Indian Reserve of Metlakathla, together with all correspondence during the years 1886 and 1887 between the Dominion and Provincial Governments on the same subjects.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers No. 20d.*)

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to reduce the stock of the Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land Company (Limited), and for other purposes," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Friday next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the South Norfolk Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McCallum, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Casgrain, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Bay of Quinté Bridge Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Flint, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Read, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Friday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Government Railways Act, as amended,"

The Honorable Mr. Abbott moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford,

That the said Bill be not now read a third time, but that it be amended by leaving out the words in the preamble, viz.: "Chapter 38 of the Revised Statutes of Canada."

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, in amendment, moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Miller,

That the said Bill be further amended as follows, viz.:—

Page 1, line 27.—After "Act" insert "and every railway gate at a farm crossing shall be of sufficient width for the purpose for which it is intended."

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was also resolved in the affirmative.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, with an amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Railway Act," as amended, was read a third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, with an amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of Fanny Margaret Riddell," and that the Petitioner do attend at the Bar and be heard by Counsel,

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie presented to the House,—The Certificate of the Clerk of the Senate,

Which said Certificate was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

I, Edouard Joseph Langevin, Clerk of the Senate, hereby certify that notice of the day fixed by Order of the Senate, made on Monday, the sixteenth day of May, 1887, for the second reading of the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of Fanny Margaret Riddell," was, pursuant to the Standing Order of the Senate, in that behalf, affixed upon the doors of the Senate throughout a period of fourteen days after the first reading of the said Bill, and between the said sixteenth day of May, A.D. 1887, and the seventh day of June, A.D. 1887.

Given under my hand, at the Senate Chamber, in the City of Ottawa, in the Province of Ontario, in the Dominion of Canada, this seventh day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN,
Clerk of the Senate.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie presented to the House,—Certain affidavits.

The same were then read by the Clerk, as follow:—

THE SENATE OF CANADA.

First Session, Sixth Parliament, 50 Victoria, 1887.

In the matter of the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of Fanny Margaret Riddell.

I, Harry Abbott, Jr., of the City of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec, one of Her Majesty's Counsel, being duly sworn, depose and say:—

1. That I am one of the Attorneys of the petitioner herein, and have had special charge of the matter.

2. That all due diligence has been used and every possible effort made to effect service of the notice of the second reading of the above-mentioned Bill upon George Field Herchmer, but it has been impossible to effect such service, or to find him or any trace of his whereabouts.

3. That at the time of the service upon the said George Field Herchmer, of the notice of application for the said Bill, he was in the employ of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, upon their medical staff in the Selkirk Range of the Rocky Mountains, and service was effected through the Sheriff of Kootenay, British Columbia.

4. That on the sixteenth day of May last, I telegraphed to one R. Marpole, Agent of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company at Donald, British Columbia, from whom I had on the former occasion obtained information as to the whereabouts of Dr. Herchmer, inquiring if the said Dr. Herchmer was still on the staff, and whether he knew where the said Dr. Herchmer was; but owing to a disarrangement of the telegraph line, and other causes, no answer was received to the said telegram for several days; and not obtaining an answer, I got Mr. C. R. Hosmer, the Manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's telegraph line, to telegraph for an answer on the nineteenth day of May last. On the twentieth day of May an answer was received from the said R. Marpole, dated the nineteenth day of May, stating that the message had only been received on the eighteenth, and that Dr. Herchmer was not in the employ of the Company, and was last seen at Vancouver. In the meantime, to wit, on the said nineteenth day of May, I sent copies of the notice of the second reading of the said Bill to the said Sheriff at Kootenay, with instructions to make affidavit of service if he could effect service, or of impossibility of service if he could

not find Dr. Herchmer, and on the twentieth day of said May, on learning that the said Dr. Herchmer was no longer in the District of Kootenay, I telegraphed the said Sheriff to make the affidavit of impossibility of service, and to forward the papers to my uncle, Harry Abbott, the Manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company at Vancouver, and on the same day wrote the said Harry Abbott, requesting him to put the papers in the hands of a reliable Attorney or Sheriff, with instructions to find the said Dr. Herchmer, if possible, and effect service, and if not, to have affidavit of impossibility of service returned. In the meantime I caused inquiries to be made by telegraph at Vancouver and Port Moody, through the said C. R. Hosmer, who has communicated to me a telegram showing that no trace can be found of the said George Field Herchmer at Port Moody or Vancouver, and that he is not known there.

5. That I have not as yet received any returns or affidavits from the said Sheriff of Kootenay, or the said Harry Abbott, and though I telegraphed them both on the first instant, I have received no answer, and am informed that the telegraph line is interrupted by bush fires and high water.

And I have signed,

H. ABBOTT, JR.

Sworn before me, at Montreal, this sixth }
day of June, in the year of our Lord }
one thousand eight hundred and }
eighty-seven. }

W. M. C. GRIFFIN,

Commissioner Supreme Court, District of Montreal, and Notary Public.

THE SENATE OF CANADA.

First Session, Sixth Parliament, 50 Victoria, 1887.

In the matter of the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of Fanny Margaret Riddell."

I, Charles Rudolph Hosmer, of the City of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec, Manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's telegraph, being duly sworn, depose and say:—

1. At the request of Mr. Harry Abbott and Mr. A. F. Riddell, I caused telegrams to be sent to R. Marpole, asking for answer to telegrams sent him inquiring about the whereabouts of one Dr. George Herchmer, and the telegram, hereunto annexed, marked "A," of date the nineteenth of May, 1887, is a telegram received by me from said R. Marpole.

2. On the twentieth day of May last, I telegraphed one J. Wilson, at New Westminster, to make inquiries as to the whereabouts of the said Dr. Herchmer, requesting a search to be made at Port Moody and Vancouver, to find him if possible, and the telegram hereunto annexed, marked "B," is the telegram I received in answer thereto.

And I have signed,

Sworn before me, at Montreal, this sixth }
day of June, one thousand eight hun- }
dred and eighty-seven. }

CHAS. R. HOSMER.

SAMUEL C. MARSON,

Commissioner Superior Court, District of Montreal.

"A."

From Donald, B.C. (19.)

To C. R. HOSMER, Montreal.

Message only received yesterday. Herchmer not now in employ Company, last seen at Vancouver.

19—5—1887.

R. MARPOLE.

"B."

From Seattle, W.T. (21.)

May 21, 1887.

To C. R. H.

Can get no trace of George F. Herchmer at Moody or Vancouver. He is not known.

J. W.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal, That this House is satisfied with the proof adduced of the impossibility of complying with Rule 76 of the Senate, requiring personal service upon the party from whom divorce is sought, of the notice of the second reading, and a copy of the Bill for the relief of Fanny Margaret Riddell.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and Ordered accordingly.

The Honorable the Speaker informed the House that Fanny Margaret Riddell, the Petitioner in this case, was in attendance below the Bar, ready to be examined by the Senate generally, or as to any collusion or connivance between the parties to obtain a separation.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal, That the examination of the Petitioner in this matter, as well generally as in regard to any collusion or connivance between the parties to obtain a separation, be for the present dispensed with, but that it be an instruction to any Committee to whom the Bill upon the subject may be referred, to make such examination.

Which being objected to,

The question of concurrence was put thereon, and the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and Ordered accordingly.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal, That the Bill for the relief of Fanny Margaret Riddell be now read a second time.

Which being objected to,

The question of concurrence was put thereon, and the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal,

That the Bill be referred to a Select Committee composed of the Honorable Messieurs Gowan, Turner, Sanford, McKay, McKindsey, Ferrier, Vidal, Montgomery, and the mover, to report thereon with all convenient speed, with power to send for persons, papers and records and examine witnesses on oath, and that all persons summoned to appear before the Senate in this matter appear before the said Committee, and that the said Committee have leave to employ a shorthand reporter.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Chinese Immigration Act,"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until Friday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Report of the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Monteith,"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Gowan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled : "An Act to incorporate the Imperial Trusts Company of Canada,"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Sanford, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled : "An Act further to amend the Act respecting the Canadian Pacific Railway Company," was read a second time

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Gowan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled : "An Act to incorporate the Niagara Falls Bridge Company," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McCallum, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled : "An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the Hamilton, Guelph and Buffalo Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to the 'Hamilton Central Railway Company,'" was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled : "An Act to incorporate the Berlin and Canadian Pacific Junction Railway Company," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Merner, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Sanford, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled : "An Act to incorporate the South Ontario Pacific Railway Company," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Sanford, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Turner, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled : "An Act to amend Chapter forty-three of the Revised Statutes of Canada, otherwise known as the Indian Act,"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until Friday next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled : "An Act to amend the Penitentiary Act," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled :
" An Act to amend the Act respecting Sick and Distressed Mariners,"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled : " An Act to amend the Act respecting Procedure in Criminal Cases," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled : " An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the Brantford, Waterloo and Lake Erie Railway Company," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McCallum, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled : " An Act to incorporate the Collingwood General and Marine Hospital," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Gowan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford,

The House adjourned.

Wednesday, 8th June, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Abbott,</i>	<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>
<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Ferrier,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Atmon,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Fortin,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Reesor,</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Ross (de la Durantaye)</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>Macfarlane,</i>	<i>Ryan,</i>
<i>Botsford,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>MacInnes,</i>	<i>Sanford,</i>
<i>Boucherville, de,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>(Burlington),</i>	<i>Schultz,</i>
<i>Boyd,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Sullivan,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Lacoste,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>	<i>Turner,</i>
<i>De Blois,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Pâquet,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>			

PRAYERS.

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

By the Honorable Mr. Bolduc,—Of Daniel Shanks, and others, of the Village of Huntingdon, in the District of Beauharnois.

By the Honorable Mr. Read,—Of the Reverend John Somerville, Moderator, and others, of the Synod of the Presbyterian Church of Toronto and Kingston, in the Province of Ontario.

By the Honorable Mr. Power,—Of the Municipal Council of the City of St. Thomas.

The Honorable Mr. Howlan, from the Select Committee appointed to examine and report upon the Contingent Accounts of the Senate, presented their Second Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows :—

THE SENATE,
COMMITTEE ROOM No. 2,
WEDNESDAY, 8th June, 1887.

The Select Committee appointed to examine and report upon the Contingent Accounts of the Senate for the present Session, beg leave to make their Second Report, as follows :—

Your Committee recommend :—

1. That Mr. J. de St. Denis LeMoine, Sergeant-at-Arms, be appointed Clerk of

French Journals, and that he discharge the duties of that office in addition to his present duties, with an increase in salary of four hundred dollars (\$400) a year, making his total salary sixteen hundred dollars (\$1,600) a year, such increase to date and be payable on and from the 1st of July, 1887.

2. That Mrs. Ivanhoe Taché be appointed Assistant Clerk of French Journals, from the 1st of July, 1887, till next Session of Parliament, at a salary of eight hundred dollars (\$800) a year; but that this appointment should not be taken as a precedent.

3. That the salary of Mr. J. G. Aylwin Creighton, Law Clerk, Clerk of Committees, and English Translator, be increased by three hundred dollars (\$300) to the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) a year, such increase to date and be paid as on and from the 1st day of January, 1887.

4. That the appointment by His Honor the Speaker of the Senate, of Edward Ashe as Messenger to the Speaker, at a salary of six hundred dollars (\$600) a year, and of Charles Neville as Speaker's Page, at one dollar and a half (\$1.50) per day during Session, be respectively confirmed, and that said salaries be paid as on and from the 13th day of April, 1887.

5. That Jean Albert Choquette and Frederick Charles O'Meara be appointed Sessional Messengers at a salary of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) each per Session, and that said appointments and salaries be dated and paid as on and from the 13th day of April, 1887.

6. That Thomas Gravel, fireman, be paid one dollar and twenty-five cents (\$1.25) a day instead of one dollar (\$1) as at present.

All which is respectfully submitted.

GEORGE W. HOWLAN,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Howlan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Miller, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of Fanny Margaret Riddell," presented their First Report.

Ordered, That it be received, and the same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE,
COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,
WEDNESDAY, 8th June, 1887.

The Select Committee to whom, by order of your Honorable House, made on Tuesday, the seventh day of June, instant, was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of Fanny Margaret Riddell," to report thereon with all convenient speed, with power to send for persons, papers and records, beg leave to make their First Report as follows:—

Your Committee, in obedience to the Order of Reference, have examined the said Bill and have agreed to report the same without any amendment.

And in obedience to the 78th Rule of your Honorable House, your Committee report to your Honorable House herewith, the evidence taken down in writing of the witnesses heard on oath before your Committee, together with that of the petitioner, whom, in compliance with the instructions from your Honorable House to that effect, your Committee have examined upon oath, as well generally as in regard to any collusion or connivance between the parties to obtain a separation, and also all vouchers adduced before your Committee.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery, it was

Ordered, That the said Report with the evidence returned therewith, together with the Bill therein referred to, be taken into consideration by this House on Friday next.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That when the House adjourns this day, it do stand adjourned until Friday next, the tenth day of June instant, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

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

HOUSE OF COMMONS,
MONDAY, 6th June, 1887.

Resolved, That a Message be sent to the Senate, informing their Honors that this House hath agreed to their Address to Her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen, congratulating Her upon the completion of the fiftieth year of Her Majesty's auspicious reign, by filling up the blank with the words "and House of Commons."

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

Attest,

J. G. BOURINOT,
Clerk of the Commons.

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

HOUSE OF COMMONS,
MONDAY, 6th June, 1887.

Resolved, That a Message be sent to the Senate, informing their Honors that this House hath passed an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, praying that His Excellency will be pleased to transmit the Joint Address of both Houses to Her Most Gracious Majesty, congratulating Her Majesty upon the completion of the fiftieth year of Her Majesty's auspicious reign, in such manner as His Excellency may see fit, in order that the same may be laid at the foot of the Throne, and requesting their Honors to unite with this House in the said Address.

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

Attest,

J. G. BOURINOT,
Clerk of the Commons.

The said Address to His Excellency the Governor General was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

To His Excellency the Most Honorable Sir HENRY CHARLES KEITH PETTY-FITZMAURICE, Marquis of Lansdowne, in the County of Somerset, Earl of Wycombe, of Chipping-Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, Viscount Calu and Calnstone in the County of Wilts, and Lord Wycombe, Baron of Chipping-Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, in the Peerage of Great Britain; Earl of Kerry and Earl of Shelburne, Viscount Clanmaurice and Fitzmaurice, Baron of Kerry, Lixnaw and Dunkerron, in the Peerage of Ireland; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor General of Canada, and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c., &c.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY:—

We, the dutiful and loyal subjects of Her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen, the Commons of Canada, in Parliament assembled, beg leave to approach

Your Excellency with our respectful request that Your Excellency will be pleased to transmit our Joint Address to Her Majesty, congratulating Her upon the completion of the fiftieth year of Her auspicious reign, in such manner as to Your Excellency may seem fit, in order that the same may be laid at the foot of the Throne.

THE SENATE,

Speaker of the Senate.

HOUSE OF COMMONS,
MONDAY, 6th June, 1887.

J. ALD. OUIMET,
Speaker of the Commons.

The Honorable Mr. Abbott moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, To agree with the House of Commons by filling up the blank with the words "Senate, and."

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was unanimously resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Honorable the Speaker do sign the Address on the part of this House.

Ordered, That one of the Masters in Chancery do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate doth agree to the said Address by filling up the blank with the words "Senate, and."

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General by such Members of this House as are Members of the Privy Council.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the conveyance of Liquors on board Her Majesty's Ships in Canadian Waters," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Friday next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Dominion Controverted Elections Act," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Friday next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the North-West Territories Act," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Friday next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Defacing of Counterfeit Notes and the Use of Imitations of Notes," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Friday next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act respecting Canned Goods," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Friday next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Atlantic and North-West Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McCallum, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Friday next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Massawippi Junction Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Cochrane, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Robitaille, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Friday next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Kingston, Smith's Falls and Ottawa Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Clemow, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Turner, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Friday next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Eastern Canada Savings and Loan Company (Limited)," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Macfarlane, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Kaulbach, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Friday next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Prescott County Railway Company," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Clemow, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Almon, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Third Report of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Pâquet, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until Friday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Fourth Report of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Pâquet, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until Friday next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled : " An Act to authorize the Grange Trust (Limited) to wind up its affairs," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Almon, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled : " An Act to incorporate the Royal Victoria Hospital," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to the consideration of the amendments made by the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to the Bill intituled : " An Act to amend the Act incorporating the Alberta and Athabasca Railway Company."

The said amendments being again read by the Clerk, and the question of concurrence put on each, they were severally agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Power, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McCallum, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass ?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint the House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to the consideration of the amendments made by the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to the Bill intituled : " An Act to incorporate the Goderich and Canadian Pacific Junction Railway Company."

The said amendments being again read by the Clerk, and the question of concurrence put on each, they were severally agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McCallum, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass ?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled : " An Act to incorporate the South Norfolk Railway Company," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McCallum, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Report of the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill intituled : " An Act for the relief of John Monteith,"

The Honorable Mr. McKindsey moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Gowan, That the said Report be adopted.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable Mr. McKindsey moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Gowan, That the said Bill, as amended, be now read a third time.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. McKindsey moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Gowan,

That a Message be sent to the House of Commons by one of the Masters in Chancery, to communicate to that House the evidence taken before the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of John Monteith," and the papers referred to them, with a request that the same be returned to this House.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Imperial Trusts Company of Canada," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Penitentiary Act."

(In the Committee.)

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Haythorne, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act respecting Sick and Distressed Mariners,"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until Friday, and that it do then stand as the First Item upon the Orders of that Day.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled :
 " An Act to amend the Act respecting Procedure in Criminal Cases,"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until Friday next, and that it do then stand as the Second Item upon the Orders of that Day.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford,

The House adjourned until Friday next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Friday, 10th June, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Abbott,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>
<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Ferrier,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>McMaster,</i>	<i>Reesor,</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Ross (de la Durantaye)</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>Macfarlane,</i>	<i>Ryan,</i>
<i>Botsford,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>McInnes</i>	<i>Sanford,</i>
<i>Boucherville, ad,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>(Burlington),</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Boyd,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Sullivan,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>Levin,</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>	<i>Turner,</i>
<i>Cochrane,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Pâquet,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>DeBlois,</i>	<i>McLellan,</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>		

PRAYERS.

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

By the Honorable Mr. Wark,—Of Mary Graham, and others, and of John Graham, and others, of New Edinburgh.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled : " An Act to amend the Act to in-

incorporate the Hamilton, Guelph and Buffalo Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to the 'Hamilton Central Railway Company,' reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the South Ontario Pacific Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Sanford, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Clemow, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time on Monday next.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act respecting the Canadian Pacific Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with an amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive it.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

Page 1, line 35.—After "Act" insert "forty-eighth and." Leave out from "Chapter" to "provided," and insert "fifty-seven."

The said amendment being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put thereon, it was agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Gowan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time on Monday next.

The Honorable Mr. Kaulbach, from the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of Arthur Lavell," presented their First Report.

Ordered, That it be received, and the same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

First Session, 6th Parliament, 50th Victoria, 1887.

First Report of the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Arthur Lavell."

THE SENATE.

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 17,

THURSDAY, 9th June, 1887.

The Select Committee to whom, by order of your Honorable House made on Wednesday, the first day of June, instant, was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Arthur Lavell," to report thereon with all convenient speed, with power to send for persons, papers and records, beg leave to make their First Report as follows:—

Your Committee, in compliance with the Order of Reference, have examined the said Bill, and have agreed to report the same with the following amendments,

which, in the opinion of Your Committee, are rendered necessary by the variance between certain allegations of the preamble and the evidence adduced in proof, thereof:

In the Preamble.

Page 1, line 11.—After “one” insert “William Garibaldi.”

Page 1, line 14.—Leave out from “been” to “living.”

Page 1, line 17.—Leave out from the first “as” to “adultery” in line 18, and insert “committed.”

And in obedience to the 78th Rule of Your Honorable House, Your Committee report to Your Honorable House herewith, the evidence taken down in writing of the witnesses heard on oath before Your Committee, as well as that of the Petitioner, whom, in compliance with the instructions from Your Honorable House to that effect, Your Committee have examined upon oath, as well generally as in regard to any collusion or connivance between the parties to obtain a separation, and also all vouchers adduced before Your Committee.

All which is respectfully submitted.

H. A. N. KAULBACH,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Kaulbach, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Macfarlane, it was

Ordered, That the said Report, with the evidence returned therewith, together with the Bill referred to, be taken into consideration by this House on Monday next.

The Honorable Mr. Howlan, from the Select Committee appointed to examine and report upon the Contingent Accounts of the Senate, presented their Third Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE,
COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,
FRIDAY, 10th June, 1887.

The Select Committee appointed to examine and report upon the Contingent Accounts of the Senate for the present Session, beg leave to make their Third Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend:—

1. That William Lambkin, Sessional Messenger, be appointed a permanent Messenger, to fill the vacancy caused by the promotion of Joseph Larose to be Speaker's Messenger.

2. That leave of absence for six months, from the first day of July next, be granted to Joseph Pelletier, permanent Messenger, he being in ill-health.

All which is respectfully submitted.

GEORGE W. HOWLAN.
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Howlan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their Twentieth Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE,
COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,
FRIDAY, 10th June, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make their Twentieth Report,

Your Committee have examined the following Petitions, and find that sufficient notice has been given in each case:—

Of R. Henry, and others, of the City of Brantford; praying to be incorporated as "The South Ontario Pacific Railway Company."

Of Robie Uniacke, and others, of the City of Halifax, in the Province of Nova Scotia; praying to be incorporated as "The Halifax and West India Steamship Company (Limited)."

Of the Edmonton and Saskatchewan Land Company; praying for an Act empowering them to sell and convey to shareholders, lands or other property of the Company in lieu of shares given in payment for such lands or property.

Of David Creighton, and others, of the Town of Owen Sound, and elsewhere; praying to be incorporated as "The 'Standard' Printing and Publishing Company."

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their Twenty-first Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE,
COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,
FRIDAY, 10th June, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make their Twenty-first Report.

Your Committee have examined the following Petition:—

Of the Pictou Bank; praying for the passing of an Act authorizing the winding up of the said Bank, and find the notices short in point of time, but as it will be competent for the Committee to whom the said Bill shall be referred, to provide that no injury to any party shall arise therefrom,

Your Committee recommend the suspension of the Fifty-first Rule in so far as it relates to the said Petition.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Grant, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Power, it was

Ordered, That the Fifty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as the same relates to the Petition of the Pictou Bank, as recommended in the Twenty-first Report of the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Collingwood General and Marine Hospital," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Gowan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Royal Victoria Hospital," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Gowan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. Flint moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Howlan,

That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General; praying that His Excellency will cause to be laid before this House, copies of documents in reference to the appointment of A. F. Wood, Esquire, of Madoc, as Auditor or Arbitrator in connection with the Murray Canal; the sums of money paid the said A. F. Wood, from time to time, for his services; together with the vouchers therefor, and more especially for the month of November, 1886, giving the number of days of actual service, and the amount paid to him or to his order for that month.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and it was

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General by such Members of this House as are Members of the Privy Council.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Edmonton and Saskatchewan Land Company (Limited)," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Carvell, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Macfarlane, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Midland Railway of Canada," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ferrier, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Dickey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Botsford, it was

Ordered, That for the remainder of this Session of Parliament, Rule Sixty-one be suspended, in respect to Private Bills originating in the House of Commons.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Grand Trunk, Georgian Bay and Lake Erie Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ferrier, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Halifax and West India Steamship Company (Limited)," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Almon, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Turner, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to confirm and amend the Charter of incorporation of the Témiscouata Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Bolduc, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Casgrain, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Guévremont, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Armand, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Equity Insurance Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the 'Empire' Printing and Publishing Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Gowan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. MacInnes (Burlington), it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Canadian Horse Insurance Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Gowan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Londonderry Iron Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Stevens, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Canada Accident Assurance Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Oshawa Railway and Navigation Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Stevens, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Upper Columbia Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Macdonald, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Kaulbach, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Guarantee and Pension Fund Society of the Dominion Bank," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McCallum, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Sullivan, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act further to amend the Act incorporating the Western Assurance Company, and other Acts affecting the same," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Gowan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Canadian Society of Civil Engineers," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McCallum, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Sullivan, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled; "An Act to authorize and provide for the winding up of the Pictou Bank," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Power, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Macfarlane, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to enable the Freehold Loan and Savings Company to extend their business, and for other purposes," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McMaster, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Allan, it was

Ordered, That the Forty first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Honorable Mr. Allan presented to the House,—A Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Revised Statutes, Chapter Fifty-one, respecting Real Property in the Territories."

The said Bill was read a first time.

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act respecting Sick and Distressed Mariners" was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ryan, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the law respecting Procedure in Criminal Cases."

In the Committee.

After some time the House was resumed, and
The Honorable Mr. Miller, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ryan,
it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled :
"An Act to provide for the conveyance of Legislators and Judges free of charge over
Railways,"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McInnes, seconded by the Honorable Mr.
Guévremont, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be discharged from the Orders of the Day.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Report of the
Joint Committee on the Library,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Scott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Pelletier,
it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until Monday next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled : "An Act to reduce the
stock of the Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land Company (Limited), was read a second
time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Miller, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Scott,
it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders
and Private Bills.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled : "An Act to incorporate the
Bay of Quinté Bridge Company," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Flint, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Guévre-
mont, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders
and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled :
"An Act to amend the Chinese Immigration Act,"

The Honorable Mr. Abbott moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ryan,

That the said Bill be now read a second time.

After Debate,

It being Six o'Clock, His Honor the Speaker left the Chair, to resume the same
at Half-past Seven o'Clock, P.M.

7.30 P.M.

The House resumed the Debate on the Honorable Mr. Abbott's motion, viz. :
"That the Bill intituled : 'An Act to amend the Chinese Immigration Act,' be now
read a second time."

After further Debate,

The question of concurrence being put thereon, it was resolved in the affirmative, and

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Gowan it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend Chapter Forty-three of the Revised Statutes of Canada, otherwise known as the 'Indian Act.'"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Gowan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be discharged from the Orders of the Day.

The Honorable Mr. Abbott presented to the House,—A Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Indian Act."

The said Bill was read a first time.

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Report of the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of Fanny Margaret Riddell,"

The Honorable Mr. Gowan moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie,

That the said Report be adopted.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal,

That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal,

That a Message be sent to the House of Commons by one of the Masters in Chancery, to communicate to that House the evidence taken before the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of Fanny Margaret Riddell," and the papers referred to them, with a request that the same be returned to this House.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the conveyance of Liquors on board Her Majesty's Ships in Canadian Waters," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Odell, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Dominion Controverted Elections Act," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Odell, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the North-West Territories Act" was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Odell, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Defacing of Counterfeit Notes and the Use of Imitations of Notes," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Odell, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act respecting Canned Goods," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Odell, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: An Act respecting the Atlantic and North-West Railway Company," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McKindsey seconded by the Honorable Mr. McKay, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Massawippi Junction Railway Company," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Stevens, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Read, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Kingston, Smith's Falls and Ottawa Railway Company," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Clemow, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Sanford, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Eastern Canada Savings and Loan Company (Limited)," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Macfarlane, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Almon, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Third Report of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Stevens, it was

Ordered, That the consideration of the said Report be postponed until Tuesday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Fourth Report of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Stevens, it was

Ordered, That the consideration of the said Report be postponed until Tuesday next.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Odell,

The House adjourned until Monday next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Monday, 13th June, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Abbott,</i>	<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Ferrier,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Atton,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Reesor,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McMaster,</i>	<i>Robitaille.</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Ross (de la Durantaye),</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Ryan,</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>Macfarlane,</i>	<i>Sanford,</i>
<i>Boucherville, de,</i>	<i>Guèvremont,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Schultz,</i>
<i>Boyd,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>Paquet,</i>	<i>Turner,</i>
<i>DeBlois,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>		

PRAYERS.

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

By the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie,—Of James Beatty, Worthy Patriarch, and J. A. McMillan, Recording Scribe of Lindsay Division, No. 226, Sons of Temperance.

By the Honorable Mr. McKindsey,—Of Joseph Fyle, and others, of Acton; of George Catrell, and others, of the County of Halton; and of John Brain, and others, of the Town of Milton.

By the Honorable Mr. McClelan,—Of the Corporation of the Town of Picton.

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

Of the Corporation of the Town of Lindsay, in the Province of Ontario; praying for the repeal of the Scott Act, or its amendment regarding light wines and malt liquors.

Of the Board of Trade of the City of Quebec; praying that aid and assistance may be given the Quebec Central Railway Company to enable it to complete the construction of its line of Railway to connect with the Canadian Pacific Railway Short Line to the Maritime Provinces.

Of Wm. Murray, Mayor, of the City of Sherbrooke; praying that the Bill to incorporate the Waterloo and Magog Railway Company, may not be passed.

Of Captain George Atkinson, and others, of the Bay of Quinté, and elsewhere; praying that the Bill to incorporate the Bay of Quinté Bridge Company, may not be passed.

Of the Manitoba South-Western Colonization Railway Company; praying for an Act extending the time for the completion of their Railway.

Of the Municipal Council of the City of St. Thomas; praying for the repeal of the Scott Act.

Of the Reverend John Somerville, Moderator, and the Reverend John Gray, M. A., D.D., Synod Clerk of the Synod of Toronto and Kingston, of the Presbyterian Church in Canada; praying that no amendment may be made in the Canada Temperance Act, 1878.

The Order of the Day being read for reading the Petition of Daniel Shanks, Joseph T. McPherson and Allan McMillan, of the Village of Huntingdon, District of Beauharnois, Electoral District of Salaberry, in the Province of Quebec; praying the Senate to hear and determine upon the qualification of the Honorable François Xavier Anselme Trudel,

A question of Order was raised, and His Honor the Speaker ruled that the said Petition, having appendices attached thereto, could not be read and received.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Niagara Falls Bridge Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McCallum, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Casgrain, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Prescott County Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Clemow, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Sanford, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Midland Railway of Canada," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ferrier, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Grand Trunk, Georgian Bay and Lake Erie Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ferrier, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Oshawa Railway and Navigation Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Girard, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Upper Columbia Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Macdonald, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Kaulbach, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Atlantic and North-West Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Gowan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Kingston, Smith's Falls and Ottawa Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Clemow, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Sanford, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Massawippi Junction Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Stevens, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Almon, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the South Norfolk Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with an amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive it.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

Page 2, line 11.—Leave out from "railway" to "2" in line 13.

The said amendment being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put thereon, it was agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McCallum, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Casgrain, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with an amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to confirm and amend the Charter of incorporation of the Témiscouata Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive them.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follow :—

Page 2, line 20.—Leave out from “point” to “at” and insert “on the River Saint John.”

Page 2, line 21.—Leave out from “River” to “and” in line 22.

The said amendments being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put on each, they were severally agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Bolduc, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McDonald, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled : “An Act to incorporate the Berlin and Canadian Pacific Junction Railway Company,” reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same, with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive them.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follow :—

Page 1, line 34.—Leave out from “Waterloo” to “to,” and after “point” insert “at or near Dumfries station.”

Page 2, line 11.—Leave out from “it” to the end of the third clause.

The said amendments being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put on each, they were severally agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Merner, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Sanford, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. Allan, from the Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill intituled : “An Act to incorporate the Canada Accident Assurance Company,” reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Allan, from the Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill intituled : “An Act to authorize and provide for the wind-

ing up of the Pictou Bank," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Grant, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Power, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Allan, from the Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Guarantee and Pension Fund Society of the Dominion Bank," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McCallum, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Casgrain, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently:

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Allan, from the Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Eastern Canada Savings and Loan Company (Limited)," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive them.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follow:—

Page 7, line 2.—Leave out from "receive" to "thereon" in line 3, and insert "payments."

Page 7, line 7.—Leave out "one hundred" and insert "fifty."

Page 7, line 15.—Leave out "one hundred" and insert "fifty."

The said amendments being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put on each, they were severally agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Macfarlane, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Almon, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. Allan, from the Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act further to amend the Act incorporating the Western Assurance Company, and other Acts affecting the same," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Gowan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Allan, from the Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to enable the Freehold Loan and Savings Company to extend their business, and for other purposes," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McMaster, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Allan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Allan, from the Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Canadian Horse Insurance Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Gowan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Howlan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Allan, from the Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to authorize the Grange Trust (Limited) to wind up its affairs," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Girard, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Allan, from the Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Guévremont, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Flint, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Allan, from the Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Equity Insurance Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Allan, from the Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Halifax and West India Steamship Company (Limited)," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Almon, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Turner, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Allan, from the Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Londonderry Iron Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their Twenty-second Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:--

THE SENATE,
COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,
MONDAY, 13th June, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make their Twenty-second Report.

Your Committee have examined the following Petitions, and find that sufficient notice has been given in each case:—

Of the Saskatchewan and Western Railway Company; praying for an Act de-

clarating their work one for the general advantage of Canada; giving them power to extend their line of Railway, and confirming the lease of said Railway to the Manitoba and North-Western Railway Company;—and

Of the Provisional Directors of the Hydraulic and Manufacturing Company of St. Johns and Iberville; praying for an Act of incorporation.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their Twenty-third Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE,
COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,
MONDAY, 13th June, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make their Twenty-third Report.

Your Committee have examined the following Petition:—

Of Frank Turner, and others; praying to be incorporated as "The Canadian Power Company," and find the notices short in point of time, but as it will be competent for the Committee to whom the Bill shall be referred, to provide that no injury to any party shall arise therefrom, Your Committee recommend the suspension of the Fifty-first Rule in so far as it relates to the said Petition.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McCallum, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Casgrain, it was

Ordered, That the Fifty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as the same relates to the Petition of Frank Turner, and others, as recommended in the Twenty-third Report of the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their Twenty-fourth Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk as follows:—

THE SENATE,
COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,
MONDAY, 13th June, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make their Twenty-fourth Report.

Your Committee have examined the following Petition:—

Of the New Brunswick Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act authorizing them to make a further issue of Debentures and for other purposes; and find the notices insufficient, but it having been shown to Your Committee that the shareholders were unanimously in favor of the proposed measure, Your Committee recommend the suspension of the Fifty-first Rule in so far as it relates to the said Petition, as it will be competent for the Committee to whom the Bill shall be referred to provide that no injury to any party shall arise therefrom.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Lewin, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Power, it was

Ordered, That the Fifty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as the same relates to the Petition of the New Brunswick Railway Company, as recommended in the Twenty-fourth Report of the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Edmonton and Saskatchewan Land Company (Limited)," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Carvell, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Macdonald, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Bay of Quinté Bridge Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Flint, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Guévremont, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Canadian Society of Civil Engineers," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McCallum, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Casgrain, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Empire Printing and Publishing Company (Limited)," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same, with an amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive it.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk as follows:—

Page 1, line 3.—After "Company" in the title insert "(Limited)."

The said amendment being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put thereon, it was agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Gowan,
it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with an amendment to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr Schultz moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Girard,

That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General; praying that His Excellency will cause to be laid before this House, a Return of all Scrip issued by the Department of the Interior, in lieu of the outer two miles of, or in connection with, the River Lot Survey of the Red, Assiniboine, Salé and Seine Rivers, in the Province of Manitoba; together with the date of issue, quantity of each issue, cause of issue, to whom issued, how, when and where issued, and the names of parties applying for the said scrip.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and it was

Ordered, that the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General by such Members of this House as are Members of the Privy Council.

The Honorable Mr. Vidal presented to the House,—A Bill intituled: "An Act to repeal the Chinese Immigration Act."

The said Bill was read a first time.

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act respecting the Department of Finance and the Treasury Board," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ryan,
it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Dominion Oil Pipe Line and Manufacturing Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie,
it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to provide for the payment of a yearly allowance to Godefroi Laviolette, late Warden of the Penitentiary at St. Vincent de Paul," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ryan,
it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Department of Trade and Commerce," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ryan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Wednesday next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, to return the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Ontario and Quebec Railway Company," and to acquaint this House that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Senate to the said Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the South Ontario Pacific Railway Company,"

The Honorable Mr. Sanford moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Merner,

That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, in amendment, moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ryan,

That the said Bill be not now read a third time, but that it be amended as follows:—

Page 8, line 15.—Leave out from "purpose" to "28" in line 19.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, it was resolved in the affirmative.

The question being again put on the main motion,

The Honorable Mr. O'Donohoe, in amendment, moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McInnes,

That there be added at the end of the third clause the words following:—

"Provided always, that before availing themselves of the powers hereby granted in respect of that part of the line between St. Catharines and the Niagara River, the Company shall pay to the St. Catharines and Niagara Central Railway Company their actual expenditure and interest thereon, upon and in respect of the railway undertaking between the St. Catharines and Niagara River, and shall also assume all the liabilities under all the *bond fide* contracts of the St. Catharines and Niagara Central Railway Company now existing, and in case of dispute as to the amount of such expenditure and liabilities to be assumed by the Company, the question as to such amount shall be submitted to the arbitration of two persons, one to be chosen by the Company and the other by the St. Catharines and Niagara Central Railway Company, and a third to be appointed by the persons so chosen; and such reference, including the appointment of arbitrators, and the third arbitrator or umpire shall be subject to the provisions of the 'Common Law Procedure Act of the Province of Ontario' and the 'Judicature Act of Ontario,' and upon such payment and assumption of liabilities, or in the event of dispute as aforesaid, upon giving security to be approved of by a Judge of any of the Divisions of the High Court of Justice for the Province of Ontario, or if the St. Catharines and Niagara Central Railway Company shall refuse to accept such payment or security the Company shall be entitled to take possession of and use any work done by the St. Catharines and Niagara Central Railway Company on said portion of the Railway, and the said Company are hereby authorized to and shall at the time of making such payment thereupon hand over to the Company in so far as they can lawfully do so all the plans, moneys, rights, claims and bonuses acquired or held by them in connection with said portion of said railway: Provided that the Company shall, within sixty days from the passing of the Act, declare its intention to take over the said work and the St. Catharines and Niagara Central Railway Company shall not during the the said sixty days enter into any new contract."

A question of Order being raised, His Honor the Speaker ruled that the said motion in amendment was out of Order, in accordance with the Seventieth Rule of this House.

It being six o'clock, His Honor the Speaker left the Chair, to resume the same at half-past seven o'clock, P.M.

7.30 P.M.

The House resumed the Debate on the Honorable Mr. Sanford's motion, viz.: That the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the South Ontario Pacific Railway Company," as amended, be now read a third time.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with an amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill intituled: "An Act further to amend the Act respecting the Canadian Pacific Railway Company," as amended,

The Honorable Mr. McKindsey moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McMillan, That the said Bill, as amended, be now read a third time.

The Honorable Mr. McInnes, in amendment, moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Guévremont,

That the said Bill be not now read a third time, but that it be further amended by leaving out the first six words in the nineteenth line of the preamble, and also the first eight words in the seventeenth line of the fifth section.

A question of Order being raised, His Honor the Speaker ruled the said motion in amendment was out of order in accordance with the Seventieth Rule of this House.

The question being again put on the main motion,

The Honorable Mr. McInnes moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. O'Donohoe,

That the said Bill be not now read a third time, but that it be read a third time on Wednesday next.

The question of concurrence being put thereon the same was resolved in the negative.

The question being again put on the main motion, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed the Bill with an amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Report of the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Arthur Lavell,"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Kaulbach, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Macfarlane, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until to-morrow, and that it do then stand as the First Item upon the Orders of that Day.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Revised Statutes, Chapter Fifty-one, respecting Real Property in the Territories," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Odell, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Report of the Joint Committee on the Library of Parliament,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Miller, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Dickey, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until Wednesday next.

The House according to Order was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Chinese Immigration Act.'"

(In the Committee.)

Title read and postponed.

Preamble read and postponed.

The first clause being read

It was moved that the said clause be amended as follows:

Page 1, line 13.—After "of" insert "the person who accompanies her and who can produce a certificate to that effect from the British Consul of the Port from which they embarked."

And upon the question of concurrence being put thereon,

The Committee divided:

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So it was resolved in the affirmative.

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Girard from the said Committee reported that they had taken the said Bill into consideration, made some progress therein, and had directed him to ask leave to sit again.

On motion of Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal, it was

Ordered, That the said Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Indian Act" was read a second time.

On motion of Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole House to-morrow.

The House according to Order was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the conveyance of Liquors on board Her Majesty's Ships in Canadian Waters."

(In the Committee.)

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Dickey from the said Committee reported that they had gone through the said Bill and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal,
it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The House according to Order was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Dominion Controverted Elections Act.'"

(In the Committee.)

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Read, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the Bill and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal,
it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The House, according to Order was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the North-West Territories Act."

(In the Committee.)

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Miller, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal,
it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed the Bill without any amendment.

The House according to Order was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Defacing of Counterfeit Notes and the use of Imitations of Notes."

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Howlan, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal,
it was
Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr.
Vidal,
The House adjourned.

Tuesday, 14th June, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Abbott,</i>	<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Ferrier,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Reesor,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McMaster,</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Ross (de la Durantaye)</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Ross (Laurentides),</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>Macfarlane,</i>	<i>Ryan,</i>
<i>Boucherville, de,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Schultz,</i>
<i>Boyd,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>	<i>Turner,</i>
<i>De Blois,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Páquet,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>	

PRAYERS.

The following Petition was brought up, and laid on the Table:—

By the Honorable Mr. Ross (Laurentides),—Of the Board of Trade, of the City of Quebec.

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

Of Mary Graham, and others, and of John Graham, and others, of New Edinburgh; praying that measures may be taken to prohibit railway and steamboat traffic on the Lord's Day.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the Brantford, Waterloo and Lake Erie Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive them.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follow:—

Page 1, line 10.—Leave out the whole of the first clause.

Page 3, line 27.—After "modified" insert the following as sub-section 4:—

"4. Every such mortgage deed shall be deposited in the office of the Secretary of State of Canada, of which deposit notice shall be given in the *Canada Gazette*."

Page 4, line 7.—Leave out from "application" to "6" in line 13.

The said amendments being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put on each, they were severally agreed to:

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McCallum, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Casgrain, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. Glasier moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery, That the reference to the Select Committee of this Honorable House to whom was referred the case of Tibbets, Beveridge and others—on which a preliminary report was made on the 1st instant—be extended to inquire into and report upon any facts deemed necessary to bring the case fairly before the House, and the grounds upon which it is claimed that interest should be paid upon the amount which the said Committee re-affirms to have been due since the 12th day of November, 1856, which report is as follows:—

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 2,

WEDNESDAY, 1st June, 1887.

The Select Committee appointed by order of your Honorable House on Friday, the twenty-second day of April last, to inquire into the action taken by the Government and payments made or recommended, since the report of a former Select Committee presented to this Honorable House on the 17th March, 1881, by the Honorable Mr. Read, Chairman, and adopted by concurrence of the Whole House on the following day, in relation to "the circumstances of a debt alleged to devolve upon the Dominion Government by the British North America Act, and said to be now due to the Honorable Benjamin Beveridge, James Tibbets and others, but the payment of which is withheld for some cause unknown," beg leave to make their First Report, as follows:—

That your Committee having heard the statements of the Auditor General and of the Deputy Minister of Justice, in reference to the matter referred to, your Committee find it appears that the Government of New Brunswick agreed to the payment of twenty thousand two hundred and sixty-three dollars and thirty-one cents (\$20,263.31), of the amount of twenty-one thousand six hundred and eighteen dollars and twenty-five cents (\$21,618.25), which the former Select Committee of your Honorable House reported on the 17th March, 1881, was due by New Brunswick to Canada on the 12th November, 1856, and which your Committee also find to have been so due at the last-mentioned date.

The whole question now appears to your Committee to be as to the right of the claimants to interest upon the said amount of twenty-one thousand six hundred and eighteen dollars and twenty-five cents (\$21,618.25) from the time at which payment thereof was due. Your Committee is of opinion that the Order of Reference does not give them power to consider this question, and they beg leave to ask further instructions from your Honorable House thereon.

All which is respectfully submitted.

ROBERT READ,
Chairman.

After Debate,

The said motion was, by leave of the House, withdrawn.

The following Petition was brought up, and laid on the Table:—

By the Honorable Mr. Power,—Of Alexander Ferguson, of the City of Ottawa, Barrister at Law.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Power, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Lewin, it was

Ordered, That the Petition of Alexander Ferguson, of the City of Ottawa, Barrister at Law, praying to be permitted to present a Petition to incorporate "The Canada Atlantic Steamship Company," a company now incorporated by an Act of the Legislature in the Province of Nova Scotia, be now read and received.

The said Petition was then read by the Clerk, and laid on the Table.

The Honorable Mr. Allan, from the Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Imperial Trusts Company of Canada," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to, report the same with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive them.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follow:—

Page 2, line 1.—Leave out from "lunatic" to "and" in line 7, and insert "if appointed thereto in accordance with the law of any Province in which they may do business, and in so far as under such law they may legally do so."

Page 2, line 12.—Leave out from "them" to "5" in line 36.

The said amendments being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put on each, they were severally agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. Abbott presented to the House,—A Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Immigration Act."

The said Bill was read a first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, to return the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the Alberta and Athabasca Railway Company;

Also,—“An Act to incorporate the Kincardine and Teeswater Railway Company;

Also,—“An Act to incorporate the Goderich and Canadian Pacific Junction Railway Company;” and

Also,—“An Act to revive and amend the Act to incorporate the Saint Gabriel Levee and Railway Company;” and to acquaint this House that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Senate to the said Bills without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, to return the Bill intituled: “An Act to incorporate the Teeswater and Inverhuron Railway Company,” and to acquaint this House that they have passed the said Bill, with several amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, and they are as follow:—

Page 2, line 3.—Leave out “or” and insert “and.”

Page 2, line 4.—Leave out “three” and insert “two.”

Page 2, line 6.—Leave out “three” and insert “two.”

Page 2, line 7.—Leave out “seven” and insert “four,” and leave out from “Act” to “determine,” inclusive, in line 9, and insert “then the powers hereby granted to the Company to extend their line of railway for any further distance than the length of line then completed, shall be forfeited.”

Page 2, line 10.—Leave out “original.”

Page 2, line 18.—After “the” where it occurs the first time, insert “proceeds of the sale of the.”

Page 2, line 41.—After “place” insert “in Canada.”

Page 3, line 4.—Leave out “or elsewhere.”

Page 3, line 37.—Leave out from “Directors” to “9” in line 41.

Page 4, line 2.—Leave out “or elsewhere.”

Page 4, line 36.—Leave out “thereon.”

Page 4, line 44.—After “obtain” insert “for the purpose of raising money for prosecuting the said undertaking.”

Page 6, line 21.—Leave out from “stock” to “such.”

Page 6, line 22.—Leave out “or” where it occurs the first time, and insert “and,” and leave out from “contractors” to “or” in line 26.

Page 7, line 10.—Leave out “one-half” and insert “two-thirds.”

The same being again read by the Clerk,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McCallum, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended by the House of Commons, be committed to a Committee of the Whole House to morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, to return the Bill intituled: “An Act to enable the Western Canada Loan and Savings Company to extend their business, and for other purposes,” and to acquaint this House that they have passed the said Bill with an amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said amendment was then read by the clerk, and it is as follows:—

Page 1, line 15.—After “same” insert “provided that the Company shall sell any real estate acquired for the satisfaction of any debt within seven years after it has been acquired, otherwise it shall revert to the previous owner, or to his heirs or assigns.”

The same being again read by the Clerk,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Allan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McMaster, it was

Ordered, That the said amendment be taken into consideration to morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Waterloo and Magog Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Stevens, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Read, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Cobourg, Blairton and Marmora Railway and Mining Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Stevens, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Supreme and Exchequer Courts Act,' and to make better provision for the Trial of Claims against the Crown," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Report of the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Arthur Lavell,"

The Honorable Mr. Kaulbach moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Macfarlane,

That the said Report be adopted.

After Debate,

It being six o'clock, His Honor the Speaker left the Chair, to resume the same at half-past seven o'clock, p.m.

7.30 P.M.

The House resumed the Debate on the Honorable Mr. Kaulbach's motion, viz., that the Report of the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Arthur Lavell," be adopted.

The question of concurrence being put on the said motion, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative.

Then, the Honorable Mr. Kaulbach moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Macfarlane,

That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The Honorable Mr. Vidal, in amendment, moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie,

That the said Bill be not now read a third time, but that it be referred to a Committee of the Whole House presently.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the said Bill.

(In the Committee.)

Title read and postponed.

Preamble read and postponed.

First clause read and amended as follows :—

Page 1, line 34.—Leave out from “hereby” to “to” in line 35 and insert “declared to have been and to be null and void, and the same is hereby annulled.”

Second clause read and agreed to.

The Preamble being again read, it was

Ordered, That the same be amended as follows :—

Page 1, line 4.—After “forth” insert “in effect.”

Page 1, line 6.—After “Ontario” insert “the.”

Page 1, line 7.—After “marriage” insert “ceremony was performed.”

Page 1, line 7.—Leave out from “marriage” to “between.”

Page 1, line 14.—Leave out from “Fralick” to “and” in line 17.

Page 1, line 18.—After “whereas” insert “it appears by the evidence that the said marriage ceremony was not followed by consummation, and whereas.”

Page 1, line 19.—Leave out the first “said.”

Page 1, line 20.—After “Caton” insert “if any existed by reason of the said marriage.”

Page 1, line 23.—Leave out “they” and insert “no marriage ceremony had been performed in respect of.”

Page 1, line 24.—Leave out from “Caton” to the first “and” in line 25.

Title read and agreed to.

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Haythorne, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the said amendments be now received.

And the said amendments being read a second time, were, on a division, agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Kaulbach, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Turner, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then, on a division, read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. Kaulbach moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Turner,

That a Message be sent to the House of Commons by one of the Masters in Chancery, to communicate to that House the evidence taken before the Select Committee to whom was referred the Bill intituled: “An Act for the relief of William Arthur Lavell,” and the papers referred to them, with a request that the same be returned to this House.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill intituled : "An Act respecting the Atlantic and North-West Railway Company,"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McMillan, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled : "An Act respecting the Defacing of Counterfeit Notes and the Use of Imitations of Notes," was read a third time. The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Third Report of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament,

The Honorable Mr. Read moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Miller,

That the said Report be adopted.

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, in amendment, moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal,

That the said Report be not now adopted, but that it be amended by leaving out the second Resolution.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative.

The question was then put on the main motion, as amended, and the same was resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Fourth Report of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Miller, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill intituled : "An Act to repeal the Chinese Immigration Act,"

The Honorable Mr. Vidal moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Scott,

That the said Bill be now read a second time.

A question of Order was raised, and His Honor the Speaker ruled the said Bill to be out of order, as interfering with the Public Revenue under Section 53 of the British North America Act, and the 47th Rule of this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled : "An Act to amend the Act respecting the Department of Finance and the Treasury Board," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Odell, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled : "An Act to provide for the payment of a yearly allowance to Godefroi Laviolette, late Warden of the Penitentiary at St. Vincent de Paul," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Odell,
it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as
it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered. That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint
that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a
Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Revised Statutes,
Chapter Fifty-one, respecting Real Property in the Territories.

(In the Committee.)

Title read and postponed.

Preamble read and postponed.

The Clauses of the said Bill severally read and agreed to.

The Preamble being again read, it was

Ordered, That the same be amended as follows:—

Page 1, line 17.—After "firmed" insert "and that certain other amendments
be made to the said Act."

The title read and agreed to.

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. de Boucherville, from the said Committee, reported that they
had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with an
amendment.

Ordered, That the said amendment be now received.

And the said amendment being read a second time, was agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Howlan,
it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint
that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concur-
rence.

The Order of the Day being read for again putting the House into a Committee
of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Chinese Immigration
Act,'"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. How-
an, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a
Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Indian Act.'"

(In the Committee.)

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Girard, from the said Committee, reported that they had
gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House
without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Carvell
it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill,
intituled: "An Act respecting the Ottawa and Gatineau Valiey Railway Company,"
to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Clew, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ross,
it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as
it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Tele-
graphs and Harbors.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill
intituled: "An Act respecting the New Brunswick Railway Company," to which
they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Lewin, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Power,
it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as
it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Tele-
graphs and Harbors.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill
intituled: "An Act to amend the Acts incorporating and relating to the British Cana-
dian Loan and Investment Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this
House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Carvell,
it was

Ordered, That the Forty first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as
it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Banking and Com-
merce.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill
intituled: "An Act to revive and amend the Act incorporating the Anglo-Canadian
Bank," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Turner, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ross,
it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as
it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Banking and
Commerce.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill
intituled: "An Act respecting the Manitoba and North-Western Railway Company
of Canada," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Girard, seconded by the Honorable Mr. de Boucherville, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Carvell,

The House adjourned.

Wednesday, 15th June, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Abbott,</i>	<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>
<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Ferrier,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>McKendsey,</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McMaster,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Brillargeon,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Ross (de la Durantaye)</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>Macfarlane,</i>	<i>Ross (Laurentides),</i>
<i>Boucherville, et,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>McInnes</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Boyd,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>(Burlington),</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Sullivan,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Turner,</i>
<i>DeBlois,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Ogiltvie,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Pdquet,</i>	

PRAYERS.

The following Petition was brought up, and laid on the Table:—

By the Honorable Mr. Grant,—Of Roderick McDougall, and others, of Pictou County, Nova Scotia.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Co-

bourg, Blairton and Marmora Railway and Mining Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Dickey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Haythorne, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Ottawa and Gatineau Valley Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Clemow, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Merner, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the New Brunswick Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive them.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follow:—

Page 2, line 11.—After "and" insert "such conveyance."

Page 2, line 29.—Leave out from "Company" to "8" in line 33.

Page 2, line 34.—Leave out from the second "the" to the end of the eighth clause, and insert "New Brunswick Railway Company."

The said amendments being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put on each, they were severally agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Lewin, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Power, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Manitoba and North-Western Railway Company of Canada," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive them.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follow:—

Page 1, line 20.—After “Manitoba” insert “at a point north of the main line of the Railway of the Company.”

Page 1, line 31.—After “Manitoba” insert “at a point north of the said main line.”

The said amendments being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put on each, they were severally agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Girard, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Sutherland, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their Twenty fifth Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows :—

THE SENATE,

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8.

WEDNESDAY, 15th June, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make their Twenty fifth Report.

Your Committee have examined the following Petition :—

Of Alexander Ferguson, Solicitor for the Canada Atlantic Steamship Company; praying that the said Company may have leave to present a Petition praying for their incorporation ;—and

Your Committee find that although the time for presenting Petitions for Private Bills to the Senate has expired, that sufficient reasons were given for the delay in this case, and they therefore recommend that the Forty-ninth Rule be suspended, and that leave be given to the said Canada Atlantic Steamship Company to petition as prayed for.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Power, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Lewin, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-ninth Rule be suspended, as recommended in the said Report, and that the said Report be adopted.

The following Petition was brought up, and laid on the Table :—

By the Honorable Mr. Power, —of the Canada Atlantic Steamship Company.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Power, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Lewin, it was

Ordered, That the Petition of the Canada Atlantic Steamship Company; praying for an Act of incorporation, be now read and received.

The said Petition was then read by the Clerk, and laid on the Table.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their Twenty-sixth Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows :—

THE SENATE,

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,

WEDNESDAY, 15th June, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make the following as their Twenty-sixth Report :—

On the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Waterloo and Magog Railway Company.

Your Committee find the notices required by the Fifty-first Rule have been duly given, and they recommend, that as satisfactory reasons for a Petition not having been presented to the Senate for this Bill, that the Fifty-seventh Rule be suspended in this case.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Stevens, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Read,
it was

Ordered, That the Fifty-seventh Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as the same relates to the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Waterloo and Magog Railway Company," as recommended in the Twenty-sixth Report of the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Stevens, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Read,
it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was read a second time accordingly.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Stevens, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Read,
it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Dominion Oil Pipe Line and Manufacturing Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Gowan,
it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to reduce the stock of the Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land Company (Limited), and for other purposes," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Gowan,
it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Bellerose, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Armand, it was

Ordered, That a Committee composed of the Honorable Messieurs Abbott, Scott, Dickey, Miller, and the mover, be appointed to consider the subject of the security to be given in respect of any Petition affecting the seat of any member of this House, and of the responsibility for costs of any member petitioned against, and generally the procedure to be followed in respect of any such petition.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Manufacturers' Accident Insurance Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McMillan, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Imperial Trusts Company of Canada," was, as amended, read a third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Atlantic and North-West Railway Company," was read a third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Indian Act,'" was read a third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Department of Trade and Commerce," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Odell, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Supreme and Exchequer Courts Act," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Odell,
it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Report of the Joint Committee on the Library of Parliament,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Allan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Scott,
it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the amendments made by the House of Commons to the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Teeswater and Inverhuron Railway Company."

(In the Committee.)

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the said Committee, reported that they had taken the said amendments into consideration, and had directed him to report that they had agreed to the said amendments without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McMillan, it was

Ordered, That the said amendments be agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate doth agree to the amendments made to the said Bill without any amendment.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to the consideration of the amendment made by the House of Commons to the Bill intituled: "An Act to enable the Western Canada Loan and Savings Company to extend their business, and for other purposes."

The said amendment being again read by the Clerk,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Allan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McMaster, it was

Ordered, That the said amendment be agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate doth agree to the amendment made to the said Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being read for again putting the House into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Chinese Immigration Act,"

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Odell,
it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act of the present Session intituled: 'An Act to incorporate the Kincardine and Teeswater Railway Company,'" to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Dickey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Miller, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to revive and amend the Charter of the Quebec and James' Bay Railway Company, and to extend the time for commencing and completing the Railway of the said Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Dickey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Scott, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Hereford Branch Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Dickey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Scott, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Odell,

The House adjourned.

Thursday, 16th June, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Abbott,</i>	<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Ferrier,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>McMaster,</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Ross (de la Durantaye),</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Ross (Laurentides),</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>MacInnes</i>	<i>Schultz,</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>(Burlington),</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Boucherville, de,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Smith,</i>
<i>Boyd,</i>	<i>Hewlan,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Sullivan,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>	<i>Turner,</i>
<i>DeBlois,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Paquet,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>	

PRAYERS.

His Honor the Speaker informed the House that he had granted leave of absence to the Venerable Archdeacon Lauder, D.C.L., Chaplain of the Senate, and that his duties are being performed in his absence by the Reverend W. J. Muckleston, M.A., of Ottawa.

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

Of James Beatty, Worthy Patriarch, and John A. McMillan, Recording Scribe of Lindsay Division, No. 226, Sons of Temperance; praying that no amendment may be made to the Canada Temperance Act, 1873, impairing its efficiency.

Of Joseph Fyfe, and others, of Acton; of George Cottrell, and others, of the County of Halton; and of John Brain, and others, of the Town of Milton; praying that measures may be taken to prohibit railway and steamboat traffic on the Lord's Day.

Of the Corporation of the Town of Picton; praying that the Bill incorporating the Bay of Quinté Bridge Company may not be passed;—and

Of the Board of Trade, of the City of Quebec; praying that assistance be given the Quebec and Lake St. John Railway Company, to enable them to complete their intended line of railway.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to revive and amend the Charter of the Quebec and James' Bay Railway Company, and to extend the time for commencing and completing the railway of the said Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Dickey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Miller, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Waterloo and Magog Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Stevens, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Almon, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act of the present Session intituled: 'An Act to incorporate the Kincardine and Teeswater Railway Company,'" reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with an amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive it.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

Page 1, line 22.—After "Kinloss" insert "Greenock."

The said amendment being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put thereon, it was agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Dickey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Miller, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with an amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Hereford Branch Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive them.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follow :—

Page 3, line 3.—After “made” insert “drawn, accepted.”

Page 3, line 5.—Leave out from “Treasurer” to “shall” in line 7.

Page 3, line 8.—After “made” insert “drawn, accepted or endorsed.”

Page 3, line 9.—After “made” insert “drawn, accepted or endorsed.”

The said amendments being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put on each, they were severally agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Stevens, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Almon, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass ?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. Allan, from the Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill intituled : “An Act to incorporate the Manufacturers' Accident Insurance Company,” reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Gowan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass ?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Allan, from the Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill intituled : “An Act to revive and amend the Act incorporating the Anglo-Canadian Bank,” reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with an amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive it.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk, as follows :—

Page 1, line 15.—After “Act” insert “and the charter of the said Bank shall not be deemed to have become forfeited by reason of the said certificate not having been obtained within the time fixed in the said section five, and the said Act to incorporate the said bank shall be deemed to have continued and to be in full force and effect.”

The said amendment being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put thereon, it was agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Dickey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Miller, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass ?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with an amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. Vidal, from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, presented their Fifth Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

COMMITTEE ROOM, 15th June, 1887.

The Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament beg leave to present the following as their Fifth Report:—

The Committee carefully examined the following documents and recommend that they be printed, viz.:—

34. Return (*in part*) under Resolution of the House of Commons, passed on the 20th February, 1882, on all subjects affecting the Canadian Pacific Railway, respecting details as to:—

1. The selection of the route.
2. The progress of the work.
3. The selection or reservation of land.
4. The payment of moneys.
5. The laying out of branches.
6. The progress thereon.
7. The rates of tolls for passengers and freight.
8. The particulars required by the Consolidated Railway Act and amendments thereto, up to the end of the previous fiscal year.
9. Like particulars up to the latest practicable date before the presentation of the Return.
10. Copies of all Orders in Council and of all correspondence between the Government and the Railway Company, or any member or officer of either, relating to the affairs of the Company. (*Sessional Papers.*)

34b. Return (*in part*) under Resolution of the House of Commons, passed on the 20th February, 1882, on all subjects affecting the Canadian Pacific Railway, respecting details as to:

1. The selection of the route.
2. The progress of the work.
3. The selection or reservation of land.
4. The payment of moneys.
5. The laying out of branches.
6. The progress thereon.
7. The rates of tolls for passengers and freight.
8. The particulars required by the Consolidated Railway Act and amendments thereto, up to the end of the previous fiscal year.
9. Like particulars up to the latest practicable date before the presentation of the Return.
10. Copies of all Orders in Council and of all correspondence between the Government and the Railway Company, or any member or officer of either, relating to the affairs of the Company. (*Sessional Papers.*)

47a. Return to Order,—Giving the total cost of the preparation of the Voters' Lists under the Electoral Franchise Act in Canada; together with a detailed statement of the cost in each Electoral Division for salaries of Revising Officer, Clerk and Bailiff, and travelling allowance to each, if any; giving also amount paid for printing lists, and showing to whom paid in each Division; the amount paid for advertising, rent of halls, and for every other service connected therewith in each Electoral Division in the Dominion of Canada. (*Distribution and Sessional Papers*)

20b. Return to Order,—Copies of all title deeds, patents, correspondence and all documents respecting the claims of the Six Nation Indians, as set forth in their petition presented to the House on the 18th April, 1837. (*Distribution and Sessional Papers.*)

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

30a. Return to Order,—Correspondence, petitions, reports of the Chief Engineer and others, relative to construction of Harbour of Refuge at Wellington, Ontario.

30b. Return to Order,—Report of the Chief Engineer on the construction of a Harbour of Refuge at or near Port Rowan, Ontario; also a copy of a memorial signed by George Stewart, M.D., and others, upon the subject, and also copies of such correspondence between other parties at Port Rowan and the Government on the same subject as has not already been brought down.

42a. Return to Order,—Copies of all petitions, memorials, correspondence, orders and reports, whether made by the Resident Engineer or by Mr. Page, in connection with the bridge across the Welland Canal, at Welland, lately removed, and the construction of a new bridge in lieu thereof.

53. Return from the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, in obedience to the Order of the House of Commons, for copies of Return, if any, made by Returning Officer for Haldimand, at Election of 1887, after making his final addition, or of his declaration, if no such return was made, and of his return made after the recount by the County Judge.

2. Notice of a recount or other proceedings served upon such Returning Officer.

3. Certificate made by the County Judge of Haldimand, as to result of said recount.

4. Any judgment delivered by said County Judge during, or after such recount, and of all minutes or memoranda made by said Judge or his Clerk containing entries or memoranda in regard to any of the ballots in dispute during such recount, showing what decision was come to in the case of each ballot, which ballots were reserved, and what judgment was delivered in regard to such reserved ballots, whether such minutes and other papers were publicly read by such Judge or Clerk or not during said recount.

53a. Return of the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, in obedience to the Order of the House of Commons, giving the names, occupations, residences and post office addresses of the Returning Officers of the last Election for the Dominion House of Commons, with their respective ridings.

53b. Return from the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, in obedience to the Order of the House of Commons for a statement from the records of the elections to the present House of Commons, showing the number of votes polled for the respective candidates in the several electoral districts and in the various sub-divisions thereof, together with the number of ballots rejected and spoiled in each sub-division at the last general election, and each election subsequently held up to date; also the number of electors on the voters' lists, together with the population as shown by the last census of each electoral district and the municipalities thereof, whether there was an election by acclamation or a poll; and a separate statement in each case in which a recount or a re-addition was made, showing the changes made in every sub-division on such recount, with the number of ballots rejected which had been formerly allowed and the number allowed which had been formerly rejected, with reason, so far as obtainable, for such rejection or allowance.

56a. Return to Address,—Copy of the Report of Judge Taylor, made under the provisions of the Commission issued to him to enquire into the administration of justice by the Hon. Jeremiah Travis, in the North-West.

64. Return to Order,—Copies of all correspondence in the possession of the Department of Indian Affairs respecting the dismissal of Mr. Napoleon Giasson from his position as measurer of stone, at Caughnawaga, in the County of Laprairie.

65. Return to Address,—Copy of the letter of resignation by Sir Charles Tupper of the office of High Commissioner, showing the date of such resignation; also a statement showing the date when the Government House (the residence of the High Commissioner in London) was vacated, and showing in whose care the house has been placed since its vacation; also a copy of the Commission now in force, together with any instructions which may have been given to the present Commissioner; also all correspondence between Sir Charles Tupper while High Commissioner and the Government, relating to his visit to this country, to his resignation of the office of High Commissioner, to his re-appointment, if he has been re-appointed, and relating to his acceptance, for the present, of an office in the Administration.

66. Return to Order,—Reports of surveys and explorations made under the direction of the Geological Survey Office, within the past two years, in the Thunder Bay District to the westward of Port Arthur.

67. Reports and other papers concerning irregularities committed by the Montreal Cotton Company, &c.

68. Return to Order,—Copies of all accounts in connection with the construction of the Government wharf at Kamouraska, showing the amount paid to Madame V. Taché for the purchase of her wharf, and of the contract between the Government and Madame Taché in relation thereto; also copies of the contract between the Government and Polydore Langlois, Esquire, respecting the sale of his wharf at the same place, with a statement of the amount paid to him by the Government.

69. Return to Order,—Correspondence between the Government and Nova Scotia Central Railway Company, relating to a subsidy for said Railway; also the report of the Government Engineer sent to examine the work.

70. Return to Order,—Statement showing the various amounts paid to or claimed by William Howe and George Howe, or any other person on their behalf, for painting or other work in or about the Parliamentary and Departmental Buildings, Ottawa, since the 1st of January, 1884.

Return to Order,—Statement showing the various amounts paid to William McKay, or any other person on his behalf, for painting or other work in or about the Parliament and Departmental Buildings at Ottawa, from the 1st of January, 1875, to the 31st December, 1878.

The Committee would respectfully draw attention to the following Resolution as passed by the Committee:—

Resolved, That it be urged upon the several Departments of the Government, the prompt publication of their Annual Reports and other Blue-books, so that they may be distributed as early as possible before each Session, in accordance with the Resolution of the House of Commons, as passed during the present Session, on the 15th day of May, 1887.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

ROBT. READ,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. MacInnes (Burlington), it was

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration by the House to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. Trudel called the attention of the Government to the movement in the direction of returning to Canada which is being organized among the Canadians in the United States, notably in the Cities of Lawrence and Lowell, in the State of Massachusetts, under the direction of Dr. Janson Lapalme and other Canadians; and inquired whether it is the intention of the Government to do something towards encouraging this movement, by way of grants of land to societies for organizing such movements which are in course of formation or which may hereafter be formed?

Debated.

The Honorable Mr. Sullivan moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McCallum, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General; praying that His Excellency will cause to be laid before this House, copy of the Returns made to the Commissioner of Inland Revenue by the several parties licensed to sell alcohol liquor in the United Counties of Leeds and Grenville since the adoption of the "Canada Temperance Act" in said Counties, giving the names of the parties authorizing the sale, the quantities in each case, and the names of the parties purchasing.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and it was

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General by such Members of this House as are Members of the Privy Council.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Canadian Power Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McCallum, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Sullivan, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to revive and amend the Act incorporating the Quebec Railway Bridge Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ross (Laurentides), seconded by the Honorable Mr. Armand, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Acts relating to the Harbor Commissioners of Montreal," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Dominion Elections Act, and to remove doubts as to the right of certain persons to vote at elections of members of the House of Commons," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Department of Customs and the Department of Inland Revenue," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Oxford Junction and New Glasgow Branch of the Intercolonial Railway," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith,
it was
Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, to return the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Berlin and Canadian Pacific Junction Railway Company."

Also, "An Act to confirm and amend the charter of incorporation of the Témiscouata Railway Company."

Also, "An Act to incorporate the South Norfolk Railway Company."

Also, "An Act to incorporate the South Ontario Pacific Railway Company."

Also, "An Act to incorporate the Empire Printing and Publishing Company."

Also, "An Act to incorporate the Eastern Canada Savings and Loan Company (Limited);—and

Also, "An Act further to amend the Act respecting the Canadian Pacific Railway Company," and to acquaint this House that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Senate to the said Bills without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Guelph Junction Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McMillan, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to enable the Saint Martins and Upham Railway Company to sell its Railway and Property," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Miller, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Dickey, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Western Counties Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Kaulbach, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McKay, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Ontario Pacific Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Dickey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Miller, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

The Honorable Mr. Abbott presented to the House,—A Bill intituled: "An Act further to amend the Act respecting the Department of Finance and the Treasury Board."

The said Bill was read a first time.

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Department of Trade and Commerce."

(In the Committee.)

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Miller, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Supreme and Exchequer Courts Act."

(In the Committee.)

After some time the House was resumed.

It being six o'clock, His Honor the Speaker left the Chair, to resume the same at half-past seven o'clock, p.m.

7.30 P.M.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and again put into a Committee of the Whole on the last-mentioned Bill.

(In the Committee.)

Title read and postponed.

Preamble read and postponed.

The first forty-nine clauses read and agreed to.

The fiftieth clause read and amended as follows:—

Page 9, line 37.—Leave out from "force" to "shall" in line 39.

Page 9, line 37.—After "force" insert "which has not been fixed or set down for hearing."

Page 9, line 40.—After “heard” insert “or fixed, or set down for hearing.”

The remaining clauses being severally read, were agreed to.

Schedule read and agreed to.

Preamble read and agreed to.

Title read and agreed to.

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Vidal, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the said amendments be now received.

And the said amendments being read a second time, were agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: “An Act to amend ‘The Chinese Immigration Act.’”

(In the Committee.)

Second clause read and agreed to.

Ordered, That all the words from “regulations” on page 1, line 30, to “4” on page 2, line 20, be left out.

Ordered, That after “registration,” on page 2, line 19, the following be added: “Sub-section 2 of Section 13 of the Chinese Immigration Act is amended by striking out therefrom the words ‘or both.’”

The remainder of the Bill read and agreed to.

Preamble again read, and amended as follows:—

Page 1, line 1.—Leave out from “expedient” to “therefore,” and insert “to amend the Chinese Immigration Act.”

Title read and agreed to.

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Girard, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the said amendments be now received.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said amendments be taken into consideration by the House to-morrow, and that it do stand as the First Item upon the Orders of that Day.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: “An Act to amend the Act respecting the Department of Agriculture,” to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: “An Act to provide an additional subsidy to the Province of Prince Edward Island,” to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the 'Speedy Trials Act,' Chapter one hundred and seventy five of the Revised Statutes," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Manitoba South-Western Colonization Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. MacInnes (Burlington), it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith,

The House adjourned.

Friday, 17th June, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Abbott,</i>	<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Ferrier,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>McMaster,</i>	<i>Reesor,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Ross (de la Durantaye)</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>MacInnes</i>	<i>Ross (Laurentides),</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>(Burlington),</i>	<i>Schultz,</i>
<i>Boucherville, de,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Boyd,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Smith,</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Sullivan,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>Odeil,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>De Blois,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Pâquet,</i>	<i>Turner,</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>

PRAYERS.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their Twenty-seventh Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE,
COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,
FRIDAY, 17th June, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make their Twenty-seventh Report.

Your Committee have examined the following Petition:—

Of the Manitoba South-Western Colonization Railway Company; praying for an Act extending the time for the completion of their Railway; and find that no notices have been published, but your Committee recommend the suspension of the Fifty-first Rule, as it will be competent for the Committee to whom the said Bill shall be referred to provide that no injury to any party shall arise therefrom.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. MacInnes (Burlington), it was

Ordered, That the Fifty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as the same relates to the Petition of the Manitoba South-Western Colonization Railway Company, as recommended in the Twenty-seventh Report of the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Honorable Mr. Vidal moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. MacInnes,

That the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Manitoba South-Western Colonization Railway Company," be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. MacInnes, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their Twenty-eighth Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE,
COMMITTEE ROOM No. 8,
FRIDAY, 17th June, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make their Twenty-eighth Report.

Your Committee have examined the following Petition:—

Of the Canada Atlantic Steamship Company, a Company incorporated by the Legislature of the Province of Nova Scotia; praying to be incorporated by Dominion Statute; and find that no notices have been published, but as the necessity for the legis-

lation applied for arose too recently to admit of the publication of the usual notice, your Committee recommend the suspension of the Fifty-first Rule, as it will be competent for the Committee to whom the said Bill shall be referred to provide that no injury to any party shall arise therefrom.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Power, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Lewin, it was

Ordered, That the Fifty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as the same relates to the Petition of the Canada Atlantic Steamship Company, as recommended in the Twenty-eighth Report of the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented their Twenty-ninth Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows :—

THE SENATE,

COMMITTEE ROOM, No. 8.

FRIDAY, 17th June, 1887.

The Select Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to make the following as their Twenty-ninth Report :—

On the Bill intituled: "An Act to enable the Saint Martin's and Upham Railway Company to sell its Railway and Property."

Your Committee find that no Petition has been presented to the Senate, and no notices published; but as it was shown to your Committee that the Petitioners were not aware of the necessity for the proposed legislation, and the matter is one of urgency, Your Committee recommend the suspension of the Fifty-first and Fifty-seventh Rules in so far as the same relate to the said Bill, as it will be competent for the Committee to whom the said Bill shall be referred to provide that no injury to any party shall arise therefrom.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. ROBT. GOWAN,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Dickey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Haythorne, it was

Ordered, That the Fifty-first and Fifty-seventh Rules of this House be dispensed with in so far as the same relate to the Bill intituled: "An Act to enable the Saint Martin's and Upham Railway Company to sell its Railway and Property," as recommended in the Twenty-ninth Report of the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Haythorne, That the Bill intituled: "An Act to enable the Saint Martin's and Upham Railway Company to sell its Railway and Property," be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Dickey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Miller, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Canadian

Power Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Flint, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Allan, from the Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Acts incorporating and relating to the British Canadian Loan and Investment Company (Limited)," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with an amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive it.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

Page 1, line 39.—After "wanted" insert "Provided also, that the amount held by the Company on deposit shall not, at any time, exceed the amount of paid up capital of the Company."

The said amendment being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put thereon, it was agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Vidal, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Ogilvie, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with an amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. Allan, from the Joint Committee on the Library of Parliament, presented their Second Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

To the Senate:

The Joint Committee on the Library of Parliament have the honor to present their Second Report, as follows:—

After due consideration it was resolved that the Government be requested to consider favourably:

1st. The preparation and printing of the complete Index to the Catalogue of the Library, for distribution amongst the members.

2nd. The reprinting of the scrap books of Debates of the years 1867 to 1871, and of the Debates from 1871 to 1875, so as to provide for the use of members a sufficient number of the volumes of these Debates.

3rd. The preparation and printing of a complete Index to the volumes thus prepared, as well as of the *Hansard* volumes, that is to say, a full Index of the Debates from 1867 to 1887.

The Committee of Audit presented their Report, which is hereto annexed.

REPORT OF THE SUB-COMMITTEE OF AUDIT.

The Sub-Committee appointed by the Joint Library Committee of Parliament, for the Session of 1887, to audit and report upon the Account of Receipts and Expen-

diture connected with the Library of Parliament for the past year, present the following Report:—

That they have inspected the Accounts, Books and Vouchers submitted to them by the Accountant, numbered 211 to 526, both inclusive; also the Vouchers for Bills of Exchange, sent to the Agents in London, England, and Paris, France, lettered F. G. H. of the year 1885-86, and A. to G. of the year 1886-87, respectively, and find them to correspond.

An abstract of the Account from 31st May, 1886, to 31st May, 1887, as indicated by the books, is herewith submitted, for the information of the Committee.

W. H. ODELL,
JULIUS SCRIVER, } *Auditors.*
CHAS. C. COLBY, }

LIBRARY OF PARLIAMENT,
OTTAWA, 9th June, 1887.

LIBRARY OF PARLIAMENT.

ACCOUNT CURRENT of the Library of Parliament of the amounts received and disbursed, from the 31st May, 1886 (the date of last Audit), till the 31st May, 1887.

1886.	\$	cts	1886.	\$	cts
May 31	To Balance in Bank of Montreal.....	3,263	22	By Amount expended from grants of 1886-6	
July 1	Library grant for fiscal year 1886-7.....	10,000	00	on English books.....	2,028
do 1	Special grant for books on North America.....	1,000	00	Amount expended from grants of 1885-6	
do 1	Special grant for binding.....	2,000	00	on French books.....	429
				Amount expended from grants of 1885-6	
				on books on North America.....	178
				Amount expended from grants of 1885-6	
				on binding.....	627
					05
					3,263
					22
May 31				Amount expended from grants of 1886-7	
do 31				on English books.....	5,808
do 31				Amount expended from grants of 1886-7	
do 31				on French books.....	2,035
do 31				Amount expended from grants of 1886-7	
do 31				on books on North America.....	732
do 31				Amount expended from grants of 1886-7	
do 31				on binding.....	1,132
do 31					75
do 31				Balance yet unexpended of 1886-7 grants.	9,709
					46
					3,290
					54
					16,263
					22

BALANCE.

Balance of grants uncalled for.....	\$1,387	81
do in Bank of Montreal (see pass book).....	\$1,928	23
Less—Outstanding cheques.....	25	50
	1,902	73
	3,290	54

E. & O. E.

JAMES FLETCHER,
ACCOUNTANT.

OTTAWA, June 9, 1887.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Allan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Pelletier it was

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration by the House on Monday next.

The Honorable Mr. Schultz, from the Select Committee appointed to collect information regarding the existing natural food products of the North-West Territories, and the best means of conserving and increasing them, presented their Second Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

First Session, Sixth Parliament, 50 Victoria, 1887.

SECOND REPORT OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE OF THE SENATE ON THE EXISTING NATURAL FOOD PRODUCTS OF THE NORTH-WEST TERRITORIES, AND THE BEST MEANS OF CONSERVING AND INCREASING THE SAME.

The Select Committee appointed by your Honorable House for the purpose of collecting information regarding the existing natural food products of the North-West Territories and the best means of conserving and increasing them, with leave to send for persons, papers and records, have the honor to make their Second Report as follows:—

Your Committee determined at the outset that the best means of systematically collecting information upon the subject of their investigation would be to frame a list of questions indicating the nature of the inquiries to be made by the Committee. This was accordingly done, and copies of this list, which is hereto appended, were sent to such Senators, Members of Parliament, Clergymen, Government Officials, Officers of the Hudson Bay Company, leading business men and others, as from residence, travel in, or other acquaintance with the North-West, would be best qualified to furnish information. In each case a written reply was requested to the questions or to those of them with the subjects of which the recipient might be most familiar. In this manner much very valuable information was collected. The replies received up to the date of this Report are appended hereto, and doubtless a number of them will yet be forthcoming.

Your Committee examined orally a number of gentlemen personally familiar with the subjects of inquiry and exceptionally qualified to furnish information and express opinions thereon. Their evidence, which, in accordance with the authority obtained from your Honorable House, was taken down by a shorthand writer, is herewith submitted.

Your Committee regret that in the case of His Grace Monseigneur Taché, Archbishop of St. Boniface, illness, and in the case of the Honorable Sir Donald A. Smith, M.P., pressure of business and the necessity of leaving for Europe, prevented your Committee from having the benefit of their long experience and intimate acquaintance with the products and needs of the North-West; this, your Committee regret the more, as His Grace Archbishop Taché and Sir Donald A. Smith expressed a deep interest in the proceedings of the Committee, and their willingness, had it been possible, to have assisted the Committee by every means in their power.

Your Committee also desire to acknowledge the courtesy of those officers of the Government resident in the city, who have given oral testimony, made suggestions or placed at the disposal of your Committee valuable reports, maps, papers, and specimens, and would mention especially the Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs, the Deputy Minister of Fisheries, the Deputy Minister of Agriculture, Robert Bell, Esq., M.D., F.R.G.S., Assistant Director of the Geological Survey, Professor Saunders, of the Central Experimental Farm, and Mr. J. B. Hurlbert, LL.D. They

also desire to acknowledge the value of the information thus obtained from the Manitoba and North-West Members of the House of Commons, and from gentlemen residing in Manitoba and the North-West, who were temporarily in Ottawa.

Your Committee also desire to acknowledge generally the interest that was taken in the subject, and the promptness and value of the replies sent in response to their request.

From the evidence thus obtained, your Committee are of opinion that at the time of the transfer of the North-West to Canada, the natural food products of the region now known as the Territorial Districts of Assiniboia, Alberta, Saskatchewan and Athabasca, were very equally distributed, the buffalo of the first two districts furnishing food, lodging and raiment for the indigenous population, equal to and more easily obtainable than the fish, wild rice, elk, moose, deer, rabbits and birds, which constituted the food of the Indians of the latter two districts. At present the extinction of the buffalo has so altered this equality of production, that there now remains, for the Indians of the buffalo country, only the fish, of waters which are rapidly becoming depleted on account of the increased strain upon them for food supplies, the wild animals which have greatly decreased, and the indigenous vegetable products which, while serving as an adjunct to buffalo meat, are by no means so widely distributed, nor so fit for food as to fill its place.

While this is the case in the two districts mentioned, the indigenous food supply of the other two remains nearly the same, and if it were not for the annual exportation of fish to the United States (amounting to 1,509,149 lbs. in the year 1886) the native population could supply themselves in ordinary years with food with very little other aid than the twine and ammunition which is necessary to procure it.

As regards the conserving of existing natural food products, your Committee, having regard to the great importance of the subject, must refer your Honorable House mainly to the evidence presented herewith for suggestions regarding the remaining indigenous animals, birds and vegetables, and confine their remarks to the fishes of the districts in question, and from this evidence it will be seen that the larger fresh water lakes are shallow, Lake Winnipeg averaging ten fathoms deep, and Lakes Manitoba and Winnipegosis, half that depth, while the rivers of the prairie region, though vast watercourses in the spring, become, as the summer advances, sluggish and shallow. These causes render the taking of all kinds of fish easier than in deeper waters, and this, together with the export of, and greater local consumption of fish, has seriously depleted the supply in nearly all the larger lakes and streams, necessitating, in the opinion of your Committee, the rigid enforcement of the fishery regulations during the spawning season, in all but such exceptional cases as affect the daily supplies of fishing Indians, and in respect to for all kinds of fish, except the pike, or jack fish, the muskallonge, and other predatory fish of that class.

As regards the larger and still more important question of increasing the existing natural food products of the North-West, your Committee must also refer your Honorable House to the evidence itself; but they are of the opinion that the seeding of all western and north-western waters, which have a depth not greater than four feet and a muddy bottom, with wild rice, the seed of which may easily be procured at one dollar and fifty cents per bushel, will be of the greatest advantage to the White and Indian population of the North-West, as affording a cheap and healthful food product, which has the additional advantage of needing little care to obtain its enormous yield, of occupying no otherwise useful fields, and of attracting, in large numbers, migratory and local water-fowl. This valuable grain, it may be remarked, is rich in gluten, and furnishes, alone, all the elements necessary to vigorous life and health. As regards the increase of fish foods, your Committee recommend the distribution in all the fresh waters of the North-West, the spawn of the sturgeon, white-fish, gold-eye, cat-fish, perch and eels, and in brackish lakes, of the jack-fish, or pike, and muskallonge, and the indigenous and other varieties of carp. As the existing fish breeding establishments do not produce more than one or two of these varieties, a local

hatchery is urgently needed, for the breeding of the other varieties mentioned, at some point which is central for distribution, and on or near some large lake or stream.

Your Committee are also of opinion that until the action thus recommended has produced the full measure of effect, the prohibition of the export of all fish, except salmon and other trout, pike and muskallonge, will be in the interest of Indian and White alike, and that even when the maximum of reproduction is attained, the weight of the evidence herewith submitted indicates a greater measure of advantage to be obtained by the drying, salting, smoking, freezing or pemmicanizing of this food product for the use of the Indians and Whites near fishing waters, and for the rationing of western Indians, till the vigorous efforts which are being made to make them self-dependent, by instruction in the arts and agriculture of civilized men shall have borne full fruit. In this connection your Committee also desire to state their opinion that future benefits of great importance would inure to the country, if certain fishing grounds were reserved exclusively for the Indians, more particularly as, just now, such reservation could be made without any material interference with the vested rights of any considerable number of White men.

Interesting evidence has been received by your Committee in regard to the reproduction of the American Bison as a food supply, but they are of the opinion that in the changed condition of the country the presence of these animals would disturb the present agricultural training of the Indian, and interfere with the farming and herding efforts of the White; but attention is respectfully directed to that portion of the evidence accompanying this report, which refers to the crosses that have been effected between the male of the Buffalo and a Durham cow, and *vice versa*, (the witness, S. L. Bedson, Esq., preferring the former cross), the hybrid animal thus produced being said to be larger, hardier, stronger, heavier and more easily wintered than the domestic animal, with the additional advantage of yielding a skin as heavily but more evenly furred, than the buffalo robe, and worth, in the opinion of the witness, as much as the full price of a domestic animal. As this herd of sixty-eight animals of the true American Bison breed seems to be the last in British North America, your Committee think that much good might possibly be effected were the Experimental Farms in Manitoba and the North-West to continue these interesting experiments with these and with other long-haired varieties of domestic animals, and also to endeavor to obtain Hybrids between the Moose and Musk Ox and domestic stock. While speaking of these Experimental Farms, your Committee recommend the cultivation of the native plum, cherry, and the many varieties of indigenous berries, and hybridizing of these with foreign varieties, as being more likely to yield successful results than the introduction of new plants. The attention of your Committee has been often directed by the witnesses to the value of some of the indigenous vegetables, such as the turnip, carrot, onion, kamass and others, on account of these ripening much earlier than the cultivated varieties, and in the opinion of your Committee, this fact, taken in connection with the wide distribution of these vegetables, may render them a desirable addition to the gardens of both Indian and White.

Your Committee have had much evidence in connection with increasing the existing natural animal foods and their preservation for future use. The most generally distributed of these seem to be one or other of the four species of Hare found in the North-West. The Rocky Mountain Hare or Jack Rabbit, an animal often yielding twelve pounds of flesh, is principally found in Alberta and Assiniboia, the Arctic or White Hare is confined to northern Athabasca, while the Grey Rabbit and its intrusive southern neighbor, the Spotted Rabbit, are found at almost all places which produce their food. These latter are found for some years in almost countless numbers, after which an epidemic, which is variously described, renders them as scarce as before they had been plenty. This fact points to the necessity for economizing them in times of abundance, and to substituting for them, in years of scarcity, the same species from healthy districts.

Various methods of preserving the existing food supplies are in use by the Indians of the wooded districts of the North-West, and the evidence obtained goes to

show, that the flesh of fish, animals and birds may all be preserved for many months by drying, smoking, salting or freezing, and for many years, if the process formerly so generally used in the preservation of buffalo meat with domestic tallow is followed, and that in any of these forms it constitutes healthy, easily transported, and economical food for both Whites and Indians. Your Committee are of opinion that in years of plenty Indians should be encouraged to so preserve it for their own future use, and to sell and to ration those of less favored localities.

Although not specifically instructed on the subject, your Committee have procured much evidence as to the planting of trees for wind-breaks and for fuel, sugar and shade purposes, and, upon collating this testimony, your Committee find that of easily procured indigenous trees, the poplars, some varieties of which, in favored regions, attain a diameter of eight feet, the ash-leaved maple and the aspen, provide an excellent summer wind-break, which may be rendered equally effective in winter by the addition of the Banksian pine, an evergreen of rapid growth and needing but little moisture. For the making of sugar and for shade purposes, the ash-leaved maple is unrivalled, being easily planted, extremely hardy and rich in saccharine sap. While investigating this and cognate subjects, your Committee formed the opinion that the extensive planting of trees in Alberta and Assiniboia, and also in part of Saskatchewan, will have important climatic effects, favorable to the increased production of cereals, roots, fruits and grasses in those favored regions.

Your Committee cannot conclude their report without expressing to your Honorable House their sense of the great value of these North-West Territories to the Dominion of Canada, and from the evidence taken, which incidentally extends beyond the scope of your instructions, they are forced to the conclusion that nowhere has Nature showered blessings with a more bountiful hand than in the Canadian North-West. About 600,000 square miles of arable and pastoral land seem prepared by the hand of God for the homes of civilized men. No rock or stump prevents the immediate cultivation of the soil, while beneath the surface are vast stores of fuel from former forests, side by side with extensive deposits of iron ore. A region, which, situated as it is on the highest table land of this continent, enjoys equality of mean temperature, freedom from many forms of epidemic and malarial disease, and immunity from the cyclones which have become from their frequency the terror of the inhabitants of less elevated regions south of our border; navigable rivers traverse its length, and a great and growing system of railways carries its produce to the shores of the Atlantic and Pacific. It is a land of interest and profit to the tourist, the angler and the hunter. Great waterways drain it to the Pacific, to the Atlantic, to Hudson's Bay and the Arctic Sea; in its bosom is found coal, gold, silver, iron, copper, salt, sulphur, petroleum and asphaltum, and most of the granites, marbles, clays, lime and sand-stones which are of constructive use, while on and near its surface amber and some of the precious stones have been found. The well-known climatic law "that the nearer we approach the limit of possible cultivation of all cereal plants the greater will be the yield and the finer the quality," also ordains that the frost of winter, accompanied as it is by an absence of moisture and by light snowfall, shall make it pleasant and healthful for man, while aiding him in his work by its deep penetration, pulverizing the soil as it thaws, and giving gradually back to the upper crust the imprisoned moisture.

Although your Committee have referred chiefly to the Districts of Assiniboia, Alberta and Southern Saskatchewan, it must be remembered that in the region beyond these districts, Canada possesses the last remaining fur preserve of the world, all the furs of commerce being there found, and it yields three-quarters of those sold in the great marts of London and Leipsic, which have an average annual value of several millions of dollars. Its vast mineral wealth is nearly unknown, or where known has not been developed. It produces in large quantities a substitute for, if not indeed, a kind of tea, so excellent in quality that only the prejudice in favor of the Asiatic product has prevented its introduction into English and Continental use. It has extensive districts in which valuable kinds of wool and goat skins may be

produced, and where some of the more valuable fur-bearing animals may be domesticated, protected, and increased, while its immense forests have scarcely been taken cognizance of at all in estimating its future wealth.

In conclusion, your Committee are of opinion that these North-West Territories will produce all of the necessaries and very many of the luxuries of civilized life, and that with a policy which will regard the peculiarities and prejudices of its Indian population, and which, while endeavoring to make of them law-abiding and industrious citizens, will keep them from contact with the incoming race whose vices they imitate more readily than their virtues, this great region, a kingdom in extent, in resources, and in undeveloped wealth, is fitted for the prosperous and happy homes of many millions of men of all races who will acknowledge with us the sway of the British Crown.

JOHN SCHULTZ,
Chairman.

THE SENATE OF CANADA.

First Session, Sixth Parliament, 50 Victoria, 1887.

SELECT COMMITTEE APPOINTED FOR THE PURPOSE OF COLLECTING INFORMATION REGARDING THE EXISTING NATURAL FOOD PRODUCTS OF THE NORTH-WEST TERRITORIES, AND THE BEST MEANS OF CONSERVING AND INCREASING THEM.

List of questions indicating some of the enquiries to be made by the Committee.

First.—Over what portions of Canada west of Lake Superior have you travelled, and what other portions of that region are you familiar with, from the reports of reliable persons.

Second.—Will you give a list to the Committee of the plants, animals, birds and fishes, suitable for food with which you are acquainted, and the districts in which they are chiefly to be found?

Third.—Which of the varieties you have mentioned are suitable for transplanting and transplanting into other portions of the North-West? State also the districts to which, in your opinion, they could be translated with advantage to the White and Indian populations.

Fourth.—Give the Committee your opinion as to the best means of re-stocking denuded districts with the plants, animals and fish which were once indigenous there?

Fifth.—Can you suggest from the list of trees, shrubs, grains, grasses, fruits and vegetables, which has been furnished from the Government Central Experimental Farm Station, any varieties which could be added with advantage to the indigenous products of any of the districts with which you are familiar?

Sixth.—Will you please state generally to the Committee how such transplanting, re-stocking and adding to the indigenous food supplies can best be affected, and at what probable cost?

Seventh.—What food, in your opinion, can most economically and healthfully be supplied to the Indians of the North-West in times of scarcity? From what districts and at what cost can such food be supplied?

Eighth.—Which of the indigenous plants, can, in your opinion, be materially improved in quality, quantity and size by cultivation, grafting or budding?

Ninth.—What grains, grasses, fruits, roots and vegetables will, in your opinion, yield the greatest results from the indifferent tillage which is to be expected from such bands of Indians as are new to agricultural pursuits?

Tenth.—With which varieties of fish is it desirable, in your opinion, to re-stock denuded lakes and streams?

Eleventh.—At the time of the transfer of that country to Canada what was the food of the Indians, and what were the rations allowed by the Hudson Bay Company

and other traders to their employés in the various districts with which you are familiar?

Twelfth.—State your opinion as to the best means of preserving, by canning, drying, smoking, salting, freezing, pemmicanizing, or other process, such of the natural food products of the North-West as you are familiar with?

MEMO.—Although the collecting of information upon the following points is not wholly within the instructions of the Committee, your opinions may be asked as to:

(a.) The varieties of indigenous and other trees best adapted for treeless districts;

(b.) The cultivation of hops, hemp, sugar beet, tobacco and other economic plants;

(c.) The best means of developing, transporting and economizing such deposits of coal, iron, gold, silver, copper, petroleum, salt, sulphur, slate, limestone, granite, marble, sandstone, brick and pottery clay, asphaltum, ochre, amber, and others, as are found in that part of Canada west of Ontario.

By order of the Committee.

JOHN SCHULTZ, *Chairman.*

THE SENATE, OTTAWA, 20th May, 1887.

LIST of gentlemen, not residents of Ottawa, who have given oral testimony before, made valuable suggestions to members, or answered questions of the Committee.

- Samuel L. Bedson, Esq., Warden Manitoba Penitentiary.
 Amedée Forget, Esq., Clerk of the North-West Council.
 J. H. E. Secretan, Esq., C.E., of Winnipeg, Manitoba.
 Thomas McKay, Esq., Prince Albert, Saskatchewan.
 D. W. Davis, Esq., M.P. District of Alberta.
 D. H. MacDowall, Esq., M.P. for Saskatchewan.
 Nicholas Flood Davin, Esq., M.P. for West Assiniboia.
 W. D. Perley, Esq., M.P. for East Assiniboia.
 The Honorable J. Royal, Q.C., M.P. for Provencher, Manitoba.
 A. W. Ross, Esq., M.P. for Lisgar, Manitoba.
 W. B. Scarth, Esq., M.P. for Winnipeg, Manitoba.
 T. M. Daly, Esq., M.P. for Selkirk, Manitoba.
 R. Watson, Esq., M.P. for Marquette, Manitoba.
 The Honorable Walter R. Bown, ex-Member of the First North-West Council.
 The Honorable Colin Inkster, President Fish and Game Protective Society, Manitoba.
 Acton Burrows, Esq., Secretary Fish and Game Protective Society, Manitoba.
 Alderman George Ham, Winnipeg, Manitoba.
 Molyneux St. John, Esq., Montreal, Quebec.
 Venerable Archdeacon Cowley, Dynevor, Manitoba.
 Alderman Stewart Mulvey, Winnipeg, Manitoba.
 The Rev. Father Hugonnard, Principal of the Industrial School, Fort Qu'Appelle.
 Professor Saunders, Director Central Experimental Farm Station.
 Rev. John McDougall, Morleyville, Alberta.
 Lieut.-Col. J. Vance Gravely, Cobourg, Ontario.
 Alexander Neisson, Esq., Bad Throat River, Lake Winnipeg.
 J. Gilchrist, Esq., Harwood, Rice Lake, Ontario.
 Rev. James Settee, St. Peter's Indian Reserve, Manitoba.
 James Taylor, Esq., Chairman Old Settlers Society, Manitoba.
 Charles Mair, Esq., Prince Albert.
 The Rev. Father Lacombe, St. Joseph Industrial School, Alberta.
 The Rev. Father Leduc, Prince Albert, Saskatchewan.

The Rev. Henry Cochrane, Peguis, Manitoba.
 Joseph Menkman, Esq., Peguis, Manitoba.
 The Honorable M. A. Girard, Senator, St. Boniface, Manitoba.
 The Honorable W. J. Almon, M.D., Senator, Halifax, Nova Scotia.
 The Honorable James Turner, Senator, Hamilton, Ontario.
 The Honorable David Reesor, Senator, Yorkville, Ontario.
 The Honorable John Sutherland, Senator, Kildonan, Manitoba.
 The Honorable W. H. Chaffers, Senator, St. Cesaire, Quebec.
 The Honorable W. A. Sanford, Senator, Hamilton, Ontario.
 The Honorable H. A. N. Kaulbach, Senator, Lunenburg, Nova Scotia.
 The Honorable C. A. P. Pelletier, Senator, Quebec, Quebec.
 The Honorable G. W. Allan, Senator, Toronto, Ontario.
 The Honorable W. J. Macdonald, Senator, Victoria, British Columbia.
 The Honorable J. S. Carvell, Senator, Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island.
 The Honorable G. W. Howlan, Senator, Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island.
 The Honorable T. R. McInnes, M.D., Senator, New Westminster, British Columbia.
 The Honorable A. W. Ogilvie, Senator, Montreal, Quebec.
 The Honorable Dr. Robitaille, Senator, Quebec.
 The Honorable Wm. Miller, Senator.
 Major J. Cotton, N.W.M.P., Fort McLeod, Alberta.
 Lt. Col. Irvine, N.W.T., Alberta.
 Chas. N. Bell, Esq., Sec. Board of Trade, Winnipeg, Manitoba.
 John Gunn, Esq., Gona, Manitoba.

(For Evidence, etc., Vide Appendix No. 1.)

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Schultz, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Sutherland, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration by the House tomorrow.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Ontario Pacific Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Dickey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Miller, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Guelph Junction Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McKindsey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Flint, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Western Counties Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive them.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follow:—

Page 1, line 30.—After "system" insert "with its own railway."

Page 3, line 3.—After "Canada" insert "of which deposit notice shall be given in the *Canada Gazette*."

Page 3, line 45.—Leave out from "Company" to "shall" in line 47.

Page 4, line 4.—Leave out from "same" to "unless" in line 7.

Page 4, line 9.—Leave out from "out" to "provided" in line 10, and insert "proper authority."

The said amendments being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put on each, they were severally agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Kaulbach, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Power, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to revive and amend the Act incorporating the Quebec Railway Bridge Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive them.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follow:—

Page 1, line 28.—Leave out "Railway."

Page 4, line 32.—Leave out "and" and insert "or."

Page 4, line 33.—Leave out from "engraved" to the first "for" in line 34.

Page 6, line 22.—Leave out from "undertaking" to "24" in line 27.

Page 6, line 36.—After "made" insert "drawn, accepted or endorsed."

Page 7, line 1.—Leave out the twenty-sixth clause.

Page 7, line 6.—Leave out "two" and insert "three."

Page 7, line 7.—After "Act" insert "and in default of the performance of either of these conditions, the powers hereby granted to the Company to construct the said bridge and connecting railway lines to any greater extent than the work then completed shall be forfeited."

Page 7, line 8.—Leave out the whole of the Schedule.

In the Title.

Line 1.—Leave out from "to" to the second "the," and insert "incorporate."

Line 2.—Leave out "Railway."

The said amendments being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put on each, they were severally agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ross (Laurentides), seconded by the Honorable Mr. Armand, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?
It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. Bellerose moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Armand, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General; praying that His Excellency will be graciously pleased to cause to be laid before this House, copies of all complaints which may have been made by the authorities of the St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, since the 24th April, 1886, against Adolphe Lefaivre, formerly an employé of the Penitentiary; as also of all reports which the Inspector may have made since the same date against the said Lefaivre, together with copies of the decisions which the Honorable the Minister of Justice may have given upon these reports and complaints.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and it was

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General by such Members of this House as are Members of the Privy Council.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That when the House adjourns this day, it do stand adjourned until tomorrow, Saturday, the eighteenth day of June, instant.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to consolidate and amend the Acts relating to the Winnipeg and Hudson's Bay Railway and Steamship Company, and to change the name thereof," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Girard, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Read, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to further amend the Act incorporating the Canada Atlantic Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Clemow, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Merner, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend an Act of the present Session intituled: 'An Act to enable the Freehold Loan and Savings Company to extend their business, and for other purposes,'" to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McMaster, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Allan, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. McMaster, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Allan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Dominion Lands Act," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. MacInnes, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, to return the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Primitive Methodist Colonization Company (Limited)," and to acquaint this House that they have passed the said Bill without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, to return the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the New Brunswick Railway Company;"

Also, "An Act to incorporate the Imperial Trusts Company of Canada;"

Also, "An Act to incorporate the Brantford, Waterloo and Lake Erie Railway Company;"

Also, "An Act to amend 'The Government Railways Act;'" and

Also, "An Act to amend 'The Railway Act,'" and to acquaint this House that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Senate to the said Bills without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, to return the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marie Louise Noel;"

Also, "An Act for the relief of Fanny Margaret Riddell;" and

Also, "An Act for the relief of John Monteith," and to acquaint this House that they have passed the said Bills without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Vidal moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McInnes,

That the Bill intituled: "An Act to repeal 'The Chinese Immigration Act,'" ruled out of order when its second reading was called upon the fourteenth day of June, instant, be restored to the Orders of the Day, for a second reading to-morrow.

After Debate,

It being six o'clock His Honor the Speaker left the Chair, to resume the same at half-past seven o'clock, P.M.

7.30 P.M.

The House resumed the adjourned debate on the Honorable Mr. Vidal's motion, viz:—

That the Bill intituled: "An Act to repeal 'The Chinese Immigration Act,'"

ruled out of order on the fourteenth day of June, instant, be restored to the Orders of the Day, for a second reading to-morrow.

After further Debate,

The said motion was, by leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith,

The House adjourned until to-morrow (Saturday), at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Saturday, 18th June, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Abbott,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Reesor,</i>
<i>Atnon,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>McMaster,</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Ross (de la Durantaye)</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Ross (Laurentides),</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Schultz,</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Boucherville, de,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Smith,</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Sullivan,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Pdquet,</i>	<i>Sutherland,</i>
<i>DeBlois,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Power,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>
<i>Ferguson,</i>			

PRAYERS.

The following Petition was brought up and laid on the Table:—

By the Honorable Mr. Allan,—Of the Right Reverend, the Lord Bishop of Toronto, and others, of Toronto, in the Province of Ontario.

The Honorable Mr. Howlan, from the Select Committee appointed to examine and report upon the Contingent Accounts of the Senate, presented their Fourth Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE,

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 2,

SATURDAY, 18th June, 1887.

The Select Committee appointed to examine and report upon the Contingent Accounts of the Senate, for the present Session, beg leave to make their Fourth Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend:—

1. That in view of the long services of Mr. Pierre Rattey, Doorkeeper of the Senate, a bonus of one hundred dollars (\$100) be granted him.
2. That in view of the long services of Mr. Thomas Wheeler, News Room Keeper, a bonus of one hundred dollars (\$100) be granted him.

All which is respectfully submitted.

GEORGE W. HOWLAN,

Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Howlan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Read, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration by this House on Monday next.

The Honorable Mr. Howlan, from the Select Committee appointed to examine and report upon the Contingent Accounts of the Senate, presented their Fifth Report. Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THE SENATE,

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 2,

SATURDAY, 18th June, 1887.

The Select Committee appointed to examine and report upon the Contingent Accounts of the Senate, for the present Session, beg leave to make their Fifth Report, as follows:—

Your Committee have examined the Accounts of the Clerk of the Senate, for the year ending 31st December, 1886.

The Accounts show the amounts received by him during the said year, as follows:—

Balance in Bank, 31st December, 1885, as per previous Report of 1st June, 1886.....	\$ 3,208 78
Letters of Credit.....	146,474 90
Bills of Exchange, £1,725 3s. 9d.....	8,393 47
Cash from other sources.....	2,086 02
Total.....	<u>\$160,163 17</u>

The Clerk has accounted for the above to the satisfaction of your Committee, as follows:—

Amounts paid by cheque, as per statement.....	\$129,507 01
“ “ Bills of Exchange.....	8,393 47
“ “ Cash remitted various Provincial Gazettes for advertising (as per Fourth Report, 1st June, 1886).....	290 69
Total Expenditure.....	\$138,191 17
Add Cash deposited to credit of the Receiver General...	1,557 03
“ Refund to the Sisters of Charity of the North-West Territories of the fee on their Bill, as per Order of the House, 4th May.....	200 00
Amount unexpended of appropriation for 1885-86, cancelled by the Auditor General.....	11,616 03
“ Cash on hand, 31st December.....	38 30
“ Balance in Bank “ (after providing for outstanding cheques).....	8,560 64
Total.....	\$160,163 17

The Accounts are kept in a clear and satisfactory manner, and each item of expenditure, &c., is accompanied by a voucher.

GEORGE W. HOWLAN,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Howlan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Read, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration by this House on Monday next.

The Honorable Mr. Read, from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, presented their Sixth Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

COMMITTEE ROOM,
17th June, 1887.

The Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, beg leave to present the following as their Sixth Report:—

The Committee carefully examined the following documents, and recommend that they be printed, viz.:—

19a. Return to Address,—Copies of all Orders in Council, and of all correspondence between the Government of Canada and the Government of the Province of Ontario, and between the Government of Canada and any person or persons, respecting timber licenses and Crown titles to lands affected by claims of settlers, and by mining claims, within the so-called Disputed Territory. (*Distribution and Sessional Papers.*)

72. Certified copy of Order in Council relating to the arrangement with Messrs. Bossière Bros. & Co.—Steamship Service between France and Canada.

And,—Copies of Despatches, etc., in relation to the proposed Imperial Institute. (*Sessional Papers only.*)

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

16d. Return to Order,—Copies of correspondence in connection with the Lobster Fishery and close season in the Province of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island.

45a. Return to Address.—Copies of all communications received by the Canadian Government from the Imperial Government, or any of its officers, relative to the Colonial Conference which opened in London on 4th April, 1887, and of all correspondence connected therewith, and of the instructions furnished to the Canadian Representatives at the Conference.

71. Return to Order.—Correspondence from January 1st, 1873, to the present time, between the Department of Indian Affairs and John Walters and others, relative to purchase or lease of Main Ducks and Yorkshire Islands in Lake Ontario; also all applications for purchase or lease of said Islands, all offers made to or by the Government as to purchase or sale, reports of all persons at any time appointed to appraise or valuate said Islands, the annual rental paid by present lessee and date of expiration of such lease; also all charges preferred since January 1st, 1878, against John Walters for violation of terms of lease or regulations of Department, together with names of parties making such charges and the report of parties commissioned to investigate them.

The Committee would respectfully draw attention to the following Resolutions, as recommendations:—

Resolved, That this Committee recommend that the members of the Senate, and the members of the House of Commons, be furnished with two additional copies each of the Revised Statutes.

Resolved, That whereas it has been the duty of the Printing Committee, in the past, to advertise for tenders for furnishing supply of paper for Parliamentary Printing, and let contracts for such supply; the Committee this year adopted their usual course, and tenders have been received, accompanied with samples of paper, also deposits in cash or cheques for the faithful carrying out such contract. The Committee now find that it has no jurisdiction, this duty having been transferred, by Statute, to the Department of the Secretary of State. The Committee therefore recommend that the tenders now received be transferred to the Secretary of State for action.

All which is respectfully submitted.

ROBERT READ,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Girard, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration by the House on Monday next.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to enable the Saint Martin's and Upham Railway Company to sell its Railway and property," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Dickey, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Haythorne, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to further amend the Act incorporating the Canada Atlantic Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with an

amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive it.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk, as follows :—

Page 2, line 45.—After “resolution” insert “and deed or deeds of mortgage;” after “provided” insert “and the respective priorities and procedure of the bonds shall appear on the face thereof.”

The said amendment being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put thereon, it was agreed to.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Haythorne,

That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The Honorable Mr. Clemow, in amendment, moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Merner,

That the said Bill, as amended, be not now read a third time, but that it be further amended, as follows :—

Page 2, line 37.—Leave out from “seventy-two” to “(2)” in line 46.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative.

The question being again put on the main motion, as amended, the same was also resolved in the affirmative, and

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with certain amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: “An Act to consolidate and amend the Acts relating to the Winnipeg and Hudson’s Bay Railway and Steamship Company, and to change the name thereof,” reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive them.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follow :—

Page 3, line 44.—Leave out “unsubscribed” and insert “subscribed.”

Page 7, line 40.—After “company” insert “and the said mortgage deed shall be deposited in the office of the Secretary of State of Canada, of which deposit notice shall be given in the *Canada Gazette*.”

Page 8, line 31.—Leave out from “Secretary” to “shall” in line 32.

Page 8, line 34.—After “made” insert “drawn, accepted or endorsed.”

Page 8, line 35.—After “made” insert “drawn, accepted or endorsed.”

Page 8, line 40.—Leave out from “without” to “provided” in line 42, and insert “proper authority.”

The said amendments being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put on each, they were severally agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Girard, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Sutherland, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That when the House adjourns this day, it do stand adjourned until Monday next, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act incorporating the Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the amendments made in the Committee of the Whole House, on the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Chinese Immigration Act,"

The Honorable Mr. Abbott moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith,

That the House do not concur in the amendment made to the first section of the said Bill in Committee of the Whole.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the House divided, and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

CONTENTS :

The Honorable Messieurs

Abbott,	Ferguson,	McKindsey,	Robitaille,
Allan,	Girard,	Macdonald (B.C.),	Ross (Laurentides),
Boucherville, de,	Gowan,	Merner,	Ross
Carvell,	Guévremont,	Miller,	(de la Durantaye),
Casgrain,	Howlan,	Montgomery,	Smith,
Chaffers,	McCallum,	Plumb (Speaker),	Sullivan,
Clemow,	McDonald (C.B.),	Read,	Sutherland.—29.
DeBlois,	McKay,		

NON-CONTENTS :

The Honorable Messieurs

Almon,	Flint,	McClelan,	Scott,
Armand,	Grant,	McInnes (B.C.),	Stevens,
Baillargeon,	Haythorne,	Odell,	Trudel,
Bellerose,	Leonard,	Pâquet,	Vidal,
Dever,	Lewiu,	Reesor,	Wark.—21.
Dickey,			

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

Then the Honorable Mr. Abbott moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, That the House do now concur in the remainder of the amendments made in the Committee of the Whole to the said Bill.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

The Honorable Mr. Abbott moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith,
That the said Bill, as amended, be now read a third time.

The question of concurrence being put thereon,

The Honorable Mr. McInnes, in amendment, moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal,

That the said Bill be not now read a third time, but that it be read a third time this day three months.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the House divided, and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow :—

CONTENTS :

The Honorable Messieurs

Almon,	Haythorne,	McInnes (B.C.),	Scott,
Armand,	Leonard,	Pâquet,	Stevens,
Dever,	Lewin,	Reesor,	Vidal.—14.
Grant,	McClelan,		

NON-CONTENTS :

The Honorable Messieurs

Abbott,	Dickey,	McKindsey,	Robitaille,
Allan,	Flint,	Macdonald (B.C.),	Ross
Boucherville, de,	Girard,	Merner,	(de la Durantaye),
Carvell,	Gowan,	Miller,	Smith,
Casgrain,	Howlan,	Montgomery,	Sullivan,
Chaffers,	McCallum,	Odell,	Sutherland,
Clemow,	McDonald (C.B.),	Plumb (Speaker),	Wark.—30.
DeBlois,	McKay,	Read,	

So it passed in the negative.

The question being again put on the main motion, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass ?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Supreme and Exchequer Courts Act," was read a third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass ?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the consideration of the Fifth Report of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Girard, it was

Ordered, That the same be postponed until Monday next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Acts relating to the Harbor Commissioners of Montreal," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Dominion Elections Act, and to remove doubts as to the right of certain persons to vote at elections of members of the House of Commons," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Department of Customs and the Department of Inland Revenue," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Oxford Junction and New Glasgow Branch of the Intercolonial Railway," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act further to amend the Act respecting the Department of Finance and the Treasury Board," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act respecting the Department of Agriculture," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to provide an additional Subsidy to the Province of Prince Edward Island," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the 'Speedy Trials Act,' Chapter one hundred and seventy-five of the Revised Statutes," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Report of the Select Committee appointed to collect information regarding the existing natural food products of the North-West Territories, and the best means of conserving and increasing them,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Schultz, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Girard, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Dominion Lands Act," was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery,

The House adjourned until Monday next, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

Monday, 20th June, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Abbott,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>
<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Reesor,</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>MacInnes</i>	<i>Ross (de la Durantaye),</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>(Burlington),</i>	<i>Schultz,</i>
<i>Boucherville, de,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Smith,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Choffers,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Paquet,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>DeBlois,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>		

PRAYERS.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petition was read:—

Of Roderick McDougall, and others, of Pictou County, Nova Scotia; praying that measures be taken to prohibit railway and steamboat traffic on the Lord's Day.

The Honorable Mr. Gowan, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Manitoba South-Western Colonization Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Gowan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act incorporating the Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive them

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follow :—

Page 2, line 8.—After “ Company ” insert “ if the consent thereto of the shareholders has been obtained by the vote of a general or special meeting of the Company, duly called for that purpose, at which meeting shareholders representing at least two-thirds in value of the stock of the Company are present in person or represented by proxy.”

Page 2, line 10.—Leave out from “ railway ” to “ and ” in line 11.

Page 3, line 6.—After “ reason; ” insert “ every such deed of mortgage or hypothec shall be deposited in the office of the Secretary of State of Canada, of which deposit notice shall be given in the *Canada Gazette*.”

Page 3, line 22.—Leave out “ may ” and insert “ shall.”

The said amendments being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put on each, they were severally agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time, accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass ?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Fourth Report from the Select Committee appointed to examine and report upon the Contingent Accounts of the Senate,

The Honorable Mr. Power moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Armand,

That the said Report be now taken into consideration.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, in amendment, moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Miller,

That the said Report be not now taken into consideration, but that it be taken into consideration this day three months.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the House divided, and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow :—

CONTENTS :

The Honorable Messieurs

Abbott,	Gowan,	Macdonald (B.C.),	Plumb (Speaker),
Allan,	Howlan,	MacInnes (Burlington),	Read,
Almon,	Kaulbach,	Merner,	Robitaille,
Carvell,	McCallum,	Miller,	Schultz,
Clemow,	McKay,	Montgomery,	Smith, and
Dickey,	McKindsey,	Odell,	Vidal.—25.
Girard,			

NON-CONTENTS :

The Honorable Messieurs

Armand,	Dever,	McInnes (B.C.),	Scott,
Baillargeon,	Guévremont,	Pâquet,	Stevens,
Bellerose,	Haythorne,	Pelletier,	Trudel, and
Casgrain,	Leonard,	Poirier,	Wark.—19.
Chaffers,	McClelan,	Power,	

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

The question being again put on the main motion, as amended, the same was, on the same division reversed, also resolved in the affirmative, and
 Ordered accordingly.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Fifth Report of the Select Committee appointed to examine and report upon the Contingent Accounts of the Senate,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Howlan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Sixth Report of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Girard, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Second Report of the Joint Committee on the Library of Parliament,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Allan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Pelletier, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Fifth Report of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Girard, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled : " An Act respecting the Department of Customs and the Department of Inland Revenue."

(In the Committee.)

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Vidal, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass ?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled : " An Act respecting the Oxford Junction and New Glasgow Branch of the Intercolonial Railway."

(In the Committee.)

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Haythorne, from the said Committee, reported that they had

gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Dominion Lands Act."

(In the Committee.)

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Allan, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to provide for advances to be made by the Government of Canada to the Fredericton and Saint Mary's Railway Bridge Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the General Inspection Act," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act in addition to the Revised Statutes, chapter six, respecting Representation in the House of Commons," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend chapter two of the Revised Statutes of Canada, intituled: 'An Act respecting the publication of the Statutes,'" to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to make provision for the appointment of a Solicitor General," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend Chapter one hundred and thirty-eight of the Revised Statutes, respecting the Judges of Provincial Courts," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to confer certain powers to Boards of Trade as to the Licensing of Weighers," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Revised Statutes, Chapter thirty-nine, respecting the Expropriation of Lands," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

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A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled : " An Act to authorize the advance of further sums for completing the Graving Dock and the improvements in the Harbor of Quebec," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled : " An Act to confirm a certain agreement between Her Majesty and the Western Counties Railway Company, and for other purposes," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. Abbott moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, That when the House adjourns this day it do stand adjourned until to-morrow at two o'clock in the afternoon.

The Honorable Mr. Power, in amendment, moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal,

That when the House adjourns this day it do stand adjourned until Wednesday next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the negative.

The question being again put on the main motion, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith,

The House adjourned until to-morrow at two o'clock in the afternoon.

Tuesday, 21st June, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Abbott,</i>	<i>Dever,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>
<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>Piquet,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Ferrier,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Glasier,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Boucherville, de,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Ross (de la Durantaye).</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Smith,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Olemow,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>De Blois,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>

PRAYERS.

The following Petition was brought up, and laid on the Table:—

By the Honorable Mr. Bolduc,—Of Daniel Shanks, and others, of the Village of Huntingdon.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Oxford Junction and New Glasgow Branch of the Intercolonial Railway," was read a third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Dominion Lands Act," was read a third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to provide for advances to be made by the Government of Canada to the Fredericton and Saint Mary's Railway Bridge Company."

(In the Committee.)

After some time the House was resumed, and
The Honorable Mr. Howlan, from the said Committee, reported that they had

gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the General Inspection Act."

(In the Committee.)

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Haythorne, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act in addition to the Revised Statutes, Chapter six, respecting Representation in the House of Commons."

(In the Committee.)

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Allan, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House, without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend Chapter two, of the Revised Statutes of Canada, intituled: 'An Act respecting the publication of the Statutes.'"

(In the Committee.)

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Dickey, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone

through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass ?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to make provision for the appointment of a Solicitor General."

(In the Committee.)

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Vidal, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend Chapter one hundred and thirty-eight of the Revised Statutes, respecting the Judges of Provincial Courts."

(In the Committee.)

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Howlan, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass ?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to confer certain powers to Boards of Trade as to the Licensing of Weighers."

(In the Committee.)

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Girard, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Smith, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Vidal,
it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Revised Statutes, Chapter thirty-nine, respecting the Expropriation of Lands."

(In the Committee.)

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Read, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith,
it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to authorize the advance of further sums for completing the Graving Dock and the improvements in the Harbor of Quebec."

(In the Committee.)

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Macdonald, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith,
it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled: "An Act to confirm a certain agreement between Her Majesty and the Western Counties Railway Company, and for other purposes."

(In the Committee.)

After some time the House was resumed, and

The Honorable Mr. Power, from the said Committee, reported that they had

gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, to return the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Nova Scotia Permanent Benefit Building Society and Savings Fund," and to acquaint this House that they have passed the said Bill, with several amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, and they are as follow:—

Page 2, line 14.—After "interest" insert "or discount as may be agreed upon, or as may be lawfully taken, received, reserved or exacted by individuals in any Province of Canada."

Page 2, line 22.—Leave out from "require" to "5," in line 28.

Page 3, line 14.—After "A" insert "certified."

Page 3, line 24.—After "thereto" insert the following as Clause A:

Clause A.

The Society may, subject to the laws of any Province in that behalf, for the purposes of their business, acquire real estate, and sell and dispose of the same; but the Society shall sell any real estate, acquired in satisfaction of any debt, within seven years after it has been so acquired, otherwise it shall revert to the previous owner, or to his heirs or assigns.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Almon, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Power, it was

Ordered, That the said amendments be agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate doth agree to the amendments made to the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, to return the Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Manitoba and North-Western Railway Company of Canada;"

Also, "An Act to revive and amend the Act incorporating the Quebec Railway Bridge Company;"

Also, "An Act to amend the Acts incorporating and relating to the British Canadian Loan and Investment Company (Limited); and

Also, "An Act to amend the Act of the present Session, intituled: 'An Act to incorporate the Kincardine and Teeswater Railway Company,'" and to acquaint this House that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Senate to the said Bills, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, to return the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Royal Victoria Hospital," and to acquaint this House that they have passed the said Bill with an amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk, and it is as follows:—

Page 1, line 30.—After "therefor" insert "Provided, however, that the annual value of the real estate owned by the said Corporation and held for revenue purposes only at any one time shall not exceed the sum of one hundred thousand dollars."

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said amendment be agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate doth agree to the amendment made to the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, to return the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Hereford Branch Railway Company;"

Also, "An Act to revive and amend the Act incorporating the Anglo-Canadian Bank;" and

Also, "An Act respecting the Western Counties Railway Company," and to acquaint this House that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Senate to the said Bills, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, to return the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Arthur Lavell," and to acquaint this House that they have passed the said Bill, with an amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

Page 1, line 17.—Leave out "consumination" and insert "consummation."

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Kaulbach, seconded by the Honorable Mr. McKay, it was

Ordered, That the said amendment be agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate doth agree to the amendment made by the House of Commons to the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to empower the Employees of Incorporated Companies to establish Pension Fund Societies," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House presently.

The House, according to Order, was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the said Bill.

(In the Committee.)

Title read and postponed.

Preamble read and postponed.

First clause read and amended as follows:—

Page 1, line 5.—After "manager" insert "or person acting as such."

Page 1, line 7.—Leave out "three" and insert "two."

Page 1, line 8.—After "officers" insert "with any other of the superior officers."

Remaining clauses read and agreed to.

Preamble read and agreed to.

Title again read and agreed to.

After some time the House was resumed, and The Honorable Mr. de Boucherville, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House with certain amendments.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith,
it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be now read a third time.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with certain amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act for granting certain powers to the Canada Atlantic Steamship Company (Limited)," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Power, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Allan,
it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first and Sixtieth Rules of this House be dispensed with in so far as they relate to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Read, from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, presented their Seventh Report.

Ordered, That it be received.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

COMMITTEE ROOM,
20th June, 1887.

The Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament beg leave to present the following as their Seventh Report:—

The Committee carefully examined the following documents and recommend that they be printed, viz.:—

34c. Return to Order.—Showing the nature of the agreement made between the Government and the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, and other parties (if any), respecting the town site of Regina and other town sites in which the Government is part owner, the cost to the Government of collecting their share of the payments made on lots sold in such town sites up to the 30th June, 1886; also the amount realized up to that date by the Government on the sale of such lots, and the number of lots in town sites, together with the quantity of farm lands in the North-West Territories, to which the Canadian Pacific Railway Company is entitled, but for which up to the present they have not received patents from the Government. (*Sessional Papers.*)

66a. Return to Order.—Return of all reports and correspondence in the possession of the Government in relation to the substitution of new and unknown names for places in this Dominion which have been from time immemorial otherwise designated. Also all instructions showing by what particular authority a new nomenclature has been adopted in the reports of the Geological Survey for old and historic places having French and Indian names, commemorative of the early voyageurs and explorers. (*Sessional Papers.*)

75. Return to Order,—Showing the quantity of Rolling Stock purchased for the Intercolonial Railway during the last six months of the year ending 31st December, 1886, giving each kind of rolling stock and whether purchased under contract or otherwise, the parties from whom bought and the cost of each kind; also a statement showing what has been built in Government workshops. (*Sessional Papers.*)

75a. Return to Order,—Return of the number of Pullman and Parlour cars belong to the Intercolonial Railway and used thereon, the cost of such cars, and the parties from whom the same were purchased, or by whom built for the Railway. (*Sessional Papers.*)

75b. Return to Order,—Return of the quantity of lubricating, machinery, car, or other oil, furnished or delivered to the Intercolonial Railway during the year ending 31st December, 1886; the contracts under which the same were delivered; the names of the several contractors, and the several amounts paid under such contracts. (*Sessional Papers.*)

75c. Return to Order,—Detailed statement of the sums charged to capital expenditure on the Intercolonial Railway for the years 1873, 1874, 1875, 1876, 1877, 1878, 1879, 1880, 1881, 1882, 1883, 1884, 1885, and 1886. (*Sessional Papers.*)

Second Report of the Select Committee on the existing natural food products of the North-West Territories; and the best means of conserving and increasing the same. (1,500 copies English and 500 copies French extra. Appendix to be condensed.)

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

30c. Return to Order,—Copies of all correspondence, Departmental orders, reports and other papers relating to the dredging of the Harbor of Pinette, Prince Edward Island.

73. Return to Order,—Copies of all correspondence had between the Department of the Interior and one Peter Gray, of Moose Mountain, respecting one Edward Brokovski, an employee of the Department at Moosomin, North-West Territories, and of all letters and communications to the Department from any and all other persons bearing upon the conduct and competency in office of the said Brokovski.

74. Copies of Orders in Council, correspondence, etc., relating to grants of Dominion Lands to the following Railway Companies:—

Alberta and Athabasca Railway Company;
Qu'Appelle, Long Lake and Saskatchewan Railway Company;—and
Medicine Hat Railway and Coal Company.

76. Return to Address,—Copies of all memorials, petitions and applications of one Joseph Swisher, a volunteer of the Rebellion of 1837, asking that some substantial consideration be granted him, on account of his health having been greatly impaired while serving as a volunteer during said Rebellion.

77. Return to Address,—Copies of any and all letters addressed to the Government or any Member of the Cabinet by M. F. O'Donoghue, or any other person in his behalf, asking for compensation for the alleged loss or confiscation of the property of the late W. B. O'Donoghue, who was concerned in the North-West troubles of 1869-70. Also for copies of all letters, Orders in Council and other documents in the possession of the Government relating to any claims made by the said M. F. O'Donoghue. Also for a statement showing the amounts paid to M. F. O'Donoghue, or any other person on his behalf, by the Government for services rendered, or on any other account.

All which is respectfully submitted.

ROBERT READ,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Girard, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—A Return to an Address, dated the 18th May, 1887, to His Excellency the Governor General; praying that His Excellency will cause to be laid before this House, a full Return of all Chinese entering and leaving Canadian Ports; the number entering and leaving each Port, and for each month since the passage of the Chinese Immigration Restriction Act in July, 1886, up to the 1st January, 1887; also the amount of revenue derived from Chinese immigration, and the cost of enforcing the Act between the aforesaid dates.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers No. 57a.*)

The Honorable Mr. Read, from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, presented their Eighth Report.

Ordered, That it be received, and

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

COMMITTEE ROOM,
TUESDAY, 21st June, 1887.

The Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, beg leave to submit the following as their Eighth Report:—

The Committee have carefully examined the following documents and recommend that they be printed:—

75d. Return to Order,—Return of all casualties to trains on the Intercolonial Railway arising from collisions, broken rails, or any other cause, for the calendar year 1886, and to April 1st, 1887; the respective causes and dates; the names of conductors, engine drivers, or other officials dismissed, suspended, or fined for any such collision or other neglect of duty; the amount of damage (if any) to property in such cases; the amount of compensation paid to owners of property destroyed or damaged, as well as amount of claims for loss or damage to property (if any) unsettled. (*Sessional Papers only.*)

Report of the Select Standing Committee on Agriculture and Immigration, House of Commons. *Appendix No. 4.* (7,000 copies in English, and 3,000 copies in the French language.)

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

Sb. Statement showing, comparatively, the expenditure on Canals for the eleven months ending 31st May, 1886, and to 31st May, 1887.

Sc. Statement showing the amount of tolls accrued on all the Canals for eleven months ended 31st May, 1887.

78. Return to Order,—Copies of surveys of a proposed line of railway from Kingsport, on the Basin of Minas, to connect with the Windsor and Annapolis Railway, together with the instructions issued to the Engineers, and the correspondence and telegrams relating to the survey, or a Dominion subsidy in aid of the construction of the railway, between any member of the Government, or any officer of the Department of Railways, and any other persons.

The Committee would also beg leave to submit the following Resolutions, as a recommendation:—

Resolved, That the several contracts for the Printing and Binding be extended till the 31st day of December, 1888.

Resolved, That one copy of the Sessional Papers, in English, be distributed to each French Member of the Senate and of the House of Commons.

All which is respectfully submitted.

ROBERT READ,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Girard, it was

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration by the House to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Companies Act," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. Abbott moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith,

That when the House adjourns this day it do stand adjourned until to-morrow at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that there be a second sitting of the House at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon, and that each sitting shall be considered a distinct sitting.

The question of concurrence being put thereon,

The same was resolved in the affirmative.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith,

The House adjourned until to-morrow at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

Wednesday, 22nd June, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

Abbott,
Allan,
Atton,
Armand,
Baillargeon,
Bellerose,
Bolduc,
Boucherville, de,
Carvell,
Casgrain,
Chaffers,
Clemon,
DeBlots,

Dever,
Dickey,
Ferris,
Flint,
Girard,
Glasier,
Gowan,
Grant,
Guévremont,
Haythorne,
Howlan,
Kaulbach,
Leonard,

McCallum,
McClelan,
McDonald (C.B.),
McInnes (B.C.),
McKay,
McKindsey,
McMillan,
Macdonald (B.C.),
Merner,
Miller,
Montgomery,
Odell,

Ogilvie,
Piquet,
Pelletier,
Power,
Read,
Ross (de la Durantaye)
Schultz,
Smith,
Stevens,
Turner,
Vidal,
Wark.

PRAYERS.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to make provision for the appointment of a Solicitor General," was read a third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled: "An Act to confirm a certain agreement between Her Majesty and the Western Counties Railway Company, and for other purposes," was read a third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Eighth Report of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Girard, it was

Ordered, That the same be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the House.

The Order of the Day being read for putting the House into a Committee of the Whole House on the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Companies Act,"

The Honorable Mr. Abbott moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith,

That the said Order be discharged from the Orders of the Day, and that the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith,

The House adjourned until half-past two o'clock this afternoon.

At half-past two o'clock in the afternoon the House met, and
The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Abbott,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>
<i>Allan</i>	<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Ferrier,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Reesor,</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Ross (Laurentides),</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Glazier,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Ross (de la Durantaye),</i>
<i>Bolduc,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Boucherville, de,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Smith,</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Turner,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Ogivic,</i>	<i>Vidal,</i>
<i>DeBlais,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>Pelletier,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McCalum,</i>		

PRAYERS.

The Honorable Mr. Allan, from the Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Companies Act," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive them.

Ordered, That the Report be now received, and

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follow:—

Page 2, line 36.—After the first "or" insert "with those of."

Page 2, line 39.—After "same" insert "or may purchase the assets of any other such Company or Society, which is hereby authorized to sell the same."

Page 2, line 40.—After "purchase" insert "or sale, the Company so purchasing."

Page 2, line 42.—Leave out from "such" to "with," and insert "bond or agreement of indemnity." Leave out "and" and insert "or."

Page 2, line 43.—After "thereof" insert "or both."

Page 2, line 44.—Leave out "therewith."

Page 3, line 22.—After "Company" insert "or if the Company has made any offer under its corporate seal for the purchase of the assets of another Company or Society."

Page 4, line 11.—After "purchasing" insert "and the Company purchasing shall thereupon become and be responsible for the liabilities of the Company or Society so selling the whole."

Page 4, line 23.—After "patent" insert "to the new corporation."

The said amendments being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put on each, they were severally agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. Power moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Almon, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General; praying that His Excellency will cause to be laid before this House, copies of all correspondence between the Government, or any Department or Office thereof, and the Pilotage Commissioners of Halifax, Nova Scotia, since the first of August, 1885, with respect to the administration of the Pilotage funds under the control of the said Commissioners, or to the re-appointment of Pilot Bernard Gallagher, and all orders with respect to the same subjects since the said date.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and it was

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General by such Members of this House as are Members of the Privy Council.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act relating to the improvement of the River St. Lawrence," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend An act to authorize the grant of certain subsidies in land for the construction of the Railways therein mentioned," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, to return the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act incorporating the Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway Company," and to acquaint this House that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Senate to the said Bill, without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Eighth Report of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament,
On motion of the Honorable Mr. Read, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Girard, it was
Ordered, That the said Report be adopted.

The Honorable Mr. Abbott moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith,
That when the House adjourns this day it do stand adjourned until to-morrow at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith,

The House adjourned until to-morrow at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

Thursday, 23rd June, 1887.

The Members convened were

The Honorable *JOSIAH BURR PLUMB*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Abbott,</i>	<i>Ferrier,</i>	<i>McInnes (B.C.),</i>	<i>Poirier,</i>
<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Flint,</i>	<i>McKay,</i>	<i>Power,</i>
<i>Almon,</i>	<i>Girard,</i>	<i>McKindsey,</i>	<i>Read,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Gowan,</i>	<i>McMillan,</i>	<i>Reesor,</i>
<i>Baillargeon,</i>	<i>Grant,</i>	<i>Macdonald (B.C.),</i>	<i>Robitaille,</i>
<i>Bellerose,</i>	<i>Guévrement,</i>	<i>MacInnes</i>	<i>Ross (Laurentides),</i>
<i>Boucherville, de,</i>	<i>Haythorne,</i>	<i>(Burlington),</i>	<i>Schultz,</i>
<i>Carvell,</i>	<i>Howlan,</i>	<i>Merner,</i>	<i>Scott,</i>
<i>Casgrain,</i>	<i>Kaulbach,</i>	<i>Miller,</i>	<i>Smith,</i>
<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Leonard,</i>	<i>Montgomery,</i>	<i>Stevens,</i>
<i>Clemow,</i>	<i>Lewin,</i>	<i>Odell,</i>	<i>Sullivan,</i>
<i>DeBlois,</i>	<i>McCallum,</i>	<i>O'Donohoe,</i>	<i>Trudel,</i>
<i>Dever,</i>	<i>McClelan,</i>	<i>Ogilvie,</i>	<i>Turner,</i>
<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>McDonald (C.B.),</i>	<i>Pâquet,</i>	<i>Wark.</i>
<i>Ferguson,</i>			

PRAYERS.

The Order of the Day being read for reading the Petition of Daniel Shanks, and others, of the Village of Huntingdon, in the Province of Quebec, praying the Senate to hear and determine upon the property qualification of the Honorable François Xavier Anselme Trudel, Senator.

A question of Order being raised, viz:—That the Petition did not bear the signature of the Member who presented it, and therefore should not be received.

The Honorable the Speaker ruled that the point of Order was not well taken, as such practice had not heretofore prevailed in this House.

The Honorable Mr. Dickey moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Read,

That the Order of the Day for reading the said Petition be postponed until to-morrow.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day the following Petition was read:—

Of the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of Toronto, and others; praying for the better protection of women and children.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, to return the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Indian Act,'" and to acquaint this House that they have passed the said Bill without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Act respecting the Duties of Customs," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, to return the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Immigration Act,'" and to acquaint this House that they have passed the said Bill without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, to return the Bill intituled: "An Act to further amend the Act incorporating the Canada Atlantic Railway Company;"

Also, "An Act to consolidate the Acts relating to the Winnipeg and Hudson's Bay Railway and Steamship Company, and to change the name thereof;" and

Also, "An Act to amend 'The Supreme and Exchequer Courts Act,' and to make better provision for the Trial of Claims against the Crown," and to acquaint this House that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Senate to the said Bills, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, to return the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Revised Statutes, Chapter fifty-one, respecting Real Property in the Territories," and to acquaint this House that they have passed the said Bill with several amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, and they are as follow:—

Page 2, line 18.—Leave out from "done" to "are" in line 20, and insert "previous to the passing of this Act in anticipation of the ratification and confirmation by

Parliament of the division of the said Provisional District of Alberta into two registration districts and of the alteration of the boundaries of the two registration districts into the Provisional District of Saskatchewan was so divided."

Page 12, line 27.—After "confirmed" insert "and the said Registrar of West Saskatchewan is authorized and empowered to make any further transfer to the Registrar of East Saskatchewan of any such deeds, instruments or documents as such alteration in the boundaries of the two districts renders necessary."

In the Preamble.

Page 1, line 8.—Leave out "has been" and insert "was."

The same being again read by the Clerk,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith,
it was

Ordered, That the said amendments be agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate doth agree to the amendments made to the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, to return the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the 'Chinese Immigration Act,'" and to acquaint this House that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Senate to the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, to return the Bill intituled: "An Act to enable the Canada Permanent Loan and Savings Company to extend their business, and for other purposes," with several amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follow:—

Page 1, line 6.—Leave out "of" and insert "in."

Page 1, line 15.—After "same" insert "but the Company shall sell any real estate acquired in satisfaction of any debts within seven years after it has been so acquired, otherwise it shall revert to the previous owner or to his heirs or assigns."

The same being again read by the Clerk,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Gowan, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Allan,
it was

Ordered, That the said amendments be agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate doth agree to the amendments made to the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, to return the Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of Susan Ash," and to acquaint this House that they have passed the said Bill with several amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, and they are as follow:—

Page 1, line 10.—Leave out from "sixty-eight" to "that" in line 14.

Page 1, line 18.—Leave out "pretended" and insert "alleged."

Page 1, line 19.—Leave out "in a state of adultery."

The same being read again by the Clerk,

The Honorable Mr. Ogilvie moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Montgomery,

That the said amendments be now agreed to.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was, on a division, resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate doth agree to the amendments made to the said Bill, without any amendment.

The Honorable the Speaker informed the House that he had received the following communication :—

OTTAWA, 23rd June, 1887.

SIR,—I have the honor to inform you that His Excellency the Governor General will proceed to the Senate Chamber to prorogue the Session of the Dominion Parliament on Thursday, the 23rd instant, at 8 o'clock p.m.

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

HENRY STREATFIELD, Captain,
Governor General's Secretary.

The Honorable
The Speaker of the Senate.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled : " An Act to amend the Revised Statutes, chapter five, respecting the Electoral Franchise," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass ?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The House was adjourned during pleasure.

After some time the House was resumed.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled : " An Act respecting the Council of the North-West Territories," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass ?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Revised Statutes, Chapter one hundred and seventy-three, respecting Threats, Intimidation and other Offences," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Forty first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to authorize the grant of certain subsidies in land for the construction of the Railways therein named," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The House was adjourned during pleasure.

After some time the House was resumed.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, to return the Bill intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Companies Act;'" and

Also, "An Act to empower the employees of incorporated companies to establish Pension Fund Societies," and to acquaint this House that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Senate to the said Bills without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—A Return to an address of the Senate, for copies of documents in reference to the appointment of A. F. Wood, Esquire, of Madoc, as Auditor or Arbitrator in connection with the Murray Canal; the sums of money paid the said A. F. Wood from time to time for his services, together with the vouchers therefor, and more especially for the month of November, 1886, giving the number of days of actual service, and the amount paid to him or to his order for that month.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 42b.*)

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—A Return to an Address of the Senate, dated the 16th June, 1887,

for copy of the Returns made to the Commissioner of Inland Revenue by the several parties licensed to sell alcoholic liquor in the United Counties of Leeds and Grenville since the adoption of the "Canada Temperance Act" in the said counties, giving the names of the parties authorizing the sale, the quantities in each case, and the names of the parties purchasing.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 89.*)

The Honorable Mr. Abbott, a Member of the Privy Council for Canada, presented to the House,—A Return to an Address dated Friday, 17th June, 1887, for copies of all complaints which have been made by the authorities of the St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, since the 24th April, 1886, against Adolphe Lefavre, formerly an employé of the Penitentiary; as also of all reports which the Inspector may have made since the same date against the said Lefavre, together with copies of the decisions which the Honorable the Minister of Justice may have given upon these reports and complaints.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 4q.*)

The House was adjourned during pleasure.

After some time the House was resumed.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill intituled: "An Act to authorize the granting of Subsidies in aid of the Construction of the lines of Railway therein mentioned," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with 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, 1887, and the 30th June, 1888, and for other purposes relating to the Public Service," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Smith, it was

Ordered, that the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with, in so far as it relates to the said Bill, and that the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The House was adjourned during pleasure.

After some time the House was resumed.

His Excellency the Most Honorable Sir HENRY CHARLES KEITH PETTY-FITZMAURICE, Marquis of Lansdowne, in the County of Somerset, Earl of Wycombe, of Chipping-Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, Viscount Calu and Calnstone in the County of Wilts, and Lord Wycombe, Baron of Chipping-Wycombe, in the County of Bucks, in the Peerage of Great Britain, Earl of Kerry and Earl of Sheburne, Viscount Clanmaurice and Fitzmaurice, Baron of Kerry, Lixnaw and Dunkerron, in the Peerage of Ireland; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George, Governor General of Canada, and Vice Admiral of the same, &c., &c., &c., being seated in the Chair on the Throne.

The Honorable the Speaker commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the House of Commons and acquaint that House—"It is His Excellency's pleasure they attend him immediately in this House."

Who, being come with their Speaker,

The Clerk of the Crown in Chancery read the Titles of the Bills to be passed, severally, as follow:—

An Act to amend the Act respecting Public Officers.

An Act to amend the Act respecting Offences against Public Morals and Public Convenience.

An Act respecting Public Stores.

An Act respecting the St. Catharines and Niagara Central Railway Company.

An Act respecting the Ontario Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company.

An Act respecting the Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada.

An Act respecting the Rocky Mountains Park of Canada.

An Act respecting the Representation of the North-West Territories in the Senate of Canada.

An Act to incorporate the Manufacturers' Life Insurance Company.

An Act to amend the Penitentiary Act.

An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the Hamilton, Guelph and Buffalo Railway Company, and to change the name of the Company to the "Hamilton Central Railway Company."

An Act to incorporate the Collingwood General and Marine Hospital.

An Act to amend the Act respecting Sick and Distressed Mariners.

An Act to amend the law respecting Procedure in Criminal Cases.

An Act to amend the Act respecting Canned Goods.

An Act respecting the Ontario and Quebec Railway Company.

An Act to incorporate the Canadian Society of Civil Engineers.

An Act to incorporate the Halifax and West India Steamship Company (Limited).

An Act to incorporate the Equity Insurance Company.

An Act respecting the Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Company.

An Act to authorize the Grange Trust (Limited) to wind up its affairs.

An Act to incorporate the Canadian Horse Insurance Company.

An Act to enable the Freehold Loan and Savings Company to extend their business, and for other purposes.

An Act further to amend the Act incorporating the Western Assurance Company and other Acts affecting the same.

An Act to incorporate the Guarantee and Pension Fund Society of the Dominion Bank.

An Act to authorize and provide for the winding up of the Pictou Bank.

- An Act respecting the conveyance of Liquors on board Her Majesty's Ships in Canadian Waters.
- An Act to amend "The Dominion Controverted Elections Act."
- An Act respecting the Edmonton and Saskatchewan Land Company (Limited).
- An Act to amend the North-West Territories Act.
- An Act to incorporate the Bay of Quinté Bridge Company.
- An Act to incorporate the Kingston, Smith's Falls and Ottawa Railway Company.
- An Act to incorporate the Oshawa Railway and Navigation Company.
- An Act respecting the Midland Railway of Canada.
- An Act respecting the Grand Trunk, Georgian Bay and Lake Erie Railway Company.
- An Act to incorporate the Prescott County Railway Company.
- An Act to incorporate the Niagara Falls Bridge Company.
- An Act to incorporate the Massawippi Junction Railway Company.
- An Act to incorporate the Canada Accident Assurance Company.
- An Act to incorporate the Upper Columbia Railway Company.
- An Act to incorporate the Londonderry Iron Company.
- An Act to amend the Act incorporating the Alberta and Athabasca Railway Company.
- An Act to incorporate the Kincardine and Teeswater Railway Company.
- An Act to incorporate the Goderich and Canadian Pacific Junction Railway Company.
- An Act to revive and amend the Act to incorporate "The Saint Gabriel Levee and Railway Company."
- An Act respecting the Defacing of Counterfeit Notes and the use of Imitations of Notes.
- An Act to amend the Act respecting the Department of Finance and the Treasury Board.
- An Act to provide for the payment of a yearly allowance to Godefroi Laviolette, late Warden of the Penitentiary at St. Vincent de Paul.
- An Act to incorporate the Cobourg, Blairton and Marmora Railway and Mining Company.
- An Act respecting the Ottawa and Gatineau Valley Railway Company.
- An Act to incorporate the Dominion Oil Pipe Line and Manufacturing Company.
- An Act to reduce the Stock of the Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land Company (Limited), and for other purposes.
- An Act respecting the Atlantic and North-West Railway Company.
- An Act to incorporate the Teeswater and Inverhuron Railway Company.
- An Act to enable the Western Canada Loan and Savings Company to extend their business, and for other purposes.
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- An Act to incorporate the Royal Victoria Hospital.
- An Act to incorporate the Hereford Branch Railway Company.
- An Act to revive and amend the Act incorporating the "Anglo-Canadian Bank."
- An Act respecting the Western Counties Railway Company.
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- An Act to amend "The Chinese Immigration Act."
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- An Act for the relief of Susan Ash.
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- An Act to amend "The Companies Act."
- An Act to authorize the granting of Subsidies in aid of the construction of the lines of Railway therein mentioned.

To these Bills the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of this House in the words following:—

"In Her Majesty's name His Excellency the Governor General doth assent to these Bills."

Then the Honorable the Speaker of the House of Commons addressed His Excellency the Governor General as followeth:—

"MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY:—

"The Commons of Canada have voted the Supplies required to enable the Government to defray the expenses of the Public Service.

"In the name of the Commons, I present to Your Excellency the following Bill:—
 '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, 1887, and the 30th June, 1888, and for other purposes relating to the Public Service,'
 to which Bill I humbly request Your Excellency's assent."

To this Bill the Clerk of this House, by His Excellency's command, did thereupon say:—

"In Her Majesty's name, His Excellency the Governor General thanks Her Loyal subjects, accepts their benevolence, and assents to this Bill."

His Excellency the Governor General was then pleased to deliver the following Speech:—

Honorable Gentlemen of the Senate:

Gentlemen of the House of Commons:

In relieving you from further attendance in Parliament, I desire to convey to you my appreciation of the diligence and earnestness which you have shown in the performance of your important duties.

I thank you in the Queen's name for the cordial and affectionate congratulations you have offered to Her Majesty on the completion of the Fiftieth anniversary of Her happy reign.

I have taken care to transmit your loyal Address to be laid at the foot of the Throne.

The readjustment of the Tariff, for the purpose of further developing our home industries, upon principles which have been received with such marked acceptance by the people of Canada, will, it is confidently expected, in an especial manner encourage the working of our vast mines of iron and coal, and promote the production within our own country of all the more important iron manufactures.

The establishment of a Department of Trade and Commerce under the supervision of a responsible Minister, and the measures you have passed for the better organization of other Departments of Government, will, I trust, tend to aid in the extension of our home and foreign trade, as well as to improve the efficiency of the Public Service.

The numerous Acts, relating to railway and other industrial enterprises, to which I have given Her Majesty's assent, indicate a steady growth in the national progress of the Dominion, and your liberal appropriation for the construction of the Sault Ste. Marie Canal ensures the completion of our great system of inland navigation at an early period.

Our agricultural population will, I am sure, learn with much pleasure of the provision you have made for the maintenance of the Experimental Farm in this vicinity, and the establishment of auxiliary stations in the several Provinces.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons:

In Her Majesty's name I thank you for the provision you have made for the requirements of the Public Service. I shall see that it is applied with all due regard to economy.

Honorable Gentlemen of the Senate:

Gentlemen of the House of Commons:

I trust that under the blessing of Almighty God the present promise of an abundant harvest may be fully realized, and that when we meet again I shall be able to

congratulate you on a still further increase in the general prosperity of the country. Meanwhile, I bid you farewell.

The Speaker of the Senate then said :—

Honorable Gentlemen of the Senate and Gentlemen of the House of Commons :

It is His Excellency the Governor General's will and pleasure, that this Parliament be prorogued until Tuesday, the second day of August next, to be here held, and this Parliament is accordingly prorogued until Tuesday, the second day of August next.

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1ST SESSION, 6TH PARLIAMENT, 50TH AND 51ST VICTORIA.

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Bill brought up and read 1^o, 118. Order of the Day for second reading postponed, 129, 141, 142. Read 2^o, 153. Committee of the Whole, postponed, 161. Committed, 169. Reported without amendment, 170. Read 3^o, 170. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 170. Royal Assent, 265. (Chapter 50, 50 Vic., 1887.)

26.—CUSTOMS DUTIES ACT AMENDMENT:

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 260. Rule 41 dispensed with, 260. Read 2^o, 260. Read 3^o, 260. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 260. Royal Assent, 268. (Chapter 39, 50 Vic., 1887.)

27.—DEFAUCING OF COUNTERFEIT NOTES:

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 157. Read 2^o, 172. Committed, 188. Reported without amendment, 188. Read 3^o, 195. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 195. Royal Assent, 266. (Chapter 47, 50 Vic., 1887.)

28.—DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE ACT AMENDMENT:

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 214. Read 2^o, 238. Rule 41 dispensed with, 239. Read 3^o, 239. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 239. Royal Assent, 267. (Chapter 12, 50 Vic., 1887.)

29.—DEPARTMENT OF CUSTOMS AND INLAND REVENUE:

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 211. Read 2^o, 238. Committed, 242. Reported without amendment, 242. Read 3^o, 242. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 242. Royal Assent, 267. (Chapter 11, 50 Vic., 1887.)

30.—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND TREASURY BOARD AMENDMENT:

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 184. Read 2^o, 195. Rule 41 dispensed with, 195. Read 3^o, 195. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 195. Royal Assent, 266. (Chapter 13, 50 Vic., 1887.)

31.—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND TREASURY BOARD FURTHER AMENDMENT:

Bill presented and read 1^o, 213. Read 2^o, 238. Rule 41 dispensed with, 238. Read 3^o, 238. Passed and sent to the Commons for concurrence, 238.

BILLS—Continued.**32.—DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND COMMERCE :**

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 185. Read 2^o, 202. Committed, 213. Reported without amendment, 213. Read 3^o, 213. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 213. Royal Assent, 267. (Chapter 10, 50 Vic., 1887.)

33.—DOMINION BANK GUARANTEE AND PENSION FUND SOCIETY INCORPORATION :

Petition read, 76. Reported, 98.
Bill brought up and read 1^o, 168. Rule 41 dispensed with, 168. Read 2^o, 168. Referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce, 168. Reported without amendment, 179. Read 3^o, 179. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 179. Royal Assent, 265. (Chapter 55, 50 Vic., 1887.)

34.—DOMINION CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT AMENDMENT :

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 157. Read 2^o, 172. Committed, 188. Reported without amendment, 188. Read, 3^o, 188. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 188. Royal Assent, 266. (Chapter 7, 50 Vic., 1887.)

35.—DOMINION ELECTIONS ACT AMENDMENT :

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 211. Read, 2^o, 238. Rule 41 dispensed with, 238. Read 3^o, 238. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 238. Royal Assent, 267. (Chapter 6, 50 Vic., 1887.)

36.—DOMINION LANDS ACT AMENDMENT :

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 230. Read 2^o, 239. Committed, 243. Reported without amendment, 243. Read 3^o, 246. Passed, and the Commons acquainted thereof, 246. Royal Assent, 267. (Chapter 31, 50 Vic., 1887.)

37.—DOMINION OIL PIPE LINE AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY INCORPORATION :

Petition read, 57. Reported, 68.
Bill brought up and read 1^o, 184. Rule 41 dispensed with, 184. Read 2^o, 184. Referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, 184. Reported without amendment, 201. Read 3^o, 201. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 201. Royal Assent, 266. (Chapter 122, 50 Vic., 1887.)

38.—EASTERN CANADA SAVINGS AND LOAN COMPANY INCORPORATION :

Petition read, 37. Reported, 81.
Bill brought up and read 1^o, 158. Read 2^o, 173. Referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce, 173. Reported with amendments, 179. Amendments read and agreed to, 179. Read 3^o, 179. Passed and sent to the Commons for concurrence, 179. Returned by that House without amendment, 212. Royal Assent, 266. (Chapter 113, 50 Vic., 1887.)

BILLS—Continued.**39.—EDMONTON AND SASKATCHEWAN LAND COMPANY (LIMITED) :**

Petition read, 56. Reported 164.

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 165. Rule 41 dispensed with, 165. Read 2^o, 165. Referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, 165. Reported without amendment, 183. Read 3^o, 183. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 182. Royal Assent, 266. (Chapter 117, 50 Vic., 1887.)

40.—ELECTORAL FRANCHISE, R. S. CAP. 5, AMENDMENT :

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 262. Rule 41 dispensed with, 262. Read 2^o, 262. Read 3^o, 262. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 262. Royal Assent, 268. (Chapter 5, 50 Vic., 1887.)

41.—EMPIRE PRINTING AND PUBLISHING COMPANY INCORPORATION :

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 167. Rule 41 dispensed with, 167. Read 2^o, 167. Referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, 167. Reported with amendment, 183. Amendment read and agreed to, 183. Read 3^o, 184. Passed and sent to the Commons for concurrence, 184. Returned by that House without amendment, 212. Royal Assent, 266. (Chapter 123, 50 Vic., 1887.)

42.—EQUITY INSURANCE COMPANY INCORPORATION :

Petition read, 67. Reported, 81.

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 167. Rule 41 dispensed with, 167. Read 2^o, 167. Referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce, 167. Reported without amendment, 181. Read 3^o, 181. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 181. Royal Assent, 265. (Chapter 103, 50 Vic., 1887.)

43.—FREDERICTON AND SAINT MARY'S RAILWAY BRIDGE COMPANY ADVANCES :

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 243. Rule 41 dispensed with, 243. Read 2^o, 243. Committed, 246. Reported without amendment, 247. Read 3^o, 247. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 247. Royal Assent, 267. (Chapter 26, 50 Vic., 1887.)

44.—FREEHOLD LOAN AND SAVINGS COMPANY EXTENSION OF BUSINESS :

Petition read, 75. Reported, 81.

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 169. Rule 41 dispensed with, 169. Read 2^o, 169. Referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce, 169. Reported without amendment, 180. Read 3^o, 180. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 180. Royal Assent, 265. (Chapter 111, 50 Vic., 1887.)

45.—FREEHOLD LOAN AND SAVINGS COMPANY ACT OF PRESENT SESSION AMENDMENT :

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 229. Rule 41 dispensed with, 230. Read 2^o, 230. Read 3^o, 230. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 230. Royal Assent, 267. (Chapter 112, 50 Vic., 1887.)

*BILLS—Continued.***46.—GENERAL INSPECTION ACT AMENDMENT :**

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 243. Rule 41 dispensed with, 243. Read 2^o, 243. Committed, 247. Reported without amendment, 247. Read 3^o, 247. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 247. Royal Assent, 267. (Chapter 36, 50 Vic., 1887.)

47.—GODERICH AND CANADIAN PACIFIC JUNCTION RAILWAY COMPANY INCORPORATION :

Petition read, 42. Reported, 68.
 Bill brought up and read 1^o, 109. Read 2^o, 129. Referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, 129. Reported with amendments, 143. Amendments read and agreed to, 144. Consideration of amendments, 159. Read, 3^o, 159. Passed and sent to the Commons for concurrence, 159. Returned by that House, 192. Royal Assent, 266. (Chapter 91, 50 Vic., 1887.)

48.—GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS ACT AMENDMENT :

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 48. Read 2^o, 63. Order of the Day for putting the House into Committee of the Whole postponed, 71. Committed, 88. Reported with amendment, 88. Amendment read and agreed to, 88. Third reading postponed, 95, 104, 118. Read 3^o, 148. Passed and sent to the Commons for concurrence, 148. Returned by that House without amendment, 230. Royal Assent, 267. (Chapter 18, 50 Vic., 1887.)

49.—GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY COMPANY OF CANADA :

Petition read, 37. Reported, 47.
 Bill brought up and read 1^o, 76. Read 2^o, 89. Referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, 89. Reported without amendment, 99. Read 3^o, 99. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 99. Royal Assent, 266. (Chapter 57, 50 Vic., 1887.)

50.—GRAND TRUNK, GEORGIAN BAY AND LAKE ERIE RAILWAY COMPANY :

Petition read, 37. Reported, 98.
 Bill brought up and read 1^o, 166. Rule 41 dispensed with, 166. Read 2^o, 166. Referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, 166. Reported without amendment, 176. Read 3^o, 176. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 176. Royal Assent, 266. (Chapter 66, 50 Vic., 1887.)

51.—GRANGE TRUST (LIMITED) WIND UP AFFAIRS :

Petition read, 46. Reported, 85.
 Bill brought up and read 1^o, 140. Read 2^o, 159. Referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce, 159. Reported without amendment, 180. Read 3^o, 180. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 180. Royal Assent, 265. (Chapter 116, 50 Vic., 1887.)

BILLS—Continued.**52.—GUELPH JUNCTION RAILWAY COMPANY :**

Petition read, 106. Reported, 121.

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 212. Rule 41 dispensed with, 212. Read 2^o, 212. Referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, 212. Reported without amendment, 227. Read 3^o, 227. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 227. Royal Assent, 267. (Chapter 59, 50 Vic., 1887.)

53.—HALIFAX AND WEST INDIA STEAMSHIP COMPANY INCORPORATION :

Petition read, 37. Reported, 164.

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 166. Rule 41 dispensed with, 166. Read 2^o, 166. Referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce, 166. Reported without amendment, 181. Read 3^o, 181. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 181. Royal Assent, 265. (Chapter 100, 50 Vic., 1887.)

54.—HAMILTON, GUELPH AND BUFFALO RAILWAY COMPANY CHANGE NAME :

Petition read, 22. Reported, 47.

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 140. Read 2^o, 152. Referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, 152. Reported without amendment, 161, 162. Read 3^o, 162. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 162. Royal Assent, 265. (Chapter 63, 50 Vic., 1887.)

55.—HEREFORD BRANCH RAILWAY COMPANY INCORPORATION :

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 204. Rule 41 dispensed with, 204. Read 2^o, 204. Referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, 204. Reported with amendments, 206. Amendments read and agreed to, 207. Read 3^o, 207. Passed and sent to the Commons for concurrence, 207. Returned by that House without amendment, 251. Royal Assent, 268. (Chapter 93, 50 Vic., 1887.)

56.—IMMIGRATION ACT AMENDMENT :

Bill presented and read 1^o, 191. Order of the Day for second reading postponed; Rule 41 dispensed with, 191. Read 2^o, 191. Read 3^o, 191. Passed and sent to the Commons for concurrence, 191. Returned by that House without amendment, 260. Royal Assent, 268. (Chapter 34, 50 Vic., 1887.)

57.—IMPERIAL TRUSTS COMPANY OF CANADA INCORPORATION :

Petition read, 56. Reported, 68.

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 139. Order of the Day for second reading postponed, 152. Read 2^o, 160. Referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce, 160. Reported with amendments, 191. Amendments read and agreed to, 191. Read 3^o, 202. Passed and sent to the Commons for concurrence, 202. Returned by that House without amendment, 230. Royal Assent, 267. (Chapter 115, 50 Vic., 1887.)

BILLS—Continued.**58.—INDIAN ACT AMEND REVISED STATUTES OF CANADA :**

Bill presented and read 1°, 123. Order of the Day for second reading postponed, 141, 152. Discharged from the Orders of the Day, 171.

59.—INDIAN ACT AMENDMENT :

Bill presented and read 1°, 171. Read 2°, 187. Committed, 196. Reported without amendment, 196. Read 3°, 202. Passed and sent to the Commons for concurrence, 202. Returned by that House without amendment, 260. Royal Assent, 268. (Chapter 33, 50 Vic., 1887.)

60.—JUDGES OF PROVINCIAL COURTS, R. S. CAP. 138, AMENDMENT :

Bill brought up and read 1°, 244. Rule 41 dispensed with, 244. Read 2°, 244. Committed, 248. Reported without amendment, 248. Read 3°, 248. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 248. Royal Assent, 267. (Chapter 15, 50 Vic., 1887.)

61.—KINGARDINE AND TEESWATER RAILWAY COMPANY INCORPORATION :

Petition read, 27. Reported, 38.
do 67.

Bill brought up and read 1°, 104. Read 2°, 114. Referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, 114. Reported with amendments, 143. Amendments read and agreed to, 143. Read 3°, 143. Passed and sent to the Commons for concurrence, 143. Returned by that House without amendment, 192. Royal Assent, 266. (Chapter 83, 50 Vic., 1887.)

62.—KINGARDINE AND TEESWATER RAILWAY COMPANY, AMEND ACT OF THE PRESENT SESSION :

Bill brought up and read 1°, 203. Rule 41 dispensed with, 204. Read 2°, 204. Referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, 204. Reported with amendment, 206. Amendment read and agreed to, 206. Read 3°, 206. Passed and sent to the Commons for concurrence, 206. Returned by that House without amendment, 250. Royal Assent, 268. (Chapter 84, 50 Vic., 1887.)

63.—KINGSTON, SMITH'S FALLS AND OTTAWA RAILWAY COMPANY INCORPORATION :

Petition read, 46. Reported, 107.
Bill brought up and read 1°, 158. Read 2°, 172. Referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, 172. Reported without amendment, 177. Read 3°, 177. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 177. Royal Assent, 266. (Chapter 88, 50 Vic., 1887.)

64.—LANDS EXPROPRIATION, R.S. CAP. 39, AMENDMENT :

Bill brought up and read 1°, 244. Rule 41 dispensed with, 245. Read 2°, 245. Committed, 249. Reported without amendment, 249. Read 3°, 249. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 249. Royal Assent, 267. (Chapter 17, 50 Vic., 1887.)

BILLS—Continued.**65.—LAVELL RELIEF BILL :**

Petition presented, 26. Clerk's certificate, 26. Return of service, 49. Read, 50. Reported, 69.

Bill presented and read 1^o, 70. Order for second reading on Tuesday, 31st May; Notice affixed on the door; Senators summoned, 70. Clerk's certificate that notice has been affixed upon the door for fourteen days, 112. Order for second reading be further considered, 112. Evidence of Arthur Elliott, 114, 115. Read 2^o, 115. Committee appointed, 115. Protest from Ada M. Fralick, 115. First report of Committee, with amendments, 162, 163. Consideration postponed, 186. Consideration, 193. Adopted, 193. Committed, 194. Reported with amendments, 194. Amendments agreed to, 194. Read 3^o, 194. Passed and sent to the Commons for concurrence, with papers, 194. Returned with amendment, 251. Amendment agreed to, 251. Royal Assent, 268. (Chapter 128, 50 Vic., 1887.)

66.—LAVIOLETTE, GODFROI, YEARLY ALLOWANCE :—

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 184. Read 2^o, 195. Rule 41 dispensed with, 196. Read 3^o, 196. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 196. Royal Assent, 266. (Chapter 44, 50 Vic., 1887.)

67.—LEGISLATORS AND JUDGES FREE OF CHARGE OVER RAILWAYS :

Bill presented and read 1^o, 85. Order of the Day for second reading postponed, 96, 128. Discharged from the Orders of the Day, 170.

68.—LIQUORS CONVEYANCE ON BOARD H. M. SHIPS IN CANADIAN WATERS :

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 157. Read 2^o, 171. Committed, 187. Reported without amendment, 187. Read 3^o, 188. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 188. Royal Assent, 266. (Chapter 46, 50 Vic., 1887.)

69.—LONDONDERBY IRON COMPANY INCORPORATION :

Petition read, 56. Reported, 69.

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 167. Rule 41 dispensed with, 167. Read 2^o, 167. Referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce, 167. Reported without amendment, 181. Read 3^o, 181. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 181. Royal Assent, 266. (Chapter 121, 50 Vic., 1887.)

70.—MANITOBA AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY COMPANY OF CANADA :

Petition read, 56. Reported, 85.

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 197. Rule 41 dispensed with, 198. Read 2^o, 198. Referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, 198. Reported with amendments, 199. Amendments read and agreed to, 200. Read 3^o, 200. Passed and sent to the Commons for concurrence, 200. Returned, by that House without amendment, 250. Royal Assent, 267. (Chapter 79, 50 Vic., 1887.)

BILLS—Continued.**71.—MANITOBA SOUTH-WESTERN COLONIZATION RAILWAY COMPANY :**

Praying to be permitted to present a Petition, 117.

145. Read, 175. Reported, 216.

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 215. Referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, 215. Read 2^o, 216. Referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, 216. Reported without amendment, 240. Read 3^o, 240. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 240. Royal Assent, 267. (Chapter 80, 50 Vic., 1887.)

72.—MANUFACTURERS' ACCIDENT INSURANCE COMPANY INCORPORATION :

Petition read, 89.

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 202. Rule 41 dispensed with, 202. Read 2^o, 202. Referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce, 202. Reported without amendment, 207. Read 3^o, 207. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 207. Royal Assent, 267. (Chapter 105, 50 Vic., 1887.)

73.—MANUFACTURERS LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY INCORPORATION :

Petition read, 36. Reported, 47.

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 109. Read 2^o, 129. Referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce, 129. Reported without amendment, 130. Read 3^o, 130. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 130. Royal Assent, 265. (Chapter 104, 50 Vic., 1887.)

74.—MASSAWIPPI JUNCTION RAILWAY COMPANY INCORPORATION :

Petition read, 27. Reported, 85.

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 158. Read 2^o, 172. Referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, 172. Reported without amendment, 177. Read 3^o, 177. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 177. Royal Assent, 266. (Chapter 94, 50 Vic., 1887.)

75.—MIDLAND RAILWAY COMPANY OF CANADA :

Petition read, 37. Reported, 144.

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 165. Rule 41 dispensed with, 165. Read 2^o, 165. Referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, 166. Reported without amendment, 175. Read 3^o, 176. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 176. Royal Assent, 266. (Chapter 65, 50 Vic., 1887.)

76.—MONTEITH RELIEF BILL :—

Petition presented, 41. Clerk's certificate, 58. Notice for Bill of Divorce with affidavits attached, 58 to 63. Read, 63. Reported, 80.

Bill presented and read 1^o, 81. Order for second reading on Thursday 2nd June; Notice affixed on the doors; Senators summoned, 81. Clerk's certificate that Notice has been affixed upon the doors for fourteen days, 123. Affidavits, 124 to 128. Examination of Petitioner at the Bar dispensed with, 128. Read 2^o, 128. Committee appointed, 128. Reported with amendments, 138. Consideration of Report postponed, 151, 152. Adopted, 159, 160. Read 3^o, 160. Passed and sent to Commons for concurrence, with papers, 160. Returned without amendment, 230. Royal Assent, 267. (Chapter 129, 50 Vic., 1887.)

BILLS—Continued.

77.—MONTREAL HARBOR COMMISSIONERS ACT AMENDMENT :

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 211. Read 2^o, 237. Rule 41 dispensed with, 238. Read 3^o, 238. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 238. Royal Assent, 267. (Chapter 42, 50 Vic., 1887.)

78.—NEW BRUNSWICK RAILWAY COMPANY :

Petition read, 97. Reported, 182.
Bill brought up and read 1^o, 197. Rule 41 dispensed with, 197. Read 2^o, 197. Referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, 197. Reported with amendments, 199. Amendments read and agreed to, 199. Read 3^o, 199. Passed and sent to the Commons for concurrence, 199. Returned by that House without amendment, 230. Royal Assent, 267. (Chapter 76, 50 Vic., 1887.)

79.—NIAGARA FALLS BRIDGE COMPANY INCORPORATION :

Petition read, 66. Reported, 98. Read, 119.
Bill brought up and read, 1^o, 140. Read 2^o, 152. Referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, 152. Reported without amendment, 175. Read 3^o, 175. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 175. Royal Assent, 266. (Chapter 96, 50 Vic., 1887.)

80.—NOEL RELIEF BILL :

Petition presented, 17. Clerk's certificate, 26. Return of service, 29. Read, 30. Reported, 37.
Bill presented, and read 1^o, 38. Order for second reading on Thursday 12th May; Notice affixed on the doors; Senators summoned, 38, 39. Clerk's certificate that Notice has been affixed upon the doors for fourteen days, 50. Examination of H. D. Lawrence, 50, 51. Examination of Petitioner at the Bar dispensed with, 51. Read 2^o, 51. Committee appointed and shorthand writer, 51, 52. Reported with amendment, 57, 58. Consideration of, postponed, 71. Report adopted, 76. Read 3^o, 77. Passed and sent to Commons for concurrence, with papers, 77. Returned without amendment, 230. Royal Assent, 267. (Chapter 130, 50 Vic., 1887.)

81. NORTH-WEST TERRITORIES ACT AMENDMENT :

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 157. Read 2^o, 172. Committed, 188. Reported without amendment, 188. Read 3^o, 188. Passed, and the Commons acquainted thereof, 188. Royal Assent, 266. (Chapter 23, 50 Vic., 1887.)

82. NORTH-WEST TERRITORIES COUNCIL :

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 262. Read 2^o, 262. Read 3^o, 262. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 262. Royal Assent, 268. (Chapter 29, 50 Vic., 1887.)

83. NORTH-WEST TERRITORIES REPRESENTATION IN THE SENATE OF CANADA :

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 49. Read 3^o, 86. Committed, 95. Reported with amendment, 96. Amendment read and agreed to, 96. Read 3^o, 101. Passed and sent to the Commons for concurrence, 101. Returned by that House without amendment, 112. Royal Assent, 265. (Chapter 3, 50 Vic., 1887.)

BILLS—Continued.**84. NOVA SCOTIA PERMANENT BENEFIT BUILDING SOCIETY :**

Petition read, 22. Reported, 47.

Bill presented and read 1^o, 48. Read 2^o, 86. Referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce, 86. Reported with amendments, 108. Amendments read and agreed to, 109. Read 3^o, 114. Passed and sent to the Commons for concurrence, 114. Returned by that House with amendments, 250. Amendments made by the Commons agreed to by the Senate, 250. Royal Assent, 267. (Chapter 114, 50 Vic., 1887.)

85. OFFENCES AGAINST PUBLIC MORALS AND PUBLIC CONVENIENCE ACT AMENDMENT :

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 49. Read 2^o, 71. Committed, 87. Reported without amendment, 87. Read 3^o, 87. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 87. Royal Assent, 265. (Chapter 48, 50 Vic., 1887.)

86.—OXFORD JUNCTION AND NEW GLASGOW BRANCH OF THE INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY :

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 211. Read 2^o, 238. Committed, 242. Reported without amendment, 243. Read 3^o, 246. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 246. Royal Assent, 267. (Chapter 27, 50 Vic., 1887.)

87.—ONTARIO PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY :

Petition read, 67. Reported, 85.

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 212. Rule 41 dispensed with, 213. Read 2^o, 213. Referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, 213. Reported without amendment, 227. Read 3^o, 227. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 227. Royal Assent, 267. (Chapter 58, 50 Vic., 1887.)

88.—ONTARIO AND QU'APPELLE LAND COMPANY, REDUCTION OF STOCK :

Petition read, 67. Reported, 81.

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 148. Read 2^o, 170. Referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, 170. Reported without amendment, 201. Read 3^o, 201. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 202. Royal Assent, 266. (Chapter 118, 50 Vic., 1887.)

89.—ONTARIO AND QUEBEC RAILWAY COMPANY :

Petition read, 56. Reported, 68.

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 94. Read 2^o, 105. Referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, 105. Reported with amendment, 120. Amendment read and agreed to, 120. Read 3^o, 120. Passed and sent to the Commons for concurrence, 120. Returned by that House without amendment, 185. Royal Assent, 265. (Chapter 62, 50 Vic., 1887.)

BILLS—Continued.

90.—ONTARIO SAULT STE. MARIE RAILWAY COMPANY :

Petition read, 37. Reported, 68.
 Bill brought up and read 1^o, 72. Read 2^o, 89. Referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, 89. Reported without amendment, 98. Read 3^o, 98. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 98. Royal Assent, 265. (Chapter 61, 50 Vic., 1887.)

91.—OSHAWA RAILWAY AND NAVIGATION COMPANY INCORPORATION :

Petition read, 42. Reported, 85.
 Bill brought up and read 1^o, 168. Rule 41 dispensed with, 163. Read 2^o, 168. Referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, 168. Reported without amendment, 176. Read 3^o, 176. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 176. Royal Assent, 266. (Chapter 92, 50 Vic., 1887.)

92.—OTTAWA AND GATINEAU VALLEY RAILWAY COMPANY :

Petition read, 57. Reported, 121.
 Bill brought up and read 1^o, 197. Rule 41 dispensed with, 197. Read 2^o, 197. Referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs, and Harbors, 197. Reported without amendment, 199. Read 3^o, 199. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 199. Royal Assent, 266. (Chapter 74, 50 Vic., 1887.)

93.—PENITENTIARY ACT AMENDMENT :

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 118. Order of the Day for second reading postponed, 129, 141. Read 2^o, 152. Committed, 160. Reported without amendment, 160. Read 3^o, 160. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 160. Royal Assent, 265. (Chapter 52, 50 Vic., 1887.)

94.—PENSION FUND SOCIETIES :

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 251. Rule 41 dispensed with, 251. Read 2^o, 251. Committed, 251. Reported with amendments, 251. Amendments read and agreed to, 251. Read 3^o, 252. Passed and sent to the Commons for concurrence, 252. Returned by that House without amendment, 263. Royal Assent, 268. (Chapter 21, 50 Vic., 1887.)

95.—PICTOU BANK WINDING UP :

Petition read, 57. Reported, 164.
 Bill brought up and read 1^o, 169. Rule 41 dispensed with, 169. Read 2^o, 169. Referred to the Committee on Banking and Commerce, 169. Reported without amendment, 178, 179. Read 3^o, 179. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 179. Royal Assent, 265. (Chapter 51, 50 Vic., 1887.)

96.—PONTIAC PACIFIC JUNCTION RAILWAY COMPANY ACT AMENDMENT :

Petition read, 57. Reported, 68.
 Bill brought up and read 1^o, 236. Rule 41 dispensed with, 236. Read 2^o, 236. Referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, 236. Reported with amendments, 240. Amendments read and agreed to, 241. Read 3^o, 241. Passed and sent to the Commons for concurrence, 241. Returned by that House without amendment, 258. Royal Assent, 268. (Chapter 73, 50 Vic., 1887.)

BILLS—Continued.**97.—PRESOTT COUNTY RAILWAY COMPANY INCORPORATION :**

Petition not presented. 51st Rule suspended, 146. Reported, 146.
 Bill brought up and read 1°, 140. Read 2°, 158. Referred to the Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbors, 158. Reported without amendment, 175. Read 3°, 175. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 175. Royal Assent, 266. (Chapter 82, 50 Vic., 1887.)

98.—PRIMITIVE METHODIST COLONIZATION COMPANY :

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99.—PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND ADDITIONAL SUBSIDY :

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100.—PUBLIC OFFICERS ACT AMENDMENT :

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101.—PUBLIC STORES :

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102.—QUEBEC BRIDGE COMPANY INCORPORATION :

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103.—QUEBEC HARBOR GRAVING DOCK IMPROVEMENTS, FURTHER ADVANCE :

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104.—QUEBEC AND JAMES' BAY RAILWAY COMPANY, REVIVE AND AMEND :

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106.—REAL PROPERTY IN THE NORTH-WEST TERRITORIES :

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107.—REPRESENTATION IN HOUSE OF COMMONS, ADDITION TO R. S., CAP. 6 :

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108.—RICHELIEU AND ONTARIO NAVIGATION COMPANY :

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110.—ROYAL VICTORIA HOSPITAL INCORPORATION :

Petition read, 114. Reported, 121.

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112.—SAINT MARTIN'S AND UPHAM RAILWAY COMPANY SELL PROPERTY :

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113.—ST. CATHARINES AND NIAGARA CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY :

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114.—ST. LAWRENCE RIVER IMPROVEMENT :

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115.—SICK AND DISTRESSED MARINERS AMENDMENT :

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116.—SOLICITOR GENERAL APPOINTMENT :

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117.—SOUTH NORFOLK RAILWAY COMPANY INCORPORATION :

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119.—SPEEDY TRIALS ACT AMENDMENT :

Bill brought up and read 1^o, 215. Read 2^o, 239. Rule 41 dispensed with, 239. Read 3^o, 239. Passed and the Commons acquainted thereof, 239. Royal Assent, 267. (Chapter 51, 50 Vic., 1887.)

120.—STATUTES, PUBLICATION OF R. S., CAP. 2, AMENDMENT :

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121.—SUBSIDIES IN AID FOR CONSTRUCTION OF LINES OF RAILWAY NAMED :

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122.—SUBSIDIES IN LAND FOR CONSTRUCTION OF RAILWAYS :

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123.—SUBSIDIES IN LAND FOR CONSTRUCTION OF RAILWAY AMENDMENT :

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124.—SUPPLY BILL :

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125.—SUPREME AND EXCHEQUER COURTS ACT AMENDMENT :

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127.—TÉMISCOUATA RAILWAY COMPANY AMEND CHARTER :

Petition read, 67. Reported, 85.

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128.—THREATS, INTIMIDATION, R. S. CAP. 173, AMENDMENT :

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129.—UPPER COLUMBIA RAILWAY COMPANY INCORPORATION :

Petition read, 56. Reported, 81.

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130.—WATERLOO AND MAGOG RAILWAY COMPANY :

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131.—WESTERN ASSURANCE COMPANY FURTHER AMEND ACT OF INCORPORATION :

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133.—WESTERN COUNTIES RAILWAY COMPANY :

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134.—WESTERN COUNTIES RAILWAY COMPANY, AGREEMENT WITH HER MAJESTY :

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