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LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

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THEODORE ROBITAILLE.

*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 Legislative Councillors of the Province of *Quebec*, and the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our said Province, and summoned and called to a Meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at Our City of *Quebec*, on the TENTH day of the month of DECEMBER, in the year of Our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and seventy nine, to have been commenced and held, and to every of you—

GREETING :

A PROCLAMATION.

**W**HEREAS the Meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of the Province of *Quebec*, stands called for the TENTH day of the month of DECEMBER, one thousand eight hundred and seventy nine, at which time, at Our City of *Quebec*, 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 Executive Council of the Province of *Quebec*, 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 that on THURSDAY, the TWENTY NINTH day of the month of JANUARY next, you meet Us, in Our Legislature or Parliament of the said Province, at Our City of *Quebec*, and therein to do as may seem necessary. **HEREIN FAIL NOT.**

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Our said Province of *Quebec*, to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, Our Trusty and Well Beloved the Honorable THÉODORE ROBITAILLE, Lieutenant Governor of Our said Province of *Quebec*.

At Our Government House, in Our City of *Quebec*, in Our said Province of *Quebec*, this FOURTH day of DECEMBER, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy nine, and in the forty third year of Our Reign.

By command,

L. H. HUOT;

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery,  
Quebec.

CANADA,  
Province of Quebec.



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GREETING:

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the Meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of the Province of *Quebec* stands called for the TWENTY NINTH day of the month of JANUARY, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, at which time, at Our City of *Quebec*, 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 Executive Council of the Province of *Quebec*, 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 that on SATURDAY, the TWENTY EIGHTH day of the month of FEBRUARY next, you meet Us, in Our Legislature or Parliament of the said Province, at Our City of *Quebec*, and therein to do as may seem necessary.  
HEREIN FAIL NOT.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Our said Province of *Quebec*, to be hereunto affixed : WITNESS, Our Trusty and Well Beloved the Honorable THEODORE ROBITAILLE, Lieutenant Governor of Our said Province of *Quebec*.

At Our Government House, in Our City of *Quebec*, in Our said Province of *Quebec*, this TWENTY FIRST day of JANUARY, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty, and in the forty third year of Our Reign:

By command,  
L. H. HUOT,  
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery.  
QUEBEC.

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GREETING :

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the Meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of the Province of *Quebec* stands called for the TWENTY EIGHTH day of the month of FEBRUARY, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, at which time, at Our City of *Quebec*, 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 Executive Council of the Province of *Quebec*, 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 that on TUESDAY, the THIRTIETH day of the month of MARCH next, you meet Us, in Our Legislature or Parliament of the said Province, at Our City of *Quebec*, and therein to do as may seem necessary. HERBY ENJOINED

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Our said Province of *Quebec*, to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, Our Trusty and Well Beloved the Honorable THÉODORE ROBITAILLE, Lieutenant Governor of Our said Province of *Quebec*.

At Our Government House, in Our City of *Quebec*, in Our said Province of *Quebec*, this EIGHTEENTH day of FEBRUARY, in the year of Our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, and in the forty third year of Our Reign.

By command,  
L. H. HUOT,  
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GREETING :

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the Meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of the Province of *Quebec*, stands called for the THIRTIETH day of the month of MARCH, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, at which time, at Our City of *Quebec*, 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 Executive Council of the Province of *Quebec*, to relieve you, and each of you of your attendance at the time aforesaid, hereby convoking and by this presents enjoining you and each of you that on THURSDAY, the TWENTY NINTH day of the month of APRIL next, you meet Us, in Our Legislature or Parliament of the said Province, at Our City of *Quebec*, and therein to do as may seem necessary. HEREIN FAIL NOT.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Our said Province of *Quebec*, to be hereunto affixed : WITNESS, Our Trusty and Well Beloved the Honorable THÉODORE ROBITAILLE, Lieutenant Governor of Our said Province of *Quebec*.

At Our Government House, in Our City of *Quebec*, in Our said Province of *Quebec*, this TWENTY SEVENTH day of MARCH, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty, and in the forty third year of Our Reign.

By command,  
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Clerk of the Crown in Chancery,  
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GREETING :

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the Meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of the Province of *Quebec*, stands called for the TWENTY NINTH day of the month of APRIL, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, at which time, at Our City of *Quebec*, 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 Executive Council of the Province of *Quebec*, 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 that on FRIDAY, the TWENTY EIGHTH day of the month of MAY next, you meet Us, in Our Legislature or Parliament of the said Province, at Our City of *Quebec*, and therein to do as may seem necessary.  
HEREIN FAIL NOT.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Our said Province of *Quebec*, to be hereunto affixed : WITNESS, Our Trusty and Well Beloved the Honorable THEODORE ROBITAILLE, Lieutenant Governor of Our said Province of *Quebec*.

At Our Government House, in Our City of *Quebec*, in Our said Province of *Quebec*, this TWENTY SECOND day of APRIL, in the year of Our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, and in the forty third year of Our Reign.

By command,  
L. H. HUOT,  
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery,  
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Province of *Quebec*.



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To Our Beloved and Faithful the Legislative Councillors of the Province of *Quebec*, and the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our said Province, and summoned and called to a Meeting of the Legislature of Our said Province, at Our City of *Quebec*, on the TWENTY EIGHTH day of the month of MAY instant, to have been commenced and held—

GREETING :

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the Meeting of the Legislature of the Province of *Quebec*, stands prorogued to the TWENTY EIGHTH day of the month of MAY instant, but not for the Dispatch of Business, and that for certain causes and considerations, We have thought fit to call the same for the same day, for Dispatch of Business, We do will that you and each of you, and all others in this behalf interested, that on FRIDAY, the TWENTY EIGHTH day of the month of MAY next, at Our said City of *Quebec*, personally you be and appear for the DISPATCH OF BUSINESS, to treat, do, act and conclude upon those things which in Our Legislature of the Province of *Quebec*, by the Common Council of Our said Province, may by the favor of God, be ordained.

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At Our Government House, in Our City of *Quebec*, in Our said Province of *Quebec*, this EIGHTH day of MAY, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty, and in the forty third year of Our Reign.

By command,

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Friday, 28th May, 1880.

FRIDAY, the TWENTY EIGHTH day of MAY, in the forty third year of the reign of our Sovereign Lady Victoria by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen Defender of the Faith, being the third session of the fourth parliament or Legislature of the Province of Quebec as continued by several prorogations to this day.

The Honorable Members in attendance in the Chamber of the Legislative Council were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs,

*Archambeault,  
Boucherville, de  
Bryson,  
Dionne,  
Dostaler,  
Ferrier,  
Gaudet,  
Gingras,  
Hearn,*

*La Bruère, de  
Léry, de,  
Proulx,  
Remillard,  
Roy,  
Savage,  
Starnes,  
Wood.*

A three o'clock in the afternoon, His Honor the Honorable *Theodore Robitaille*, Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Quebec, being seated in the Chair on the Throne, the Honorable the Speaker of this House commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the Chamber of the Legislative Assembly, and acquaint that House, « It is His Honor's pleasure they attend him immediately in the Chamber of the Legislative Council. »

Who being come thereto,

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His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor was pleased to open the session by a gracious speech from the throne to both Houses :

*Honorable Gentlemen of the Legislative Council,*

*Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly,*

I have much pleasure in welcoming you to the seat of Government where you are assembled to deal with the affairs of the Province.

I am confident that the representatives in Parliament, in commencing their labors, are animated with that spirit of good understanding and harmony, which is so necessary for the proper working of our political institutions and the progress of our Country.

I am happy to unite with you in expressing our sentiments of gratitude and loyalty to Our Gracious Sovereign, on the occasion of the visit of His Royal Highness, Prince Leopold His Highness is the fifth member of the Royal Family who has honored Our Country with his presence, and we take great pleasure in regarding his visit as a further proof of the affection of Our August Sovereign.

We should all rejoice at the thought that the general depression, which has been felt in all branches of industry, is beginning to disappear. The lumbering in our forests and the development of our mineral resources, were paralysed by the crisis, but you will be happy to learn that there is every reason to hope that the new impetus given to these and other industries will largely contribute to our national prosperity, while, at the same time, it will, perceptibly increase the revenue of the Province.

Two enterprises which the previous Legislatures and Government had specially protected, viz : the mining of phosphates and the manufacture of beet-root sugar, have received the special attention of the Government, and are in a fair way to fulfill the hopes of the friends of Agriculture and Industry in this Province.

A general Dominion Exhibition will be held in the Province of Quebec, in the course of the year. My Government has thought proper to encourage, in a particular manner, this agricultural and industrial competition, and I am confident that you will approve what has been done towards that end.

Since the prorogation of the House, on the 31st October last, the Government has taken possession of the Eastern section of the Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa and Occidental Railway, and has united, under one management, both sections of the road. The statements which will be submitted to you on this subject, will show that the revenue of this enterprise has increased in a ratio which is encouraging for the future; and this revenue, together with the other advantages derivable from the road, will compensate for the sacrifices which have been made to successfully carry it out.

The cost of constructing the Provincial Railway having exhausted the Consolidated Railway Fund, and absorbed the subsidies reserved for private Companies, and having, moreover, necessitated temporary loans on the credit of the Province, it has now become necessary to provide for the payment of those subsidies and loans. For this purpose, my Government has thought proper to take preliminary steps towards the negotiation of a loan sufficient to meet our actual requirements, without, however, exceeding the limits of the resources of the Province. You will learn with satisfaction, that this loan can be effected under very advantageous conditions and you will be called upon to give it your approval.

The Province has contracted considerable obligations in order to complete great improvements, which it thought proper to undertake, in order to secure, in the Confederation, a position, commensurate with its political importance. It is a national duty for all good citizens to labor, with one accord, towards meeting

these obligations and maintaining unimpaired the credit of the Province. I sincerely hope that you will loyally assist my Government in accomplishing this task.

Our Constitution having limited, within narrow bounds our sources of revenue ; it becomes our duty to carefully see that economy is practised in our public expenses and to see also to the immediate collection of what is due to the Treasury, if we wish to secure an equilibrium between our receipts and expenditure.

The Municipal Loan Fund debt has, for some years, increased in large proportions. A measure will be submitted to you for the purpose of disposing of this debt for the benefit of the Treasury, due regard being had to the position of the various Municipalities interested.

You will have to consider certain amendments to the License Act and also a Bill, the object of which is to make public offices contribute to the revenues of the Province.

The Act respecting Lunatic Asylums, in so far as regards the expenses which it authorizes, requires amending, and you will have to occupy yourselves with this question.

Some alterations are required in the legislation which relates to our mines, both with regard to the public revenue and to the facilities which should be afforded to the development of this important industry.

The Consolidation of the Railway Act of this Province, for the purpose of assimilating it to the Dominion Railway Act, is of the utmost importance, and a bill to that effect will be submitted to you.

The Consolidation of the laws respecting Education and Agriculture, are subjects on which you will be consulted during the course of the Session.

You will be called upon to take into consideration bills, to provide for the consolidation of the Statutes of the Province, to modify the constitution of the Superior Court and of the Court of Queen's Bench, and concerning the employment of prisoners confined in the Common Gaols of the various districts in the Province.

*Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly :*

The public accounts of the past fiscal year, as well as a statement of receipts and expenditure for the current year, will be submitted to you.

The estimates for next fiscal year will also be laid before the House, for your approval. These estimates have been prepared with the economy consistent with the efficiency of the public service.

You will be asked to vote the necessary supplies for the use of Her Majesty's Government.

*Honorable Gentlemen of the Legislative Council ;*

*Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly :*

It only remains for me to ask you to display, in the performance of the important duties which devolve upon you, that zeal, wisdom and patriotism, which the Country has a right to expect from you ; and I pray the Almighty to guide your counsels and to bestow his favors upon our people.

The Legislative Assembly then withdrew His Honor the Lieutenant Governor was pleased to retire.

The Honorable Mr. Ross presented a Bill (A) intituled : « An act concerning agriculture. »

The said Bill was read the first time *pro formá*.

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The Speaker reported His Honor the Lieutenant Governor's speech from the Throne and the same was then read by the Clerk.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the speech of His Honor the Lieutenant Governor be printed in both languages for the use of members.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was,  
*Ordered*, That the House do take into consideration the speech of His Honor the Lieutenant Governor, Monday next

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That all the Legislative Councillors present during this session be appointed a committee to consider of 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. *Starnes*.  
 The House adjourned until Monday next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

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## Monday, 31st May, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*La Bruère, de*

*Lavolette,*  
*Proulx,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Savage,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Wood.*

The following petitions were severally brought up and laid on the table :

By the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, of Locke W. Winchester, and others.

By the Honorable Mr. *Wood*, of V. Darling, and others.

By the Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*, of the Mutual Fire Assurance Company, of the county of Joliette.

The Honorable the *Speaker* presented to the House the Report of the Librarian of the Legislature, which was read and is as follows :

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To the Honorable the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Quebec.

The Librarian of the Province of Quebec hereby humbly sheweth :

That he has given all the care and shewn all the discernment in his power in the employment of the monies which have been confided to him for the purchase of books.

As the sum of \$3,000 00 annually granted to the Library, since many year, is not sufficient for the purchase of new books on science, history and literature; and as your Library should, above all, be rich in parliamentary documents, history, political journals, and in law books, I have made it my duty to find and purchase all that could, under the circumstances, be acquired in those different branches. But at the same time, I had to neglect almost entirely all that relates to literature.

Following the advice of one of the Members of the Legislative Council, I subscribed to the English Blue Books, and those important documents cost about \$350 yearly. I continue with considerable benefit for your Library to exchange documents of the Legislature and some of your new books with the official publications of France, and of most of the States of the American Union and of the English Colonies.

The number of Works added to your Library since a year past is 1,500 ; 638 of which are Pamphlets of all kinds. The total number is now 25,653. Of the 1,500 works above mentioned, 897 have been received in exchange or as gifts.

The Honorable Premier has been kind enough to get made, at my request, bookstands, which now take the place of the Library tables and permit us to suitably dispose of a great number of volumes and specially large newspapers.

There is still to the credit of the Library about one hundred dollars. This sum will be sufficient, I hope, to cover the current expenses to the end of the fiscal year.

I add to the present report a list of the books which have not been returned ; also a list of gifts made to your Library and of the books given in exchange.

The whole respectfully submitted.

L. PAMPHILE LEMAY.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, seconded by the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said report be taken into consideration Thursday next.

The Honorable the *Speaker*, seconded by the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, moved,

That as a mark of respect to the memory of the late Honorable Félix Hyacinthe LeMaire, this House do now adjourn until to-morrow, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

And the question being put on the said motion, it was unanimously resolved in the affirmative.

Then the House adjourned till to-morrow, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Tuesday, 1st June, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*LaBruère, de*  
*Lavoilette,*

*Léry, de*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prud'homme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Savage,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Webb,*  
*Wood.*

The following petitions were severally brought up and laid on the table :

By the Honorable Mr. *de Léry*, of the inhabitants of Levis. .

By the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, of the city of Montreal.

By the same, of the Church Home.

By the same, of the St-Lawrence Tunnel Company.

By the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, of the Montreal Women.

By the same, of the Medical Faculty of Bishop's College, at Montreal.

By the same, of the Montreal Graphic Company.

By the Honorable Mr. *Proulx*, of the General Hospital of St-François du Lac.

By the Honorable Mr. *Webb*, of Thomas S. Morey.

By the Honorable Mr. *Wood*, of the Directors of the Montreal, Portland and Boston Railway Company.

By the same, of the Grey Sisters of Farnham.

By the Honorable Mr. *Prudhomme*, of the Asylum of St-Ignace.

By the same, of John Samuel Knox and others.

By the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, of Pierre Rémi Chevalier.

By the same, of the South East Railway Company.

The Order of the day was read for taking into consideration the speech of His Honor the Lieutenant Governor from the Throne, at the opening of the session, and

The speech being read by the clerk.

The Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, seconded by Honorable Mr. *de La Bruère*, moved,

That an humble address be presented to His Honor the Lieutenant Governor, thanking His Honor for his Gracious Speech upon the opening of the third session of the fourth Parliament of the Province of Quebec, and further to assure His Honor.

1. That with His Honor we are confident that the representatives in Parliament, commencing their labors, are animated with that spirit of good understanding and harmony, which is so necessary for the proper working of our political institutions and the progress of our country.

2. That we also are happy to unite with His Honor in expressing our sentiments of gratitude and loyalty to Our Gracious Sovereign, on the occasion of the visit of His Royal Highness, Prince Leopold, the fifth member of the Royal Family who has honored Our Country with his presence; and we, with His Honor, take great pleasure in regarding the visit of His Royal Highness as a further proof of the affection of Our August Sovereign.

3. That with His Honor we should all rejoice at the thought that the general depression, which has been felt in all branches of industry, is beginning to disappear. That we admit with His Honor that the lumbering in our forests and the development of our mineral resources, were heretofore paralysed by the crisis, but we are, with His Honor, happy to learn that there is every reason to hope that the new impetus given to these and other industries will largely contribute to our national prosperity, while, at the same time, it will perceptibly increase the revenue of the Province.

4. That we are pleased to learn from His Honor that the two enterprises which previous Legislature and Governments had specially protected, viz: the mining of phosphates and the manufacture of beet-root sugar, have received the special attention of the Government, and are in a fair way to fulfil the hopes of the friends of Agriculture and Industry in this Province.

5. That we take great pleasure in learning from His Honor, that a general Dominion Exhibition will be held in the Province of Quebec, in the course of the year; that the Government has thought proper to encourage, in a special manner, this agricultural and industrial competition, and we will justify the hope expressed by His Honor that we will approve what has been done towards that end.

6. That we have great pleasure in being assured by His Honor that since the prorogation of the House, on the 31st October last, the Government has taken possession of the Eastern section of the Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa and Occidental Railway, and has united, under one management, both sections of the road; and that we, with His Honor, sincerely hope that the statements to be submitted to us on this subject, will show that the revenue of this enterprise has increased in a ratio which is encouraging for the future; and that this revenue together with the other advantages derivable from the road, will compensate for the sacrifices which have been made to successfully carry it out.

7. That we admit, with His Honor, that the cost of constructing the Provincial Railway has exhausted the Consolidated Railway Fund, and absorbed the subsidies reserved for private Companies, and has, moreover, necessitated temporary loans on the credit of the Province, and it has become necessary to provide for the payment of those subsidies, and we are pleased to learn from His Honor that the Government which has thought proper to take preliminary steps towards the negotiation of a loan sufficient to meet our actual requirements, without, however, exceeding the limits of the resources of the Province, can effect this loan under very advantageous conditions, and that we hope to be able to give it our approval.

8. That we admit, with His Honor, that the Province having contracted considerable obligations in order to complete great improvements, which it thought

proper to undertake, in order to secure in the Confederation a position commensurate with its political importance, it is a national duty for all good citizens to labor, with one accord, towards meeting these obligations and maintaining unimpaired the credit of the Province, and we, with His Honor, sincerely hope that we can loyally assist the Government in accomplishing this task.

9. That we agree with His Honor in stating that our Constitution having limited, within narrow bounds, our sources of revenue, it becomes our duty to carefully see that economy is practised in our public expenses and to see also to the immediate collection of what is due to the Treasury, if we wish to secure an equilibrium between our receipts and expenditure.

10. That we admit, with His Honor, that the Municipal Loan Fund debt has for some years increased in large proportions, and we learn with pleasure that a measure will be submitted to us for the purpose of disposing of this debt for the benefit of the Treasury, due regard being had to the position of the various Municipalities interested.

11. That we will carefully consider all amendments to the License Act and Bill to make public offices contribute to the revenues of the Province.

12. That we admit with His Honor that the Act respecting Lunatic Asylums, in so far as regards the expenses which it authorizes, requires to be amended, and we will occupy ourselves attentively with this question.

13. That all alterations required in the legislation respecting our mines, both with regard to the public revenue and the facilities which should be afforded to the development of this important industry, which may be submitted to us, will have our careful consideration.

14. That we agree with His Honor that the Consolidation of the Railway Act of this Province, for the purpose of assimilating it to the Dominion Railway Act is of the utmost importance, and any bill to that effect will be seriously considered by us.

15. That we are well pleased to learn from His Honor that the Consolidation of the laws respecting Education and Agriculture, are subjects on which we will be consulted in the course of the Session.

16. That the Bills to provide for the consolidation of the Statutes of the Province, to modify the constitution of the Superior Court and of the Court of Queen's Bench, and concerning the employment of prisoners confined in the Common Gaols of the various districts in the Province, when submitted to us, will receive due consideration.

17. That we join with His Honor in earnestly hoping that, in the performance of the important duties which devolve upon us that zeal, wisdom and patriotism which the Country has a right to expect from us may be exhibited, and, with His Honor, we pray the Almighty to guide our counsels and to bestow his favors upon our people.

The first paragraph being again read.

The Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, seconded by the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, moved.

That the same be adopted.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was unanimously Resolved in the affirmative.

The 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th and 17th paragraphs of the said resolutions being severally read and the question of concurrence being put on each, they were unanimously agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ross, seconded by the Honorable Mr. de Boucherville, it was

*Ordered*, That the Honorable Messrs. Ferrier, de LaBruère, the mover and the seconder, be appointed a committee to draft an address founded on the foregoing resolutions.

The question of concurrence being put on the adoption of the said resolutions it was unanimously

*Resolved in the affirmative.*

The House was adjourned during pleasure.  
After some time, the House was resumed and

The Honorable Mr. Ross reported an address prepared by the committee, as follows :

To His Honor the Honorable Théodore Robitaille, Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Quebec.

May it please Your Honor.

We Her Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects the Legislative Council of Quebec, in Provincial Legislature Assembled humbly thank Your Honor for your gracious speech at the opening of this session and further to assure your Honor.

With Your Honor we are confident that the representatives in Parliament, commencing their labors, are animated with that spirit of good understanding and harmony, which is so necessary for the proper working of our political institutions and the progress of our Country.

We also are happy so unite with Your Honor in expressing our sentiments of gratitude and loyalty to Our Gracious Sovereign, on the occasion of the visit of His Royal Highness, Prince Leopold, the fifth member of the Royal Family who has honored Our Country with his presence; and we, with Your Honor, take great pleasure in regarding the visit of His Royal Highness as a further proof of the affection of Our August Sovereign.

With Your Honor we should all rejoice at the thought that the general depression, which has been felt in all branches of industry, is beginning to disappear. We admit with Your Honor that the lumbering in our forests and the development of our mineral resources, were heretofore paralysed by the crisis, but we are, with Your Honor, happy to learn that there is every reason to hope that the new-impetus given to these and other industries will largely contribute to our national prosperity, while, at the same time, it will perceptibly increase the revenue of the Province.

We are pleased to learn from Your Honor that the two enterprises which previous Legislatures and Governments had specially protected, viz: the mining of phosphates and the manufacture of beet-root sugar, have received the special attention of the Government, and are in a fair way to fulfil the hopes of the friends of Agriculture and Industry in this Province.

We take great pleasure in learning from Your Honor, that a general Dominion Exhibition will be held in the Province of Quebec in the course of the year; that the Government has thought proper to encourage, in a special manner, this agricultural and industrial competition, and we will justify the hope expressed by Your Honor that we will approve what has been done towards that end.

We have great pleasure in being assured by Your Honor that since the prorogation of the House, on the 31st October last, the Government has taken possession of the Eastern section of the Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa and Occidental Rail-

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way, and has united, under one management, both sections of the road; and that we, with Your Honor, sincerely hope that the statements to be submitted to us on this subject, will show that the revenue of this enterprise had increased in a ratio which is encouraging for the future; and that this revenue, together with the other advantages derivable from the road, will compensate for the sacrifices which have been made to successfully carry it out.

We admit, with Your Honor, that the cost of constructing the Provincial Railway has exhausted the Consolidated Railway Fund, and absorbed the subsidies reserved for private Companies, and has, moreover, necessitated temporary loans on the credit of the Province, and it has become necessary to provide for the payment of those subsidies, and we are pleased to learn from Your Honor that the Government which has thought proper to take preliminary steps towards the negotiation of a loan sufficient to meet our actual requirements, without, however, exceeding the limits of the resources of the Province, can effect this loan under very advantageous conditions, and that we hope to be able to give it our approval.

We admit, with Your Honor, that the Province having contracted considerable obligations in order to complete great improvements, which it thought proper to undertake, in order to secure in the Confederation a position commensurate with its political importance, it is a national duty for all good citizens to labor, with one accord, towards meeting these obligations and maintaining unimpaired the credit of the Province, and we, with Your Honor, sincerely hope that we can loyally assist the Government in accomplishing this task.

We agree with Your Honor in stating that our Constitution having limited, within narrow bounds, our sources of revenue, it becomes our duty to carefully see that economy is practised in our public expenses and to see also to the immediate collection of what is due to the Treasury, if we wish to secure an equilibrium between our receipts and expenditure.

We admit, with Your Honor, that the Municipal Loan Fund debt has for some years increased in large proportions, and we learn with pleasure that a measure will be submitted to us for the purpose of depositing of this debt for the benefit of the Treasury, due regard being had to the position of the various Municipalities interested.

We will carefully consider all amendments to the License Act and the Bill to make public offices contribute to the revenues of the Province.

We admit with Your Honor that the Act respecting Lunatic Asylums, in so far as regards the expenses which it authorizes, requires to be amended, and we will occupy ourselves attentively with this question.

All alterations required in the legislation respecting our mines, both with regard to the public revenue and the facilities which should be afforded to the developpement of this important industry, which may be submitted to us, will have our careful consideration.

We agree with Your Honor that the Consolidation of the Railway act of this Province, for the purpose of assimilating it to the Dominion Railway Act is of the utmost importance, and any bill to that effect will be seriously considered by us.

We are well pleased to learn from Your Honor that the Consolidation of the laws respecting Education and Agriculture, are subjects on which we will be consulted in the course of the Session.

The Bills to provide for the consolidation of the Statutes of the Province, to modify the constitution of the Superior Court and of the Court of Queen's Bench, and concerning the employment of prisoners confined in the Common Gaols of the various districts in the Province, when submitted to us, will receive due consideration.

We join with Your Honor in earnestly hoping that, in the performance of the important duties which devolve upon us that zeal, wisdom and patriotism

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which the Country has a right to expect from us may be exhibited, and, with Your Honor, we pray the Almighty to guide our consels and to bestow his favors upon our people.

The address being read by the clerk was unanimously adopted.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, seconded by the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said address be engrossed and signed by the Honorable the Speaker of this House.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, seconded by the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said address be presented to His Honor the Lieutenant Governor by the Honorable Speaker of this House.

Then on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*,

The House adjourned until to-morrow, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

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### Wednesday, 2nd June, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

#### The Honorable Messieurs

*Archangebeault,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*LaBruyère, de*

*Lavolette,*  
*Léry, de*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Savage,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Webb.*

The following petitions were severally brought up and laid on the table :

By the Honorable Mr. *Archangebeault*, of the Sisters of Providence of l'Assomption.

By the Honorable Mr. *Webb*, of the Settlers of Jersey and other townships.

By the Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*, of the Sisters M. de la Purification.

By the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, of the Sisters of Providence of Yamachiche.

By the same, of the Quebec and Lake St. John Railway Company.

By the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, of Count Raphael Maximilian Cahen, d'Anvers, and others.

The following petitions were read and received :

Of Locke W. Winchester and others, of the city of New York, praying that the Salmon Fishery Club of Ristigouche, be incorporated ;

Of V. Darlington and others, of Sherbrooke, praying that the International Mining Company, be incorporated ;

Of the Joliette Mutual Fire Insurance Company, praying that its act of incorporation be amended.

Moved by the Honorable Mr. Ross,

That the Honorable Messrs. *Archambeault, Beaudry, Dionne, Ferrier, Gaudet, de LaBruère, Laviolette, de Léry, Prudhomme, Roy, Starnes, Webb and Wood*, be appointed a committee to examine and report on the contingent accounts of the Legislative Council for this session.

Moved by the Honorable Mr. Ross,

That the Honorable Messrs. *Archambeault, Beaudry, de LaBruère, Bryson, Dionne, Dostaler, Ferrier, Hearn, Laviolette, de Léry, Proulx, Remillard, Weeb and Wood*, be appointed a Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, with power to inquire into and examine 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.

Moved by the Honorable Mr. Ross,

That the Honorable Messrs. *Archambeault, Beaudry, Ferrier, Gaudet, de LaBruère, Rémillard, Roy, Webb and Wood*, be appointed a Committee to superintend the printing of this House during this session.

Moved by the Honorable Mr. Ross,

That the Honorable Messrs. *Archambeault, de Boucherville, Bryson, Dostaler, Gingras, Gaudet, Laviolette, Panet, Proulx, Prudhomme and Savage*, be appointed a Committee to inquire into and report to the Legislative Council, on the classes of Acts for the incorporation of Private Companies, which, under the British North America Act of 1866, properly come within the powers of the Legislature of the Province of Quebec.

Moved by the Honorable Mr. Ross.

That the Honorable Messrs. *Archambeault, de Boucherville, Dionne, Laviolette, de Léry and Webb*, be appointed a Committee to assist the *Speaker* in the direction of the Library of the Legislature of the Province of Quebec, so far as the interests of the Legislative Council are concerned, as members of the joint Committee of both Houses.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Webb, the House adjourned until to-morrow, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Thursday, 3rd June, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*Hearn,*  
*LaBrière, de*

*Laviolette,*  
*Léry, de*  
*Panet,*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prud'homme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Savage,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb,*  
— *Wood.*

The Honorable *Jean Baptiste Lefebvre de Villemure* presented himself at the Bar of the House, and placed in the hands of the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, a Commission under the Great Seal, summoning him to the Legislative Council of the Province of Quebec.

The Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod having placed the Commission in the hands of the Honorable the *Speaker*, he ordered :

“ That the Honorable Councillor be admitted.

Then the said Honorable *Jean Baptiste Lefebvre de Villemure*, accompanied by the Honorable Messieurs *de Boucherville* and *Laviolette* advanced to the Table and the Honorable the Speaker handed the Commission to the Clerk of this House, who read it as follows :

CANADA,  
Province of *Quebec*. }  
(L. S.)

THEODORE ROBITAILLE.

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 Belovéd the Honorable *Jean Baptiste Lefebvre de Villemure*.

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 Province of Quebec concern. We have thought fit to summon you to the Legislative Council of Our said Province, and We do appoint you thereto for the Electoral Division of *Mile Isles*, in Our Province of *Quebec*, in the place of the Honorable *F. Hyacinthe LeMaire*, deceased, and We do command you the Honorable *Jean Baptiste Lefebvre de Villemure*, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying

aside, you be and appear for the purposes aforesaid in the Legislative Council of Our said Province at all times whensoever and wheresoever our Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province may be therein 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 Our said Province of *Quebec* to be hereunto affixed : Witness, Our Trusty and Well Beloved the Honorable *Theodore Robitaille*, Lieutenant Governor of the Province of *Quebec*.

At Our Government House, in Our City of *Quebec*, in Our said Province, this third day of June, in the year of Our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, in the forty third year of Our Reign.

By Command,

L. H. HUOT,

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery,  
QUEBEC.

Whereupon the said Honorable *Jean Baptiste Lefebvre de Villemure*, before the Clerk of this Honorable House in his capacity as Commissioner *per dedimus potestatem* took and subscribed the required oath, and signed his declaration of qualification, then advanced towards the Honorable the Speaker, who came down one step and shaking hands with him said :

« I congratulate you upon your appointment, please take a seat.»

The following petitions were severally brought up and laid on the table :

By the Honorable M. *Ferrier*, of the Council of the Natural History Society of Montreal.

By the same, of the city of Montreal.

By the Honorable Mr. *Archambeault*, of Henry Hogan and others.

By the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, of the Asylum of Longueuil.

By the Honorable Mr. *Prudhomme*, of Dame Marie Henriette Coursol and others.

By the Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*, of the Superior of the Nunnery of Lanorie.

By the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, of the St. Lawrence and Lake Champlain junction Railway Company.

By the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, of L. A Senecal and others.

The following petitions were read and received :

Of the inhabitants of Levis, praying for a grant of land or aid in money to assist them in clearing land ;

Of Robert Cassels and others, of Montreal, praying that the St-Lawrence Tunnel Company be incorporated by an act of the Legislature.

Of His Worship the Mayor of Montreal and others, praying that the Education law be amended ;

Of the Church Home, of Montreal, praying for aid ;

Of the Montreal Hospital for Women, praying for aid ;

Of the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Bishops College, praying for aid ;

Of the Graphic Company, of Montreal, praying for amendments to its act of incorporation ;

Of the Community of the « General Hospital of the « Maison des Pauvres, » of the Sisters of Charity, of Ottawa, established at St-François du Lac, praying for aid ;

Of the Inhabitants of the city of Sherbrooke, praying that the « Sherbrooke Gas and Water Company, » be incorporated ;

Of the Directors of the Montreal, Portland and Boston Railway Company, having its chief place of business, in the county of Missisquoi, praying relief from certain grievances ;

Of the Nuns (Grey Sisters) of the Asylum of Saint Elizabeth, of Farnham, praying for aid ;

Of the Asylum of Saint-Ignace, of Coteau du Lac, county of Soulanges, praying for aid ;

Of John Samuel Knox and others, of the Isle of Wight, England, praying that an act be passed to remove certain doubts, and to define their powers as executors of the late Robert Knox ;

Of Pierre Remi Chevalier, notary public, of the Town of Sorel, praying that it be enacted that a certain deed of sale be authentic good and valid ;

Of the South East Railway Company, of Montreal, praying that an act be passed authorising the consolidation of its debt.

The Honorable the *Speaker* reported to the House, that He had waited on His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, with the address of this Honorable House, in answer to His Excellency's speech from the Throne, to which His Excellency was pleased to return the following gracious answer :

THEODORE ROBITAILLE.

*Honorable Gentlemen of the Legislative Council,*

I thank you for the address which you have presented to me.

I receive with great satisfaction the assurance of your attachment to Our Gracious Sovereign, of your devotion to the interests of the inhabitants of the Province, and of your zeal to advance them, in the accomplishment of the important duties with which you are charged.

Government House,

Quebec, 2nd June 1880.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ross, it was

*Ordered*, That the reply of His Honor the Lieutenant Governor to the address presented by this House, be printed in both languages for the use of members.

A message was received from the Legislative Assembly.

The message was read and is as follows :

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY,

Quebec, 1st June, 1880.

*Resolved*, That a message be sent to the Honorable the Legislative Council, requesting that their Honors will unite with this House in the formation of a joint Committee of both Houses on the subject of the Parliamentary printing and acquainting their Honors that the members of the standing Committee on printing viz: the Honorable Messrs *Chapleau, Flynn, Joly, Langelier, Marchand*, and Messrs *Boutillier, Desaulniers, Mathieu* and *Tarte*, will act as members of the said joint Committee.

(Attest),

L. DELORME,  
C. L. A.

Another message was received from the Legislative Assembly.

The message was read and is as follows :

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Quebec, 1st June, 1880.

*Resolved*, That a message be sent to the Honorable the Legislative Council, praying that their Honors would unite with this House in the formation of a joint committee of both houses, to assist Mr. Speaker in the direction of the library of Parliament so far as the interest of this House is concerned and to act as members of a joint committee of both houses on the library, informing their Honors that the members of the Committee are as follows :

The Honorables Messrs. *Chapleau, Flynn, Irvine, Joly, Langelier, Lynch, Marchand*, and *Ross*, and Messrs. *Desaulniers, Mathieu, Taillon* and *Tarte*, who will act as members of the Joint Committee on the Library.

(Attest),

L. DELORME,  
C. L. A.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Archambeault*, it was

*Ordered*, That the 23th rule of this House be suspended, and that when this House adjourns, it do stand adjourned to Tuesday next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

The Order of the Day was read to take into consideration the report of the Librarian of the Legislature.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said report be referred to the joint Committee on the Library.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Archambeault*,

The House adjourned to Tuesday next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

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Tuesday, 8th June, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*

*La Bruère, de*  
*Laviolette,*  
*Léry, de*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prud'homme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Savage,*  
*Wood.*

The following petitions were severally brought up and laid on the table :

By the Honorable Mr. *de Léry*, of the Municipal Council of the County of Montmorency.

Of the inhabitants of St. François de Beauce.

Of the Revd. Mr. Bernier.

By the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, of the Revd. Joseph Henning and others.

By the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, of John Fraser.

Of the School of Pharmacy, of Montreal.

Of the Montreal Protestant Asylum.

Of Louis II. Pignolet.

Of St-Mark's Church, Montreal.

Of St-Mathews Church, Montreal.

Of Erskine street Church, Montreal.

Of St-Bartholomews Church, Montreal.

Of Dougal's Methodist Church, Montreal.

Of the Calvary Church, Montreal.

Of Olivets Baptist Church, Montreal.

Of St-Joseph street Presbyterian Church, Montreal.

Of the French Methodist Church, Montreal.

Of W. J. Spicer, and others, of Montreal.

Of E. H. Lay, and others, of Montreal.

Of H. A. Nelson, and others, of Montreal.

By the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, of the Asylum of St-Joseph of the Good Shepherd.

Of the Providence Asylum.

Of the Institute for the Blind, Nazareth street.

Of the St-Charles Hospital of Montreal.

Of the Ophthalmic Dispensary of Montreal.

Of the R. Catholic Orphan Asylum of Montreal.

Of the merchant clerks of Montreal.

Of the School of Physic and Surgery, Montreal.

By the Honorable Mr. *Savage*, of John Fraser.

By the Honorable Mr. *Archambeault*, of James Henry Dickson.

By the Honorable Mr. *Bryson*, of James Court and others.

By the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, of M. Morison and others.

The following petitions were received and read :

Of the Sisters of Providence of l'Assomption, praying for aid ;

Of the inhabitants of the township of Jersey and of the first and other ranges of Shenley and Linières, county of Beauce, praying for aid for the finishing of certain roads.

Of the Hospital of St Elyzabeth of Joliet, praying for aid ;

Of the Sisters of Providence of St-Anne of Yamachiche, praying for aid ;

Of the Lake St John Railway Company, praying for amendments to their act of incorporation ;

Of the Count of Raphaël Maximilien Cahen d'Anvers, banker, of Paris, France, and others, praying that the « Credit Foncier Franco Canadian Company be incorporated ».

The Honorable Mr. *Ross*, moved

That the Honorable Messieurs *Archambeault*, *Beaudry*, *Ferrier*, *Gaudet*, *de La Bruère*, *Remillard*, *Roy*, *Webb* and *Wood*, appointed a committee to superintend the printing of this House during the present session, do act on behalf of the Legislative Council as members of a joint committee of both Houses on printing as desired by the Legislative Assembly by their message and that this resolution be communicated to the Legislative Assembly.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the resolution of the Council appointing the Honorable Messieurs *Archambeault*, *de Boucherville*, *Dionne*, *de Léry*, *Lavolette* and *Webb* a committee to

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assist the *Speaker* in the direction of the library of Parliament, in so far as the interests of the Legislative Council are concerned, and also to act on behalf of this House as members of a joint committee of both Houses on the Library, be communicated to the Legislative Assembly.

And the question of concurrence being put thereon, it was  
*Resolved* in the affirmative.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, the House adjourned until to-morrow, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

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Wednesday, 9th June, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*Hearn,*  
*LaBruère, de*

*Lavolette,*  
*Léry, de*  
*Panet,*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Savage,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb and*  
*Wood.*

The following petitions were severally brought up and laid on the table:

By the Honorable Mr. *Gingras*, of the P. P. Redemptorists, in the division of the Laurentides.

By the Honorable Mr. *Panet*, of the Quebec Protestant Female Asylum.

By the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, of the Hydraulic and Manufacturing Company of the River Richelieu.

By the Honorable Mr. *Rémillard*, of Joseph Almée Lemay.

By the Honorable Mr. *Wood*, of Charles T. Calley, and others.

Of the same petitioners.

Of J. S. Brigham, M. D., and others.

Of M. J. Ahern, M. D., and others.

Of H. M. McGowan, M. D., and others.

Of Abraham Hopkins, A. B., M. D., and others.

Of Wm. Hume, M. D.

Of Frederick Paré, M. D., and others.

By the Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*, of the Sisters of Providence of Ste-Ursule.

By the Honorable Mr. *Archambeault*, of Hermidas Jeannotte.

Of the Sisters of the Childrens Schools of Rimouski.

By the Honorable Mr. *Gaudet*, of the Inhabitants of St-Isidore.

Of George Arthur Hughes.

By the Honorable Mr. *Hearn*, of the Board of Trade of the city of Quebec.

Of the Quebec Womens Christian Association.

Of the St-Patricks Literary Society of Quebec.

By the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, of certain Proprietors of St-Gabriel of Brandon ;

The following petitions were read and received :

Of the Natural History Society of Montreal, praying for aid ;

Of the Corporation of Montreal, praying for amendments to its act of incorporation ;

Of Henry Hogan and others, of the city of Montreal, praying that they be authorized by an act of the Legislature to connect the Grand Trunk Railway with the North Shore Railway ;

Of the Sisters of Charity, of the town of Longueuil, praying for a special grant ;

Of Dame Marie Henriette Coursol, of Montreal, Robert Kane and of C. T. Quesnel Coursol, of Montreal, praying that an act be passed to remove all doubts as to their right to dispose of certain lands ;

Of the Convent of Saint Joseph de Lanoraie, praying for aid ;

Of the Lake Champlain and St-Lawrence Railway, praying that amendments be made to their charter ;

Of L. A. Senécal and others, of Quebec, praying that the Railway Company and the Tunnel of the South Shore be incorporated

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the committee on standing orders and private Bills presented their first report.

*Ordered*, That it be received, it was then read by the clerk as follows, to wit :

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 LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Private Bills Office, 9th June, 1880.

The committee on Standing Orders and Private Bill has, the honor to present the following as their first report.

Your committee has chosen the Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, as its chairman and reduced its quorum to seven members.

Your committee having gone through the following petitions find that they are not of a nature to require the notice demanded by the 49th Rule.

Of the Sisters of Providence of l'Assomption ;  
 Of the « Church Home » of Montreal ;  
 Of the Montreal Hospital for Women ;  
 Of the Medical Faculty of Bishop's College, at Montreal ;  
 Of the Asylum of St-Ignace of Coteau du Lac ;  
 Of the Nuns (Grey Nuns) of the Home of St. Elizabeth of Farnham ;  
 Of the Nuns of Providence of St-Ann of Yamachiche ;  
 Of the Home of St-Elizabeth of Joliette ;  
 Of the members of the Community of the « General Hospital of the « Maison des Pauvres » ;  
 Of the Sisters of Charity, of Ottawa, established at St-François du Lac, all praying for aid ;  
 Of the inhabitants of the township of Jersey, and of the first ranges of Shenley and Linière, county of Beauce, praying for aid for the finishing of certain roads ;  
 Of the inhabitants of Lévis, praying for a grant of land or aid in money to assist them in clearing land.

Your committee having gone through in full the following petitions, find that the required notices have been given in each case.

Of Count Raphael Maximilien Cahen d'Anvers, banker of Paris, France, and others, praying the « Crédit Foncier Franco-Canadien Company » be incorporated ;  
 Of the Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Joliette, praying for amendments to its charter.

The whole respectfully submitted,

E. DIONNE,  
 Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said report be adopted.

The Honorable Mr. *Beaudry* from the committee appointed to examine and report on the contingent accounts of the Legislative Council, presented its first report.

*Ordered*, That it be received, and it was then read by the clerk, and it is as follows, to wit :

## LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL,

Committee Room, No. 3.

The special committee, to which was referred the contingent accounts of the Legislative Council for this session has the honor to present its first report.

The Honorable Mr. *Beaudry* was chosen chairman of the committee.

Your committee recommends that the quorum be reduced to five members.

The Clerk of your honorable House submitted his accounts which were referred to a sub-committee for examination.

The whole humbly submitted,

J. L. BEAUDRY,  
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said report be adopted.

The Honorable Mr. *Beaudry* presented a Bill (B) intituled : « An Act declaring that the edict of Louis XV, King of France, of the year 1743, enregistered in the *Conseil Supérieur*, has always been the law of this Province. »

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time on Tuesday next.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, the House adjourned until to-morrow, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

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Thursday, 10th June, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Ferrier.*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*Hearn,*

*LaBruère, de*  
*Laviolette,*  
*Panet,*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Savage,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Wood.*

The following petitions were severally brought up and laid on the table :

By the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, of certain proprietors of St-Antoine of Longueuil.

By the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, of the Grey Sisters of Montreal.

By the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, of the Society of Arts of Montreal.

By the Honorable Mr. *Laviolette*, of the town of St-Johns.

By the Honorable Mr. *Gaudet*, of the Association of St-Jean Baptiste of Valleyfield.

By the Honorable Mr. *Bryson*, of the committee of the Quebec Protestant Orphan Asylum.

Of the Ladies Protestant Home of Quebec.

Of the corporation of the Finlay Asylum of Quebec.

By the Honorable Mr. *Hearn*, of the Quebec Gas Company.

By the Honorable Mr. *Prudhomme*, of Anthony Force, and others.

Of C. Deschamp, and others.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Savage*, it was Ordered, That the Honorable Member be allowed to withdraw the petition of John Fraser inadvertently presented by him.

The said petition is in consequence withdrawn.

The following petitions were read and received :

Of the Municipal Council of the County of Montmorency, division number one, praying that a law be passed giving to the parish of Ste. Anne, county of Montmorency, the same limits for all purposes as those established in the cadastral plan made by order of the Commissioner of Crown Lands ;

Of the inhabitants of Saint-Francis of Beauce, praying that the Lévis and Kennebec Railway be completed as far as the frontier of the Province and that in case the Government would not think proper to take possession of this railroad, one of the Government engineers do report on its safety ;

Of the Reverend M. Bernier, curate, of St George, and others inhabitants of the county of Beauce, praying that the Lévis and Kennebec Railway be completed to the frontier of the Province and that in case the Government should not think proper to take possession of this railway, they do send one of their engineers to report on its safety ;

Of the Reverend Redemptorists Fathers of Quebec, praying for an act of incorporation ;

Of John Fraser, of Montreal, praying that he may be heard at the bar of the Legislative Council, and praying also for the appointment of a Royal Commission to enquire into the administration of the estate of the late Hugh Fraser ;

Of the College of Pharmacy, of Montreal, praying for aid ;

Of the Protestant Orphans Asylum, of Montreal, praying for aid ;

Of Louis Pignolet, of Montreal, praying that a law be passed authorising the bar of the Province of Quebec, to admit him to practise the profession of advocate.

Of H. A. Nelson and others inhabitants of Montreal ;

Of E. H. Lay and others inhabitants, of Montreal ;

Of S. A. Spicer and others inhabitants, of Montreal ;

Of Albert Deville and others, of the French Methodist Church, of Montreal ;

Of the Calvary Church, of Montreal ;

Of the Presbyterian Church of Montreal ;

Of the Reverend Mr. Clark of Montreal ;

Of St. Mark's Church of Montreal ;

Of the Dougal's Methodist Church of Montreal ;

Of the St. Bartholemew Reformed episcopal Church of Montreal ;

Of Erskine St. Church of Montreal ;

Of St. Thomas' Church of Montreal ;

Of St. Matthew's Church, Montreal, all praying that the License Act be amended ;

Of the Asylum of St. Joseph of the Good Sheppard, Fullum street, praying for aid ;

Of the Sisters of Providence of St. Vincent de Paul, praying for aid ;

Of James Henry Dixon and Mrs. Frances Jane Connelly, of Montreal, praying that a law be passed to authorize them to dispose of certain properties situated in the township of Kildare.

Of James Court, and others, of Montreal, praying that a law be passed to incorporate the association of accountant clerks of Montreal ;

Of M. Morison, School Commissioner, of R. E. Fontaine, advocate, and of others, booksellers, &c., of the Province of Quebec, city of St. Hyacinth, praying for the repeal of the law to provide for the supplying of schools and pupils by the Public Instruction Department Depot ;

Of the Azylum of Nazareth, Montreal, praying for aid ;

Of the directors of St-Charles Home, of Montreal, praying for aid ;

Of the Ophthalmic Dispensary, of Montreal, praying for aid ;

Of the ladies of the Women's Catholic Orphans Asylum of Montreal, praying for aid ;

Of the Merchants Clerks of Montreal, praying for an act of incorporation ;

Of the Surgical and Medical School of Montreal, praying for aid.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the name of the Honorable Mr. *de Villemure* be added to the list  
of members of the committee of Standing Orders and Private Bills. e

The Honorable Mr. *Lavolette* presented a Bill (C) intituled : « An Act to amend  
certain articles of the municipal code of the Province of Quebec, »  
The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time Tuesday.

The Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*, presented a Bill (D) intituled : « An act to change  
the name of the Mutual Fire Assurance Company, of the county of Joliette, and  
for other objects. »

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time, on Monday.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*,  
The House adjourned until to-morrow, at three o'clock P. M.

## Friday, 11th June, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*Hearn,*

*LaBruère de*  
*Lavolette*  
*Léry, de*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prud'homme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Savage,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Wood.*

The following petitions were severally brought up and laid on the table :

By the Honorable Mr. *Proulx*, of the inhabitants of the town of Nicolet.

By the Honorable Mr. *Wood*, of E. Donohue and others.

Of Theodore Davis Witcher.

Of the Physicians of Stanstead.

By the Honorable Mr. *de Villemure*, of Alfred Pinsonault.

By the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, of L. O. Taillon and others.

Of Thomas Gauthier and others.

Of L. O. Taillon.

Of Marie Angélique Cuvillier and others.

Of the Building Society of St-Jacques.

By the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, of Pamphile Vallée.

Of the Quebec Garrison Club.

By the Honorable Mr. *Gaudet*, of the Saint Joachim municipal council.

By the Honorable Mr. *Laviolette*, of the district of Montreal Permanent Building Society.

By the Honorable Mr. *Hearn*, of the Quebec City Corporation.

By the Honorable Mr. *Rémillard*, of the Revd. Mr. Deziel and others.

By the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, of Charles Garth and others.

The following petitions were read and received :

Of the Congregation of Redemptorists established at St-Annes of Beaupré, county of Montmorency, praying for an act of incorporation ;

Of the Quebec Protestant Orphan Asylum, praying for aid ;

Of the River Richelieu hydraulic and manufacturing company, praying for amendments to their act of incorporation ;

Of Joseph Alphee Lemay, of Quebec, praying that an act be passed to authorise the Quebec Bar to admit him as a member ;

Of Charles C. Colby and others, of the County of Stanstead, and other places, praying that the Chemical Manufacturing Company of Orford be incorporated ;

Of the Huronian mining and smelting Company, praying for an act of incorporation ;

Of Dr. Brigham and other Physicians, of the province of Quebec, praying that the petition of T. D. Whitcher of Bebee Plain, County of Stanstead, praying to be authorised to exercise the profession of surgeon, &c., be not granted ;

Of Dr. A. Belleau, and other physicians, of the province of Quebec, praying that the petition of T. D. Whitcher, of Bebee Plain, county of Stanstead, praying to be authorised to exercise the profession of surgeon, &c., be not granted ;

Of Dr. McGowen and other medical men, of the Province of Quebec, praying that the petition of T. D. Whitcher of Bebee Plain, County of Stanstead, be not granted ;

Of Dr. Abraham Hopkins and others medical practitioners, of the Province of Quebec, praying that the petition of T. D. Whitcher, of Bebee Plain, county of Stanstead, praying to be authorised to practise as a surgeon, &c., be not granted ;

Of medical practitioners of the province of Quebec, praying that T. D. Whitcher, of Bebee Plain, praying to be authorised to practise the profession of a Physician be not granted ;

Of Frederick Paré and others, physicians of the Province of Quebec, same prayer as the preceding petitions ;

Of T. D. Whitcher, of Bebee Plain, praying to be authorised to practice medicine ;

Of the Sisters of Providence, parish of St-Ursule, county of Maskinongé, praying for aid ;

Of the Congregation of the Sisters of childrens schools, of Rimouski, praying to be incorporated ;

Of the inhabitants of St-Isidore, county of Dorchester, praying that the Metgermet road North be finished ;

Of George Arthur Hughes, of the city of Montreal, praying that the Bar of the Province of Quebec, be authorised to admit him among the number of its members ;

Of the Quebec Board of Trade, praying that a Railway be built from St-Martins junction to Point Claire ;

Of the Quebec Womens Christian Association, praying for aid ;

Of the St-Patricks Literary Institute, praying for aid ;

Of the inhabitants of St-Gabriel of Brandon, praying that certain parts of that parish be detached from the county of Berthier and annexed to the county of Maskinongé for all purposes whatever ;

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Privates Bills, presented their second report.

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

PRIVATE BILLS OFFICE,

11th June, 1880.

The Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to present the following as their second Report.

Your Committee have examined the following Petitions and find that they are not of a nature to require the publication of the notice demanded by the 49th rule :

Of the Convent of St-Joseph of Lanoraie ;

Of the Asylum for Protestant Orphans of Montreal ;

Of the Pharmaceutical College of Montreal ;

Of the Asylum of St Joseph, of the Good Sheppherd, Fullum street, Montreal.

Of the Sisters of Providence of St-Vincent de Paul ;

Of the Medical and Surgical School of Montreal ;

Of the ladies of the Montreal asylum for Roman Catholic Orphans.

Of the Montreal Ophthalmic Dispensary ;

Of the directors of the Montreal St-Charles Home ;

Of the Sisters of Charity of Montreal ;

Of the Montreal Natural History Society, praying for aid ;

Of the inhabitants of St-Francis of Beauce ;

Of the inhabitants of St-George of Beauce and others, praying that the Levis and Kennebeck Railway be constructed to the frontier and that in the event of the government deeming it inexpedient to take possession of the said railway, to send an engineer to report on the condition of the railway ;

Of H. A. Nelson and others of Montreal ;

Of St-Mathias Church of Montreal ;  
 Of the Erskine Street Church of Montreal ;  
 Of the St-Thomas Church of Montreal ;  
 Of the Reformed Episcopal Church of Montreal ;  
 Of St-Mark's Church of Montreal ;  
 Of Calvary Church of Montreal ;  
 Of the reverend Mr. Clark and others, of Montreal ;  
 Of St-Joseph street Presbyterian Church of Montreal ;  
 Of the French Methodist Church of Montreal ;  
 Of W. T. Spicer and others, of Montreal ;  
 Of E. H. Lay and others, of Montreal, all praying that the licence law be amended.

Of M. Morison, commissioner of schools, of R. E. Fontaine, advocate, and others, booksellers, printers, binders and editors of the province of Quebec, residing at St Hyacinth, praying for the repeal of the law providing for the supply of books to the schools and of the pupils, by the depositary of the department of Public Instruction ;

Of the Sisters of Charity of the town of Longueuil, praying for a special grant ;

Of His Worship the Mayor of Montreal, and others, praying for amendments to the education laws ;

Your committee having gone through in full the following petitions, find that the required notices were given in each case.

Of the corporation of Montreal, praying that the city incorporation act be amended ;

Of the Lake Champlain and St Lawrence junction Railway Company, praying that their charter be amended ;

Of Mrs. Henriette Coursol, Robert Kane and of C. F. Quesnel Coursol, praying that it be enacted so that all doubts as to their power of disposing of certain lands be removed ;

Of L. A. Senecal and others, of Quebec, praying that the Railway Company of the south shore and tunnel be incorporated ;

Of the Lake Saint John Railway Company, praying for amendments to their act of incorporation ;

Of V. Darling and others, of Sherbrooke, praying that the international mining company be incorporated ;

Of Locke W. Winchester and others, of New-York, praying for the incorporation of the Ristigouche Fishing Club ;

Of the inhabitants of Sherbrooke, praying that the « Gas and Water Company of Sherbrooke, » be incorporated ;

Of John Samuel Knox and others, of the Isle of Wight, England, praying that an act be passed to remove all doubts and to define their powers, as executors of the late Robert Knox ;

Of the company of the Montreal south eastern Railway, praying that power be given them to consolidate their debts ;

Of Pierre Remi Chevalier, notary, of Sorel, praying for the enactment of a law, declaring a certain deed of sale valid and authentic ;

Of the Montreal Graphic Company, praying for amendments to its charter ;

Of Robert Cassels and others, of Montreal, praying that an act be passed to incorporate the River St-Lawrence Tunnel Company ;

Of Charlotte Smith and others, of Montreal, praying that an act be passed to authorise them to sell certain property ;

Of the Montmorency county Municipality, first division, praying that an act

be passed establishing fixed limits for all purposes whatever, than those fixed upon by the cadastral plan, made by order of the Commissioner of Crown Lands;

Of Louis Pignolet, of Montreal, praying that an act be passed authorizing the Bar of the Province of Quebec, to admit him to practise the profession of an advocate;

Of James Court and others, of Montreal, praying that an act be passed to incorporate the association of accountants, of Montreal;

Of the commercial clerks, of Montreal, praying for an act of incorporation.

Your committee have gone through the following petitions and find that the notices required have not been given;

Of the Reverend Redemptorist Fathers, of Quebec, praying for an act of incorporation;

Nevertheless, your committee recommends the suspension of the 49th rule that they can as the committee of Private Bills, protect any person from receiving any injury therefrom.

The whole respectfully submitted,

E. DIONNE,  
Chairman.

The Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, from the joint committee on printing of the Legislature presented their first report.

*Ordered*, That it be received, and it was then read as follows by the clerk, to wit:

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Committee Room No. 3.

Quebec, 11th June, 1880.

First report of the joint committee on printing.

Your committee has the honor to report that it has elected the Honorable *J. L. Beaudry*, as its chairman.

Your committee recommends that its quorum be reduced to seven members.

That the Honorable Messrs. *Ferrier, Beaudry, Archambeault, Marchand* and Mr. *Mathieu*, be a side committee with instructions to examine the several documents laid before the house and referred to this committee.

Your Committee recommends that members who wish documents to be printed should refer them to this Committee before asking that they be printed.

The whole humbly submitted,

(Signed J. L. BEAUDRY,  
Chairman.

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On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Report be taken into consideration, on Monday next.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the delay to receive Petitions and Private Bills be extended to the 21st June. That the delay to present Private Bill be extended to the 28th June instant, and that the delay to receive Reports of Committees either standing or special on a Private Bill be extended to the 5th July next.

A message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 81) intituled : " An Act concerning the Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa and Occidental Railway, " to which they request the concurrence of this House.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, the House adjourned until Monday, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

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## Monday, 14th June, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Archambeault,</i> <i>Bryson,</i> <i>Dionne,</i> <i>Dostaler,</i> <i>Gaudet,</i> <i>Gingras,</i> <i>LaBruère, de</i> <i>Laviolette,</i>	<i>Léry, de</i> <i>Panet,</i> <i>Proulx,</i> <i>Rémillard,</i> <i>Savage,</i> <i>Starnes,</i> <i>Villemure, de</i> <i>Wood.</i>
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The following petitions were severally brought up and laid on the table :

By the Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*, of the « Clercs Paroissiaux » of St Viateur.  
 Of certain settlers of the township of Joliette.

By the Honorable Mr. *Remillard*, of certain booksellers &c., of the city of Levis.

By the Honorable Mr. *Laviolette*, of the Mayor and Council of the town of Iberville.

Of Duncan McDonald and others.

Of the Sisters of Charity of St. Jean.

From the same petitioner.

By the Honorable Mr. *Bryson*, of John Redpath Dougal, and others.

Of certain inhabitants of the Valley of the Gatineau.

The following petitions were read and received :

Of Anthony Force and others, of Montreal, praying for the enactment of a law granting leave to construct a branch line between Valois station and the town of Lachine ;

Of Hormisdas Jeannotte, of Montreal, praying for the enactment of a law to authorize the Bar of Quebec to admit him as one of its members ;

Of the St. Jean Baptiste Society of Lachine, praying for an act of incorporation.

Of the Quebec Gas Company, praying for amendments to its act of incorporation ;

Of the Finlay Asylum, of Quebec, praying for aid ;

Of the Ladies Protestant Home, of Quebec, praying for aid ;

Of the Ladies Directors of the Orphans Home, of Quebec, belonging to the Anglican Church, praying for aid ;

Of the inhabitants of St-Antoine, of Longueuil, opposing the amendments prayed for to the act of incorporation of the town of Longueuil ;

Of the General Hospital, of Montreal, founded the third day of June 1753; praying for aid ;

Of the Corporation of the town of Saint-John, praying for amendments to its act of incorporation ;

Of the Saint Jean Baptiste Society of Salaberry of Valleyfield, praying for amendments to its act of incorporation ;

Of the Society of Arts of the City of Montreal, praying for amendments to its act of incorporation.

The Hon. the Speaker presented to the House a message from His Honor the Lieutenant Governor transmitting the Report of the Queen's Printer.

The said message was read as follows :

THEODORE ROBITAILLE.

The Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Quebec, transmits to the Legislative Council, the report of the Queen's Printer, showing the number of copies of the acts of the previous Sessions which have been printed, and distributed by him, the departments, administrative bodies, officers and persons to whom they have been distributed, the number of copies delivered to each, and under what authority, the number of copies of acts of each session remaining on his hands, together with a detailed account of the expenses incurred by him in the printing and distributing of the said Statutes.

Government House,  
Quebec, 8th June 1880.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 68) intituled : " An Act to amend the Act of this Province 42-43 Vict., chap. 52, concerning the Macadamizing road Company of the parish of Laprairie, to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette* it was,  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 44) intituled : « An Act to amend the act of this Province, 42-43 Vict., chap. 35, concerning the notarial office, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Archambeault*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time, Wednesday next.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 38) intituled : « An Act to amend the law concerning the constitution of the Superior Court, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time, Wednesday next.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 40), intituled : « An Act concerning the terms of the court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, in the district of Quebec and of Montreal, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time, Wednesday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (C) intituled : « An Act to amend certain articles of the Municipal Code of the Province of Quebec. »

The Honorable Mr. *Lavolette* moved, and it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Order of the Day be continued until Wednesday.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (D) intituled : « An act to change the name of the Mutual Insurance company against fire of the County of Joliette and for other objects »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 81) intituled : « An Act concerning the Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa and Occidental Railway. »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be Committed to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the second report of the Committee on Private Bills,

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The Honorable Mr. *Dionne* moved, and it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Report be adopted.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the Report of the Joint Committee on Printing.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Wood*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said report be adopted.

The Honorable Mr. *Archembeault*, presented a Bill (E) intituled : « An act to amend the laws of hypothecs and enregistration, article 1571, of the Civil Code, and article 640, of the Code of Civil Procedure. »

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Archembeault*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time, on Monday next.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Laviolette*,  
The House adjourned until to-morrow, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

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## Tuesday, 15th June, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs,

*Archembeault*,  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Dionne*,  
*Dostaler*,  
*Ferrier*,  
*Gaudet*,  
*Gingras*,  
*LaBruère, de*  
*Laviolette*,

*Léry, de*  
*Proulx*,  
*Prudhomme*,  
*Rémillard*,  
*Savage*,  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb*,  
*Wood*.

The following petitions were severally brought up and laid on the table :

By the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, of the St-Lawrence and Lake Champlain Junction Railway Company.

Of the Revd. O. Blanchard and others.

By the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, of the Longueuil town Council.

By the Honorable Mr. *Remillard*, of the Quebec Canadian Institute.

By the Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*, of the Asylum of the town of Joliette.

By the Honorable Mr. *Webb*, of R. W. Heneker and others.

Of the same petitioners.

By the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, of the « Protestant Home for Friendless Women,»

Of the Council of the Board of Trade Montreal.

By the Honorable Mr. *Bryson*, of Joseph Smeyers Stassaradt and others.

By the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*,

Of the Society, l'Union St-Joseph de St-Jean d'Iberville.

The following petitions were read and received :

Of the inhabitants of the town of Nicolet, praying for aid, for the construction of a bridge on the river Nicolet ;

Of the beet root sugar Company of the Province of Quebec, praying for amendments to its act of incorporation ;

Of T. D. Whitcher, of the township of Stanstead, praying for the enactment of a law to authorize him to practise as a physician ;

Of the physicians and surgeons of the county of Stanstead, praying for the enactment of a law to authorize T. W. Whitcher, to practise as a physician ;

Of Alfred Pinsonneault, of the city of Montreal, praying for the enactment of a law to authorize him to dispose of certain substituted immovables ;

Of Ste-Bridget's total abstinence and benefit society, of Montreal, praying for amendments to its act of incorporation ;

Of Thomas Gauthier and others, of Montreal, praying that a law be enacted confirming the act of the Federal Government 41 Vic., chap. 41 ;

Of the inhabitants of St-Henry des Tanneries, praying that it be enacted that the Fabric of St-Henry shall have power to borrow a certain sum of money ;

Of Dame M. A. Cuvillier, widow of the late A. M. Delisle, esquire, praying that an act be passed to remove all doubts as to the power to sell certain immovable property ;

Of St-James Building Society of Montreal, praying that it be enacted that certain acts of the Federal Parliament it be declared valid.

Of Rock Pamphile Vallée, M. P., praying that it be enacted that the Bar of Quebec shall have authority to admit him as one of its members ;

Of the Quebec Garrison Club, praying that they may be incorporated by law ;

Of the Municipal Council of the parish of St-Joachim of Montmorency, praying that the Act 36 Vict., chap. 38, be amended ;

Of the Montreal Permanent Building Society, praying for a second act of incorporation ;

Of the Corporation of the City of Quebec, praying that its act of incorporation be further amended ;

Of the inhabitants of N.-D. de la Victoire, Levis, praying that aid be granted to the Asylum of St Joseph de la Délivrance ;

Of the Honorable Mr. Thomas Ryan and others, of Montreal, praying that an act of incorporation be granted to the Montreal Steam Heating Company.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Remillard*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Honorable member shall be allowed to withdraw a petition of certain Book Sellers of Lévis, presented through inadvertance.

The said petition was withdrawn.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 81), intituled : « An Act concerning the Québec, Montreal, Ottawa and Occidental Railway »,

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne* from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and directed him to report the same without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then accordingly 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being read for the 2nd reading of Bill (D) intituled : « An Act to change the name of the Mutual Fire Assurance Company, of the county of Joliette, and for other objects, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*, it was

*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until Thursday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (B) intituled : « An Act declaring that the edict of Louis XV, King of France, of the year 1743, enregistered in the *Conseil Supérieur*, has always been the law of this Province, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was

*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until Tuesday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of Bill (No. 68) intituled : « A Bill to amend the act of this Province, 42-43 Vict., chap. 52, concerning the Macadamizing company of the parish of Laprairie, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, it was

*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until Thursday next.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Wood*, the House adjourned until to-morrow, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Wednesday, 16th June, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archangeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Ferrier.*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*LaBruère, de*

*Lavolette,*  
*Léry, de*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Savage,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb,*  
*Wood.*

The following petitions were severally brought up and laid on the table :

By the Honorable Mr. *Prudhomme*, of the council of the county of Hochelaga.

By the Honorable Mr. *Rémillard*, of L. J. O'Connor.

Of certain book sellers of Levis.

By the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, of Stéphanie Vincent and others.

Of the Revd A. Tranchemontagne and others.

Of certain book sellers of Montreal ;

By the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, of Evan John Price.

Of N. Marchand and others.

By the Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*, of the Revd Jos. Brien and others.

The following petitions were read and received :

Of the clerks of Saint Viateur, praying that power be given them to hypothecate the real property they held at Joliette, by virtue of the donation made in their favor by the Honorable Barthéleuni Joliette ;

Of the inhabitants of the township of Joliette, praying for a grant to complete a road ;

Of the inhabitants of the town of Iberville, praying for amendments to their act of incorporation ;

Of the Saint John and Sorel Railway Company, praying to be incorporated ;

Of the Nuns Sisters of Charity of St John, praying for aid ;

Of the same petitioners praying for aid ;

Of the inhabitants of the Valley of the Gatineau, praying for aid for the construction of a bridge ;

Of John Redpath Douglass *et al*, of Montreal, praying for the incorporation of the society of Graduates of McGill University ;

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The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (C) intituled : « An act to amend certain articles of the municipal code of the Province of Quebec, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until Thursday next.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 44) intituled : « An act to amend the act of this Province, 42-43 Vict., chap. 35, concerning the notarial office, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Archanbeault*, seconded by the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.

The Bill was read a second time.

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a Select Committee, and that the Honorable Messieurs *Dionne*, *Rémillard*, *de Lubruère*, *de Villemure*, and the mover, be appointed Members thereof.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 38) intituled : « An Act to amend the law concerning the constitution of the Superior Court, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time.  
 The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 40), intituled: « An Act concerning the terms of the court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, in the districts of Quebec and of Montreal, »

On motion of the Honorable M. *Ross*, the Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable M. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the whole House to-morrow.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*, the House adjourned until to-morrow, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Thursday, 17th June, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker. \*

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Archambeault,</i>	<i>Lavolette,</i>
<i>Beaudry,</i>	<i>Léry, de</i>
<i>Boucherville, de</i>	<i>Proulx,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Prudhomme,</i>
<i>Dionne,</i>	<i>R millard,</i>
<i>Dostaler,</i>	<i>Sarage,</i>
<i>Ferrier,</i>	<i>Starnes,</i>
<i>Gaudet,</i>	<i>Villemare, de</i>
<i>Gingras,</i>	<i>Webb;</i>
<i>LaBruère, de</i>	<i>Wood.</i>

The following petitions were severally brought up and laid on the table :

By the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, of the inhabitants of the county of Laprairie.

Of the navigation company of Longueuil.

Of the inhabitants of Saint Constant.

By the Honorable Mr. *La violette*, of the inhabitants of Saint Urbain.

Of the inhabitants of Sainte Martine.

Of the same petitioners.

Of the same petitioners.

Of the inhabitants of the county of Napierville.

By the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, of the Municipal Council of St-Malachie of Ormstown.

Of the Revd. Mr. Charland.

By the Honorable Mr. *Ross*,

Of Moise Houde and others.

The following petitions were read and received :

Of the Montreal and Champlain Junction Railway Company, praying that the act to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company do not pass ;

Of the inhabitants of the county of Laprairie, praying that the act to incorporate the South Shore and Tunnel Railway Company, be not passed ;

Of the Mayor of Longueuil, praying that the act of this Province, 37 Vict., chap. 49, be amended ;

Of the Canadian Institute of Quebec, praying for aid ;  
 Of the Asylum of the town of Joliette, praying for aid ;  
 Of J. A. Camirand and others, praying that the Bill to repeal the acts 33 Vict., chap. 16, and the 34 Vict., chap. 7, be not passed ;  
 Of the Eastern Townships Bank and other corporations, praying that the Civil Code, be amended ;  
 Of the Montreal Protestant Home for Friendless Women, praying for aid ;  
 Of the Montreal Board of Trade, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company be not passed ;  
 Of the members of the Union St-Joseph of St-Jean of Iberville, praying that their act of incorporation be amended.  
 Of the inhabitants of the county of Ottawa, praying aid for the completion of a certain road.

## PRIVATE BILLS OFFICE,

17th June, 1880.

The Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to present the following as their third Report.

Your Committee have examined the following Petitions and find that they are not of a nature to require the publication of the notice demanded by the 49th rule :

Of the St-Patrick Literary Institute of Quebec ;  
 Of the Sisters of Providence, parish of St-Ursule, county of Maskinongé ;  
 Of the Womens' Christian Association of Quebec ;  
 Of the Protestant Orphans Asylum of Quebec ;  
 Of the General Hospital of the city of Montreal, established on the third day of June, 1753 ;  
 Of the ladies directors of the Orphan Asylum of Quebec, belonging to the Anglican Church ;  
 Of the Finlay Asylum of Quebec ;  
 Of the Ladies of the Protestant Home of Quebec ;  
 Of the Sisters of Charity, of St-John ;  
 Of the Sisters of St-John, all praying for aid ;  
 Of the inhabitants of N.-D. de la Victoire, Levis, praying for aid in favor of the Home of St-Joseph de la Délivrance ;  
 Of the inhabitants of the valley of the Gatineau, praying for aid for the construction of a bridge ;  
 Of the inhabitants of the township of Joliette, praying for a grant for the completion of a road ;  
 Of the inhabitants of St-Anthony, of Longueuil, opposing certain amendments prayed for to the act of incorporation of the town of Longueuil ;  
 Of the inhabitants of St-Isidore, county of Dorchester, praying for the completion of the Metgermette road north ;  
 Of the inhabitants of the town of Nicolet, praying aid for the construction of a bridge on the river Nicolet ;  
 Of Dr. Abraham Hopkins and others ;  
 Of Dr. Frederick Paré and others ;  
 Of Joseph Alphée Lemay and others ;  
 Of Dr. A. Belleau and others ;

Of Dr. Brigham and others ;

Of Dr. McGowen and others, all physicians, practising in the province of Quebec, opposing the petition of T. D. Whitcher, of Beebe Plain, county of Stanstead, praying that a law be passed to authorize T. D. Whitcher, to practise as a physician ;

Of physicians and surgeons of the county of Stanstead, praying for the enactment of law to authorize T. D. Whitcher of Beebe Plain to practise the profession of physician ;

Your committee having gone through in full, the following petitions find that the required notices had been given in each case.

Of James Henry Dixon, and of Dame Frances Jane Conelly of Montreal, praying that an act be passed permitting them to sell certain real estate situated in the township of Kildare ;

Of John Redpath Dougall *et al.*, of Montreal, praying that the society of graduates of McGill College be incorporated ;

Of Rock Pamphile Vallée, M.P., praying that it be enacted that the bar of the province shall be authorised to admit him as one of its members ;

Of T. D. Whitcher of the township of Stanstead, praying that it be enacted that he shall be authorised to practise his profession of physician ;

Of Alfred Pinsonault of the city of Montreal, praying that it be enacted that he shall have authority to sell certain substituted properties ;

Of « St Bridgets total abstinence and benefit society » of Montreal, praying for amendments to their act of incorporation ;

Of the Beet Root Sugar manufacturing company of the province, praying that its act of incorporation be amended ;

Of the inhabitants of St Henry of the Tanneries, praying that it be enacted that the fabric of St Henry be authorised to borrow certain sum of money ;

Of the Quebec Garrison Club, praying for an act of incorporation ;

Of the Honorable Mr. Thos. Ryan and others, of Montreal, praying that the *Steam Leasing Company* be incorporated ;

Of the Corporation of the city of Quebec, praying that their act of incorporation be further amended ;

Of the Board of Trade of Quebec, praying that a railway be constructed connecting the St-Martin's junction with Point Claire ;

Of Charles Colby and others, of the township of Stanstead and other places, praying that the Orford Manufacturing Company of Chemical products be incorporated ;

Of the Huronian mining and smelting company, of St-Francis, praying for an act of incorporation ;

Of the Congregation of Redemptorists, established at St-Ann de Beaupré, county of Montmorency, praying that they be incorporated ;

Of the Hydraulic and Manufacturing Company, of the River Richelieu, praying that their act of incorporation be amended ;

Of George Arthur Hughes, of the city of Montreal, praying that it be enacted that the Bar of the province of Quebec shall have authority to admit him as one of its members ;

Of the Quebec Gas Company, praying for amendments to its act of incorporation ;

Of Anthony Force and others, of Montreal, praying that they be authorised by act of the Legislature to construct a branch railway from the Valois station to the town of Lachine ;

Of the St-Jean Baptiste Society of Lachine, praying to be incorporated ;  
 Of the Association of St-Jean de Salaberry of Valleyfield, praying to be incorporated ;

Of H. Jeannotte, of Montreal, praying that the Bar of Quebec, have authority granted it to admit him among the number of its members ;

Of the Society of Arts of the city of Montreal, praying that the act of incorporation be amended ;

Of the corporation of the town of St-John, praying that its act of incorporation be amended ;

Of the clerks of St Viateur, praying that power be granted them to hypothecate the lands they hold in Joliette by donation made in their favor by the Honorable Mr. Barthelemy Joliette ;

Of the St-John and Sorel railway company, praying that they be incorporated ;

Of the inhabitants of the town of Iberville, praying that their act of incorporation be amended ;

Of the St-Jacques Building Society of Montreal, praying that an act be passed confirming and declaring valid the provisions of certain acts passed by the Federal Parliament.

The whole humbly submitted,

E. DIONNE,  
 Chairman.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into committee of the whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 38) intituled : « An Act to amend the law respecting the constitution of the Superior Court,»

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into committee of the whole.

After some time the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr *de LaBruère* from the said committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and directed him to report the same without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then accordingly 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into committee of the whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 40) intituled : « An Act respecting the terms of the court of general sessions of the peace in the districts of Quebec and Montreal,»

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into committee of the whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr *Remillard* from the said committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and directed him to report the same without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then accordingly 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of Bill (B) intituled : « An act declaring that the edict of Louis XV, King of France, of the year 1743, enregistered in the *Conseil Supérieur*, has always been the law of this Province. »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Order of the Day be discharged and postponed to Tuesday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of Bill (No. 68) intituled : « A Bill to amend the act of this Province, 42 43 Vict., chap. 52, concerning the Macadamizing company of the parish of Laprairie, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Order of the Day be discharged and the clerk of this House do produce the original of the Bill No. 56 of the last session.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of the Bill (D) intituled : « An act to change the name of the Mutual Fire Assurance Company, of the county of Joliette, and for other objects, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*, 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. *Savage*, the House adjourned until to-morrow, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Friday, 18th June, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Archambeault,</i>	<i>Léry, de</i>
<i>Beaudry,</i>	<i>Panel,</i>
<i>Boucherville, de</i>	<i>Proulx,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Rémillard,</i>
<i>Dostaler,</i>	<i>Savage,</i>
<i>Ferrier,</i>	<i>Starnes,</i>
<i>Gingras,</i>	<i>Villemure de,</i>
<i>La Bruère, de</i>	<i>Webb,</i>
<i>Laviolette,</i>	<i>Wood,</i>

The following petitions were read and received :

Of the Hochelaga County Council, praying that the license act be amended ;  
Of certain land proprietors Prince Edward street, St-Roch, Quebec, praying to be indemnified for certain damages caused by the passage of the North Shore Railway through their street ;

Of certain booksellers of Levis, praying that the law concerning the depot of books be repealed ;

Of the Sisters of Refuge of the Passion of Jesus, of Montreal, praying for an act of incorporation ;

Of the inhabitants of the parish of St-Joseph of Montreal, praying for aid to the Bethlehem Asylum ;

Of S. B. Rolland sons, and others, of Montreal, praying that the law respecting the Book Depot be repealed ;

Of Evan John Price, of Quebec, praying that an act be passed allowing him to levy certain tolls on a bridge over the river Batiscan ;

Of the inhabitants of the parish of St-Stanislas and others, in the county of Champlain, opposing the petition of Evan John Price of Quebec, which prays for the passing of an act to allow him to levy tolls on passengers, &c., using his bridge on the river Batiscan ;

Of the inhabitants of St Damien, county of Berthier, praying for aid for colonisation and for the completion of a road ;

The Honorable Mr. *Beaudry* from the committee appointed to examine the contingent accounts of the Legislative Council for this session and report thereon, present then second report.

*Ordered*, That it be received and it was then read by the clerk as follows.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Committee Room No. 3,

18th June, 1880.

The special committee appointed to examine and report on the contingent accounts of the Legislative Council for this session has the honor to present its second report.

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Your committee has gone through the clerk's accounts from the 1st July last (1879), the date of the last audit of his accounts, to the first of June inclusive.

The clerk had in his hands from the first mentioned date the sum of twelve thousand six hundred and five dollars 947100.

The clerk much to the satisfaction of your committee rendered a detailed statement of account, with vouchers numbered from 1 to 403 inclusive, of his expenses between the two dates above mentioned, amounting to the sum of thirty seven thousand six hundred and thirty three 947100 dollars, so that there is now due to the clerk by this Honorable House the sum of twenty five thousand and twenty eight dollars 947100 which sum your committee recommends be reimbursed to him.

The whole humbly submitted,

J. L. BEAUDRY,  
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said report be adopted.

Conformably with the order of the House made yesterday, the Honorable the *Speaker* presented to the House the Bill No. 56, passed at the last session, and intituled : « An act to amend the act intituled an act to incorporate the turnpike road company of the village of Laprairie. »

On motion of Mr. *Lavolette*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a Select Committee and that the Honorable Messrs. *de Labrière*, *Dostaler*, and the mover be appointed members thereof.

The Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, presented a special report from the Committee on contingent accounts, and a question.

Of order being raised.

The Honorable the *Speaker* decided that the said report was not in order.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 49) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act of this Province 42-43 Vict., chapter 46, intituled : « An Act to adjust the boundary lines and settle the titles in certain ranges of the township of Grenville, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Bryson*, it was

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

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 37), intituled : « An Act to provide for employing, without the walls of Common Gaols, prisoners who are imprisoned therein, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

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

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, the House adjourned until to-morrow, Monday, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Monday, 21st June, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Archambeault,</i>	<i>La Bruère, de</i>
<i>Beaudry,</i>	<i>Léry, de,</i>
<i>Boucherville, de</i>	<i>Proulx,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Rémillard,</i>
<i>Dionne,</i>	<i>Savage,</i>
<i>Dostaler,</i>	<i>Starnes,</i>
<i>Gaudet,</i>	<i>Villemure, de</i>
<i>Gingras,</i>	<i>Webb,</i>
<i>Hearn,</i>	<i>Wood.</i>

The following petitions were severally brought up and laid on the table :

By the Honorable Mr. *Hearn*, of the Corporation of the city of Quebec ;

Of J. A. Langlois and others ;

The following petitions were read and received :

Of the inhabitants of the county of Laprairie, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company be not passed ;

Of the inhabitants of St Constant, county of Laprairie praying that the Bill « to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company » be not passed ;

Of the Longueuil Navigation Company, praying that their Act of incorporation be amended ;

Of the inhabitants of the parish of St Urbain Premier, praying that the Bill intituled, « An Act to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company », may not become law ;

Of the inhabitants of the parish of Ste-Martine, county of Chateauguay, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company do not become law ;

Of the inhabitants of Ste-Martine, county of Chateauguay, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company do not become law.

Of the inhabitants of the county of Napierville, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company do not become law ;

Of inhabitants of the parish of Ste-Martine, county of Chateauguay, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel company do not become law ;

Of the parish of St-Melachie, of Ormstown, county of Chateauguay, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company, do not become law ;

Of the curé of St-Clément de Beauharnois, praying for aid to the St-Joseph's Hospital of Beauharnois ;

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On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Honorable Mr. *de Villemure*, be added to the list of the committee on contingent accounts.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Archambeault*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the name of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, be added to the list of the committee on standing orders and private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of Bill (E) intituled :  
 « An Act to amend the laws of hypothecs and enregistrement, article 1571, of the Civil Code, and article 640 of the Code of Civil Procedure,»

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Archambeault*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until Friday next.

The order of the day being read for the second reading of Bill (No. 37) intituled : « An Act to provide for employing, without the walls of Common Goals, prisoners who are imprisoned therein,»

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until Wednesday.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*, the House adjourned until to-morrow at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

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## Tuesday, 22nd June, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault*,  
*Beaudry*,  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson*,  
*Dionne*,  
*Dostaler*,  
*Ferrier*,  
*Gaudet*,  
*Gingras*,

*LaBruère de*  
*Lavolette*  
*Proulx*,  
*Prud'homme*,  
*Rémillard*,  
*Savage*,  
*Starnes*,  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb*,  
*Wood*.

The following petitions were read and received :

By the Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, of G. L. Dick and others ;

By the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, of the « Montreal Ladies Benevolent Society and House of Refuge ; »

By the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, of F. X. A. Carrière and others ;  
 Of Nap. Carrier and others,

Of P. B. Lamarre and others,

Of T. Betournay and others,

Of Alex. Fonrouge and others.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the committee on standing orders and private Bills presented their fourth report.

*Ordered*, That it be received, and it was then read by the clerk as follows :

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Private Bills Office, this 22nd June, 1880.

The committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills has, the honor to present the following as its fourth report.

Your committee after going through the following petitions, find that they did not require the notices as provided by the 49th rule :

Of the Montreal Protestant Home for Friendless Women :

Of the Home of the town of Joliette ;

Of the Quebec Canadian Institute all praying for aid ;

Of J. B. Rolland and son and others, booksellers of Montreal ;

Of certain booksellers of Levis, all praying for the repeal of the law respecting the book depot ;

Of the Montreal and Champlain Junction Railway Company ;

Of the Montreal board of trade ;

Of the inhabitants of the county of Laprairie ;

Of the inhabitants of St-Constant, county of Laprairie ;

Of the inhabitants of St-Urbain Premier, county of Laprairie ;

Of the inhabitants of Ste-Martine ;

Of the inhabitants of Ste-Martine ;

Of the inhabitants of Ste-Martine ;

Of the inhabitants of the county of Napierville ;

Of the inhabitants of the county of Laprairie, all praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company, be not passed ;

Of the inhabitants of the parish of St-Malachie d'Ormstown, county of Chateauguay, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel company be passed ;

Of the inhabitants of the county of Ottawa, praying for aid for the completion of a road ;

Of the Eastern Townships Bank, praying that the Civil Code be amended ;

Of J. A. Camirand and others, praying that the 33rd Vict., chap. 16, and the 34th Vict., chap. 7, be not repealed ;

Of the County Council of Hochelaga, praying that the license act be amended ;

Of the inhabitants of St-Damien, county of Berthier, praying for aid for colonisation and for the completion of a road ;

Of the inhabitants of the parish of St-Stanislas and others, of the county of Champlain opposing the petition of Evan John Price, of Quebec, which prays for the enactment of a law allowing him to levy certain tolls on a bridge over the river Batiscan ;

Of the inhabitants of the parish of St Joseph, of Montreal, praying for aid to the Asylum of Bethlehem ;

Of certain land proprietors of Prince Edward street, St. Roch of Quebec, praying to be indemnified for certain damages caused by the passage of the North Shore Railway through their street ;

Of the curate of St Clément of Beauharnois, praying for aid for the Hospital of St-Joseph de Beauharnois.

Of Moïse Houde, esquire, and others, of Louiseville, county of Maskinongé, praying for aid for the reconstruction of a bridge over the River du Loup.

Your committee having gone through in full, the following petitions, have found that the required notice had been given in each case.

Of the Sisters of Refuge of the Passion of Jesus of Montreal, praying to be incorporated ;

Of Evan John Price, of Quebec, praying that a law be passed to allow him to levy certain tolls on a bridge on the river Batiscan ;

Of the Mayor of Longueuil, praying for amendments to the act of this province, 37 Victoria, chapter 49 ;

Of the members of the « Union St-Joseph of St-Jean d'Iberville », praying for amendments to its act of incorporation ;

Of the navigation company of Longueuil, praying for amendments to its act of incorporation.

The whole respectfully submitted,

E. DIONNE,  
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said report be adopted.

The Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville* presented a Bill (F,) intituled : « An act for the protection of public bridges. »

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time, Wednesday, 30th June inst.

The Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, presented a Bill (G) intituled : « An act to amend chap 86, of the 29 Vict., of the late Province of Canada, incorporating the Longueuil Navigation Company, »

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time, Wednesday, the 30th June inst.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of Bill (B) intituled : « An act declaring that the edict of Louis XV, King of France, of the year 1713, enregistered in the *Conseil Supérieur*, has always been the law of this Province, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was

*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until Wednesday, the 30th June inst.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of the Bill (C) intituled : « An Act to amend certain articles of the municipal code of the province of Quebec » ;

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.

The Bill was read a second time.

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On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a select committee, and that the Honorable Messieurs *Archambeault, Gaudet, de Villemure, Webb* and the mover be appointed members thereof.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 49) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act of this Province 42-43 Vict., chapitre 46, intituled : « An Act to adjust the boundary lines and settle the titles in certain ranges of the township of Grenville, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Bryson*, it was,  
*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.  
 The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Bryson*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a committee of the whole House for Wednesday, the 30th of June instant.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*,  
 The House adjourned until to-morrow, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

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### Wednesday, 23rd June, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*Hearn,*  
*LaBruère, de*

*Lavolette,*  
*Léry, de,*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Savage,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb,*  
*Wood.*

The following petitions were severally brought up and laid on the table :

By the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, of D. E. Gauthier and others.

Of J. W. Mellin and others.

Of Pierre Roy and others.

Of Moé Piquette and others.

Of Adolphe Homier and others.

Of Michel Lavallée and others.

Of Louis Bellerose and others.

Of Nazaire Beaudry and others.

Of Charles Gariépy and others.

Of Isidore Moclé and others.

Of Patrick Lynch and others.

Of Paul Dupuis and others.

Of L. Gagnon and others.

Of Eugene St. Charles and others.

Of E. B. Desmarteau and others.

Of A. Pilon & Co., and others.

Of D. A. Coullée and others.

Of Alderic Chartrand and others.

Of J. Bte. Marie & Co. and others.

Of Felix Jacco and others.

Of A. Turcotte and others.

Of Art. Dubuc and others.

Of Ovila LeBlanc and others.

By the Honorable Mr. Bryson,

Of the Medical Society, of Montreal.

The following petitions were read and received :

Of the Corporation of the City of Quebec, praying that the charter of the Quebec and Lake St-John Railway be not altered ;

Of J. A. Langlais and others, booksellers, of Quebec, praying that the law concerning the-book depository be repealed.

The Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, moved : :

That when this House adjourns, it do stand adjourned till Wednesday, 30th June inst., at three o'clock in the afternoon.

The question was put. The House divided, and the names being called for ; they were taken down as follows :

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## The Honorable Messieurs.

*Archambeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Hearn,*

*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Webb,*  
*Villemure, de—11.*

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## The Honorable Messieurs.

*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Gingras,*  
*LaBrière, de*

*Lavolette,*  
*Proulx,*  
*Ross,*  
*Savage, and*  
*Wood.—10*

So, it was carried in the affirmative, and it was  
*Ordered,* That when this House adjourns it do stand adjourned till Wednesday, 30th June instant, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 31) intituled : « An act to incorporate the International Mining Company, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.  
 The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Webb*, it was  
*Ordered,* That the said Bill be read a second time on Wednesday next.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 37) intituled : « An Act to provide for employing, without the walls of Common Gaols, prisoners who are imprisoned therein, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered,* That the Bill be read a second time.  
 The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered,* That the said Bill be referred to a committee of the whole House Wednesday next.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, the house adjourned until Wednesday next, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

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Wednesday, 30th June, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*

*LaBruère, de*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Savage,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb,*  
*Wood.*

The following petitions were severally brought up and laid on the table :

By the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, of Antoine Deslauriers and others.

By the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, of C. J. Wurtele and others.

By the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, of the county of Huntingdon municipal council.

By the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, of L. J. A. Surveiller and others.

Of Charles Ruffier and others.

Of J. M. Ostell and others.

Of the Honorable Mr. Thibaudeau and others.

By the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, of James A. Walker.

Of the Montreal Presbyterian College.

Of D. H. MacVicar L. L. D., S. T. P. and others, praying for aid.

The following petitions were read and received :

Of the inhabitants of St-Anne and others, praying that the Bill altering the boundaries of the parish be not passed ;

Of the Montreal Ladies Benevolent Society and House of Refuge, praying for aid ;

Of F. X. Carrière and others, of Longueuil, county of Chambly, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company be passed ;

Of Napoléon Carrière and others, of Longueuil, county of Chambly, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company, be passed ;

Of P. B. Lamarre and others, of Longueuil, county of Chambly, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company be passed ;

Of T. Betournay and others, of Longueuil, county of Chambly, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company be passed ;

Of Alexis Fournouge and others, of Longueuil, county of Chambly, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company be passed.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 8) intituled : « An Act authorizing the issue of provincial debentures for the payment of the subsidies granted to railway companies, and for completing the Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa and Occidental Railway, and for other purposes, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ross, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Starnes, it was

*Ordered*, That the forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill.

*Ordered*, That the same be read a second time presently.

The said Bill was then accordingly read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ross, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The House then adjourned during pleasure.

After some time, the House was resumed, and

At half past four o'clock in the afternoon, His Honor the Honorable Théodore Robitaille, Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Quebec, being seated in the chair on the throne, the *Speaker* commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the Legislative Assembly, and acquaint that House « It is His Honor's pleasure they attend him immediately in the chamber of the Legislative Council » who being come with their speaker.

The Clerk of the Crown in Chancery read the titles of the Bills to be passed severally as follows : « An Act authorizing the issue of provincial debentures for the payment of the subsidies granted to railway companies, and for completing the Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa and Occidental Railway, » and for other purposes.

An Act respecting the « Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa and Occidental Railway.»

To these Bills the Royal assent was given by the Clerk of this House in the words following :

In Her Majesty's name His Honor the Lieutenant Governor assents to these Bills.

Then the Legislative Assembly withdrew, and it pleased His Honor the Lieutenant Governor to retire.

The House was then resumed.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 60) intituled: « An Act to render authentic a deed of sale, passed at Quebec, on the fifteenth day of September, eighteen hundred and fifty eight, from John Jones to John George Crebassa and Pierre Rémi Chevallier, before John Simpson Hossack, notary, » to which they request the concurrence of this House. The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was

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

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 37) intituled: « An act to provide for employing, without the walls of Common Gaols, prisoners who are imprisoned therein, »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and directed him to report the same without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then accordingly 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being read for a committee of the Whole House on the Bill (No. 49) intituled: « An Act to amend the Act of this Province, 42-43 Victoria, chapter 46, intituled: « An Act to amend the Act to adjust the boundary lines and settle the titles in certain ranges of the township of Grenville, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Bryson*, it was

*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until Friday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of Bill (B) intituled: « An act declaring that the edict of Louis XV, King of France, of the year 1743, enregistered in the *Conseil Supérieur*, has always been the law of this Province, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was

*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until the 8th of July next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (E) intituled : « An act to amend the laws of hypothecs and enregistrement, article 1571, of the Civil Code, and article 640 of the Code of Civil Procedure, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Archambault*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until Friday the ninth of July next.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (F) intituled :  
 « An Act for the protection of public bridges, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until Friday next.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (G) intituled :  
 « An Act to amend chap. 88, of the 29 Vict., of the late Province of Canada, incorporating the Longueuil Navigation Company, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*,  
 The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, 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 (No. 31) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the International Mining Company. »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Webb*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until Friday next.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, the House adjourned until Friday next, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

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Friday, 2nd July, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*LaBruère, de*  
*Lavoilette,*

*Léry, de,*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Roy,*  
*Savage,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb,*  
*Wood.*

The following petitions were severally brought up and laid on the table :

By the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, of the Faculty of Medicine of McGill University.

By the Honorable Mr. *Gingras*, of the Literary and Historical Society of Quebec.

By the Honorable Mr. *Bryson*, of the Colonial Gold Mining Company.

By the Honorable Mr. *Roy*, of certain electors of the county of Richelieu.

The following petitions were read and received :

Of Adolphe Boucher and others, booksellers of Sorel, praying for the repeal of the law concerning the Book Depository ;

Of J. W. Mellin and others, inhabitants of the Eastern Division of the city of Montreal, praying that the act to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company, be passed ;

Of Pierre Roy and others, inhabitants of the Eastern Division of the city of Montreal, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company, be passed ;

Of Ernest Lord and others, of the Eastern Division of the city of Montreal, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company, be passed ;

Of Adolphe Homier and others, of the Eastern Division of the City of Montreal, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company may be passed ;

Of Moé Piquette and others, inhabitants of the Eastern Division of the City of Montreal praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company may become law ;

Of Michel Lavallée and others, inhabitants of the Eastern Division of the City of Montreal, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company may become law ;

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Of Louis Bellerose and others inhabitants of the Eastern Division of the City of Montreal, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company may be passed and become law ;

Of Nazaire Beaudry and others inhabitants of the Eastern Division of the City of Montreal, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company may be passed and become law ;

Of Charles Gariépy and others inhabitants of the Eastern Division of Montreal, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company may be passed and become law ;

Of Isidore Moclé and others inhabitants of the Eastern Division of the city of Montreal, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company may be passed and become law ;

Of Patrick Lynch, jr, and others, inhabitants of the Eastern Division of Montreal, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company may be passed and become law ;

Of Paul Dupuis and others, inhabitants of the Eastern Division of the city of Montreal, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company may be passed and become law ;

Of L. S. Gagnon and others, inhabitants of the Eastern division of Montreal, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company may become law ;

Of Eugène St. Charles and others, inhabitants of the Eastern division of Montreal, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company may become law ;

Of E. B. Desmarceaux and others, inhabitants of the Eastern division of Montreal, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company may become law ;

Of A. Pilon and Co., and others, inhabitants of the Eastern division of Montreal, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company may become law ;

Of D. A. Coutlée and others, inhabitants of the Eastern division of Montreal, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company may become law ;

Of Alderic Chartrand and others, inhabitants of the Eastern division of Montreal, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company may become law ;

Of S. Ste-Marie and Co., and others, inhabitants of the Eastern division of Montreal, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company may become law ;

Of Felix Jacco and others, inhabitants of the Eastern division of Montreal, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company may become law ;

Of A. Turcotte and others, inhabitants of the Eastern division of Montreal, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company may become law ;

Of Ovila Leblanc and others, inhabitants of the Eastern division of Montreal, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company may become law ;

Of the Medical Society and others, of Montreal, praying for the establishment of a Vaccine Institute ;

Of Arthur Dubuc and others, inhabitants of the Eastern division of Montreal, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company may become law.

The order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 49) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act

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of this Province, 42-43 Vict., chapter 46, intituled : « An Act to adjust the boundary lines and settle the titles in certain ranges of the township of Grenville, »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Remillard* from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and directed him to report the same without amendment.

On motion of Honorable Mr. *Bryson*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then accordingly 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (F) intituled : « An act to protect toll bridges, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, it was

*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until Monday.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 31) intituled : « An act to incorporate the international mining Company, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Webb*,

The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Webb*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 60) intituled : « An act to render authentic a deed of sale, passed at Quebec, on the fifteenth day of September, eighteen hundred and fifty eight, from John Jones to John George Crebassa and Pierre Reini Chevalier, before John Simpson Hossack, notary, »

Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, moved.

That the said Bill be now read a second time.

The Honorable Mr. *Starnes* moved in amendment.

That the said Bill be not now read for the second time, but on Monday next.

The question was put, on the motion in amendment, the House divided and the names being called for, they were taken down as follows.

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## The Honorable Messieurs,

*Beaudry,* *Starnes.*—3  
*Proulx,*

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## The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Boucherville, de</i> <i>Bryson,</i> <i>Dionne,</i> <i>Dostaler,</i> <i>Gaudet,</i> <i>Gingras,</i> <i>LaBruère, de</i> <i>Lavoilette,</i>	<i>Léry, de</i> <i>Rémillard,</i> <i>Roy,</i> <i>Savage,</i> <i>Webb,</i> <i>Wood,</i> <i>Villemure, de.</i> —15
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So, it was resolved in the negative, and the Bill was in consequence read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, 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 2nd reading of Bill (E) intituled : « An Act to amend the laws of hypothecs and enregistration, article 1571, of the Civil Code, and article 640, of the Code of Civil Procedure,»

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Archambeault*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until Monday.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 4), intituled : « An Act to amend articles 617 and 1215 of the Code of Civil Procedure,» to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 7), intituled : « An Act respecting Coroners' Inquests,» to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time on Monday.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 10) intituled : « An Act to amend chapter 77 of the Consolidated Statutes of Canada, intituled : « Act respecting Land Surveyors and the Survey of Lands,» to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable M. Ross, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time on Monday.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 11) intituled : « An Act to define the powers of the Executor of the Will of the late Robert Knox, esquire, as to property in this Province, and for other purposes, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Bryson, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time on Monday.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 18) intituled : « An act to incorporate The Montreal Investment Trust, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

A message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 21) intituled : « An act to enable « The Graphic Company » to reduce its capital stock, and for other purposes, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Starnes; it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time, on Monday.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 27) intituled : « An Act to amend the acts relating to the South Eastern Railway Company, and to authorize the said company to issue new mortgage bonds, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Wood, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time, on Monday.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 67) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act intituled : « An Act to establish Mutual Assurance Companies, (42-43 Vict., Chap. 39) » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Lavolette, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time on Monday.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 56) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the Quebec Racket Club, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Savage, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

A message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 53) intituled : « An Act to amend the charter of the City of Montreal » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time, Monday next.

A message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 51) intituled : « An Act to amend the Acts respecting the Lake Champlain and St-Lawrence Junction Railway Company, and to provide for the cancellation of the first issue of Mortgage Bonds of the said company, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de La Bruère*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time, Monday next.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 30), intituled : « An Act to incorporate « The Sherbrooke Gas and Water Company, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Webb*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time Monday next.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Roy*, the House adjourned until Monday at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

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## Monday, 5th July, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*La Bruère, de*

*Lavolette,*  
*Léry, de*  
*Prouté,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Roy,*  
*Savage,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb,*  
*Wood,*

The following petitions were severally brought up and laid on the table :

By the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, of the Directors of « The Lying in Hospital. »

Of the Montreal Presbyterian College.

By the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*.

Of P. B. Benoit, M. P., and others.

Of Jean Bte. Pontbriand and others.

Of Jean Bte. Lassonde and others.

Of François Lahaise and others.

By the Honorable Mr. *Roy*, of the Revd. L. L. Dupré.

By the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*.

Of S. Rivard and others.

By the Honorable Mr. *Archambeault*.

Of Jean George Crebassa.

The following petitions were read and received :

Of Antoine Deslauriers and others, of the town of Longueuil, praying for aid to encourage the cultivation of the vine ;

Of C. T. Wurtele and others, of the county of Richelieu, praying that an act be passed to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company ;

Of the Municipal Council of the county of Huntingdon, praying that an act be passed to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company ;

Of L. J. A. Surveyer and others, of the town of Montreal, contradicting the conclusions of the petition of the Board of Trade relative to the Tunnel and of the South Shore Railway and praying that they be constructed with the least possible delay ;

Of Charles Ruffier and others of Hochelaga, praying that the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company be incorporated ;

Of J. M. Ostell and others of Montreal, denying the conclusions of the petition of the Board of Trade relative to the construction of the Tunnel and South Shore Railway, and praying for their construction in the shortest delay possible ;

Of R. Thibaudeau and others of Montreal, denying the conclusions of the Montreal Board of Trade relating to the construction of the Tunnel and of the South Shore Railway, and praying that they be constructed with the least possible delay ;

Of James A. Walker, of London, County of Middlesex, Province of Ontario, in opposition to the petition of P. R. Chevallier, notary, of Sorel, praying that an act be passed to render valid and authentic a certain deed of sale ;

Of the Presbyterian College of Montreal, praying for amendments to its act of incorporation ;

Of the Association of Protestant Teachers of Quebec, praying for aid.

The Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, from the Committee appointed to examine and report on the contingent accounts of the Legislative Council, present its third report.

*Ordered*, That it be received and it was then read by the clerk as follows, to wit :

## LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL,

5th July 1880.

The select committee appointed to examine and report on the contingent accounts of the Legislative Council for this session have the honor to present their third report.

Your committee have examined the clerk's accounts from the first of June last to the thirtieth of June last inclusive.

The clerk to the entire satisfaction of your committee rendered a detailed account, supported by vouchers and numbered from 404 to 466 inclusive of his disbursements amounting to the sum of four thousand three hundred and sixty six dollars and six cents (\$4366.06) and to place the clerk in a position to pay the indemnity to the members of this honorable House, your committee recommend that there be asked from the proper authorities an advance of twelve thousand six hundred and sixty five dollars (\$12665.00.)

The whole respectfully submitted,

J. L. BEAUDRY,

Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said report be adopted.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, seconded by the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, it was

*Resolved*, That an humble address be presented to His Honor the Lieutenant Governor, praying that His Honor will be pleased to issue his warrant in favor of the Clerk of this House for the sum of twelve thousand six hundred and sixty five dollars (\$12,665.00), in order to put that officer in a position to pay the indemnity to the members of this Honorable House.

And the question of concurrence being put on the said motion, it was  
*Resolved* in the affirmative, and it was

*Ordered*, That the Honorable the *Speaker* of this House do wait on His Honor the Lieutenant Governor with the said address.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill (No. 18) intituled: « An Act to incorporate the Montreal Investment Trust, » be placed on the Orders of the Day to be read a second time to-morrow.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, it was

*Ordered*, That the delay to receive Petitions on Private Bills be extended to the 7th of July instant, that the delay to present Private Bills be extended to the 10th of July instant, and that the delay to receive reports of a Standing, or of a Select Committee on Private Bills be extended to the 15th of July instant.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of Bill (E) intituled: « An Act to amend the laws of hypothecs and enregistrement, article 1571, of the Civil Code, and article 640 of the Code of Civil Procedure,»

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Archebaault*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of Bill (F) intituled :  
« An Act for the protection of toll bridges, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a committee of the Whole House  
for to-morrow.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 7), intituled :  
« An Act respecting Coroners' Inquests, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the whole House  
to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 10)  
intituled : « An act to amend chapter 77 of the consolidated statutes of Canada,  
intituled : « Act respecting Land Surveyors and the Survey of Lands, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the whole House  
for to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of Bill (No. 11)  
intituled : « An Act to define the powers of the Executor of the Will of the late  
Robert Knox, esquire, as to property in this Province, and for other purposes, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Bryson*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until Wednesday.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 21)  
intituled : « An Act to enable The Graphic Company » to reduce their Capital  
Stock, and for other purposes »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders  
and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 27) intituled : « An Act to amend the Acts relating to the South Eastern Railway Company and to authorize the said Company to issue new mortgage bonds. »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Wood*,  
The Bill was read for the second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Wood*, 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 (67) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act intituled : « An Act to establish Mutual Assurance Companies, » (42-43 Vict., Chap. 39).

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a committee of the whole House for to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of Bill (No. 56) intituled : « An act to incorporate the Quebec Racket Club, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Savage*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Savage*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 53) intituled : « An Act to amend the charter of the city of Montreal, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*.  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 51) intituled : « An Act to amend the Acts respecting the Lake Champlain and St-Lawrence Junction Railway Company, and to provide for the cancellation of the first issue of Mortgage bonds of the said company, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 30) intituled ; « An act to incorporate « The Sherbrooke Gas and Water Company, »

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On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Webb*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Webb*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders  
and Private Bills.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a  
Bill (No. 28) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the Ristigouche Salmon Club, » to  
which they request the concurrence of this House.  
The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Bryson*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with  
a Bill (No. 3) intituled : « An Act to provide for the better protection of hypothe-  
cary creditors and to give greater publicity to the seizure and sale of real estate, »  
to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Webb*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, the House adjourned until  
to-morrow, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

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## Tuesday, 6th July, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*LaBruère de*  
*Laviolette*

*Léry, de,*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Roy,*  
*Savage,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb,*  
*Wood.*

The following petitions were severally brought up and laid on the table :

By the Honorable Mr. *Webb*, of certain electors and farmers of the county of  
Compton.

By the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, of J. B. Rolland and Son.

The following petitions were read and received :

Of the faculty of medicine of McGill University of Montreal, praying for aid ;  
Of the chairman and directors of the literary and historical society of Quebec,  
praying for aid ;

Of the colonial gold mines company, of New York, praying that an Act be  
passed to incorporate the said company ;

Of D. Gauthier and others, of the county of Richelieu, praying for the incor-  
poration of the Tunnel and South Shore Railway.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the committee on standing orders and private  
Bills presented their fifth report.

*Ordered*, That it be received, and it was then read by the clerk as follows :

PRIVATE BILLS OFFICE,

This 6th July, 1880.

The Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to  
present the following as their fifth Report.

Your Committee, after going through the following Petitions found that they  
were not of a nature to require the notices as provided by the 49th rule :

Of the Montreal Ladies Benevolent Society ;

Of the Protestant Home for friendless women of Montreal, both petitions  
praying for aid ;

Of Adolphe Boucher and others, booksellers of Sorel ;

Of A. Langlais and others, booksellers of Quebec, praying for the repeal of  
the law concerning the book depository ;

Of the corporation of the City of Quebec, praying that the act of incorporation  
of the Quebec and Lake St-John railway be not altered ;

Of the Inhabitants of St-Ann and others, praying that the Bill defining the  
boundaries of the parish of St-Anne, county of Montmorency, be not passed ;

Of the Montreal Medical Society and others, praying that a vaccine institution  
be established ;

Of A. Dubuc and others ;

Of Ovila LeBlanc and others ;

Of A. Turcotte and others ;

Of Felix Jacco and others ;

Of D. Ste. Marie and others ;

Of Alderic Chartrand and others ;

Of D. A. Coutlée and others ;

Of A. Pilon & Co. and others ;

Of E. B. Desmarteau and others ;

Of E. Saint-Charles and others ;

Of Ls. Gagnon and others ;

Of Paul Dupuis and others ;

Of Patrick Lynch and others ;

Of Isidore Moclé and others ;

Of Charles Gariépie and others ;

Of Nazaire Beaudry and others ;

Of Louis Bellemare and others ;  
 Of Michel Lavallée and others ;  
 Of Moë Piquette and others ;  
 Of Adolphe Homier and others ;  
 Of Ernest Lord and others ;  
 Of Pierre Roy and others ;  
 Of Y. W. Mellin and others, all citizens of the Eastern division of Montreal ;  
 Of F. X. A. Carrière and others, of Longueuil ;  
 Of Napoléon Carrier and others, of Longueuil ;  
 Of P. B. Lamarre and others, of Longueuil ;  
 Of Alexis Fonrouge and others, of Longueuil ;  
 Of F. Betournay and others, of Longueuil, county of Chambly, all praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company may be passed ;

Of James A. Walker, of London, county of Middlesex, Province of Ontario, praying in opposition to the petition of P. R. Chevallier, of Sorel, praying for the passing of an act to render valid and authentic a certain deed of sale ;

Of Antoine Deslauriers and others, of the town of Longueuil, praying for aid in the cultivation of vines ;

Of the Protestant Teachers Society of the Province of Quebec, praying for aid ;

Of Charles Ruffier and others of Hochelaga ;

Of C. T. Wurtele and others of the county of Richelieu ;

Of the municipal council of the county of Huntingdon, all praying for the passing of the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company ;

Of J. M. Ostell and others of Montreal ;

Of L. J. A. Surveyer and others of Montreal ;

Of R. Thibaudeau and others of Montreal, all denying the conclusions of the petition of the Board of Trade relative to the construction of the Tunnel and the South Shore Railway and praying that they may be constructed with the least delay possible.

Your committee after going through at full length the following Petitions, find that the notices required have been given in each case.

Of the Directors of the Montreal, Portland and Boston Railway, county of Missisquoi, praying for relief of certain grievances ;

Of the district of Montreal Permanent Building Society, praying to be again incorporated ;

Of Dame M. A. Cuvillier, widow of the late A. M. Delisle, esquire, praying that the Bill to remove all doubts as to the power of disposing of certain immovables ;

Of the inhabitants of Saint Gabriel of Brandon, praying that a certain portion of Saint Gabriel of Brandon, be detached from the county of Berthier and annexed to the county of Maskinongé for all purposes whatever ;

Of the Municipal Council of the parish of St Joachim of Montmorency, praying that the Act 36 Vict., chap. 38 may be amended ;

Of Thomas Gauthier and others, of Montreal, praying that a Bill be passed confirming the Act 41 Victoria, chap. 41, of the Federal Parliament ;

Of Henri Hogan and others, of the city of Montreal, praying that the Bill granting them authority to connect the North Shore and Grand Trunk Railways be passed and become law.

The whole respectfully submitted,

E. DIONNE,  
 Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said report be adopted.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (D) intituled : « An act to change the name of the Mutual Fire Assurance Company of the county of Joliette, and for other objects, » reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and that the preamble of the said Bill was not proved to the satisfaction of the Committee.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That a special committee be appointed to inquire into the facts and circumstances relating to the granting of a contract for the placing and affixing of Nut locks on the Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa and Occidental Railway, with power to send for persons and papers, and that the said committee be composed of the Honorable Messrs. *de LaBruère*, *Webb*, *Rémillard*, *Gaudet* and the mover.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Clerk be instructed to lay before this Honorable House, all documents, evidence and papers, which may now be in his possession connected with the *enquête* held on the Nut lock question during last session.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the papers relating to the Nut lock question and laid before this Honorable House be referred to the select Committee concerning this matter, with instruction to report thereon.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into committee of the whole for the consideration of Bill (F) intituled : « An Act for the protection of Toll Bridges, »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into committee of the whole on the said Bill.

After some time the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Lavolette* from the said committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and directed him to report the same without amendment.

The Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville* moved :

That the word « pay » in the title of the english version of the Bill be replaced by the word « toll. »

The question of concurrence being put on the said amendment.

The House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill, to which they desire the concurrence of the Legislative Assembly.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into committee of the whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 7) intituled : « An Act concerning coroners inquests. »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into committee of the whole on the said Bill.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Gaudet*, from the said committee, reported progress and asked leave to sit again to-morrow.

*Ordered*, Accordingly.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into committee of the whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 10) intituled : « An Act to amend chapter 77 of the Consolidated Statutes of Canada, intituled : « Act respecting Land Surveyors and the Surveys of Lands. »

The House was adjourned during pleasure, and was put into committee of the whole.

After some time the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *de Villemure*, from the said committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and directed him to report the same without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then accordingly 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 67) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act intituled : « An Act to establish Mutual Assurance Companies (42-43 Vict., chap. 39.) »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into committee of the Whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne* from the said committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with one amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendment was then twice read by the clerk.

And the question of concurrence being put.

The House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read for the third time to-morrow.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (E) intituled : « An Act to amend the laws of hypothecs and enregistrement, article 1571, of the Civil Code, and article 640, of the Code of Civil Procedure. »

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On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Archambeault*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until Thursday.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of Bill (No. 18) intitled : « An Act to incorporate The Montreal Investments Trust. »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 28) intitled : « An Act to incorporate the Ristigouche Salmon Club. »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Bryson*, the Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Bryson*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 3) intitled : « An Act to provide for the better protection of hypothecary creditors and to give greater publicity to the seizure and sale of real estate. »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Webb*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Webb*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a committee of the whole House.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, the House adjourned until to-morrow, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Wednesday, 7th July, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*La Bruère, de*  
*Laviolette,*

*Léry, de*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Roy,*  
*Savage,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb,*  
*Wood.*

The following petitions were severally brought up and laid on the table :

By the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*,

Of Honoré Gauthier and others ;

Of S. G. The Bishop of Montreal, and others ;

The following petitions were read and received :

Of the Ladies of the University, « lying in Hospital of Montreal, praying for aid ;

Of the Presbyterian College of Montreal, praying that their act of incorporation be amended ;

Of the inhabitants of St-Hubert, county of Chambly, praying that the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company be incorporated ;

Of the inhabitants of the town of Longueuil, praying that the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company be incorporated ;

Of other inhabitants of the town of Longueuil, same prayer ;

Of other inhabitants of the town of Longueuil, same prayer ;

Of the Sorel General Hospital praying for aid ;

Of inhabitants of the city of Montreal, praying that the license law be amended ;

Of Jean George Crebassa, of Sorel, notary, praying that the Bill to render valid and authentic a certain deed of sale therein mentioned and in favor of which a petition was presented from P. R. Chevallier, notary, of Sorel.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (No. 51) intituled : « An Act to amend the Acts respecting the Lake Champlain and St-Lawrence Junction Railway Company, and to provide for the cancellation of the first issue of mortgage bonds 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. *de LaBruère*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time.

The question of concurrence was put.

The House agreed to the same, and

The said Bill was 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 21) intituled : « An act to enable « The Graphic Company » to reduce its capital stock, 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. *Starnes*, it was,

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne* from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 30) intituled : « An act to incorporate « The Sherbrooke Gas and Water 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. *Webb*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (No. 53) intituled : « An act to amend the charter of the city of Montreal, » 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 twice read by the Clerk, and the House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill as amended be read a third time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 56) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the Quebec Racket Club, » 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. *Savage*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 31) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the International 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. *Webb*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time to morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, from the Select committee to whom was referred the Bill (No. 68) intituled: « An Act to amend the act of this province 42-43 Vict., chap. 52, concerning the parish of Laprairie Turnpike Road 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. *Lavolette*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Report be referred to a committee of the whole House to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 13) intituled: « An Act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Quebec to admit Louis H. Pignolet as an attorney and advocate, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 39) intituled: « An Act to authorize the consolidation of the general statutes of the Province of Québec, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 35) intituled: « An Act to amend the Act of the Legislature of Quebec, (31 Vict., chap. 51,) which amends the Act incorporating the « St. Joseph's Union of St. Jean d'Iberville, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 50) intituled: « An Act to annex to the county of Maskinongé, for all purposes whatever, that portion of the parish of St-Gabriel de Brandon, which has been annexed to the parish of St-Didace, in the diocese of Three Rivers, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 65) intituled: « An act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Quebec, to admit George Arthur Hughes, as an Attorney and Advocate, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 98) intituled : « An act to annex a portion of the parish of St Joseph de Chambly, in the county of Chambly, to the parish of St-Luc, in the county of Saint John, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.  
The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Laviolette*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 105) intituled : « An act to amend the act of incorporation of the Art Association of Montreal, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.  
The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 114) intituled : « An Act to amend the act of incorporation of the town of Iberville, (22 Vict., chap. 64, 1859), to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Laviolette*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 67) intituled : « An Act amending the act to establish Mutual Assurance Companies, » (42-43 Vict., chap. 39.)

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Laviolette*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended, be now read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with one amendment.

The Order of the Day being read for the continuation of the committee of the whole on the Bill (No. 7) intituled : « An Act respecting Coroners Inquests. »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Gaudet*, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with one amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendment were then twice read by the clerk.  
And the House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read for the third time to-morrow.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 3) intituled: « An act to provide for the better protection of hypothecary creditors and to give greater publicity to the seizure and sale of real estate. »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Wood*, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and directed him to report the same without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Webb*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 11) intituled: « An Act to define the powers of the Executor of the Will of the late Robert Knox, esquire, as to property in this Province, and for other purposes. »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Prudhomme*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Prudhomme*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the consideration of the report of the the Committee on Private Bills on Bill (D) intituled: « An act to change the name of the Mutual Fire Assurance Company of the county of Joliette, and for other objects. »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, it was  
*Ordered*. That the report be adopted.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, the House adjourned until to-morrow, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Thursday, 8th July, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*LaBruère, de*  
*Laviolette,*

*Léry, de,*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Roy,*  
*Savage,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb,*  
*Wood.*

The following petition was brought up and laid on the table :

By the Honorable Mr. *de Villemure*, of B. A. T. de Montigny.

The following petitions were read and received :

Of the electors of the county of Compton, praying that no Bill be entertained which may have a tendency to reduce the action of local agricultural societies ;  
Of J. B. Rolland and son, printers and publishers, of Montreal, praying an annual aid of \$1000, in order to enable them to continue the publication of « the Journal of Education » ;

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (No. 27) intituled : « An Act to amend the acts relating to the South Eastern Railway Company, and to authorize the said company to issue new mortgage bonds, » reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with several amendments.

*Ordered*, That the said report be now received, and it was then read by the clerk.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 7), intituled : « An Act concerning Coroners' Inquests, »

The Honorable Mr. *Ross* moved :

That the said Bill be now read a third time as amended.

The Honorable Mr. *Archambeault*, seconded by the Honorable Mr. *Starnes* moved in amendment.

That the Bill be again referred to a committee of the whole House to be amended in the manner following, to wit :

10. That the first section of the said Bill be replaced by the following words :  
 "The coroner may proceed immediately to hold an inquest on the body of a deceased person, if he has a requisition in writing, signed by the representative of the Attorney General, a magistrate of the district a clerk of the peace, or by the mayor, the curé, a member of the clergy, pastor, missionary, or a justice of the peace, of the locality ; but no inquest shall be held however, on the body of a deceased person, unless the coroner has made a declaration in writing, establishing that on the information by him received as aforesaid, he is of opinion that there is sufficient ground to believe that a crime had been committed, or that the person deceased had died from violence or by unlawful means, or under such circumstances, as made an investigation necessary, which declaration shall contain the reasons and the facts on which the said opinion is founded, and shall be repeated and produced together with the report of the inquest."

The question was put on the said amendment, the House divided, and the names being called for, they were taken down as follows :

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The Honorable Messieurs,

*Archambeault*;  
*Bryson*,

*Starnes*.—3

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The Honorable Messieurs

*Ross*,  
*Beaudry*,  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Dionne*,  
*Dostaler*,  
*Ferrier*,  
*Gaudet*,  
*Gingras*,  
*LaBruère, de*  
*Laviolette*,

*Léry, de*  
*Proulx*,  
*Prudhomme*  
*Rémillard*,  
*Roy*,  
*Savage*,  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb*,  
*Wood*.—19

So it was carried in the negative.

The question being put on the main question, it was carried in the affirmative, and it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill as amended be read a third time.

The Bill was read a third time as amended.

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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with one amendment to which they desire the concurrence of the Legislative Assembly.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 21) intituled: « An Act to enable The Graphic Company » to reduce their Capital Stock, and for other purposes, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 30) intituled : « An Act to incorporate « The Sherbrooke Gas and Water Company, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Webb*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 53) intituled : « An Act to amend the charter of the city of Montreal, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, it was

*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until to morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of Bill (No. 56) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the « Quebec Racket Club, »

On motion of Honorable Mr. *Savage*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill was a read 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 31) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the International Mining Company, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Webb*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 3) intituled : « An Act to provide for the better protection of hypothecary creditors and to give greater publicity to the seizure and sale of real estate, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Webb*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of the Report of the Select Committee on the Bill (No. 63) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act of this Province 42-43 Victoria, chapter 52, concerning the parish of Laprairie Turnpike Road Company, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Order be continued until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (B) intituled : « An Act declaring that the edict of Louis XV, King of France, of the year, 1743, enregistered in the *Conseil Supérieur*, has always been the law of this Province, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was

*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until Thursday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the 2nd reading of Bill (E) intituled : « An Act to amend the provisions of the Civil Code and Code of Civil Procedure concerning Enregistration and Mortgages, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Archambeault*, it was

*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of Bill (No. 39) intituled : « An act to authorize the consolidation of the general statutes of the Province of Quebec, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, 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 (No. 35) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act of the Legislature of Quebec, 31 Vict. chap. 51, intituled : « An Act to amend the Act incorporating the « St. Joseph's Union of St-Jean d'Iberville, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time.

The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 50) intituled : « An Act to annex to the county of Maskinongé, for all purposes whatever, that portion of the parish of St-Gabriel de Brandon, which has been annexed to the parish of St-Didace, in the Diocese of Three Rivers, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*, 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 Bill (No. 65) intitled : « An Act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Quebec to admit George Arthur Hughes to practise as an attorney and advocate, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, 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 Bill (No. 98) intitled : « An Act to annex a portion of the parish of St-Joseph de Chambly, in the county of Chambly, to the parish of St-Luc, in the county of St-John, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Laviolette*  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Laviolette*, 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 Bill (No. 105) intitled : « An Act to amend the act of incorporation of the Art Association of Montreal, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders  
and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 114) intitled : « An Act to amend the act of incorporation of the town of Iberville (22 Vict., chap. 64, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Laviolette*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Laviolette*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders  
and Private Bills.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 24) intituled : « An Act to incorporate « *Le Crédit Foncier Franco-Canadien*, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 67) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act intituled : « An Act to establish Mutual Assurance Companies, (42-43 Vict., Chap. 39), » acquainting this House that the Legislative Assembly agree to their amendments without any amendment.

A message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 52) intituled : « An Act to authorize the sale, of an immovable property subject to substitution by the late James Connolly, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 14), intituled : « An Act to declare and confirm the name of Joseph Eloi de Gagné, esquire, merchant, of the parish of Les Eboulements, and for the relief of his descendants, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Remillard*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 16) intituled : « An act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Quebec, to admit Roch Pamphile Vallée, amongst its members, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 32) intituled : « An Act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Quebec to admit Hormisdas Jeannotte, dit Lachapelle, Bachelor at Law and Notary, as one of its members, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 62) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the company called « The Huronian Mining and Smelting Company, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Webb*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to morrow.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, the House adjourned until to-morrow, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon,

Friday, 9th July, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*LaBruère, de*

*Laviolette,*  
*Léry, de*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Roy,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb,*  
*Wood,*

The following petitions were severally brought up and laid on the table :

By the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, of Louis Lecours and others.

By the Honorable Mr. *de Villemure*, of Louis Honoré Gosselin.

The following petitions were read and received :

Of S. G. Mgr. Fabre, R. Catholic Bishop of Montreal, praying that the license law be amended ;

Of Honoré Gauthier and others, of the town of Montreal, praying that the license law be amended.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (No. 18) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the Montreal Investments Trust, » 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 twice read by the Clerk.

And the House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill as amended be read for the third time, on Monday.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (No. 28) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the Ristigouche Salmon Club, » 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. *Bryson*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time on Monday.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (No. 60) intituled: « An Act to render authentic a deed of sale passed at Quebec the 15th September, 1858, between John Jones and John George Crebassa and Pierre Rémi Chevalier, before S. S. Hossack, notary, » 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 please to receive them.

*Ordered*, That the report be now received, and the said amendments were then twice read by the Clerk.

And the House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read for the third time on Monday.

The Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, from the Select committee to whom was referred the Bill (No. 68) intituled: « An Act to amend the act of this province 42-43 Vict., chap. 52, concerning the parish of Laprairie Turnpike Road Company, » reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the said Report be now received and it was then read by the Clerk.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill (No. 52) intituled: « An Act to authorize the sale of an immoveable property substituted by the late James Connolly, » be placed on the orders of the day for its second reading on Monday.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill (No. 13) intituled: « An Act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Quebec to admit Louis H. Pignolet to the profession of an advocate and attorney, » be placed on the orders of the day for its second reading on Monday.

The Order of the Day was read for the 3rd reading of Bill (No. 53) intituled: « An Act to amend the charter of the city of Montreal, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a third time on Tuesday next.

The Order of the Day being read for putting the House into committee of the Whole for the consideration of the Report of the Select Committee on the Bill (No. 68) intituled: « An Act to amend the Act of this Province 42-43 Victoria, chapter 52, concerning the parish of Laprairie Turnpike Road Company, »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Report and directed him to report the same without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said report be adopted.

On motion of the Honorable M. *Lavolette*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a second time.  
 The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time on Monday.

The Order of the Day was read for the 2nd reading of Bill (E) intituled :  
 «An Act to amend the provisions of the Civil Code and Code of Civil Procedure  
 concerning Enregistration and Mortgages,»

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Archambeault*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.  
 The Bill was read a second time.

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a Select Committee, and that the  
 Honorable Messieurs *Remillard*, *de LaBruère*, *Webb*, *de Villemure*, and the mover, be  
 appointed members thereof.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 39)  
 intituled : «An Act to authorize the consolidation of the general statutes of the  
 Province of Quebec,»

The Honorable Mr. *Ross*, moved,  
 That the said Bill be now read a second time.

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

The said Bill was then read a second time accordingly.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole House,  
 Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 24)  
 intituled : «An Act to incorporate «Le Crédit Foncier Franco Canadien,»

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*,  
 The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders  
 and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 14) intituled :  
 «An Act to declare and confirm the name of Joseph Eloi de Gagné, esquire,  
 merchant, of the parish of Les Eboulements, and for the benefit of his descendants,»

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Rémillard*,  
 The said Bill was read the second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Rémillard*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders  
 and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 16)  
 intituled : «An Act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Quebec to admit  
 Roch Pamphile Vallée amongst its numbers.»

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de la Bruère*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders  
and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 32)  
intituled : « An Act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Quebec to admit  
Hormisdas Jeannotte dit Lachapelle as one of its members, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders  
and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 62)  
intituled : « An Act to incorporate « The Huronian Mining and Smelting Com-  
pany, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Webb*,  
The Bill was read a second time

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Webb*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders  
and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the Consideration of the Report of the  
Committee on Private Bills on Bill (No. 27) intituled : « An Act to amend the acts  
relating to the South Eastern Railway Company, and to authorize the said  
company to issue new mortgage bonds, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Wood*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be again referred to the Committee on Standing  
Orders and Private Bills.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with  
a Bill (No. 23) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the Community of the Reverend  
Redemptorist Fathers at Ste Anne de Beaupré, » to which they request the con-  
currence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time, on Tuesday.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with  
a Bill (No. 63) intituled : « An act to incorporate « The Orford Chemical Company, »  
to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

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On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Webb*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time on Monday.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 54) intituled: « An Act to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company, to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.  
On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Roy*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time on Monday.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Bryson*, the House adjourned until Monday, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

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## Monday, 12th July, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*Hearn,*  
*La Bruère, de*

*Lavolette,*  
*Léry, de*  
*Proulx,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Roy,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb,*  
*Wood.*

The following petition was brought up and laid on the table :

By the Honorable Mr. *Roy*, of Leonard G. J. Fosbrooke.

The following petition was read and received :

Of Benjamin Testard de Montigny, advocate, of Montreal, and formerly stipendiary magistrate, praying for an indemnity.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was again referred the Bill (No. 27) intituled : « An Act to amend the Acts relating to the South Eastern Railway Company and to authorize the said Company to issue new mortgage bonds, » 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 twice read by the clerk.

And the House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Hood, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended, be now read a third time.

The Bill, 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with certain amendments to which they request the concurrence of the Legislative Assembly.

The Honorable Mr. Dionne, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (No. 105) intituled : « An Act to amend the act of incorporation of the Art Association of Montreal, » 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. Beaudry, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time.

The Bill was 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Dionne, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 50) intituled : « An Act to annex to the county of Maskinongé, for all purposes whatever, that portion of the parish of St-Gabriel de Brandon, which has been annexed to the parish of St-Didace, in the Diocese of Three Rivers, » reported that he 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. Dostaler, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time.

The said Bill was 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. Dionne, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (G) intituled : « An Act to amend chap. 86, of the 29 Vict., of the late Province of Canada, incorporating the Longueuil 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. Laviolette, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time.

The Bill was 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill, to which they request the concurrence of that House.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (No. 114) intituled: « An Act to amend the Act of incorporation of the town of Iberville, (22 Vict. chap 64, » 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 it was then read by the Clerk.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 98) intituled: « An Act to annex a portion of the parish of St-Joseph de Chambly, in the county of Chambly, in the parish of St-Luc, in the county of St-John, » 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. *Lavolette*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time.

The Bill was 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendments.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 35) intituled: « An Act to amend the Act of the Legislature of Quebec, 31 Vict., chap. 51, intituled: « An Act to amend the Act incorporating the «St-Joseph's Union of St-Jean d'Iberville, » 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. *Lavolette*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time.

The Bill was 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. *Remillard*, moved :

That an humble address be presented to His Honor the Lieutenant Governor praying His Honor to cause to be laid before this House, copy of the petition of certain persons of the parish of Saint Frederic of Beauce, dated 1873, complaining of MM. Augustin Doyon, George Perron and Augustin Jacques, commissioners of the court of the said parish.

And the question of concurrence being put on the said motion, it was  
*Resolved* in the affirmative, and it was  
*Ordered*, That the Honorable *Speaker* of this House do wait on His Honor the  
 Lieutenant Governor with the said address.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the sum of one hundred dollars deposited on account of Bill (D)  
 intituled : « An act to change the name of the Mutual Fire Assurance Company  
 of the county of Joliette, and for other objects, » be remitted to the party entitled  
 to it by right, the said Bill having been defeated in the Private Bills Committee.

The Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, moved :  
 That an humble address be presented to His Honor the Lieutenant Governor,  
 praying His Honor to cause to be laid before this House a statement of all sums  
 remitted to sheriffs and to collectors of the revenue by all the assignees of this  
 province, by virtue of section 152 of the Insolvent Act of 1869, of sect. 145 of the  
 Insolvent Act 1875, of the section 43 of the act 34 Victoria, chapter 2 (1870) and of  
 the section 110 of the act 40 Victoria, chapter 3 (1878).

And the question of concurrence being put on the said motion, it was  
*Resolved* in the affirmative.  
*Ordered*, That the Honorable *Speaker* of this House do wait on His Honor the  
 Lieutenant Governor with the said address.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 18)  
 intituled : « An Act to incorporate the Montreal Investment Trust, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill as amended be now read third time.  
 The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint  
 that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with certain amend-  
 ments. to which they request the concurrence of the Legislative Assembly.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 60) inti-  
 tuled : « An Act to render authentic a deed of sale, passed at Quebec, on the  
 fifteenth day of September, eighteen hundred and fifty eight, from John Jones to  
 John George Crebassa and Pierre Rémi Chevallier, before John Simpson Hossack,  
 notary, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill as amended be read a third time to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 68)  
 intituled : « An Act to amend the Act of this Province 42-43 Victoria, chapter 52,  
 concerning the parish of Laprairie Turnpike Road Company, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.  
 The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint  
 that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment,

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 28) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the Ristigouche Salmon Club, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Bryson*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 39) intituled : « An Act to authorize the consolidation of the general statutes of the Province of Quebec, »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into committee of the whole.

After some time.

The House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *de Villemure*, from the said committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and directed him to report the same without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then accordingly 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 52) intituled : « An Act to authorize the sale of an immovable property, substituted by the late James Connolly, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.

The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 13) intituled : « An Act to authorise the Bar of the Province of Quebec to admit Louis H. Pignolet as an attorney and advocate, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*,

The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, 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 Bill (No. 63) intituled : « An Act to incorporate The Orford Chemical Company, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Webb*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Webb*, 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 Bill (No. 54) intituled : « An Act to incorporate « The South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 6) intituled : « An Act respecting companies incorporated under Imperial Statutes, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 26) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act incorporating « The Richelieu River Hydraulic and Manufacturing Company, » and the subsequent Act, 39 Victoria, chapter 59, extending the delay during which the said company should have commenced their works, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 57) intituled : « An Act to define the powers of the heirs Quésnel, to dispose of certain real estate, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 71) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act of this Province, 39 Vict., Chap. 33, intituled : « An Act to amend and consolidate the various acts respecting the notarial profession in this Province, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 106) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the religious community known as the Redemptorist Fathers, of the Province of Quebec, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 20) intituled : « An Act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Quebec to admit Joseph Alphée Lemay among its members, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Remillard*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 66) intituled : « An act to amend the act of this province, 42-43 Victoria chapter 15, intituled : « An act to amend the Quebec Election Act, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 2) intituled : « An act to amend and consolidate the different acts therein mentioned in reference to Stamps, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 55) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the Association of Accountants in Montreal, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Bryson*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their clerk, with a Bill (No. 70) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act of this Province 39 Vict., chap. 12, respecting the Internal Economy of the Legislative Assembly, and for other purposes, » to which the request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their clerk, with a Bill (No. 128) intituled : « An Act to explain chapter 54, of the act of the late Province of Canada, 27-28 Vict., in so far as it relates to the parish of Ste-Marguerite, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Villemure*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*, the House adjourned until to-morrow, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Tuesday, 13th July, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archangeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*Hearn,*  
*LaBruère de*

*Lavolette*  
*Léry, de,*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Roy,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb,*  
*Wood.*

The following petitions were severally brought up and laid on the table :

By the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, of Antoine Dechené and others ;

By the Honorable Mr. *Leaudry*, of S. G. l'Évêque of St-Hyacinth ;

Of the tavern keepers, of Montreal ;

By the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, of the Council of the Board of Trade of Montreal ;

By the Honorable Mr. *de Léry*, of certain inhabitants of Lévis.

The following petitions were read and received :

Of Louis Honoré Gosselin, formerly a member of the Legislative Assembly, and forest-ranger, praying to be re-instated in the duties of forest-ranger ;

Of Joseph Gagnon and others, of Montreal, praying for amendments to the license laws.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 52) intituled : « An act to authorize the sale of an immovable property, substituted by the late James Connolly, » 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. *Starnes*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred a Bill (No. 16) intituled : « An Act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Québec to admit Roch Pamphile Vallée, amongst its members, » 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. *de LaBruère*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time.  
The Bill was 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendments.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (No. 24) intituled : « An Act to incorporate « *Le Crédit Foncier Franco-Canadien*, » 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 twice read by the Clerk.

And the House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill as amended be read a third time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 119) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the community of religious ladies known as « *Les Sœurs des Petites Ecoles de Rimouski*, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Gaudet*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 116) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act passed in the thirty sixth year of Her Majesty's reign, and intituled : « An Act to incorporate the St-Bridget's Total Abstinence and Benefit Society, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 113) intituled : « An Act to grant certain powers to the testamentary executors of the late Alexandre Maurice de Lisle, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 100) intituled : « An act to confer upon the Loan and Landed Credit Company, all the rights and privileges of Permanent Building Societies in the Province of Quebec, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 78) intituled : « An Act to amend the law respecting the Court of Queen's Bench, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 59) intituled : « An Act to incorporate *L'Union des Commis-Marchands de la Cité de Montréal*, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 53), intituled : « An Act to amend the Charter of the city of Montreal. »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be again referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, with instructions to strike out the words, « with the exception of sparrows, » which have been added to the end of the first clause, and to reestablish in the second paragraph of the ninth clause, the words « shall be of three miles, » by striking out the words « shall not be less than two thousand five hundred » which have been substituted for them.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 60) intituled : « An Act to render authentic a deed of sale, passed at Quebec, on the fifteenth day of September, eighteen hundred and fifty eight, from John Jones to John George Crebassa and Pierre Rémi Chevallier, before John Simpson Hossack, notary. »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Order of the Day be discharged and that the said Bill be referred anew to the committee on standing orders and Private Bills with instructions to consider the following amendment, to wit: to add to section 4 as amended the following words: nor any invested right or enregistration on the property hereinabove designated previous to the said sale of the 15th September 1858, against the said John Jones and those from whom he derived,

The Order of the Day was read for the consideration of the report of the Committee on Private Bills on Bill (No 114) intituled: « An act to amend the act of incorporation of the town of Iberville, (22 Vict., chap. 64, 1859. »)

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said order of the day be discharged and that the said Bill be referred anew to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 6) intituled: « All Act respecting companies incorporated under Imperial Statutes.»

On motion of the Honorable M. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a committee of the Whole House for to-morrow.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 2) intituled: « An Act to amend and consolidate the different acts therein mentioned in reference to Stamps. »

On motion of the Honorable M. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a committee of the Whole House for to-morrow.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 70) intituled: « An Act to amend the Act of this Province, 39 Vict., chap. 12, respecting the Internal Economy of the Legislative Assembly, and for other purposes.»

On motion of the Honorable M. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a committee of the Whole House for to-morrow.

The Order of the Day was read for the 2nd reading of Bill (No. 23) intituled: « An Act to incorporate the Community of the Reverend Redemptorist Fathers at Ste-Anne de Beaupré.»

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders  
and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 26) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act incorporating « The Richelieu River Hydraulic and Manufacturing Company, » and the subsequent Act, 39 Victoria, chapter 59, extending the delay during which the said company should have commenced their works. »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders  
and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 57) intituled : « An act to define the powers of the heirs Quesnel, to dispose of certain real estate, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders  
and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 71) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act of this Province, 39 Victoria, chapter 33, intituled : « An Act to amend and consolidate the various acts respecting the Notarial Profession in this Province. »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable M. *Starnes*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a Select Committee, and that the Honorable Messieurs *Archangeault, Rémillard, de LaBruère, de Villemure* and *Webb*, be appointed members thereof to meet and adjourn as they please.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 106) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the religious community known as the Redemptorist Fathers, of the Province of Quebec. »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders  
and Private Bills.

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The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 20) intituled : « An Act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Quebec to admit Joseph Alphée Lemay among its members. »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Remillard*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Remillard*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 55) intituled : « An act to incorporate the Association of Accountants in Montreal. »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Bryson*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Bryson*, 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 Bill (No. 128) intituled : An Act to explain chapter 54 of the act of the late province of Canada, 27-28 Vict., in so far as it relates to the parish of Ste-Marguerite. »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Villemure*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until to-morrow.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, the House adjourned until to-morrow, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Wednesday, 14th July, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*LaBruère, de*  
*Laviotette,*

*Léry, de*  
*Panet,*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Roy,*  
*Savage,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb;*  
*Wood.*

The following petition was read and received :

Of Leonard George James Fosbrooke, of Sorel, praying that the petition of P. B. Chevallier, notary, of Sorel, which prays for the passing of an act to render valid a certain deed of sale be not entertained and that said act be not passed.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 13) intituled : « An Act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Quebec, to admit Louis H. Pignolet, as an attorney and advocate, » 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 twice read by the Clerk, and the House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill as amended be read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with certain amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of the Legislative Assembly.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 65) intituled : « An act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Quebec to admit George Arthur Hughes to practice, as an attorney and advocate, » reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with one amendment, 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 amendment was then twice read by the Clerk, and the House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill as amended be read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with one amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of the Legislative Assembly.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne* from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (No. 32) intituled : « An Act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Quebec to admit Hormisdas Jeannotte dit Lachapelle as one of its members, » reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with one amendment, 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 amendment was then twice read by the Clerk, and the House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill as amended be read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with one amendment to which they desire the concurrence of the Legislative Assembly.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the said Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred again the Bill (No. 60) intituled : « An act to render authentic a deed of sale, passed at Quebec, on the fifteenth day of September, eighteen hundred and fifty eight, from John Jones to John George Crebassa and Pierre Rémi Chevallier, before John Simpson Hossack, notary, » reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with one amendment, 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 amendment was then twice read by the Clerk as follows : and the House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was again referred the Bill (No. 53) intituled : « An act to amend the charter of the city of Montreal, » 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*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time.

The question of concurrence was put.

The House agreed to the same, and

The Bill was 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 62) intituled : « An Act to incorporate « The Huronian Mining and Smelting 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. *Webb*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time.

The question of concurrence was put.

The House agreed to the same, and

The Bill was 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (No. 14) intituled : « An Act to declare and confirm the name of Joseph Eloi de Gagné, esquire, merchant, of the parish of *Les Eboulements*, and for the relief of his descendants, » 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. *Remillard*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The Honorable M. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 63) intituled : « An Act to incorporate « The Orford Chemical 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. *Webb*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *Beaudry* from the Select Committee appointed to enquire into the facts and circumstances relative to the affixing of Nut-Locks on the Quebec, Montréal, Ottawa and Occidental Railway have the honor to present their first report.

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

#### ENQUIRY ON THE NUT-LOCK QUESTION.

Quebec, 14th July, 1880.

The Committee appointed to enquire into the facts and circumstances relative to the affixing of Nut-Locks on the Quebec, Montréal, Ottawa and Occidental Railway, have the honor to report the following.

The following question was put to the witness J. M. MacKay.

Question.—Will you describe in what manner and give the names of the persons who have thus lent you their influence ?

Answer, as it was an indirect manner in which I obtained this influence, I refuse to answer this question before consulting my legal advisers.

The witness after having received the order of the committee still refusing to answer the preceding question, the committee report to this Honorable House in order that such action be taken which shall be judged necessary.

The whole humbly submitted,

(Signed,)

J. L. BEAUDRY,

Chairman.

The Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, presented a Bill (H) intituled : « An Act to amend article 1061 of the municipal code.»

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to morrow.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 52), intituled : « An Act to authorize the sale of an immovable property substituted by the late James Connolly.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was,  
*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 24) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the « Credit Foncier Franco-Canadien Company.»

The Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère* moved :

That the Bill, as amended, be now read a third time.

The Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville* proposed in amendment :

That the said Bill be not now read, but that it be referred to a committee of the Whole House, with instructions to strike out the 127 section which is as follows :

« 127. A privilege for fifty years dating from its final organization is granted to the corporation.

Such privilege shall consist in the Government of the Province of Quebec, binding itself not to authorize the formation, within the limits of its territory, of any other landed credit society, in any way represented in France. »

The question was put on the said amendment, the House divided, and the names being called for they were taken down as follows :

## CONTENTS :

## The Honorable Messieurs.

*Boucherville, de* and *Wood*.—3  
*Ferrier,*

## NON CONTENTS :

## The Honorable Messieurs.

<i>Ross,</i>	<i>Proulx,</i>
<i>Archambeault,</i>	<i>Prudhomme,</i>
<i>Beaudry,</i>	<i>Rémillard,</i>
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Roy,</i>
<i>Dionne,</i>	<i>Starnes,</i>
<i>Dostaler,</i>	<i>Villemure, de</i>
<i>Gaudet,</i>	<i>Webb and</i>
<i>Gingras,</i>	<i>Wood</i> .—17.
<i>LaBruère, de</i>	

So it was resolved in the negative.  
At six o'clock, the *Speaker* left the chair.

At half past seven, the House resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, then moved in amendment to the motion in chief :  
That the said Bill be not now read, but that it be referred to a committee of the whole House with instructions to insert a clause obliging the company to transmit an annual statement to the government of Quebec.

The question being put on the said amendment, the House divided and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follows :

## CONTENTS :

## The Honorable Messieurs,

<i>Beaudry,</i>	<i>Ferrier,</i>
<i>Boucherville, de</i>	<i>Proulx</i> and
<i>Bryson,</i>	<i>Wood</i> .—6.

## NON CONTENTS :

## The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Ross,</i>	<i>Prudhomme</i>
<i>Dionne,</i>	<i>Rémillard,</i>
<i>Dostaler,</i>	<i>Roy,</i>
<i>Gaudet,</i>	<i>Starnes,</i>
<i>Gingras,</i>	<i>Villemure</i> and
<i>LaBruère, de</i>	<i>Webb</i> .—12.

So it was resolved in the negative, and the question of concurrence was put on the motion in chief, it was resolved in the affirmative.

*Ordered*, That the said Bill as amended be read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with certain amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of the Legislative Assembly.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 61) intituled : « An Act to authorize the Union St-Joseph of St-Joseph of Levis, to reduce and commute the succours they bestow, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 7) intituled : « An Act respecting coroners inquests, » acquainting this House that the Legislative Assembly agree to their amendments without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 17) intituled : « An Act to amend the acts concerning the Quebec and Lake St-John Railway Company, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 132) intituled : « An Act to amend article 556 of the code of civil procedure, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 126) intituled : « An Act to amend the town corporations general clauses Act, » 40 Vict., chap. 29, to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 102) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the Association known as : « The Quebec Garrison Club, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 15) intituled : « An Act to authorize Even John Price, to exact tolls on a

bridge across the Batiscan river, belonging to him, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 9) intituled : « An Act to further amend the act respecting judicial and others deposits, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 108) intituled : « An Act to incorporate « the St-Jean Baptiste Society of Lachine, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 6) intituled : « An Act respecting companies incorporated under Imperial Statutes. »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and directed him to report the same without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then accordingly 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 2) intituled : « An act to amend and consolidate the different acts therein mentioned in reference to Stamps. »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into committee of the whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Webb*, from the said Committee, reported progress and asked leave to sit again to-morrow.

*Ordered*, accordingly.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 70) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act of this Province, 39 Vict., chap. 12, respecting the Internal Economy of the Legislative Assembly, and for other purposes, »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne* from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and directed him to report the same without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then accordingly read a third time.

The question was put: whether this Bill shall pass? it was

*Resolved* in the affirmative.

*O d ered*, that the Clerk do go down to the Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for the 2nd reading of the Bill (No. 78) intituled: « An Act to amend the law respecting the Court of Queen's Bench.»

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.

The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the whole House for to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 128) intituled « An Act to explain chapter 54 of the Act of the late Province of Canada, 27-28 Vict., in so far as it relates to the parish of Ste-Marguerite. »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Villemure*,

The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Villemure*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 119) intituled: « An Act to incorporate the community of religious ladies known as « Les Sœurs des petites écoles de Rimouski. »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Gaudet*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.

The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. *Beaudry*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee of Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 116) intituled: « An Act to amend the Act passed in the thirty sixth year of Her Majesty's reign, and intituled: An Act to incorporate the St-Bridget's Total Abstinence and Benefit Society. »

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On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the 58th Rule of the House be suspended in so far as regards  
this Bill.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a committee on Standing Orders and  
Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 113)  
intituled : « An Act to grant certain powers to the testamentary executors of the  
late Alexandre Maurice Delisle, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders  
and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 100)  
intituled : « An act to confer upon the Loan and Landed Credit Company, (*La Com-  
pagnie de Prêt et Credit Foncier*), as incorporated, all the rights and privileges of  
Permanent Building Societies in the Province of Quebec, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders  
and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the 2nd reading of Bill (No. 59) intituled :  
An Act to incorporate « *L'Union des Commis-Marchands de la Cité de Montréal*. »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, the Bill was read the second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, 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. *Ferrier*, the House adjourned until to-  
morrow at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Thursday, 15th July, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archangeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*LaBruère, de*  
*Laviolette,*

*Léry, de,*  
*Panel,*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Roy,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb,*  
*Wood.*

The following petitions were read and received :

Of the inhabitants of the county of Levis, praying that the licence Act be amended ;

Of the tavern keepers of Montreal, praying that the licence act be amended ;

Of the Council of the Board of Trade of Montreal, praying that the Bill to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company be not passed ;

Of S. G. The Bishop of St Hyacinthe and others, praying that the licence act be amended ;

Of the inhabitants of the county of St Maurice, praying that a register office be established in their county.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 116) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act passed in the thirty sixth year of Her Majesty's reign, and intituled : « An Act to incorporate the St-Bridgett's Total Abstinence and Benefit Society, » 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. *Beaudry*, it was Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time.

The Bill was 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendments.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 23) intituled : « An Act to incor-

porate the Community of the Reverend Redemptorist Fathers at Ste. Anne de Beaupré, » 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. *Dostaler*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time.

The Bill was 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendments.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (No. 20) intituled: « An Act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Quebec to admit Joseph Alphée Lemay among its members, » reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with certain 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 twice read by the clerk.

And the House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Rémillard*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 106) intituled: « An Act to incorporate the religious community known as the Redemptorist Fathers, of the Province of Quebec, » 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. *Dostaler*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 55) intituled: « An Act to incorporate the Association of Accountants in Montreal, » reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Bryson*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (No. 114) intituled: « An Act to amend the Act of incorporation of the town of Iberville, (22 Vict. chap. 64, » 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 twice read by the Clerk.

And the House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable M. *Lavolette*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill as amended be read a third time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (No. 11) intituled: « An Act to define the powers of the Executor of the Will of the late Robert Knox, esquire, as to property in this Province, and for other purposes, » reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with certain 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 twice read by the Clerk.

And the House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Bryson*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill, as amended, be read a third time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (No. 57) intituled: « An Act to define the powers of the heirs Quesnel, to dispose of certain real estate, » 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. *Starnes*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (No. 54) intituled: « An Act to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company, » reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with certain 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 twice read by the Clerk.

The Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, moved,

That the report of the committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills on the said Bill be not now adopted.

That the said Bill be now referred to a committee of the whole House, to strike out the amendment adopted by the committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The question being put on the said motion.

The House divided and the names being called for they were taken down as follows:

CONTENTS:

The Honorable Messieurs

*Ross,*  
*Archambeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*

*LaBruère, de*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Roy,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Wood.—12.*

## NON CONTENTS :

The Honorable Messieurs

*Boucherville, de*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Laviolette,*  
*Léry, de*

*Rémillard,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Webb.—7.*

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Bryson*, from the said Committee, reported that the Committee had struck out the amendment proposed by the committee of Private Bills, and that he reported the said Bill without the said amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the consideration of the said report be continued until to-morrow.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the delay to receive reports of a standing or select committee on a Private Bill be extended to the end of the session.

A message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 123) intituled : « An Act to amend the statute of the late Province of Canada 28 Vict., chapter 53, intituled : « An Act to incorporate the Presbyterian College of Montreal, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 58) intituled : « An Act to incorporate « The Lachine and Pointe Claire Loop Line Railway Company, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Prudhomme*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their clerk, with a Bill (No. 29) intituled : « An Act to confirm the Act of the Dominion Parliament, 41 Vict., chap. 41, intituled : « An Act to incorporate « La Société de Construction du comté d'Hochelaga, » as a permanent building Society, and for other purposes, » and to declare valid the provisions of the said act and to give effect thereto, to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 86) intituled : « An Act to amend the code of civil procedure, so as to secure more effectually the attendance of witnesses, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their clerk, with a Bill (No. 111) intituled : « An Act to amend the acts respecting the Quebec Gas Company, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Remillard*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 109) intituled : « An Act to incorporate « The Graduates' Society of McGill University, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 5) intituled : « An Act respecting public officers of the Province of Quebec, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, 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 (No. 14) intituled : « An Act to declare and confirm the name of Joseph Eloi de Gagné, esquire, merchant, of the parish of Les Eboulements, and for the relief of his descendants, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Rémillard*,  
 The Bill was read a third time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Remillard*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the passing of the said Bill be deferred until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 63) intituled : « An Act to incorporate « The Orford Chemical Company, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Webb*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.  
 The Bill was read a third time.

The question was put : whether this Bill shall pass ? it was  
*Resolved* in the affirmative.

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*Ordered*, That the Clerk do go down to the Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the continuation of the consideration of Bill (No. 2) intituled : « An Act to amend and consolidate the different acts therein mentioned in reference to Stamps. »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into committee of the whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Webb*, from the said committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with one amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendment was then twice read by the clerk.  
And the House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill as amended be read a third time to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for putting the House into committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 78) intituled : « An Act to amend the law respecting the Court of Queen's Bench, »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, from the Committee reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 18) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the Montreal Investment Company, » acquainting this House that the Legislative Assembly agree to their amendments without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 27) intituled : « An Act to amend the act concerning the South East Railway Company, and to authorize the said company to issue new mortgage bonds, » acquainting this House that the Legislative Assembly agree to their amendments without any amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for the consideration of the report of the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills on the Bill (No. 60) intituled : « An act to render authentic a deed of sale passed at Quebec, 15th September, 1858, between John Jones to John George Crebassa and Pierre Remi Chevalier, before J. S. Hossack, notary, »

*Ordered*, That the said report be now received and the said amendments were then twice read by the Clerk.

And the House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill as amended be read a third time to-morrow.

The Order of the Day was read for the 2nd reading of Bill (B) intituled :  
 « An Act declaring that the edict of Louis XV, King of France, of the year  
 1743, enregistered in the *Conseil Supérieur*, has always been the law of this  
 Province, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Order of the Day be continued until Thursday next.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (II) intituled :  
 « An Act to amend article 1061 of the municipal code, »

On motion of Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of Bill (No. 132) inti-  
 tuled: « An Act to amend article 556 of the code of civil procedure, »

The Honorable Mr. *Prudhomme*, seconded by the Honorable Mr. *de Boucher-  
 ville*, moved :  
 That the said Bill be now read a second time.

The Hon. Mr. *Laviolette*, moved in amendment.

That said Bill be not now read for the second time, but on this day three  
 months.

The question being put on the said amendment, the House divided, and the  
 names being called for, the were taken down as follows :

CONTENTS :

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Gingras,*  
*LaBruère de*  
*Laviolette,*

*Proulx,*  
*Roy,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb and*  
*Wood.—11.*

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The Honorable Messieurs

*Ross,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Gaudet,*

*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard, and*  
*Starnes.—6.*

So it was resolved in the affirmative,  
*Ordered*, Accordingly,

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 17) intituled : « An Act to amend the acts concerning the Quebec and Lake St. John Railway Company, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.

The Bill was read a second time.

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 126) intituled : « An Act to amend the Town Corporations' General Clauses Act, (40) Victoria, chapter 29, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was

*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 102) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the association known as the Quebec Garrison Club, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*,

The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 9) intituled : « An Act to further amend the act concerning judiciary deposits and others, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.

The Bill was read a second time.

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the whole House, for to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the 2nd reading of Bill (No. 108) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the St. John Baptiste Society of Lachine, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Prudhomme*,

The Bill was read a second time

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Prudhomme*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

A message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 104) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act incorporating the Beet Root Sugar Company of the Province of Quebec, to confirm by-law number fifty-three,

of the west portion of the township of Farnham, and to extend the delay mentioned in one of the clauses of the said by-law, » to which the request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Wood, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Beaudry, the House adjourned until to-morrow, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

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## Friday, 16th July, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Postaler,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*LaBruère, de*  
*Lavolette,*

*Léry, de*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Roy,*  
*Savage,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb,*  
*Wood.*

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented its seventh report.

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

### PRIVATE BILLS OFFICE.

16th July, 1880.

The Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, has the honor to present their seventh report.

Your committee having gone through the following petitions find they are not of a nature to require the notice provided by the 49th Rule.

Of inhabitants of the county of St-Maurice, praying for the opening of a registry office in their county ;

Of Benjamin Testard de Montigny, of Montreal, advocate, and formerly stipendiary magistrate claiming an indemnity ;

Of Louis Honoré Gosselin, formerly a member of the Legislative Assembly for Rimouski, and also forest ranger, praying to be reinstated in his late employment of forest ranger;

Of the electors of the county of Compton, praying that no steps be taken to lessen the action of local agricultural societies;

Of J. B. Rolland and son, printers and publishers of Montreal, praying that an annual allowance of \$1000 dollars be made them, to enable them to continue the publication of the Journal of Education;

Of the General Hospital of Sorel;

Of the Ladies of the University Lying in Hospital at Montreal;

Of the faculty of medicine, of McGill University;

Of the President and directors of the Quebec Literary and Historical Society, all praying for aid;

Of the Montreal tavern keepers;

Of his Lordship the Bishop of St. Hyacinthe;

Of the inhabitants of the county of Levis;

Of Joseph Gagnon and others, of Montreal;

Of His Lordship the Bishop, of Montreal;

Of Honoré Gauthier and others, of Montreal, all praying that the Licence Act be amended;

Of Leonard George James Fosbrooke, of Sorel;

Of John George Crebassa Notary, of Sorel, both praying that the Bill rendering valid and authentic a certain deed of sale, and petition framed by P. A. Chevalier, Notary, of Sorel, do not become law;

Of D. Gauthier and others, of the county of Richelieu;

Of inhabitants of St.-Hubert, county of Chambly;

Of inhabitants of the town of Longueuil;

Of other inhabitants of the town of Longueuil;

Of other inhabitants of the town of Longueuil, All praying that an act be passed incorporating the South East Railway and Tunnel Company;

Of the Council of the Board of trade of Montreal, praying that no act be passed incorporating the South East Railway and Tunnel Company;

Of the Montreal Presbyterian College praying that their act of incorporation be amended.

Your committee having gone through the following petition find that the notice required has been given:

Of the Colonial Gold Mining Company praying an act be passed to incorporate the said Company.

The whole respectfully submitted,

E. DIONNE,

Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said report be adopted.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (No. 26) intituled: « An Act to amend the Act incorporating « The Richelieu River Hydraulic and Manufacturing Company, » and the subsequent Act, 39 Victoria, chapter 59, extending the delay during which the said company should have commenced their works, » reported that he 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. *de Boucherville*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time on Monday.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (No. 119) intituled : « An act to incorporate the community of religious ladies known as « *Les Sœurs des petites écoles de Rimouski*, » 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. *Gaudet*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time.  
 The said Bill was 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 128) intituled : « An act to explain chapter 54 of the Act of the late Province of Canada, 27-28 Vict., in so far as it relates to the parish of Ste-Marguerite, » 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. *de Villemure*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time on Monday.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne* from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 100) intituled : « An Act to confer upon the Loan and Landed Credit Company, (*La Compagnie de Prêt et de Crédit Foncier*), as incorporated, all the rights and privileges of Permanent Building Societies in the Province of Quebec, » 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 M. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time on Monday.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 113) intituled : « An Act to grant certain powers to the testamentary executors of the late Alexandre Maurice Delisle, » reported that they had gone through the said Bill and had directed him to report the same with one amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive the same.

*Ordered*, That the report be now received, and the said amendment was then twice read by the Clerk.

And the House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill as amended be read a third time on Monday.

The Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, from the Select Committee appointed to enquire into the facts and circumstances relative to the affixing of Nut Locks on the Q. M. O. & O. Railway, present its second report.

*Ordered*, That it be received, and it was then read by the clerk, as follows, to wit :

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

16th July, 1880.

The committee appointed to inquire into the facts and circumstances relative to the affixing of Nut Locks on the Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa and Occidental Railway, has the honor to present the following as its report of the proceedings to this date.

Your committee has summoned as a witness J. M. MacKay, Esq., as it appears by the annexed certificates, but that the said J. M. MacKay has made default to appear before them, and your committee reports accordingly, in order that this honorable House may take such action as may seem expedient in respect of the refusal of the said J. M. MacKay, to obey its orders.

The whole humbly submitted,

J. L. BEAUDRY,  
Chairman.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Quebec, 15th day of July, 1880.

Summons to J. M. MacKay, Esq., M. D.

SIR,—Take notice you are hereby required to appear and give evidence before the Select Committee of the Legislative Council, to which has been referred the enquiry on the Nut Lock question in connection with the Q. M. O. & O. Railway, and to bring with you all account books, letters and other documents relative to that contract, on Friday next, the 16th day of July, at 1.30 o'clock, P. M., in the Committee Room, No. 3.

By order of the Committee,

J. A. JODOIN,  
Clerk of the Committee.

I, certify to have handed a true copy of this summons to Mr. F. X. Brault, chief messenger of this Hon. House as appears by his certificate.

J. A. JODOIN.

I, the undersigned chief messenger of the Legislative Council certify to have left at Mr. J. M. MacKay, esquire, M. D., a sealed letter delivered to me by Mr. J. A. Jodoin, clerk of committees, which letter was addressed to the said Mr. MacKay and which I delivered him, the said letter to himself in person at Beauport between six and half past six o'clock P. M. the 15th inst.

15 July, 1880.

Signed, F. X. ERAULT,

The Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, moved.

That as it appears by the first report of the committee appointed to enquire into the facts and circumstances relative to the affixing of Nut Locks on the Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa and Occidental Railway, that with other witnesses summoned before your committee, Mr. John Mackay, esq., physician, of the city of Quebec, commenced to give his evidence ; the following question that was put to him he refused to answer, to wit :

Question.—« Will you say in what manner and will you give the names of the persons who have thus lent you their influence ? »

And that in consequence of the refusal of the said John Mackay to answer the said question although the committee ordered him to do so, this House maintains the decision of the committee and orders the said John Mackay to appear before the said committee on such day and hour as the said committee may fix upon and to answer the said question.

And the question being put on the said motion, it was  
*Resolved* in the affirmative.  
*Ordered*, Accordingly.

The Order of the Day was read for the passing of Bill (No. 14) intituled :  
 « An Act to declare and confirm the name of Joseph Eloi de Gagné, Esquire, merchant, of the parish of Les Eboulements, and for the relief of his descendants, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Remillard*,  
 The question was put, whether this Bill shall pass? it was  
*Resolved* in the affirmative.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do go down to the Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 2) intituled :  
 « An Act to amend and consolidate the different acts therein mentioned in reference to Stamps, »

On motion of the Honorable M. *Ross*,  
 The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with one amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day was read for the 3rd reading of Bill (No. 78) intituled : « An Act to amend the law respecting the Court of Queen's Bench, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.  
 The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 20) intituled : « An Act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Quebec to admit Joseph Alphée Lemay among its members, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Remillard*,  
 The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 106) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the religious community known as the Redemptorist Fathers, of the Province of Quebec, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 55) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the Association of Accountants in Montreal, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Bryson*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 114) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act of incorporation of the town of Iberville, (22 Vict., chap. 64, 1859, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*,

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with several amendments, which they desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 11) intituled : « An Act to define the powers of the Executor of the Will of the late Robert Knox, esquire, as to property in this Province, and for other purposes, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Bryson*,

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with several amendments to which they desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 57) intituled : « An Act to define the powers of the heirs *Queşnel*, to dispose of certain real estate, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 60) intituled : « An Act to render authentic a deed of sale passed at Quebec; 15th September, 1858, between John Jones to John George Crebassa and Pierre Remi Chevalier, before J. S. Hossack, notary, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*,

The Bill was, as amended, 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with several amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the report of the Committee of the Whole on Bill (No. 54) intituled : « An Act to incorporate « The South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Report be adopted.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a third time on Monday.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 9) intituled : « An Act to further amend the act concerning judiciary deposits and others, »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Roy*, from the said Committee reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and directed him to report the same without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable M. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then accordingly 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of Bill (E) intituled : « An act to amend article 1061 of the municipal code, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.

The Bill was read a second time.

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a committee of the Whole House for Monday.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of Bill (No. 86) intituled : « An act to amend the code of civil procedure, so as to secure more effectually the attendance of witnesses, »

On motion of the Honorable M. *Starnes*, it was

*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until Monday.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 5) intituled : « An Act respecting public officers of the Province of Quebec, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.

The Bill was read a second time.

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a committee of the Whole House for Monday.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of Bill (No. 123) intituled : « An Act to amend the Statute of the late Province of Canada, 28 Vict., chap. 53, intituled : « An Act to incorporate the Presbyterian College of Montreal, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*,

The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 58) intituled : « An Act to incorporate « The Lachine and Pointe Claire Loop Line Railway Company, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Prudhomme*,

The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Prudhomme*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 29) intituled : « An Act to confirm the Act of the Dominion Parliament, 41 Vict., chap. 41, intituled : « An Act to incorporate « La Société de Construction du Comté d'Hochelaga, » as a permanent building Society, and for other purposes, and to declare valid the provisions of the said act and to give effect thereto, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*,

The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 111) intituled : « An act to amend the acts respecting the Quebec Gas Company, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Remillaud*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. *Remillard*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 109) intituled : « An Act to incorporate « The Graduates Society of McGill University, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 126), intituled : « An Act to amend the 'Town Corporations' General Clauses Act. (40 Victoria, chapter 29,)»

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.  
The Bill was read a second time.  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the whole House for Monday.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 104) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act incorporating the Beet Root Sugar Company of the Province of Quebec, to confirm by-law number fifty three, of the west portion of the township of Farnham, and to extend the delay mentioned in one of the clauses of the said by-law, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Wood*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Wood*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (F) intituled : « An Act to protect toll bridges in this Province, acquainting this House that the Legislative Assembly agree to their amendments without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 24) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the « *Crédit Foncier Franco-Canadien*, » acquainting this House that the Legislative Assembly agree to their amendments without any amendment.

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A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 32) intituled : « An Act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Quebec to admit Hormisdas Jeannotte, dit Lachapelle, as one of its members, » acquainting this House that the Legislative Assembly agree to their amendments without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 65) intituled : « An Act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Quebec, to admit George Arthur Hughes, as an Attorney and Advocate, » acquainting this House that the Legislative Assembly agree to their amendments without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 13) intituled : « An Act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Quebec to admit Louis H. Pignolet, as an attorney and advocate, » acquainting this House that the Legislative Assembly agree to their amendments without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 107) intituled : « An Act to confirm the Act of the Dominion Parliament 40 Vict., chap. 81, intituled : « An Act to incorporate *La Société de Construction St-Jacques*, as a Permanent Building Society, and for other purposes, » and to declare valid the provisions of the said act making certain changes therein and giving effect thereto, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time Monday next.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, the House adjourned until Monday, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Monday, 19th July, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostalcr,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*LaBruère, de*

*Lavoilette,*  
*Léry, de*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Roy,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb,*  
*Wood.*

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 123) intituled : « An act to amend the statute of the late Province of Canada 28 Vict., chapter 53, intituled : « An act to incorporate the Presbyterian College of Montreal, » 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. *de Boucheville*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 58) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the Lachine and Pointe Claire loop line Railway Company, » reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Prudhomme*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 103) intituled : « An Act to incorporate « The Graduates Society of McGill University, » 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. *Webb*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 103) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the St-Jean Baptiste Society of Lachine, 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. *Prudhomme*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 111) intituled : « An Act to amend the Acts respecting the Quebec Gas 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. *Remillard*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 17) intituled : « An act to amend the act respecting the Quebec and Lake St-John 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. *de LaBruère*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (No. 102) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the Association known as : « *The Quebec Garrison Club*. » 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. *de LaBruère*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 29) intituled : « An Act to confirm the Act of the Dominion Parliament, 41 Vict., chap. 41, intituled : « An Act to incorporate « *La Société de Construction du Comté d'Hochelega*, » as a permanent building Society, and for other purposes » and to declare valid the provisions of the said act, » 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. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the 58th rule of this House be suspended in so far as it relates to the Private Bills which have passed their second reading to this day.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Rémillard*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill (No 61) intituled : « An Act to authorize » « the St. Joseph's Union of St. Joseph of Levis, to reduce and commute the succours they bestow » be put on the orders of the day for its second reading at the next sitting.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That to day and all the following days, except Sunday, until the end of the session, there shall be two distinct sittings each day, one beginning at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and the other at 7½ o'clock in the evening.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 26) intituled : An Act to amend the act incorporating « *The Richelieu River Hydraulic and Manufacturing Company*, » and the subsequent act, 39 Victoria, chapter 59, extending the delay during which the said company should have commenced their works, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 128) intitled: « An Act to explain chapter 54 of the Act of the late Province of Canada, 27-28 Vict., in so far as it relates to the parish of Ste-Marguerite, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Villemure*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 100) intitled: « An Act to confer upon the Loan and Landed Credit Company, (*La Compagnie de Prêt et Crédit Fonciers*), all the rights and privileges of Permanent Building Societies in the Province of Quebec, »

The Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, moved

That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, moved in amendment.

That the said Bill be not now read for the third time, but that it be referred to a Committee of the Whole presently, with instructions to make the following amendments:

1st. In line three of the third paragraph, to strike out the words « within a definite period » and substitute for them the words « before ten years to be reckoned from the day of the sanction of this act. »

2nd. In the same section, line 4th, strike out the words « or shall hereafter be ».

3rd. Same section, line 5th, strike out the words « after interests » to the end of the section and substitute the following: « and the said company shall have ten years, to be reckoned from the day of its acquisition, to dispose of the properties, which it will be obliged to acquire in future from its debtors to protect its interests. »

The question being put on the said amendment, it was

*Resolved* in the affirmative.

The House adjourned during pleasure and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill and had directed him to report the same with the amendments which the Committee had received instructions to make, and that he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then twice read by the Clerk.

The question of concurrence was put.

The House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill was 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with certain amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of the Legislative Assembly.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 113) intituled: « An act to better define the powers of the testamentary executors of the late Alexandre Maurice Delisle, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*,  
The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with one amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 54) intituled: « An act to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company. »

The Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, moved.  
That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, moved in amendment.

That the said Bill be not now read for the third time, but that it be again referred to a Committee of the Whole House presently, with instructions to strike out the section No. 24 and substitute the following:

« 24. The powers given by this act shall only be exercised if the tunnel is located and actually commenced within one year and completed within five years from the sanction of this act; and the said company shall not in any manner be deemed to be vested with, or have the right to begin or construct said railway until at least two hundred thousand dollars shall have been expended on the tunnel to the satisfaction of the Lieutenant Governor in Council, and said railway shall be completed in same time and not later than the tunnel. »

The question of concurrence being put on the said amendement, the House divided, and the names being called for they were taken down as follows:

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The Honorable Messieurs,

*Boucherville, c'e*  
*Dionne,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Lavolette,*

*Léry, de*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Starnes, and*  
*Webb.—8.*

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## The honorable Messieurs

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 Archambeault,  
 Beaudry,  
 Bryson,  
 Dostaler,  
 Gaudet,  
 Gingras,

LaBruère, de  
 Proulx,  
 Prudhomme,  
 Roy,  
 Villemure de  
 and Wood.—13.

So it was resolved in the negative.

The question was put on the motion in chief, it was

*Resolved* in the affirmative, and it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendments.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (H) intituled : « An Act to amend article 1061 of the municipal code, »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Laviolette*, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and directed him to report the same without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*,

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then accordingly 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendments.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 5) intituled : « An Act respecting public officers of the Province of Quebec, »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole,

After some time the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Webb*, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and directed him to report the same without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then accordingly 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 126) intituled : « An act to amend the Town Corporations General Clauses Act, (40 Victoria, chapter 29,) »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Rémillard*, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and directed him to report the same without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*,

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then accordingly 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of Bill (No. 86) intituled : « An Act to amend the code of civil procedure, so as to secure more effectually the attendance of witnesses, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was

*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 107) intituled : « An Act to confirm the Act of the Dominion Parliament, 40 Vict., chap. 81, intituled : « An Act to incorporate *La Société de Construction St-Jacques*, as a permanent building society, and for other purposes, » and to declare valid the provisions of the said Act making certain changes therein and giving effect thereto, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*,

The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 157) intituled : « An Act to declare and confirm the name of *Louis Philippe Pelletier*, esquire, of the city of Quebec, advocate, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Rémillard*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the 41st and 58th rules of this House be dispensed with in so far  
as they relate to this Bill.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Rémillard*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time.  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Rémillard*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders  
and Private Bills.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with  
a Bill (No. 115) intituled: « An Act to incorporate the « Montreal Steam Heating  
Company, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.  
The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was,  
*Ordered*, That the 41st and 58th rules of this House be dispensed with in so far  
as they relate to this Bill.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time presently.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders  
and Private Bills.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with  
a Bill (No. 124) intituled: « An Act to incorporate the « Colonial Gold Mining Com-  
pany, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.  
The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the 41st and 58th rules of the House be dispensed with in so far  
as they relate to this Bill.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders  
and Private Bills.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with  
a Bill (No. 110) intituled: « An Act to incorporate the St-John and Sorel Railway  
Company, to which they request the concurrence of this House.  
The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the 41st and 58th rules of this House be dispensed with it so far  
as they relate to this Bill.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*,  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 34) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the Union Jacques-Cartier 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. *de LaBruère*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the 41st and 58th 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 accordingly read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 154) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act of this Province 33 Vict., Chap. 32, respecting the stoning of roads, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 139) intituled : « An Act to exempt from seizure one half the wages of Laborers, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.  
 The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 122) intituled : « An act to change the name of « Le College de Monnoir, » to that of « Le Petit Séminaire de Ste-Marie de Monnoir, » and for other purposes; » to which they request the concurrence of this House.  
 The said Bill was read for the first time.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk with a Bill (G) intituled : « An act to amend the act of the late Province of Canada, 29 Victoria, chapter 86, incorporating the Longueuil Navigation Company, » acquainting this House that the Legislative Assembly agree to their amendments without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 60) intituled : « An Act to render authentic a deed of sale, passed at Quebec, on the fifteenth day of September, eighteen hundred and fifty eight, from John Jones to John George Crebassa and Pierre Rémi Chevalier, before John Simpson Hossack, notary, » acquainting this House that the Legislative Assembly agree to their amendments without any amendment.

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On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, it was  
*Ordered*, That when this House adjourns, it do stand adjourned until to-  
 morrow, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, the House adjourned  
 until to-morrow, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

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**Tuesday, 20th July, 1880.**

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Postaler,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*Hearn,*  
*LaBruère, de*

*Lavolette,*  
*Léry, de*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Roy,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb,*  
*Wood.*

The following petition was brought up and laid on the table :

By the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, of A. R. C. de Léry, and others.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (No. 124) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the « Colonial Gold Mining Company, » reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with one amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive the same.

*Ordered*, That the report be now received, and the said amendment was then twice read by the Clerk.

And the House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with one amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of the Legislative Assembly.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 104) intituled : « An act to amend the act incorporating the « Beet Sugar Company of the Province of Quebec, » to confirm by-law No. 53, of the west portion of the township of Farnham, and to extend the delay mentioned in one of the clauses of the said by-law, » reported they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with one amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive the same.

*Ordered*, That the report be now received, and the said amendment was then twice read by the Clerk.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be again referred to the Committee on Private Bills with instruction to amend the first clause in such manner that the society shall be obliged to inform the stockholders of the changes made by this Bill.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (No. 110) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the St-John and Sorel 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. *Lavolette*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time at the next sitting.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 115) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the « Montreal Steam Heating 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. *Starnes*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time at the next sitting.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 34) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the Union Jacques-Cartier 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. *de LaBruère*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time at the next sitting.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 157) intituled : « An Act to declare and confirm the name of Louis Philippe Pelletier, esquire, of the city of Quebec, advocate, » 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. *Rémillard*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time at the next sitting.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 71) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act of this Province, 39 Victoria, chapter 33, intituled : « An Act to amend and consolidate the various acts respecting the Notarial Profession in this Pro-

vince, 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 twice read by the Clerk.

And the House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Archambeault*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time at the next sitting.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 22) intituled : « An Act to incorporate « La Société St-Jean-Baptiste de Salaberry de Valleyfield, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was

*Ordered*, That the 41st and 58th rules, of this House be dispensed with in so far as they relate to this Bill.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 41) intituled : « An Act to amend « the Quebec license law of 1878 41 Vict., chap. 3 and its amendments, » 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*, 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 accordingly read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the whole House for to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 120) intituled : « An Act to authorise Alfred Charles Pinsonneault to sell and alienate certain immovables, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

The Honorable Mr. *Archambeault*, moved ;

That the 41st rule of this House be suspended in what concerns this Bill and that the said Bill be read a second time presently.

The Honorable Mr. *Webb*, moved in amendment :

That the said Bill be not now read for the second time but on this day three months.

The question was put on the said amendment, the House divided, and the names being called for, they were taken down as follows :

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## The Honorable Messieurs

*Beaudry,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*Hearn,*

*LaBruère, de*  
*Lavolette,*  
*Léry, de,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Webb,*  
*Wood.—12.*

## NON CONTENTS :

## The Honorable Messieurs

*Ross,*  
*Archambeault*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*

*Proulx,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Roy,*  
*Starnes and*  
*Villemure, de.—10*

So it was, resolved in the affirmative, and it was  
*Ordered, Accordingly.*

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 94) intituled : « An Act to amend article 1188 of the Code of Civil Procedure of Lower Canada, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 64) intituled : « An act to authorize the sale of certain immovable property substituted by the Will of the late Charles Smith, junior, and for other purposes, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

A message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 25) intituled : « An Act to incorporate « The St. Lawrence River Tunnel Company, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the 41st and 58th Rules of this House be dispensed with in so far as they relate to this Bill.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time.  
The said Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 135) intituled : « An Act to amend chapter 15 of the Consolidated Statutes for Lower Canada, intituled : « An Act respecting Public Instruction, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 112) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the institution called : « *Asile des Servantes Catholiques de Montréal,* » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was

*Ordered,* That the forty-first and 53th 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 accordingly read a second time.

*Ordered,* That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 118) intituled : « An Act to authorize *Les Clercs Paroissiaux ou Catéchistes de St-Viateur*, at Joliette, to hypothecate certain immovables, » to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*, it was

*Ordered,* That the 41st and 53th 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 accordingly read a second time.

*Ordered,* That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 117) intituled : « An Act to facilitate the payment of the sum to be levied upon the Catholic freeholders of the parish of St-Henri des Tanneries, for the construction of a church, parsonage-house and dependencies, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Prudhomme*, it was

*Ordered,* That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 97) intituled : « An Act to divide the judicial district of Ottawa into two judicial districts and for other purposes, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Bryson*, it was

*Ordered,* That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 101) intituled : « An Act to amend the act of incorporation of the town of St-John's and several acts amending 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. *Lavolette*, it was

*Ordered*, That the 41st and 58th 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 accordingly read a second time.

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 113) intituled : « An Act to define the powers of the testamentary executors of the late Alexander Maurice Delisle, » acquainting this House that the Legislative Assembly agree to their amendments without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 114) intituled : « An Act to amend the act of incorporation of the Town of Iberville, « 22 Vict., chap. 64, 1859) » acquainting this House that the Legislative Assembly agree to their amendments without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 11) intituled : « An Act to define the powers of the Executor of the Will of the late Robert Knox, Esquire, as to property in this Province, and for other purposes, » acquainting this House that the Legislative Assembly agree to their amendments without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their clerk, with a Bill (No. 20) intituled : « An Act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Quebec to admit Joseph Alphée Lemay among its members, » acquainting this House that the Legislative Assembly agree to their amendments without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 2) intituled : « An act to amend and consolidate the different acts therein mentioned in reference to Stamps, » acquainting this House that the Legislative Assembly agree to their amendments without any amendment.

The Honorable the *Speaker*, presented to the House the answer to an address dated the 12th July instant.

Address to His Honor the Lieutenant Governor praying His Honor to cause to be laid before this House, copy of the petition of certain persons of the parish of St-Frederic of Beauce, dated 1878, complaining of MM. Augustin Doyon, George Perron and Augustin Jacques, commissioners of the court.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of Bill (No. 123) intituled : « And Act to amend the statute of the late Province of Canada, 28 Vict., chap. 53, intituled : « An Act to incorporate the Presbyterian College of Montreal, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 58) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the Lachine and Pointe Claire loop line Railway Company, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Prudhomme*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be now read a third time. ¶

The said Bill was read for the 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 109) intituled : « An Act to incorporate « The Graduates Society of McGill University, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 108) intituled : « An Act to incorporate « La Société St-Jean-Baptiste de Lachine, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Prudhomme*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 111) intituled : « An Act to amend the Acts respecting the Quebec Gas Company, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Rémillard*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 17) intituled : « An Act to amend the acts concerning the Quebec and Lake St. John Railway Company, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be now read a third time.  
The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 102) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the association known as the Quebec Garrison Club, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of Bill (No. 29) intituled : « An Act to confirm the Act of the Dominion Parliament, 41 Vict., chap. 41, intituled : « An Act to incorporate « La Société de Construction du Comté d'Hoche- laga, » as a permanent building Society, and for other purposes, » and to declare valid the provisions of the said act and to give effect thereto, »

On motion of the Hon. Mr. *Beaudry*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time to-morrow.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 154) intituled : « An Act to amend the act of this Province, 33 Vict., chap. 32, respecting the stoning of roads, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.

The Bill was read a second time.

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the whole House for to-morrow.

The Order of the Day was read for the 2nd reading of the Bill (No. 61) intituled : « An act to authorize « l'Union St-Joseph de St-Joseph de Lévis, » to reduce and commute the amount of relief which it bestows, » to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Rémillard*, it was

*Ordered*, That the 58th 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 accordingly read a second time.

*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 Bill (No. 86) intituled : « An Act to amend the code of civil procedure, so as to secure more effectually attendance of witnesses, »

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On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.

The Bill was read a second time.

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a committee of the whole House for to-morrow.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of Bill (No. 139) intituled : « An Act to exempt from seizure one half the wages of laborers. »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Laviolette*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.

The Bill was read a second time.

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a committee of the Whole House for to-morrow.

On motion of Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, it was

*Ordered*, That when this House adjourns it do stand adjourned until to-morrow, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, the House adjourned until to-morrow, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Wednesday, 21st July, 1880.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archangeau,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*Hearn,*  
*LaBruère, de*

*Lavolette,*  
*Léry, de*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Roy,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb,*  
*Wood.*

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 61) intituled : « An act to authorize « L'Union St-Joseph de St-Joseph de Lévis, to reduce and commute the amount of the relief which it pays, » reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with one amendment which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be prepared to receive the same.

*Ordered*, That the report be now received, and the said amendment was then twice read by the Clerk.

And the House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable M. *Rémillard*,  
The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with one amendment to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 107) intituled : « An Act to confirm the Act of the Dominion Parliament, 40 Vict., chap. 81, intituled : « An Act to incorporate *La Société de Construction St-Jacques*, as a Permanent Building Society, and for other purposes, » and to declare valid the provisions of the said Act making certain changes therein and given effect thereto, » 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 M. *Beaudry*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time.

The Bill was 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendments.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (No. 22) intituled: « An Act to incorporate « La Société St-Jean Baptiste de la ville de Salaberry de Valleyfield, » reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with one amendment which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive the same.

*Ordered*, That the report be now received, and the said amendment was then twice read by the Clerk.

And the House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*,

The Bill was, as amended, 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with one amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (No. 101) intituled: « An Act to amend and consolidate the act of incorporation of the town of St-John's and the several acts amending the same, » 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.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 118) intituled: « An Act to authorize *Les Clercs Paroissiaux ou Catéchistes de St. Viateur*, at Joliette, to hypothecate certain immovables, » 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. *Dostaler*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time.

The Bill was 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 25) intituled: « An Act to incorporate « The St-Lawrence River Tunnel 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. *de Boucherville*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill was 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (No. 112) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the institution called « *Asile de Servantes Catholiques de Montréal*, » reported they had gone through the said Bill, and directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time.

The Bill was 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was again referred the Bill (No. 104) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act incorporating the Beet Root Sugar Company of the Province of Quebec, to confirm by-law number fifty three, of the west portion of the township of Farnham, and to extend the delay mentioned in one of the clauses of the said by-law, » ask leave to sit again, and to insert in the said Bill the following amendment :

Section 1. ligne 7, after the word « *Missisquoi*, » insert the words « But every person residing either in the parishes of St-Hughes and of St-Pie, in the county of Bagot, or in the parish of St-Hyacinth, in the county of St-Hyacinth, who has taken shares in the said company, ceases to be a shareholder, and the contracts passed by such person for the purposes of the said act are annulled.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said report be adopted and that the said Bill be referred anew to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No 12) intituled : « An Act to authorize Dame Marie Anne Claire Symes, wife of Napoleon Hughes Charles Marie Ghislain Marct, Marquis de Bassano, institute under the will of her father, the late George Burns Symes, esquire, to change certain investments now made, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was

*Ordered*, That the 41st and 58th 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 accordingly read a second time.

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee of Standing Orders and Private Bills.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 100) intituled : « An Act to confer upon the Loan and Landed Credit Company, (*La Compagnie de Prêts et Crédit Fonciers*), all the rights and privileges of Permanent Building Societies in the Province of Québec, » acquainting this House that the Legislative Assembly agree to their amendments without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Webb*, it was

*Ordered*, That the english version of the minute of proceedings of the 20th of this month be amended at the fifth line, page 4, by inserting after the word « time, » the words « but this day three months, » to make it conform with the french version.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill (No. 94) intituled : « An Act to amend article 1188 of the Code of Civil Procedure of Lower Canada, » be placed on the Order of the Day to be read a second time at the next meeting of the House.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 110) intituled : « An act to incorporate «The St John's and Sorel Railway Company, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*,

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendments.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 115) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the « Montreal Steam Suply Company »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendments.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 34), intituled : « An Act to incorporate «The Jacques-Cartier Union Railway Company, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*,

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 157), intituled : « An Act to declare and confirm the name of Louis Philippe Pelletier, esquire, of the city of Quebec, advocate, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Rémillard*,

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendments.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 71) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act of this Province, 39 Victoria, chapter 33, intituled : « An Act to amend and consolidate the various acts respecting the Notarial Profession in this Province, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Archambeault*,  
The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with several amendments to which they desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of Bill (No. 29) intituled : « An Act to confirm the Act of the Dominion Parliament, 41 Vict., chap. 41, intituled : « An Act to incorporate « La Société de Construction du comté d'Hochelaga, » as a permanent building Society, and for other purposes, » and to declare valid the provisions of the said act and to give effect thereto, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was

*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 41) intituled : « An Act to amend « The Quebec License Law of 1878, » (41 Vict., chap. 3) and its amendments.

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Wood* from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with one amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendment was then twice read by the clerk.

And the House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with one amendment to which they desire the concurrence of the Legislative Assembly.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 154) intituled : « An Act to amend the act of this Province, 33 Vict., chap. 32, respecting the stoning of roads, »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Remillard*, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then accordingly 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 86) intituled : « An Act to amend the code of civil procedure, so as to secure more effectually attendance of witnesses. »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

Some time after the committee rose.

The House then resumed its sitting and

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 139) intituled : « An Act to exempt from seizure one half the wages of laborers, »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Roy*, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with certain amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then severally twice read by the Clerk.

And the House agreed to the same on division.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*,

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with several amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 117) intituled : « An Act to facilitate the payment of the sum to be levied upon the Catholic freeholders of the parish of St-Henri des Tanneries, for the construction of a church, parsonage-house and dependencies.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Prudhomme*,

The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Prudhomme*, it was

*Ordered*, That the 58th rule of this House be suspended with in so far as it relates to this Bill.

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On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Prudhomme*, 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 Bill (97) intituled : « An act to divide the judicial district of Ottawa into two judicial districts and for other purposes, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Bryson*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.  
The Bill was read a second time.

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a committee of the Whole House for to-morrow.

A Message was received from the Legislative Assembly by the Hons. Messrs. *Church* and *Irvine*, requesting a conference on Bill (No. 124) intituled : « An act to incorporate the Colonial Gold Mining Company, »

The messengers withdraw : Some time after the messengers were recalled and acquainted that the Legislative Council would send an answer by a messenger of its own.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Hon. Messieurs *de Boucherville*, *Starnes* and the mover, be managers for this House to meet the managers of the Legislative Assembly respecting the Bill (No. 124), this evening, at 6 o'clock, in the Committee Room No. 3, of the Legislative Council, and that a message be sent by the clerk of this House, to the Legislative Assembly, to acquaint that House of this resolution.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ferrier*, the House adjourned until this evening, at 7.30.

*Conseil Législatif*

Wednesday, 21st July, 1880.

Sitting of 7.30 P. M.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*LaBruère, de*

*Laviolette,*  
*Léry de*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Roy,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb,*  
*Wood.*

The following petition was brought and laid on the table :

By the Honorable Mr. *Bryson*, The Canada Gold Mining Company (limited.)

The following petition was read and received :

Of the Honorable *A. R. Chaussegros de Lery*, and other stockholders of the de Lery Gold Mining Company, Beauce, opposing the passing of an act concerning the gold mines of this province.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of the report of the Committee on Private Bills, on Bill (No. 101) intituled : « An Act to amend and consolidate the Act of incorporation of the town of St-John's and the several acts amending the same, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the same be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 94) intituled : « An Act to amend article 1188 of the Code of Civil Procedure of Lower Canada, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Laviolette*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.

The Bill was read a second time.

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the whole House for to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, one of the managers appointed to meet the managers of the Legislative Assembly in relation to the Bill (No. 124) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the « Colonial Gold Mining Company, » presents the following report.

*Ordered*, That the said report be received, and it was then read by the clerk as follows, to wit :

## LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

21st July 1880.

The managers appointed by this Honorable House to meet the managers appointed by the Legislative Assembly in conference on the Bill (No. 124) intituled : « An act to incorporate the « Colonial Gold Mining Company, » have the honor to report that they met the managers of the Legislative Assembly and that the reasons advanced by the latter appeared to your managers sufficient to restore the 4th section of the said Bill and the introduction of an amendment to strike out section 5.

The whole humbly submitted,

<sup>o</sup>BOUCHER DE LABRUÈRE,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said report be adopted.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was  
*Ordered*, That a message be sent to the Legislative Assembly to request that House to return to the Legislative Council the Bill (No. 124) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the Colonial Gold Mining Company, » in relation to which a conference was held this day, the reasons advanced by the managers of the Legislative Assembly being sufficient to justify the restoration of section 4 of the said Bill and the introduction of an amendment which will strike out the 5th section altogether.

Then on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*, the House adjourned until tomorrow, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Thursday, 22nd July, 1880.

Afternoon sitting.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*Heurn,*  
*LaBruère, de*

*Lavolette,*  
*Léry, de*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Roy,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb,*  
*Wood.*

The following petition was brought up and laid on the table :

By the Honorable Mr. *Archambeault*, of the Honorable J. T. Taschereau and others, praying to be heard at the bar of the House respecting the Bill (No. 129) intituled : « An Act concerning the mines of this Province. »

The said petition was read and received.

The Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, moved.

*Ordered*, That the petitioners be heard at the Bar of this House at the time of the second reading of the said Bill.

The Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, moved in amendment.

That the said Bill (No. 129) and the said petition be referred to a select committee of all the members of this House to meet in this Chamber to-morrow at ten o'clock a. m.

The question being put on the said amendment it was

*Resolved*, in the affirmative.

*Ordered* accordingly.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 117) intituled : « An Act to allow the delay for the payment of the assessments to be imposed upon the parish of St-Henri des Tanneries, in relation to the construction of a church, parsonage-house and dependencies, to be enlarged to a period exceeding eight years, » reported that they had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Prudhomme*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred anew the Bill (No. 104) intituled : « An act to amend the act incorporating the « Beet Sugar Company of the Province of Quebec, » to confirm by-law No. 53, of the west portion of the township of Farnham, and to extend the delay mentioned in one of the clauses of the said by-law, » reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with one amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive the same.

*Ordered*, That the report be now received, and the said amendment was then twice read by the Clerk.

And the House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Wood*,  
The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with one amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills presented their eighth report.

*Ordered*, That the said report be received and it was then read by the clerk as follows, to wit :

PRIVATE BILLS OFFICE.

This 22nd July, 1880.

The Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills have the honor to present their eighth report.

Your committee after going through the following petition, find that it is not of a nature to require the notice provided by the 49th Rule.

Of the Honorable *Chaussegros de Lery*, Legislative Councillor, and other shareholders of the d<sup>e</sup> Lery Gold Mining Company, Beauce, opposing the passing of the act concerning the mines of this Province.

Signed,

E. DIONNE,

Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said report be adopted.

The Honorable Mr. *Baudry*, from the committee appointed to examine and report upon the contingent accounts of the Legislative Council during this session presented their fourth report.

*Ordered*, That it be received and it was then read by the Clerk as follows, to wit :

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

22nd July, 1880.

The Committee charged to examine the contingent accounts of the Legislative Council and to report thereon present their fourth report.

Your Committee have received and adopted the report of the sub Committee appointed to prepare a list of the articles required for the use of Honorable members of this House; they recommend that in future the purchases be made conformably with this list and authorize their chairman, The Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, to attend to these purchases.

Your Committee recommend that the portrait of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, late speaker of this House, be painted in the same manner, and by the same artist as that of the Honorable Mr. *LeMaire*.

The whole humbly submitted,

(Signed), J. L. BEAUDRY,  
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable M. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said report be adopted.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 158) intituled : « An Act granting to Her Majesty the moneys required for the expenses of the Government for the financial year ended on the 30th June, 1880, and for the financial year ending on the 30th June, 1881, and for other purposes connected with 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. *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 accordingly read a second time.

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time at the next sitting.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 155) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act 28 Victoria, chapter 13, amending chapter 68 of the Consolidated Statutes for Lower Canada, respecting Mutual Insurance Companies, » 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*, 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 accordingly read a second time.

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the whole House at the next sitting.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 146) intituled : « An Act to amend the acts respecting Colonisation 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. *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 accordingly read a second time.

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 143) intituled : « An Act to detach a certain portion of the parish of St-Hypolite, township of Wotton, in the county of Wolfe and to annex the same to the parish of St-Camille, for electoral, municipal and school purposes, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Webb*, it was

*Ordered*, That the 41st 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 accordingly read a second time.

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a committee of the Whole House at the next sitting.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 129) intituled : « An Act concerning the mines of this Province, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 124) intituled : « An Act to incorporate « the Colonial Gold Mining Company, »

The said message was read as follows :

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY,

Wednesday, 21st July 1880.

*Resolved*, That a Message be to the Honorable Legislative Council, to take back the Bill intituled : « An Act to incorporate the Colonial Gold Mining Company » as requested by their Honors by their Message of this day.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry this Message to the Legislative Council.

Attested,

L. DELORME,

C. L. A.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a committee of the Whole presently.

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Rémillard*, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with certain amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then twice read by the Clerk.  
And the House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*,  
The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 36) intituled : « An Act to amend and consolidate The Quebec Railway Act, 1869, and the acts amending 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. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the 41st 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 accordingly read a second time.

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House at the next sitting.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 61) intituled : « An Act to authorize « l'Union St. Joseph de Lévis, » to reduce and commute the amount of relief which it pays, » acquainting this House that the Legislative Assembly agree to their amendments without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 41) intituled : « An Act to amend « The Quebec License Law of 1878, » (41 Victoria, chapter 3) and its amendments, » acquainting this House that the Legislative Assembly agree to their amendments without any amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 29) intituled : « An Act to confirm the Act of the Dominion Parliament, 41 Vict., chap. 41, intituled : « An Act to incorporate « La Société de Construction du Comté d'Hochelega, » as a permanent building Society, and for other purposes, » and to declare valid the provisions of the said act, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 97) intituled : « An Act to divide the judicial district of Ottawa, into two judicial districts, and for other objects, »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Bryson*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then accordingly 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 94) intituled : « An Act to amend article 1188 of the Code of Civil Procedure of Lower Canada, »

The House adjourned during pleasure; and was put into committee of the Whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The Bill was then accordingly 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for the consideration of the report of the Committee on Private Bills on the Bill (No. 101) intituled : « An Act to amend and consolidate the Act of incorporation of the town of St-John's and the several acts amending the same, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said report be adopted.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be as amended read a third time presently.  
The Bill was read a third time as amended.

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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with certain amendments, to which they request the concurrence of the Legislative Assembly.

The Order of the Day was read for the second reading of the Bill (B) intituled: « An Act declaring that the Edict of Louis XV of the year 1743, enregistered at the Superior Council, is the law of this Province, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be continued until Thursday next.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*, the House adjourned to this evening, at seven thirty o'clock.

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## Thursday, 22nd July, 1880.

Evening sitting.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*LaBruère, de*  
*Lavolette,*

*Proulx,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Roy,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb,*  
*Wood.*

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of Bill (No. 158) intituled: « An Act granting to Her Majesty the moneys required for the expenses of the Government, for the financial year ended on the 30th June, 1880, and for the financial year ending on the 30th June, 1881, and for other purposes connected with the public service. »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 155) intituled : « An act to amend the Act 28 Victoria, chapter 68, of the Consolidated Statutes for Lower Canada, respecting Mutual Insurance Companies. »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Roy*, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and directed him to report the same without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The Bill was then accordingly 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (146) intituled : « An Act to amend the Acts respecting Colonization Societies. »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Gaudet*, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and directed him to report the same without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then accordingly 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 36) intituled : « An Act to amend and consolidate « The Quebec Railway Act, 1879, and the Acts amending the same. »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill and had directed him to report the same without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then accordingly 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 143) intituled : « An Act to detach a certain portion of the parish of St-Hypolite, township of Watton, in the county of Wolfe, and to annex the same to the parish of St-Camille, for electoral, municipal and school purposes, »

The House adjourned during pleasure and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr Wood, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and directed him to report the same without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Webb, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then accordingly 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 130) intituled : « An Act respecting the Lower Canada Consolidated Municipal Loan Fund, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ross, it was

*Ordered*, That the 41st 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 accordingly read a second time.

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 131) intituled : « An Act to establish a pension and benevolent fund in favor of officers of primary instruction, » 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, it was

*Ordered*, That the Forty-first Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ross, it was

*O de ed.* That the said Bill be now read a second time.

The said Bill was then accordingly read a second time.

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Ferrier, the House adjourned until to-morrow, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Friday, 23rd July, 1880.

Sitting at 3 o'clock P. M.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*Hearn,*  
*LaBruère, de*

*Lavolette,*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Roy,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb,*  
*Wood.*

The following petition was read and received :

Of the « Canada Gold Company limited », praying for amendments to the Bill, intituled: « An Act concerning the mines of this province, »

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 59) intituled : « An act to incorporate « *L'Union des Commis-Marchands de la cité de Montréal,* » 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 Hon. Mr. *Beaudry*, it was Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time.

The Bill was 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, from the select committee appointed to enquire into the facts and circumstances relative to the placing of Nut Locks on the Q. M. O. & O. Railway has the honor to present their third report.

Ordered, That the said report be received and it was then read by the Clerk, as follows, to wit :

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

23rd July, 1880.

The committee appointed to inquire into the facts and circumstances relative to the affixing of Nut Locks on the Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa and Occidental Railway, has the honor to report that the committee met in the committee Room No. 2, to examine Dr. J. M. MacKay, whom they had caused to be summoned for this object, but that the latter did not present himself to be examined.

The whole humbly submitted,

Signed,

J. L. BEAUDRY,  
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said report be adopted.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill (No. 64) intituled : « An Act to authorize the sale of certain immovable property substituted by the Will of the late Charles Smith, junior, and for other purposes, » be placed on the order of the day to be read a second time.

The Bill was read a second time presently.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the 58th Rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relate to this Bill.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 117) intituled : « An Act to allow the delay for the payment of the assessments to be imposed upon the parish of St-Henri des Tanneries, in relation to the construction of a church, parsonnage-house and dependencies to be enlarged to a period exceeding eight years, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Prudhomme*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 130) intituled : « An Act respecting the Lower Canada Consolidated Municipal Loan Fund, »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and directed him to report the same without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then accordingly 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 131) intituled : « An Act to establish a pension and benevolent fund in favor of officers of primary instruction, »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and directed him to report the same without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then accordingly 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of Bill (No. 129) intituled : « An Act concerning the mines of this Province, »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read a second time.

The Bill was read a second time.

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the whole House. at the next sitting.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 101) intituled : « An Act to amend and consolidate the Act to incorporate the town of St-John and the acts amending the same, » acquainting this House that the Legislative Assembly agree to their amendments without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (H) intituled : « An Act to amend article 1061 of the municipal code, » acquainting this House that the Legislative Assembly have passed this Bill with one amendment, to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said amendment was then twice read, and

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the House agreed to the same.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do go down to the Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council agree to their amendment to this Bill.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 125) intituled : « An act to provide better provisions for the recovery of debts, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 133) intituled : « An Act to further amend the law on Public Instruction in this province, concerning the Book Depository, » to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

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On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, 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 accordingly read a second time.

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a committee of the Whole at the next sitting.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 124) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the « Colonial Gold Mining Company, » acquainting this House that the Legislative Assembly agree to their amendments without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 22) intituled : « An Act to incorporate the St John Baptiste Society of the town of de Salaberry de Valleyfield, » acquainting this House that the Legislative Assembly agree to their amendments without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill (No. 122) intituled : « An Act to change the name of the « Collège de Monnoir « into that of « Petit Seminaire de Ste-Marie de Monnoir, » and for other purposes, » be placed on the orders of the day to be read a second time presently

The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was

*Ordered*, That the 58th rule of this House be dispensed with in so far as it relates to this Bill.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, 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. *Starnes*, the House adjourned this evening, at seven thirty o'clock.

Friday, 23rd July, 1880.

Sitting of 7.30 P. M.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*Hearn,*  
*LaBruère, de*

*Lavolette,*  
*Léry de*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Roy,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb,*  
*Wood.*

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented its ninth report.

*Ordered*, That it be received, and it was then read by the clerk as follows, to wit:

PRIVATE BILLS OFFICE,

This 23rd July, 1880.

The Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, has the honor to present its ninth report.

Your committee, after going through the following petition find that it is not of a nature to require the notice provided by the 49th rule.

Of the Honorable J. T. Taschereau and others, praying to be heard at the Bar of the Legislative Council, on the Bill concerning the mines of this Province.

Of the « Canada Gold Mining Company limited, praying that the Bill intituled : « Act concerning the mines of this Province be amended. »

(Signed,)

E. DIONNE,  
Chairman Com. P. B. C. L.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said report be adopted.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 64) intituled : « An Act to authorize the sale of certain immovable property substituted by the Will of the late Charles Smith, junior, and for other purposes, » reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and directed him to report the same to the House without any amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (No. 122) intituled : « An Act to change the name of the « College of Monnoir » to that of « Petit Seminaire de Ste-Marie de Monnoir, » 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. *de LaBruère*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills to whom was referred the Bill (No. 12) intituled : « An Act to authorize Dame Marie Anne Claire Symes, wife of Napoleon Hugues Charles Marie Ghislain Maret, Marquis de Bassano, institute under the will of her father, the late George Burns Symes, esquire, to change certain investments now made, » reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the House that the preamble has not been proved to the satisfaction of the committee.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Report be adopted.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 129) intituled : « An Act respecting Mines in this Province, »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Laviolette*, from the said committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with certain amendment which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then severally twice read by the Clerk.  
 And the House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, moved.  
 That the Bill now read for the third time.

The Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, moved in amendment.

That the said Bill be not read presently for the third time, but that it be referred anew to a Committee of the Whole House presently, with instructions to amend it, by adding the following section to the Bill, after the section 163 :

« Nothing in the said act shall apply nor affect in any manner any lands on which there exist vested rights, in favor of any person, society or company, by virtue of a valid title obtained before the passing of this act, until such act shall be declared null by a competent court of justice, and so long as such title shall not be declared null, no person, society or company shall have the right to mine for gold, silver, or other mineral, without having previously obtained the consent of the proprietor of such mineral rights. »

The question was put on the said amendment,

The House divided; and the names being called for, they were taken down as follows :

## CONTENTS :

The Honorable Messieurs,

*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Laviolette,*

*Proulx,*  
*Webb*  
 and *Woot.*—7.

## NON-CONTENTS :

The honorable Messieurs

*Ross,*  
*Archambeault,*  
*Dionne.*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Harn,*

*LaBruère, de*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Roy,*  
*Starnes, and*  
*Villeneuve de*—12.

The question was put on the motion in chief, it was resolved in the affirmative. and it was

*Ordered,* That the said Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was then accordingly 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with certain amendments, to which they request the concurrence of the Legislative Assembly.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 133) intituled : « An Act to further amend the laws of Public Instruction in this Province, relating to the Book Depository,»

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Webb*, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with certain amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then severally twice read by the Clerk.

And the House agreed to the same.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was

*Ordered,* That the said Bill as amended be read a third time presently.

The Bill was then accordingly 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with certain amendments, to which they request the concurrence of the Legislative Assembly.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 71) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act of this Province, 39 Victoria, chapter 33, intituled : « An Act to amend and consolidate the various acts respecting the Notarial Profession in this Province, » acquainting this House that the Legislative Assembly agree to their amendments without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 104) intituled : « An Act to amend the Act incorporating the Beet Sugar Company of the Province of Québec, to confirm by-law number fifty three, of the west portion of the township of Farnham, and to extend the delay mentioned in one of the clauses of the said by-law, acquainting this House that the Legislative Assembly agree to their amendments without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 150) intituled : « An Act to render the law respecting the cadastre more effective as regards registry offices and their inspection, » 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, it was *Ordered*, That the 41st 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 accordingly read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ross, it was *Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to the Committee of the Whole House presently.

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. Laviolette, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ross, it was *Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then accordingly 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 142) intituled : « An Act to amend the « Code of Civil Procedure of Lower Canada, » and certain acts amending the same, » to which they request the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ross, it was

*Ordered*, That the 41st 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.

The said Bill was then accordingly read a second time.

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the whole House to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 42) intituled : « An Act to amend « The Québec Electoral 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. 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 accordingly read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ross, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be referred to a committee of the Whole House for to-morrow.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ross, it was

*Ordered*, That when this House adjourns, it do stand adjourned until to-morrow, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Ferrier, the House adjourned until to-morrow at 11 o'clock A. M.

Saturday, 24th July, 1880.

Sitting 11 o'clock A. M.

The Honorable Legislative Councillors convened, were :

The Honorable *John Jones Ross*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Boueherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*  
*Ferrier,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*Hearn,*

*LaBrière de*  
*Laviolette,*  
*Proulx,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Roy,*  
*Starnes,*  
*Villemure, de*  
*Webb,*  
*Wood.*

The Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, from the committee appointed to examine and report on the contingent accounts of the Legislative Council, presents its fifth report.

*Ordered*, That it be received and it was then read by the clerk as follows, to wit :

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Committee room, No. 3,

24th July, 1880.

The select committee appointed to examine and report on the contingent accounts of the Legislative Council for this session, have the honor to present their fifth report.

Your committee recommend that the services of Mr. Desjardins, or of some other person, be retained to report the proceedings at the sittings of the House and to act as a sessional clerk.

Your committee also recommend that the services of Messrs. Duhamel and Gagnon, post master and assistant post-master, for the Legislative Council, be not required for the future, and that their salaries be discontinued in future.

The whole humbly submitted,

S. L. BEAUDRY,  
Chairman.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said report be adopted.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 73) intituled : « An act concerning the insane asylums subsidized by the government of the Province 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. Ross, it was  
*Ordered*, That the 41st 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.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ross, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time.  
The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendments.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 151) intituled : An Act respecting the division of the Department of Agriculture and Public Works, » 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, 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.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ross, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.  
The Bill was read a third time accordingly.  
The question was put, whether this Bill shall pass ? it was  
*Resolved* in the affirmative.  
*Ordered*, That the Clerk to go down to the Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 144) intituled : « An Act to amend and consolidate the game laws of this Province, » to which they desire the concurrence of this House.  
The said Bill was read for the first time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Starnes, 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 Bill be read a second time presently.  
The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Starnes, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill was 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly, by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 133) intituled : « An Act to further amend the laws of Public Instruction in this Province, relating to the Book Depository, » acquainting this House that the Legislative Assembly agree to their amendments without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by the Honorable Mr. Lynch and others.

The messenger withdrew.

Then the message was read as follows :

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Friday, 23rd July, 1880.

*Resolved*, That a conference with the Legislative Council is desirable in order to communicate the reasons which induced this House to decline concurrence in the amendments made by their Honors to Bill (No. 139) intituled « An Act to exempt from seizure one half of the wages of laborers.

*Ordered*, That the Honorable Messrs. Lynch, Paquet and Marchand, do proceed to the Legislative Council and request the said conference.

Attest,

L. DELORME,

C. L. A.

The messenger was recalled and informed that the Legislative Council would send an answer by a messenger of its own.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 64) intituled : « An Act to authorize the sale of certain immovable property substituted by the Will of the late Charles Smith, junior, and for other purposes. »

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Starnes, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Lavolette*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the Honorable Messrs. *Beaudry, de Boucherville* and *Starnes*, be the managers on the part of this House to meet the managers of the Legislative Assembly, in relation to the Bill (No. 139) in No. 3, Committee Room, of the Legislative Council; and that a message be sent by the Clerk of this House to the Legislative Assembly to inform that House of this resolution.

The Order of the Day was read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 122) intituled: « An Act to change the name of « Le Collège de Monnoir, » to that of « Le Petit Séminaire de Sainte Marie de Monnoir, » and for other purposes.»

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *de LaBruère*, it was

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendment.

The House then adjourned during pleasure.

Some time after the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *de Boucherville*, on the part of the managers appointed to meet the managers of the Legislative Assembly in relation to the Bill (No. 139) intituled: « An act to exempt from seizure, one half the wages of labourers, » reported.

The Honorable Mr. *Starnes*, moved.

That a message be sent to the Legislative Assembly, acquainting that House that the Legislative Council does not insist on its amendment to this Bill.

The question being put on the said motion, the House divided, and the names being called for, they were taken down as follows, to wit:

#### CONTENTS:

##### The Honorable Messieurs.

*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*LaBruère, de*

*Lavolette,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Starnes, and*  
*Wood.—9.*

#### NON CONTENTS:

##### The Honorable Messieurs.

*Ross,*  
*Archambeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Dostaler,*

*Proulx,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Roy,*  
*Villemure, de.—9*

So it was resolved in the negative.

Then the Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, moved.

That a message be sent to the Legislative Assembly acquainting that House the Legislative Council insists on its amendments on the said Bill.

The question was put on the said motion, the House divided, and the names being called for, they were taken down as follows, to wit :

CONTENTS :

The Honorable Messieurs,

*Ross,*  
*Archambeault,*  
*Beaudry,*  
*Dionne,*  
*Rostaler,*

*Proulx,*  
*Rémillard,*  
*Roy,*  
*Villemure* &c.—9

NON CONTENTS :

The Honorables Messieurs,

*Boucherville, de*  
*Bryson,*  
*Gaudet,*  
*Gingras,*  
*LaBruère, de*

*Lavolette,*  
*Prudhomme,*  
*Staines,*  
and *Wood*—9

So it was resolved in the negative.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 129) intituled : « An Act concerning mines in this Province, » acquainting this House, that the Legislative Assembly agree to their amendments without any amendment.

The Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, from the Committee appointed to examine and report on the contingent accounts of the Legislative Council for this session presented a report.

*Ordered*, That it be received, and it was then read by the Clerk as follows, to wit :

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL,

No. 3, Committee Room,

24th July, 1880.

The Committee appointed to examine and report on the contingent accounts of the Legislative Council, during the present session, has the honor to report.

That the Sub-Committee consisting of the Honorables Messrs. *Beaudry*, *Lavolette* and *Ferrier*, presented to your Committee on Contingent Accounts, the following report : « That the services of the officers whose names follow, to wit : P. Lègaré, Thos. Lloyd, I. A. Jodoin, N. Legendre, N. Faucher, L. E. Frenette and Thos. E. Roy, be not retained after the next session, but that they be retained during the sessions only, and that a salary equivalent to the one half of their respective salaries, together with a sum sufficient to pay their respective contributions to the pension fund, in proportion to their full salaries be accorded them.

That any of them who prefer to give up their situations, shall continue to receive monthly and for one year after the next session, the amount of their present salaries. »

The Honorable Mr. *Beaudry* moved,  
That the said report be adopted.

The Honorable Mr. *Archambeault* moved in amendment.  
That the said report be not adopted, but that it lie on the table until the next session.

FOR THE AMENDMENT.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Archambeault,*  
*Dionne,*  
*La Bruère de*

*Gaudet*  
*Pruithomme* and  
*Roy.*—6.

AGAINST THE AMENDMENT.

The Honorable Messieurs

*Ferrier,*  
*Wood,*

*Beaudry,*  
*Laviolette.*—4

So the Report lies on the table.

The whole humbly submitted,

J. L. BEAUDRY,  
Chairman

The Honorable Mr. *Beaudry*, moved.  
That the said Report be adopted.

The Honorable Mr. *Wood*, moved in amendment :  
That the following words be added to the Report, and form part thereof :

« That the services of the officers whose names follow, to wit : P. Lógaré, Thos. Lloyd, I. A. Jodoin, N. Legendre, N. Faucher, L. E. Frenette and T. E. Roy, be not retained after the next session, that they be retained only during the sessions, and that a sum equivalent to one half their respective salaries, together with a sufficient sum to pay their respective contributions to the pension fund, at the rate of the full salaries of the respective officers be accorded them.

« That those officers who prefer giving up their offices shall continue to receive monthly, and for one year after the next session the amount of their present pay. »

The question being put on the said amendment, it was resolved in the affirmative, and it was

*Ordered*, That the said report as amended be adopted.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 147) intituled : « An act concerning the permanent officers of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly of this Province, » 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*, it was

*Ordered*, That the 41st 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.

The Bill was read a second time.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time.

The Bill 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without amendments.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 142) intituled : « An Act to amend the Code of Civil Procedure of Lower Canada and certain acts amending the same,»

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and directed him to report the same without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then accordingly 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The Order of the Day was read for putting the House into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of Bill (No. 42) intituled : « An Act to further amend the « Quebec Election Act. »

The House adjourned during pleasure, and was put into Committee of the Whole.

After some time, the House was resumed.

The Honorable Mr. *Dostaler*, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and directed him to report the same without amendment.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was  
*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then accordingly 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 Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill without any amendment.

The House adjourned during pleasure.  
Some time after the House was resumed.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by their Clerk, with a Bill (No. 156) intituled: « An Act to change the chief place of the judicial district of Kamouraska, » 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*,

The forty-first Rule of this House was dispensed with in so far as it relates to the said Bill.

The Honorable Mr. *Dionne*, objected to dispensing with the said rule.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Ross*, it was

*Ordered*, That the said Bill be read for the second time at the next meeting of the House.

The House adjourned during pleasure.

At three o'clock in the afternoon, His Honor the Honorable THÉODORE ROBITAILLE, Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Quebec, being seated in the chair on the throne. The *Speaker* commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the Legislative Assembly, and acquaint that House « It is Honors pleasure they attend him immediately in the chamber of the Legislative Council » who being come with the *Speaker*.

The Clerk of the Crown in chancery read the titles of the Bills to be passed severally as follows:

An Act to protect pay bridges in this Province.

An Act to amend the act of the late Province of Canada, 29 Victoria, chapter 86, incorporating the Longueuil Navigation Company.

An Act to amend article 1061 of the Municipal Code.

An Act to amend and consolidate the different acts therein mentioned in reference to stamps.

An Act to provide for the better protection of hypothecary creditors and to give greater publicity to the seizure and sale of real estate.

An Act respecting public officers of the Province of Quebec.

An Act respecting companies incorporated under Imperial Statutes.

An Act respecting Coroners' Inquests.

An Act to further amend the Act respecting Judicial and other Deposits.

An Act to amend chapter 77 of the consolidated Statutes of Canada, intituled: « Act respecting land surveyors and the survey of lands. »

An Act to define the powers of the executors of the will of the late Robert Knox, esquire, as to property in this Province, and for other purposes.

An Act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Quebec to admit Louis H. Pignolet as an Attorney and Advocate.

An Act to declare and confirm the name of Joseph Eloi de Gagné, esquire, merchant, of the parish of Les Eboulements, and for the relief of his descendants.

An Act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Quebec, to admit Roch Pamphile Vallée amongst its members.

An Act to amend the acts respecting the Quebec and Lake Saint John Railway Company.

An Act to incorporate « The Montreal Investment Trust »

An Act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Quebec to admit Joseph Alphée Lemay, among its members.

An Act to enable « The Graphic Company » to reduce its Capital Stock, and for other purposes.

An Act to incorporate « La Société Saint-Jean-Baptiste de la ville Salaberry de Valleyfield. »

An Act to incorporate the Community of the Reverend Redemptorist Fathers at Sainte Anne de Beaupré.

An Act to incorporate « *Le Crédit Foncier Franco-Canadien.* »

An Act to incorporate « The Saint Lawrence River Tunnel Company. »

An Act to amend the Act incorporating « The Richelieu River Hydraulic and Manufacturing Company, » and the subsequent Act, 39 Victoria, chapter 59, extending the delay during which the said company should have commenced their works

An Act to amend the acts relating to the South Eastern Railway Company, and to authorise the said company to issue new mortgage bonds.

An Act to incorporate the Ristigouche Salmon Club.

An Act to confirm the Act of the Dominion Parliament, 41 Vict., chap. 41, intituled: « An Act to incorporate « La Société de Construction du comté d'Hochelaga, » as a permanent building Society, and for other purposes, » and to declare valid the provisions of the said Act.

An Act to incorporate « The Sherbrooke Gas and Water Company. »

An Act to incorporate « The International Mining Company. »

An Act to authorize the Bar of the Province of Quebec to admit Hormidas Jeannotte dit Lachapelle, as one of its members.

An Act to incorporate « The Jacques Cartier Union Railway Company. »

An Act to amend the Act of the Legislature of Quebec, 31 Vict., chap. 51), which amends the Act incorporating the « Saint Joseph's Union of Saint Jean d'Iberville. »

An Act to amend and consolidate « The Quebec Railway Act, 1869, » and the Acts amending the same.

An Act to provide for employing without the walls of common gaols, prisoners who are imprisoned therein.

An Act to amend the law respecting the constitution of the Superior Court.

An Act to authorize the consolidation of the general statutes of the Province of Quebec.

An Act respecting the terms of the Court of general Sessions of the Peace, in the district of Quebec and Montreal.

An Act to amend « The Quebec License Law of 1878, » (41 Vict. chap. 3,) and its amendments.

An Act to further amend the « Quebec Election Act. »

An Act to amend the Act of this Province 42-43 Victoria, chapter 46, intituled: « An Act to amend the Act to adjust the boundary lines and settle the titles in certain ranges of the township of Grenville. »

An Act to annex to the county of Maskinongé, for all purposes whatever, that portion of the parish of Saint Gabriel de Brandon, which has been annexed to the parish of Saint-Didace, in the diocese of Three Rivers.

An Act to amend the Acts respecting the Lake Champlain and Saint Lawrence Junction Railway Company, and to provide for the cancellation of the first issue of mortgage Bonds of the said company.

An Act to authorize the sale of an immovable property subject to substitution by the late James Connolly.

An Act to amend the Charter of the city of Montreal.

An Act to incorporate the South Shore Railway and Tunnel Company.

An Act to incorporate the Association of Accountants in Montreal.

An Act to incorporate the Quebec Racket Club.

An Act to define the powers of the heirs Quesnel, to dispose of certain real estate.

An Act to incorporate « The Lachine and Pointe Claire Loop Line Railway Company. »

An Act to incorporate « l'Union des Commis-Marchands de la cité de Montréal. »

An Act to render authentic a deed of sale, passed at Quebec, on the fifteenth day of September, eighteen hundred and fifty eight, from John Jones to John George Crebassa and Pierre Remi Chevalier, before John Simpson Hossack, notary.»

An Act to authorize « l'Union Saint Joseph de Lévis » to reduce and commute the amount of the relief which it pays. »

An Act to incorporate « The Huronian Mining and Smelting Company. »

An Act to incorporate « The Orford Chemical Company. »

An Act to authorize the sale of certain immovable property substituted by the will of the late Charles Smith, senior, and for other purposes.»

An Act to authorize the Bar of Lower Canada, (Province of Quebec), to admit George Arthur Hughes, as an attorney and advocate.

An Act to amend the Act intituled : « An Act to establish Mutual Assurance Company, 42 & 43 Vict., chap. 39. »

An Act to amend the Act of this Province, 42-43 Victoria, chapter 52, concerning the parish of Laprairie Turnpike Road Company.

An Act to amend the Act of this Province, 39 Vict., chap 12, respecting the Internal Economy of the Legislative Assembly, and for other purposes.

An Act to amend the Act of this Province, 39 Victoria, chapter 33, intituled : « An Act to amend and consolidate the various acts respecting the Notarial Profession in this Province. »

An Act respecting Lunatic Asylums subsidized by the Government of the Province of Quebec.

An Act to amend the law respecting the Court of Queen's Bench.

An Act to amend article 1188 of the Code of Civil Procedure of Lower Canada.

An Act to divide the judicial district of Ottawa, into two judicial districts, and for other purposes.

An Act to annex a portion of the parish of Saint Joseph de Chambly, in the county of Chambly, to the parish of Saint Luc, in the county of Saint John.

An Act to confer upon the Loan and Landed Credit Company, (*La Compagnie de Prêt et Crédit Foncier*), as incorporated, all the rights and privileges of Permanent Building Societies, in the Province of Quebec.

An Act to amend and consolidate the Act of incorporation of the town of Saint John's and the several acts amending the same.

An Act to incorporate the Association known as « The Quebec Garrison Club.»

An Act to amend the act incorporating the « Beet Sugar Company of the Province of Quebec. » to confirm by-law No. 53, of the west portion of the township of Farnham, and to extend the delay mentioned in one of the clauses of the said by-law.

An Act to amend the act of incorporation of the Art Association of Montreal.

An Act to incorporate the association of Priests, known as « The Redemptorist Fathers of the Province of Quebec. »

An Act to confirm the Act of the Dominion Parliament, 40 Victoria, chapter 81, intituled: « An Act to incorporate « *La Société de Construction St. Jacques*, » as a permanent building society, and for other purposes, and to declare valid the provisions of the said Act, making certain charges therein and giving effect thereto.

An Act to incorporate « *La Société St-Jean Baptiste de Lachine*. »

An Act to incorporate « *The Graduates Society of McGill University*. »

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An Act to amend the Act passed in the thirty sixth year of Her Majesty's reign and intituled: « An Act to incorporate the Saint Bridget's Total Abstinence and Benefit Society. »

An Act to allow the delay for the payment of the assessments to be imposed upon the parish of Saint Henri des Tanneries, in relation to the construction of a church, parsonage-house and dependencies, to be enlarged to a period exceeding eight years.

An Act to authorize « *Les Clercs Paroissiaux ou Catéchistes de Saint Viateur*, » at Joliette, to hypothecate certain immovables.

An Act to incorporate the community of religious ladies known as « *Les Sœurs des Petites Ecoles de Rimouski*. »

An Act to change the name of « *Le Collège de Monnoir*, » to that of « *Le Petit Séminaire de Sainte Marie de Monnoir*, » and for other purposes.

An Act to amend the statute of the Province of Canada, 25 Victoria, chapter 53, intituled: An Act to incorporate the Presbyterian College of Montreal.

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An Act to amend the Act 28 Victoria, chapter 13, amending chapter 68 of the consolidated statutes for Lower Canada, respecting Mutual Insurance Companies.

An Act to declare and confirm the name of Louis Philippe Pelletier, esquire, of the city of Quebec, advocate.

To these Bills the Royal assent was pronounced by the Clerk of this House in the following words :

In Her Majesty's name His Honor the Lieutenant Governor assents to these Bills.

Then, the Honorable the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly addressed His Honor the Lieutenant Governor, and presented for His Honor's acceptance a Bill intituled :

An Act granting to Her Majesty the moneys required for the expenses of the Government, for the financial year, ended on the 30th June, 1880, and for the financial year ending on the 30th June, 1881, and for other purposes connected with the public service.

To this Bill the royal assent was signified in the following words :

In Her Majesty's name, the Lieutenant Governor thanks her loyal subjects, accepts their benevolence and assents to this Bill.

After which His Honor the Lieutenant Governor was pleased to close the third session of the fourth Parliament of the Province of Quebec, with the following speech :

*Honorable Gentleman of the Legislative Council ;  
Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly.*

In dispensing at present with the further continuation of your Parliamentary labors, I wish to thank you for the diligence which you have shown in the execution of your public duties.

The measures, which I submitted to your consideration, were numerous and important and required a great amount of work on your part.

You have fulfilled your task with a devotion which deserves public acknowledgement, and I am confident that the country will have only to rejoice at the result of your deliberations.

I heartily congratulate you on the unanimity of your deliberations upon the important question of the settlement of the municipal loan, and the spirit of conciliation which distinguished your discussions upon all matter of public interest

*Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly,*

In the name of Her Majesty, I thank you for the supplies that you have generously voted for the various branches of the public service.

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*Honorable Gentlemen of the Legislative Council,*  
*Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly ;*

As you are about to separate to return to your homes, I sincerely wish you all happiness and pray to God to grant his protection to your families and to all the inhabitants of our faithful and loyal Province.

Then the Honorable Speaker of this House said :

*Honorable Gentlemen of the Legislative Council,*  
*Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly ;*

It is His Honor the Lieutenant Governors' will and pleasure that this provincial parliament be prorogued until Tuesday, the seventh day of September next, to be here held, and the provincial parliament is accordingly prorogued until Tuesday, the seventh day of September next (1880).

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- Bill No. 67.—Intituled : « An Act to amend the Act intituled : « An Act to establish Mutual Assurance Companies, (42-43 Vict., Chap. 39) » : Brought up and read 60, Read 2nd time and ordered to be committed, 65. Committed, reported with one amendment, 70. Amendment agreed to, read 3rd time, 75. Passed, as amended, 75, and sent to Leg. Ass. for concurrence, concurred in by Leg. Ass. 82. R. A., 180.
- Bill No. 68.—Intituled : « A Bill to amend the act of this Province, 42-43 Vict., chap. 52, concerning the Macadamizing road company of the parish of Laprairie » : Brought up and read, 31. Order for 2nd reading discharged, and clerk ordered to produce Bill 56 of last session, 42. Speaker presented Bill 56, of last session, and referred to special committee, 44. Reported without amendment, 74. Committed, 84. Reported without amendment. report adopted, 84. Read 2nd time, 85. Read 3rd time passed, and Leg. Ass. acquainted thereof, 90. R. A., 180.

- Bill No. 70.—Intituled : « An Act to amend the Act of this Province 39 Vict., chap. 12, respecting the Internal Economy of the Legislative Assembly and for other purposes » : Brought up and read, 93. Read 2nd time and committed, 97. House in Committee, 106. Reported without amendment, read 3rd time, passed, and Leg. Ass. acquainted thereof. R. A., 180.
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- Bill No. 73.—Intituled : « An act concerning for Lunatic asylums subsidized by the government of the Province of Quebec » : Brought up and read, 172. Rule 41 suspended and read 2nd time. Committed. Reported without amendments. Read 3rd time passed, and Leg. Ass. acquainted thereof, 172. R. A., 180.
- Bill No. 78.—Intituled : « An Act to amend the law respecting the Court of Queen's Bench » : Brought up and read, 96. Read 2nd time and ordered to be committed, 107. House in committee on Bill, reported without amendment, read 3rd time, passed and Leg. Ass. acquainted thereof, 121. R. A., 180.
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- Bill No. 97.—Intituled : « An Act to divide the judicial district of Ottawa into two judicial districts and for other purposes » : Brought up and read, 139. Ordered that Bill be read 2nd time, 139. Read 2nd time, 150. Committed, reported without amendments, 158. Read 3rd time, passed, 158. Leg. Ass. acquainted thereof, 158. R. A., 180.
- Bill No. 98.—Intituled : « An Act to annex a portion of the parish of St-Joseph de Chambly, in the county of Chambly, to the parish of St-Luc, in the county of Saint John » Brought up and read, 75. Read 2nd time and referred, 81. Reported without amendments, read 3rd time, passed, and Leg. Ass. acquainted thereof, 89. R. A., 180.
- Bill No. 100.—Intituled : « An Act to confer upon the Loan and Landed Credit Company, all the rights and privileges of Permanent Building Societies in the Province of Quebec » : Brought up and read, 96. Read 2nd time and referred, 108. Reported without amendment, 119. Ordered to be read a 3rd time 119. Moved in amendment that Bill be not read a 3rd time, but that it be committed presently, with instructions to make certain amendments, which was carried : House in committee, 129. Bill reported with amendments, 129. Amendments

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- Bill No. 105.—Intituled : « An act to amend the act of incorporation of the Art Association of Montreal » : Brought up and read, 75. Read 2nd time and referred, 81. Reported without amendments, read 3rd time passed, and Leg. Ass. acquainted thereof, 88. R. A. 180.
- Bill No. 106.—Intituled : « An Act to incorporate the religious community known as the Redemptorist Fathers, of the Province of Quebec » : Brought up and read, 93. Read second time and referred, 98. Reported without amendment, 110. Read 3rd time, passed, and Leg. Ass. acquainted thereof, 122. R. A., 180.
- Bill No. 107.—Intituled : « An Act to confirm the Act of the Dominion Parliament 40 Vict., chap. 81, intituled : « An Act to incorporate *la Société de Construction St-Jacques*, as a Permanent Building Society, and for other purposes, » and to declare valid the provisions of the said act making certain changes therein and giving effect thereto » : Brought up and read, 126. Read 2nd time, 132. Referred 132. Reported without amendments, 144. Read 3rd time, passed, Leg. Ass. acquainted thereof, 145. R. A., 181.
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- Bill No. 112.—Intituled : An Act to incorporate the institution called : « *Asile des Servantes Catholiques de Mont-éal* » : Brought up and read, 139. Rules 41 and 58 suspended and read 2nd time, 139. Referred 139. Reported without amendments, read 3rd time, 146. Passed and Leg. Ass. acquainted thereof, 146. R. A., 181.
- Bill No. 113.—Intituled : « An Act to grant certain powers to the testamentary executors of the late Alexander Maurice de Lisle » : Brought up and read, 96. Read second time, and referred, 108. Reported with one amendment, 119. Report received and amendment read and agreed to, 119. Read 3rd time, and passed as amended, 130. Sent down to Leg. Ass. for concurrence, 130. Leg. Ass. concur in amendments, 140. R. A., 181.
- Bill No. 114.—Intituled : « An Act to amend the act of incorporation of the town of Iberville, (22 Vict., chap. 64, 1859) » : Brought up and read, 75. Read 2nd time and referred, 82. Reported with amendments, 89. Report ordered to be taken into consideration next sitting, 89. Order discharged and Bill referred back 97. Amendments reported, read and agreed to, 110. Read 3rd time, passed as amended, 122. Sent down to Leg. Ass. for concurrence, 122. Leg. Ass. concur in amendments, 140. R. A., 181.
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- Bill No. 117.—Intituled : « An Act to facilitate the payment of the sum to be levied upon the Catholic freeholders of the parish of St-Henri des Tanneries, for the construction of a church, parsonage-house and dependencies » : Brought up and read, 139. Read 2nd time, 149. Rule 58 suspended, referred, 150. Reported without amendment, 153. Read 3rd time, 163. Passed without amendment, 163. Leg. Ass. acquainted thereof, 163. R. A., 181.
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- Bill No. 131.—Intituled : « An Act to establish a pension and benevolent fund in favor of officers of primary instruction » : Brought up and read, 161. Rule 41st suspended and read 2nd time, 161. Committed, 164. Reported without amendment, 164. Read 3rd time and passed without amendment, Leg. Ass. acquainted thereof, 167. R. A., 181.
- Bill No. 132.—Intituled : « An Act to amend article 556 of the code of civil procedure » : Brought up and read, 105. Read 2nd time, motion in amendment that Bill be read in three months, carried, 115.
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- Bill No. 143.—Intituled : « An Act to detach a certain portion of the parish of Saint-Hypolite, township of Watton, in the county of Wolfe, and to annex the same to the parish of St-Camille, for electoral, municipal and school purposes, » : Brought up and read, 156. Rule 41st suspended and Bill read 2nd time, 156. Committed, 161. Reported without amendments, 161, and Leg. R. A., 181. Ass. acquainted thereof, 161. R. A., 181.
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- Bill No. 146.—Intituled : « An Act to amend the acts respecting Colonization Societies » : Brought up and read 155. Rule 41 suspended and Bill read 2nd time, 156. Committed, 160. Reported without amendments, 160. Read 3rd time and passed, 160. Leg. Ass. acquainted thereof, 160. R. A., 180.
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“ Motion that petitioners be heard at the bar of the House, when the Bill (No. 129) is read for the second time.

“ Motion in amendment that Petitioners be heard before Select Committee of all the members of the House in this chamber on the following morning at 11 o'clock. Amendment adopted, 153.

**V**ILMURE DE, the Honorable Jean Baptiste Lefebvre, presented himself at the bar of the Houses placed in the hands of the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod a commission under the great seal summoning him to the Legislative Council, 13.

The Honorable Gentleman accompanied by the Honorables Messieurs *de Boucherville* and *Laviolette* advanced to the table and his commission was read by the clerk

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