

*Return to Address*,—Correspondence between the Government of *Canada* and the Government of *Quebec* relative to the transfer of certain properties at *Chambly, St. John's*, or elsewhere, for the establishment of the Lunatic Asylum.

*Return to Address*,—Shewing the number of inhabitants and the amount of imports of the Harbor of *Ingonish South, Cape Breton*, for the past year.

*Return to Address*,—Account of the expenditure and all correspondence, etc., relating to the expenditure for the improvement of the Harbor of *Ingonish South, Cape Breton*.

*Return to Address*,—Correspondence relative to the transfer of *Portage Island* at the entrance of *Miramichi Bay* to the Government of *Canada*.

*Return to Address*,—Giving copy of the advertisement for a winter steamer to *Prince Edward Island*, and a copy of all tenders received for such service.

*Return to Address*,—Correspondence between the Government and the Engineers in charge of the *Welland Canal* during the last two years as to damages sustained by land owners, &c., along the *Grand River, &c.*

*Return to Address*,—Shewing the dates of sailing and arrival of the *Allan* steamships, carrying the English mails to and from Europe.

*Return to Address*,—Correspondence relating to the sum voted in the first Session of 1873, to meet the costs of an appeal to Her Majesty's Privy Council, as to the constitutionality of the Common School Law of *New Brunswick*.

On motion of Mr. *Scatcherd*, seconded by Mr. *Mills*.

*Resolved*, That a Message be sent to the Senate requesting their Honors will give leave to the Honorable *A. W. McLelan*, one of their Members, to attend and give evidence before the Select Standing Committee of this House on Public Accounts.

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

*Ordered*, That the Honorable Mr. *Dorion* have leave to bring in a Bill for avoiding doubts as to the application of the Act 32-33 *Victoria*, Chapter 35, to the District of *Algoma*.

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

*Ordered*, That the Honorable Mr. *Dorion* have leave to bring in a Bill to extend certain Acts relating to the prompt administration of Justice in Criminal matters to the Province of *Manitoba*.

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

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Dorion*, seconded by the Honorable Mr. *Mackenzie*,

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting the Salaries of the Commissioners and other Officers of the Police Force in the *North West Territories*.

The Order of the Day being read, for the third reading of the Bill to amend the Act 31 *Vic.*, Cap. 44, and the Acts amending the same and the Tariff of Duties and Customs annexed thereto ;

The Honorable Mr. *Cartwright* moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. *Coffin*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time ;

Mr. *De St. Georges* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Riquet*, That all the words after "now" to the end of the Question, be left out, and the words "recommitted to a Committee of the whole House, with instructions to amend the same by striking out the seventh paragraph of the twelfth clause, referring to Tobacco grown in *Canada*" inserted instead thereof ;

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