The amendment was then read, as followeth :--

Page 1, line 19.—Leave out from "discharged" to "void" in page 2, line 9.

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

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

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill, with the amendment, do pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honors, That this House hath passed the same with an amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill for granting to Her Majesty certain sums of money required for defraying certain expenses of the Public Service, for the financial years ending respectively the 30th June, 1873, and the 30th June, 1874, and for other purposes relating to the Public Service ;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time.

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

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate by their Clerk, as followeth :---

The Senate have agreed to the amendment made by this House to the Bill, intituled : "An Act further to amend the Law respecting certain matters of procedure in criminal "cases," without any amendment.

And also, the Senate have passed the Bill, intituled : "An Act for granting to Her "Majesty certain sums of money required for defraying certain expenses of the Public "Service for the financial years ending respectively the 30th June, 1873, and the 30th "June, 1874, and for other purposes relating to the Public Service."

A Message, from His Excellency the Governor General by *René Kimber*, Esquire, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod :---

MR. SPEAKER,-

His Excellency the Governor General desires the immediate attendance of this Honorable House in the Senate Chamber.

Accordingly, Mr. Speaker, with the House, went to the Senate Chamber.

And being returned;

Mr. Speaker reported, That agreeably to the commands of His Excellency the Governor General, the House had attended upon His Excellency in the Senate Chamber, where His Excellency was pleased to give, in Her Majesty's name, the Royal assent to the following Public and Private Bills :---

An Act to provide for keeping order on board Passeager Steamers.

An Act to amend the Civil Service Superannuation Act.

An Act to amend the Erie and Niagara Railway Company Act of 1863.

An Act to incorporate the Citizen Printing and Publishing Company (Limited).

An Act to incorporate the North Star Silver Mining Company.

An Act to amend The Patent Act of 1872.

An Act to incorporate the *Canada* and *Detroit* River Bridge Company.

An Act further to amend the Act relating to Banks and Banking.

An Act to incorporate La Banque de St. Hyacinthe.

An Act to incorporate the Victoria Bank of Canada.

An Act to incorporate the Stadacona Bank.

An Act to incorporate the Imperial Bank.

An Act to incorporate the Dominion Board of Trade.

An Act respecting the Trinity House and Harbor Commissioners of Montreal. 55