

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Forbes* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the Bank of *Acadia*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

*Ordered*, That Mr. *Young* have leave to bring in a Bill to legalize an agreement between the *Grand Trunk* Railway Company and the Town of *Galt*, and for other purposes.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The Honorable Mr. *Langevin*, a Member of the Honorable the Privy Council, laid before the House,—The First Progress Report on the *Canadian Pacific* Railway, by *Sandford Fleming*, Esquire, Engineer-in-Chief. (*Sessional Papers No. 33.*)

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

The Senate have passed the Bill, intituled: "An Act for the avoidance of doubts respecting Larceny of Stamps," with several amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act for the avoidance of doubts respecting Larceny of Stamps," and the same were read, as follow:—

Line 7. After the first "every" insert "Postal card."

Line 12. After the first "or" insert "of any person or Corporation or"

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

*Ordered*, That the Honorable Mr. *Pope* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Immigration Act of 1869.

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

The Honorable Sir *John A. Macdonald* moved, seconded by the Honorable Sir *George E. Cartier*, That leave be given to bring in a Bill to carry into effect the provisions of the Treaty between the *United States* and *Great Britain*, signed in the City of *Washington*, the 8th of May, 1871;

The Honorable Sir *John A. Macdonald*, a Member of the Honorable the Privy Council, then acquainted the House, That His Excellency the Governor General having been informed of the subject matter of the said Bill, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

The Honorable Sir *John A. Macdonald* then brought in a Bill to carry into effect the provisions of the Treaty between the *United States* and *Great Britain*, signed in the City of *Washington*, the 8th of May, 1871, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time, on Tuesday next.

Mr. Speaker laid before the House,—List of Shareholders of the Merchants Bank of *Halifax*, on the 25th April, 1872, in conformity with the Act 34 Vic., Cap. 5, Sec. 12. (*Sessional Papers No. 13.*)

And then The House adjourned till Monday next.