

A Message was received from the Senate, agreeing to the following Bills, *without amendment, viz* :—

Bill No. 99 respecting the Reformatory for Juvenile Offenders in *Prince Edward Island*.

Bill No. 106 respecting the Harbor of *Pictou*, in *Nova Scotia*.

Bill No. 117 to repeal the Act 42 *Victoria*, Chapter 5, for granting an annual subsidy towards certain telegraphic communication.

Bill No. 109 to authorize the raising of a further sum to enable the *Quebec Harbor Commissioners* to complete their *Tidal Dock*.

Bill No. 110 to enable the *Harbor Commissioners* of *Montreal*, to pay a life annuity to the widow of the *late Hon. John Young*.

Bill No. 108 for extending the Consolidated Act of 1879, respecting duties imposed on Promissory Notes and Bills of Exchange, to the whole Dominion.

Bill No. 102 to amend the Act 42 *Victoria*, Chapter 15, intituled : "An Act to alter Duties of Customs and Excise."

Bill No. 88 for the appointment of a Resident Representative Agent for *Canada* in the *United Kingdom*;—and

Bill No. 71 to incorporate the Pontiac Pacific Junction Railway Company.

Also,—agreeing to the Bill No. 32 respecting "The Montreal Assurance Company," with one amendment.—(On motion of Mr. *White* (Cardwell), the said amendment was taken into consideration, and concurred in.)

Mr. *Pope* (P.E.I.) moved, that the amendments made by the Senate to the Bill No. 107 to amend the law respecting the removal of obstructions in navigable waters, by wrecks, be now read a second time, and concurred in.

Mr. *Angers* moved in amendment thereto, that the said amendments be not now concurred in, as it is inexpedient to consider them at this late period of the Session; which was negatived *on a division*.

The amendments to the said Bill, were then read a second time, and concurred in.

The Bill No. 115 to amend "An Act relating to Banks and Banking," and to continue for a limited time the Charter of certain Banks to which the said Act applies, was again considered in Committee of the Whole, amended, and reported.

And the question being put, that the Bill, as amended, be now taken into consideration.

On motion of Mr. *Kirkpatrick*, the Bill was re-committed to a Committee of the Whole, further amended, reported, the amendments concurred in, and the Bill read a third time, and passed.

Mr. *Stephenson* moved, that the thirteenth Report of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the *Printing* of Parliament, be now concurred in.

Mr. *Patterson* (Essex) moved in amendment thereto, that it be *Resolved*, That in the opinion of this House the Government should take the necessary steps to cancel the contract awarded to Messrs. *MacLean, Roger & Co.*, for the Printing of Parliament from the 1st January, 1880; and that the said contract be offered to *Patrick Boyle* of Toronto, whose tender appears from all the evidence to be the only legiti-