

said *Port Whilby* Road and Harbor Company, in relation to the said works, and the settlement of the claims of the Government against such Company. (*Sessional Papers No. 32.*)

The Clerk of the Legislative Council delivered, at the Bar of the House, the following Message:—

The Legislative Council have passed the following Bills, to which they desire the concurrence of this House, Bill, intituled, "An Act to amend the Act to incorporate the "Education Society of the District of *Quebec*."

Bill, intituled, "An Act to provide for the punishment of persons repeatedly convicted of minor offences.

Bill, intituled, "An Act respecting Local Municipalities in *Lower Canada*, situated "partly in the Seigniories and partly in the Townships."

And then he withdrew.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Solicitor General *Langevin*, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Attorney General *Cartier*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Legislative Council, intituled, "An Act to amend "the Act to incorporate the Education Society of the District of *Quebec*," be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time, to-morrow.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Solicitor General *Langevin*, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Attorney General *Cartier*,

*Ordered*, That the Bill from the Legislative Council, intituled, "An Act respecting Local Municipalities in *Lower Canada*, situated partly in the Seigniories and partly in the Township," be now read the first time.

The Bill was accordingly read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time, to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read, for resuming the adjourned debate upon the Question which was, on Friday, the 3rd February last, proposed, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying that She may be graciously pleased to cause a measure to be submitted to the Imperial Parliament, for the purpose of uniting the Colonies of *Canada, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Newfoundland* and *Prince Edward Island* in one Government, with provisions based on certain Resolutions which were adopted at a Conference of Delegates from the said Colonies, held at the City of *Quebec*, on the 10th October, 1864.

[Which Resolutions appear in full on the Journals of Friday, 3rd February last.]

And the Question being again proposed;

The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

Mr. Speaker, under the provisions of chapter four of the Consolidated Statutes of *Canada*, called upon Mr. *Street*, Member for the County of *Welland*, to take the Chair during his temporary absence.

Mr. *Street* accordingly took the Chair of the House.

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

And the House having continued to sit until after Twelve of the clock, on Tuesday morning;

*Tuesday, 7th March, 1865.*

Mr. *Parker* moved, seconded by Mr. *Haultain*, and the Question being proposed, That the Debate be adjourned.

The Honorable Mr. Attorney General *Cartier* moved in amendment to the Question, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Solicitor General *Langevin*, That the words "and be taken "up as the First Order of the Day at the next sitting of the House this day, after Routine "business," be added at the end thereof;

And the Question being put, That these words be there added; the House divided:— and it was resolved in the Affirmative.