

And also,—Return to an Order of The House of the 7th instant; for copies of all Correspondence relating to the claim of *Théotime Blanchard*, late Inspector of Weights and Measures for the Counties of Gloucester and Restigouche, N.B., for the payment to him of the portion of his salary withheld as his contribution to the Superannuation Fund.

Mr. *Pope* (P.E.I.) laid before The House,—The Thirteenth Annual Report of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, being for the fiscal year ended, 30th June, 1880.

The following Bills were severally introduced, read the first time, and ordered for a second reading, on *Monday next*, viz :—

By Mr. *Casgrain* :—Bill No. 70 to amend “The Consolidated Railway Act, 1879.”

By Mr. *Brecken* :—Bill No. 71 to provide for empowering Loan Companies to carry on business throughout Canada.

The House resumed the adjourned Debate on Sir *Leonard Tilley's* proposed motion, that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, for The House to go into Committee on *Ways and Means*.

And the question being put,—it was agreed to.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee.

At 6 o'clock P.M., Mr. Speaker took the Chair, and left it, to resume the same at half past 7 o'clock P.M.

7.30 P.M.

(*The Order for Private Bills was called under Rule 19.*)

A Message was received from the Senate with the following Bill No. 72 of their own, intituled: “An Act to incorporate the European, American, and Canadian Cable Company (Limited),” to which the concurrence of this House was desired. On motion of Mr. *Currier*, the said Bill was read the first time, and ordered for a second reading, on *Monday next*.

The following Bills were severally read a third time, and passed, viz :—

Bill No. 7 to incorporate “The Wrecking and Salvage Company of Canada.”

Bill No. 34 to incorporate the Dominion Salvage and Wrecking Company (Limited).

Bill No. 15 to incorporate the Metropolitan Fire Insurance Company of Canada.

The following Bills were severally considered in Committee of the Whole, reported, read a third time, and passed, viz :—

Bill No. 54 to amend the Act of incorporation of the Accident Insurance Company of Canada, and to authorize the change of the name of the said Company to “The Accident Insurance Company of North-America.”

Bill No. 35 to incorporate “The Silver Plume Mining Company.”

Bill No. 44 to incorporate the Association known as “*J. Winslow Jones and Company, Limited.*”

Bill No. 48 respecting the Canada Consolidated Gold Mining Company; and

Bill No. 60 to incorporate the Don River Improvement Company.