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British North America Act, as "Incorporation of Companies with Provincial objects," which are by that section placed under the control of the Local Legislature; Concurred in, 52, 177.

- 3. Report from the Committee on Banking and Commerce, soliciting instructions in reference to the Bill relating to the Civil Service Building Society, as to whether the objects of the bill are not Provincial, and such as the Local Legislature is exclusively empowered to deal with, 60. (No Instruction having been given, the bill was not proceeded with.)
- 4. Report from same committee; submitting the Stratford Board of Trade Bill, and the Canada Live Stock Insurance Co. Bill, with amendments, and referring to doubts expressed by some Members, whether these bills do not come within the jurisdiction of the Legislature of Ontario, 357. (The last mentioned bill was not proceeded with.)
- 5. Objection taken to the Bill respecting Insurance Companies, that it relates to Trade, and should have originated in committee; and that unless so treated, it is (by the terms of the British North America Act) beyond the jurisdiction of this House. Objection over-ruled, on the first point, but no reference made to the second, 161. (The Bill, or one of a similar nature, was subsequently proceeded with.) See Insurance Companies, 1-3.
- 6. Motion, in amendment to the question for the third reading of the Bill to establish a Department of Agriculture,—that it is inexpedient to establish the same, as it is the evident intention of the British North America Act to place matters relating to Agriculture under the control of the Local Governments, and the few duties relating to Agriculture that can fairly belong to such Department can be less expensively performed by some other Department, Negatived, 365.
- 7. Motion, in amendment to the question for the third reading of the Bill imposing tonnage duties for the maintenance of a Harbour Police, &c.,—that the establishment of the Police Force mentioned in the said bill is beyond the competence of the Legislature of Canada, and if within its competence, would be inexpedient, Negatived, 417.—A similar motion in amendment to the Bill respecting the Police of Canada, Negatived, 420.
- 8. Motion, in amendment to the question for the second reading of the Bill respecting Insurance Companies,—that the regulation of Insurance Companies is a subject properly within the jurisdiction of the Provincial Legislatures, Negatived, 426.

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