

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee. The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Forbes* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same, without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read the third time To-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend section sixty-eight of "The Penitentiary Act of 1875";

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Guthrie* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same, without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being read, for taking into consideration the Bill further securing the Independence of Parliament, as amended in the Committee of the whole House;

*Ordered*, That the said Order be discharged.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now re-committed to a Committee of the whole House, with an instruction that they have power to amend the same by substituting the following for the first sub-section of the first section thereof:

"No person accepting or holding any office, commission or employment, permanent or temporary, in the service of the Government of *Canada*, at the nomination of the Crown, or at the nomination of any of the officers of the Government of *Canada*, to which any salary, fee, wages, allowance or emolument, or profit of any kind is attached."

"No persons entitled to any superannuation or retiring allowance from the Government of *Canada*."

"No Sheriff, Registrar of Deeds, Clerk of the Peace, or County Crown Attorney in any of the Provinces of *Canada*, shall be eligible as a Member of the House of Commons, nor shall he sit or vote therein."

The House accordingly again resolved itself into the said Committee, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Guthrie* reported, That the Committee had made further amendments to the Bill.

*Ordered*, That the Bill, as amended, be now taken into consideration.

The amendments made to the Bill were then twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read the third time To-morrow.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Bill to amend "The Canadian *Pacific* Railway Act of 1874," as amended in the Committee of the whole House, and the amendments were twice read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.