

ployed entirely in the discharge of duties connected with the ports of Montreal and Quebec, but that that was their normal duty. They are occasionally employed elsewhere, and to that extent—if we only could arrive at what that extent was—some other income should be devoted to them; but it would be very difficult to arrive at that amount.

The motion was agreed to and the bill read the second time.

CONSOLIDATED INSURANCE LOANS AMENDMENT BILL.

SECOND READING.

HON. MR. BELLEROSE moved the second reading of Bill (H), "An Act to amend the Consolidated Insurance Act of 1877." He said that this bill having been introduced last session, and having passed this House, it was useless for him to make any further reference to it. He simply moved the second reading.

The motion was agreed to, and the bill was read the second time.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE IN DISPUTED TERRITORIES BILL.

IN COMMITTEE.

The House went into Committee of the Whole on Bill (F), "An Act further to continue in force for a limited time the Act, 43 Victoria, cap 36."

In the Committee,

HON. SIR ALEX. CAMPBELL moved the adoption of the first clause.

HON. MR. POWER called attention to what he thought was a matter of some little importance, and which would involve some slight amendment to the bill. The Act passed in 1880 was before the extension of the boundaries of Manitoba, and at that time the only question was whether this disputed territory belonged to the Province of Ontario, or to the District of Keewatin; and the language of the Act which it was now proposed to continue was such that it did not apply to the existing state of affairs. At the present time the disputed territory might be in the Province of Manitoba or the District of Keewatin or the Province

of Ontario, and he thought it would be necessary to amend the second section. He therefore proposed the following amendment:—

"That the Bill be amended by inserting after the word 'Canada' in the first section the words following: 'is hereby amended' by inserting after the name 'Ontario,' in the third line of the second section thereof, the words 'or in Manitoba,' and by inserting after the name 'Ontario,' in the sixth line of the said section, the words 'or in an undisputed part of Manitoba and as so amended shall.'"

HON. SIR ALEX. CAMPBELL said it seemed to him at first blush that there was something in the objection which the hon. gentleman had taken, and he would prefer to give it further consideration. He was disposed to think that the amendment was necessary, and he therefore moved that the committee rise and report progress and ask leave to sit again.

HON. MR. FERRIER from the committee reported that they had made some progress, and asked leave to sit again to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned at 5.50 p.m.

THE SENATE.

Ottawa, Thursday, March 2nd, 1882.

The SPEAKER took the Chair at Three p.m.

Prayers and routine proceedings.

FREDERICK DUNBAR, SCULPTOR.

MOTION.

HON. MR. ALEXANDER moved:—

"That this House desires to recommend to the favorable consideration of the Government, the merits of Frederick Dunbar, a native-born Canadian, whose skill as a sculptor has been eminently exemplified in the execution of various busts of the Right Honorable Sir John A. Macdonald, and of other men of distinction in this Dominion and in the United States; and to express the satisfaction with which this House would entertain a proposal to encourage this distinguished native artist, by ordering the execution of marble busts of their Excellencies the Governor General and H. R. H. the Princess Louise, to be deposited in the Library of Parliament."