

Mr. *Bodwell* moved, seconded by Mr. *Oliver*, And the Question was proposed, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying His Excellency to cause to be laid before this House, Copies of all correspondence between the Government of the Dominion and the Imperial Government, or the Governments of *Newfoundland* and *Prince Edward Island*, in reference to the union of those Provinces with the Dominion, which may have taken place since last Returns:—And the said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Mr. *Oliver* moved, seconded by Mr. *Bodwell*, and the Question was proposed, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying His Excellency to cause to be laid before this House, Copies of all correspondence to and from the Militia Department, relative to charges made against Col. *Skinner*, while acting as Captain of the *Wimbledon* team:—And the said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

On motion of Mr. *Burpee*, seconded by Mr. *Pickard*,
Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying His Excellency to cause to be laid before this House, Copies of all Reports made by Mr. *Perley*, C. E., on the most practicable and effectual means of securing and maintaining the unimpeded navigation of the River *St. John, N. B.*, at or near the *Oromocto Shoals*, (so called).

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency, by such Members of this House as are of the Honorable the Privy Council.

On motion of Mr. *Metcalf*, seconded by Mr. *Snider*,
Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying His Excellency to cause to be laid before this House, a Return shewing all sums of money paid to any Departmental Clerk or Officer, and to whom and when paid, and by whose order, by way of extra pay for extra writing or otherwise, at any time during the fiscal year ending 30th June, 1871, together with the vouchers therefor.

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying His Excellency to cause to be laid before this House, a Return of all sums of money charged and received by the Department of Justice, or the Deputy of the said Department, or by any Officer or Clerk thereof, by way of costs, on moneys overdue upon Ordnance Land sold under authority, with dates and items; said Return to include all such payments from Confederation to the present time.

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying His Excellency to cause to be laid before this House, a Return shewing all sums of money charged or received on account of salaries, extra services, travelling expenses, or on any other account, by the several Deputy Heads and Officers of Departments at *Ottawa*, following to wit: The Deputy of the Minister of Militia, the Deputy of the Minister of Justice, the Deputy of the Minister of Public Works, the Deputy of the Minister of Agriculture, the Deputy of the Minister of Customs, the Deputy of the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, the Commissioner of Customs, the Commissioner of Inland Revenue, the Under Secretaries of State for *Canada*, and the Provinces, the Deputy of the Postmaster General, the Deputy of the Adjutant General for *Canada*, and the several Post Office Inspectors of the different Provinces, including the Chief Inspector at *Ottawa*, or any or either of them, for services rendered to the Government as such Deputy Heads of Departments or Officers as aforesaid, for the year ending the 31st March, 1872, and the authority for such payment, (if any), together with the vouchers therefor.

Ordered, That the said Addresses be presented to His Excellency, by such Members of this House as are of the Honorable the Privy Council.