

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

A Bill for granting to Her Majesty certain sums of money required for defraying certain expenses of the Public Service for the financial years ending respectively the 30th June 1872 and the 30th of June 1873, and for other purposes relating to the Public Service, was, according to Order, 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.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth :—

The Senate have passed the Bill, intituled : “ An Act to readjust the Representation in the House of Commons,” with several amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled : “ An Act to readjust the Representation in the House of Commons,” and the same were read, as follow :—

Page 2, line 25,—Leave out “ *Mount Forest* ” and after “ *Amaranth* ” insert “ and the Villages of *Mount Forest* and *Arthur*.”

Page 2, line 33,—After “ *Muskoka* ” insert “ 11. The Townships of *Hagarty*, *Richards*, *Sherwood*, *Burns*, and *Jones*, shall be added to and included in, the South Riding of the County of *Renfrew*.”

The said amendments, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honors, That this House hath agreed to their amendments.

Mr. *Schutz* moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. *Gray*, and the Question was proposed, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying that the insufficiency of the present Military Force in *Manitoba* be taken into consideration, with a view to the increase of that force to 300 Infantry and 100 Mounted Riflemen :—And the said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

The Order of the Day being read, for the third reading of the Bill, from the Senate, intituled, “ An Act respecting the Public Lands of the Dominion.”

Ordered, That the said Order be discharged

Ordered, That the Bill be now recommitted to a Committee of the whole House.

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

Ordered, That the amendments be now taken into consideration.

The amendments were then read, as follow :—

Page 2, line 26.—After “ claims ” insert “ Provided that the Governor in Council may hereafter, should the same be deemed expedient, reduce the width of the Road al-
“ lowances on Township and section lines in that part of the Territory lying north of the
“ line between Townships 18 and 19, and east of the 10th Range, east of the principal
“ Meridian, and west of the 14th Range west of the said Meridian.”

Page 5, line 14.—After “ lands ” insert “ surveyed into Townships.”

Page 5, line 42.—Leave out from “ to ” to “ fractional,” in line 44.

Page 5, line 46.—Leave out “ several.”

Page 5, line 49.—Leave out from “ respectively ” to “ township,” inclusive, in page 6,
line 7.

Page 6, line 11.—Leave out from “ them ” to “ shall ” in line 16, and insert “ if