

*Ordered*, That the said Joint Address of both Houses to Her Majesty, and also the Joint Address to His Excellency the Governor General, be presented to His Excellency by such Members of the Privy Council as are Members of this House,

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, to return the Bill intituled, "An Act to render permissive the use of the Metric or of the Decimal System of Weights and Measures," and to acquaint this House that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Senate to the said Bill, without any amendment.

The House was adjourned during pleasure.

After some time the House was resumed.

His Excellency the Right Honorable *John, Baron Lisgar, of Lisgar and Baileborough, in the County of Cavan, Ireland*, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and a Baronet, one of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George, Governor General of Canada, and Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Island of *Prince Edward, &c., &c., &c.*, being seated in the Chair on the Throne.

The Honorable the Speaker commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the House of Commons and acquaint that House. "*It is His Excellency's pleasure they attend him immediately in this House.*"

Who being come with their Speaker,

The Clerk of the Crown in Chancery read the titles of the Bills to be passed severally as follow :—

An Act for the prevention of corrupt practices in relation to the collection of the Revenue.

An Act to establish one Uniform Currency for the Dominion of *Canada*.

An Act to prolong, for a certain time, the term allowed for the redemption of rents reserved on certain Indian lands in the Township of *Dundee*.

An Act to extend the provisions of the Act authorizing the imposition and collection of Harbor Dues by the Corporation of the Town of *Owen Sound*.

An Act to indemnify the Members of the Executive Government, and others, for the unavoidable expenditure of Public Money, in excess of the Parliamentary Grant, incurred in repelling the threatened invasion of the Fenians in 1870.

An Act to amend and explain the Act to amend the Charter of the *Ontario Bank*.

An Act to incorporate the *Ontario and Quebec Railway Company*.

An Act to incorporate the *Mutual Life Association of Canada*

An Act to make further provision for the government of the North West Territories.

An Act for more effectually preventing the desertion of Seamen in the Port of *Quebec*.

An Act to amend the Act thirty-third *Victoria*, chapter forty, respecting the settlement of the affairs of the Bank of *Upper Canada*.

An Act respecting the Loan authorized by the Act 32 and 33 *Vict.*, cap. 1, for the purpose of paying a certain sum to the *Hudson's Bay Company*.

An Act further to amend the Acts respecting the improvement and management of the Harbor of *Quebec*.

An Act further to amend the Act respecting fishing by foreign vessels.

An Act to amend the Acts relating to Duties of Customs.

An Act to incorporate the *Sault St. Mary Railway and Bridge Company*.

An Act respecting certain officers of the Trinity House of *Quebec*.

An Act to incorporate the *Isolated Risk Fire Insurance Company of Canada*.

An Act to incorporate the *Montreal and City of Ottawa Junction Railway Company*.