

On motion of Mr. Stevens,

*Ordered*, That the Committee do forthwith meet in one of the Committee Rooms, and proceed to the investigation of the several matters alleged, referred to them; and that Lists of the Committee sworn, together with copies of this Order, be delivered to the respective parties.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to provide for the election of Councillors and the appointment of Parish Officers in the several Municipalities in this Province.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That Mr. Perley take the said Bill to the Council and desire their concurrence therein.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to authorize the Municipality of the County of Carleton to issue Debentures to a certain amount to aid in paying for the enlarging and repairing of the Court House.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Honorable Mr. Connell take the said Bill to the Council and desire their concurrence therein.

Read a third time as engrossed,

A Bill to incorporate the Albert Bank.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Honorable Mr. McClellan take the said Bill to the Council and desire their concurrence therein.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Tilley,

The House went into Committee of the whole on—A Bill to authorize the Corporation of Saint John to become shareholders in the European and North American Railway Company for extension from Saint John westward.

Mr. Thompson in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that the Committee had the Bill referred to them under their consideration, and agreed to the same.

*Ordered*, That the Report be accepted and the Bill engrossed.

The Honorable Mr. Tilley, Provincial Secretary and Member of Her Majesty's Executive Council, by command of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, laid before House various Documents relative to the Financial affairs of the Province, viz :—

Abstract of Expenditure for the Fiscal Year 1865, as compared with the Estimate :

Statement of amounts due on Appropriations :

Statement of Interest paid on Provincial Debt :

Statement of amount required from Ordinary Revenue, to meet deficiency of Railway Interest :

Estimated Income for 1865, compared with Receipts :

Statement of Financial operations, 1865 :

Ordinary Revenue Financial Statement :

Railway Financial Statement :