

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to facilitate arrangements between Debtor and Creditor, to punish fraudulent debtors, and to abolish preferences in favor of judgment creditors ;

*Ordered*, That the said Order be discharged.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be withdrawn.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend chapter 21 of the Acts of 1869, 32 and 33 *Victoria*, respecting Larceny ;

*Ordered*, That the said Order be discharged.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be withdrawn.

And the House, having continued to sit till half-an-hour after One of the Clock on Wednesday morning, adjourned till Eleven O'Clock A.M. this day.

Wednesday, 21st May, 1873.

*Eleven O'clock, A.M.*

Mr. *Stephenson*, from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, presented to the House the Eighth Report of the said Committee, which was read as followeth :—

The Committee recommend that the following documents be printed, viz :—

*Report* of the Select Committee of the Senate to whom was referred the Petitions praying for a Prohibitory Liquor Law (4,000 copies in English and 1,000 copies in French.)

*Report* of the Select Committee on Immigration and Colonization (2,700 copies in English and 700 copies in French.)

*Fifth Annual Report* of the Directors of Penitentiaries of the Dominion of *Canada*, for the year 1872 (in usual form.)

The Committee, on reconsideration, would recommend that the *Report of the Select Committee* of the House of Commons, to which was referred the *Petition* of *Joseph Bouchette* ; and also, the *Copy of Correspondence* on the subject of Mr. *Wm. Kersteman's* scheme for the construction of the *Canadian Pacific Railway*, be printed.

On motion of Mr. *Stephenson*, seconded by Mr. *O'Reilly*,

*Resolved*, That this House doth concur in the Sixth, Seventh and Eighth Reports of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament.

The House according to Order, proceeded to take into further consideration the postponed Resolutions which were, on Thursday, the 15th day of May instant, reported from the Committee of Supply.

The sixteenth to the thirty-second Resolutions inclusive, were read a second time, as follow :—

16. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-two thousand five hundred and forty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray salaries of Military Branch and District Staff, for the year ending 30th June, 1874.

17. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-seven thousand four hundred and sixty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray salaries of Brigade Majors, for the year ending 30th June, 1874.

18. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Forty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray allowances for Drill Instruction, to be extended to 1st November, 1874, it being impossible to get in all the claims under this head before the expiration of the financial year, for the year ending 30th June, 1874.