

“ that it is not expedient to entrust any Government with such power without special consent of Parliament in each case,—and lastly, that the general result of the modifications proposed to be introduced into the present Law, will be to interweave the interests of the various Banking institutions of the Dominion with the Government still more closely than at present,—whereas it is extremely desirable that the national finances should be kept, as far as possible, independent of and unaffected by the fluctuations to which the trade and commerce of every country are constantly exposed.”

And the Question being put on the Amendment:—It passed in the Negative.

Then the Question being put, That this House doth concur with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The 4th Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Honorable Sir *Francis Hincks* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Government Savings Bank Act, Chapter six of the Statutes of 1871.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time, on Friday next.

*Ordered*, That the Honorable Sir *Francis Hincks* have leave to bring in a Bill to correct a clerical error in the Act relating to Banks and Banking, and to amend the said Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time, on Friday next.

*Ordered*, That the Honorable Sir *Francis Hincks* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act regulating the issue of Dominion Notes.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time, on Friday next.

*Ordered*, That the Honorable Sir *Francis Hincks* have leave to bring in a Bill respecting the Public Debt and the raising of loans authorized by Parliament.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time, on Friday next.

The Order of the Day being read, for the House to resolve itself into a Committee to consider the Motion, That a Supply be granted to Her Majesty.

The House resolved itself into the Committee.

(IN THE COMMITTEE.)

*Resolved*, That a Supply be granted to Her Majesty.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Street* reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received on Friday next.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill for the avoidance of doubts respecting Larceny of Stamps,

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*Resolved*, That this House will immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Morrison* (*Niagara*) reported,