Thursday, 2nd May, 1889.

Eleven o'Clock, A.M.

PRAYERS.

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

The Senate have passed the following Bills, without any amendment:-

Bill intituled: "An Act relating to Ocean Steamship Subsidies."

Bill intituled: "An Act for granting to Her Majesty certain sums of money "rquired for defraying certain expenses of the Public Service, for the financial " years ending, respectively, the 30th June, 1889, and the 30th June, 1890, and for "other purposes relating to the Public Service."

Bill intituled: "An Act to authorize the granting of subsidies in aid of the "construction of the lines of railway therein mentioned."

Bill intituled: "An Act to amend the Revised Statutes, chapter one hundred "and thirty eight, respecting the Judges of Provincial Courts."

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting a certain agreement therein mentioned with "the Qu'Appelle, Long Lake and Saskatchewan Railroad and Steamboat Company." Bill intituled: "An Act to authorize the granting of subsidies in land to certain

"Railway Companies."

Bill intituled: "An Act for the relief of the Corporation of the Town of " Cobcurg."

Sir Adolphe P. Caron, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 1st April, 1889, for copies of all petitions, correspondence and documents, respecting the extension of McMahon Street through the Ordnance land, in the City of Quebec, to D'Aiguillon Street. (Sessional Papers, No. 62a.)

And also, Return to an Order of this House, dated 18th March, 1889, for a Return of all correspondence between the Government and the officers or men of the 15th Battalion, respecting aid to construct a drill shed at Belleville, and for any reports made to the Government respecting the desirability of granting such aid. (Sessional Papers, No. 71.)

A Message was received from His Excellency the Governor General, by Réné E. Kimber, Esquire, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod:

Mr. SPEAKER,-

I am commanded by His Excellency the Governor General, to acquaint this Honourable House, That it is the pleasure of His Excellency that the Members thereof do forthwith attend him in the Senate Chamber.

Accordingly, Mr. Speaker, with the House, went up to attend His Excellency, where His Excellency was pleased to give, in Her Majesty's name, the Royal Assent

to the following Public and Private Bills:—

An Act to incorporate the Supreme Court of the Independent Order of Foresters.

An Act to incorporate the Union Railway Company.

An Act to amend the Revised Statutes, chapter 77, respecting the safety of Ships.

An Act for the relief of George MacDonald Bagwell.

An Act for the relief of William Henry Middleton.

An Act for the relief of Arthur Wand,

An Act for the relief of William Gordon Lowry.