

must provide for all the debts and liabilities of the several Provinces existing at the time of union, but these liabilities must afterwards under the arbitration be apportioned between the Provinces. These pensions it was clear, must be paid, and for this Parliament to rate them was not to usurp the functions of the Local Parliaments.

The item was after a lengthy debate carried.

The remaining item under the heads Pensions and New Militia Pensions were carried, the latter amounting in all to \$25,115.22.

The Committee then rose, reported progress, and obtained leave to sit again on Monday.

The House adjourned at half past one o'clock.

NOTICES

Mr. Redford—Inquiry if the Government will make arrangements with the Montreal Bank for the exportation of American silver, and what amount has already been sent out of the country.

Hon. Mr. Howland on Tuesday next will propose that raw tobacco shall be entered for consumption. Second, that the importer of raw tobacco, or any party to whom tobacco grown in Canada is delivered, not being a licensed tobacco manufacturer, shall give bonds that such tobacco shall be exported or delivered to a licensed manufactory under penalty of 15 cents per pound. Third, all tobacco with respect to which the requirements of law are not complied with will be forfeited.
