

to keep the House in session till it be passed, no matter what the expense ovince.

THE KEEPING BACK DODGE.

he night wore on the House proceeded the Attorney-General's Election bill, kept till the last night that it might through after many members had nome. As the other measure was ino whitewash those who had already ed frauds on benalf of the Govern this one was framed to facilitate ds in the future and make the cap Muskoka and Algoma by the Govern mparatively easy task. It disfranlians in Aigoma who lived amongst ple and paid taxes for their property a, deprived property-owners in the rict of their votes, and placed absothe hands of partizan deputy return the power to depriv e whomsoever and of their votes. It was no wonder such a barefaced attempt to he way for capturing the constituen-s vigorously fought by the Opposi-at their protests were of no avail, and was consummated with the

ile majority, THE CROWNING INIQUITY. as were these m

Mr. MEREDITH suggested that the evi-lence not given under oath should be indi-ated. The report was so amended and adopted. Mr. FRASER moved, seconded, by Mr. Mr. FAADLA noved, seconded, by Mr. Mowats— That it be ordened and resolved. That an involve address be presented to his Honour the lieutenant-Governor praying that (in accord-ance with the recommendation this day made to his House by the Standing Committee on Privi-leges and Elections) he will be graciously pleased to issue a commission to inquire into and investi-tate the charges of bridery and compiracy set forth in the statement made to. this honourable House by the Honourable the Attorney-General on Monday, the seventeenth day of March in-start, and all matters and things which, in the state the commissioners, relate thereto or affect the same such the Attorney-General or Monday, the seventeenth day of March in-start, and all matters and things which, in the state the commissioners, who shall be judges and, be of whom at least, shall be a judge of the Supreme Court of Judicative of Ontario; and the said commission to confar upon the said com-missioners all the powers contained or given in-so of whom at least, shall be a judge of the Supreme Court of Judicative of Ontario; and the said commission to confar upon the said com-missioners all the powers contained or given in-so of upon a sup Act amending the same. — That is be further ordered and resolved. That he said address be presented to his Honour the induce as are of the Executive Counci. — The said address be presented and resolved. That the said address be presented and resolved. That house to be produced to and before the said pupped of the fact in the course of the said house to be produced to and before the said house to be produced to and before the said house to be produced to and before the said house to be produced to and before the said house to be produced to and before the said house to be produced to and before the said house to be produced to and herest patient to be house to be produced to and herest patient to be house to be produced to and herest patient to be house to be produced to and before the said house to be produced to an 10 8 panies, or trustee. f the law. of the province. public health. The motion was adopted,

now pending they were proposing to relieve him from the disqualification under which he

Mr. FRASER said when the investigation

was completed perhaps the hon. gentleman would make no insinuations. He (Mr.

Fraser) made no charges. Mr. MEREDITH-You are a coward

Soveral amendments were proposed by members of the Opposition, but they were voted down, and the bill was read a third

CONSPIRACY INVESTIGATION.

Mr. HARCOURT presented the third re-port of the Committee of Privileges and Elec-tions, recommending a full investigation of the bribery conspiracy matter before a com-mission of judges. The evidence taken was appended.

To amend the Division Courts Act. The report of the Department of Immigration tion was laid on the table on Thursday in the Legislature. From it we make some in-teresting extracts. To enable free grant settlers to obtain further locations. To amend the Act respecting pawnbrokers and pawnbroking. Respecting building societies, For protecting the public interest in rivers, DOWN ON "THE IRISH." This is what Mr. A. S. Hardy has to say concertaing the immigrants whom he en-couraged to come to Canada :--For protecting the public interest in rivers, streams, and creeks. For the amendment of the election law and for the better prevention of corrupt and ille-gal practices at elections to the Legislative Acting upon the understanding which was arrived at with that officer, the Imperial au-Assembly. Respecting the territory in dispute between this province and the Province of Manito To amend the Railway Act of Ontario.

arrived at with that officer, the Imperial at-thorities and the Takes Committee during the season of 1883 forwarded a number of emi-grants to Ontario. Among them there were some individuals who, from having been mis-led by representations with regard to work and wages made to them before leaving for Canada, failed to husband the money given to them on landing at Queleo, and reized to avail themeelves of rescanable offers of em-ployment. As a result of this improvidence, some of these people were unable to maintain more than a prearious existence through the summer and fall, and as outdoor employment they were thrown upon the charity of the citizens of Torento. Others of this class To amend the Act respecting coroners' in

nests. Respecting license duties. To prevent the spread of contagions disease, mong horses and other domestic animals. Respecting the property of married women. To authorize the substitution of terminable annuities for railway aid certificates. Respecting pharmacy. To secure to wives and children the benefit irance. they were thrown upon the charity of the citizens of Torento. Others of this class, who on arrival here had been sent to good sit-uations in the rural districts. left them and re-turned to Toronto, spending in the payment of return fares as much of their remaining "land-ing money" as would have paid a year's rent for a house and garden in the country. If the good situations in the rural districts were mentioned we would be in a hetter posi-tion to know whether Mr. Hardy is romancing not. And that little joke about the "house or and garden in the country" will be relished by our readers. Respecting co-operative associations, joint stock companies, benevolent societies, and other corporations, Respecting the distribution of estates of which the Attorney-General is administrator For further improving the administration of the law. Respecting the University of Toronto. To amend the Acts respecting the supply-ing of Gas and Water. Respecting the districts of Algoma and Thunder Bay. To amend the Act respecting Public, Separ-ate, and High Schools. To amend the Revised Statute respecting Municipal Insitutions in Algoma, Muskoka, Parry Sound, Nipissing, and Thunder Bay. To extend the provisions of the Revised Statute respecting Master and Servant. Respecting securities vested in the Treasurer of the province.

possible. 4. As soon as navigation opons. R. Simcoe.-What country or stata in the world produces the beet samples of wheat? (2) What is the real cause of the war in the Soudan now in progress? (3) Are there more murders in Canada than in the United States in proportion to their populations? Ans.-1. The Canadian North-West, 2. Egyptian tyranny. 8. Not one-tenth as many. ONTARIO IMMIGRATION. Report of the Department of Immigration

TAYLOR-On the afternoon of 20th inst. G. W. Taylor, of Gravenhurst, aged 50 years. HASKETT-On the morning of the 20th inst, at convention of sportsmen, to be held during the time of the dog show in Toronto. Ans.-I. Yes. 2 No. Any sportsman will be welcome. his father's residence, 54 Frederick street, I lon Haskett, aged 20 years and 2 months. 2. No. Any sportsman will be welcome. S., Peterboro'.--I. Will the Dominion Express Company run in connection with the O. & Q. division of the C.P.R # 2. Does the C.P.R., con-trol the Dominion Express Co.? 3. And to whom model we enquire for further information? FISKEN-On the 18th inst., Jessie, the beloved and eldest daughter of John Fisken, Keq., Law ton Park. PLUMMER-AT 292 Daly street, Ottawa, on Wednesday, 19th March, Elizabeth Williams, beloved wife of Wm. Plummer, Commissioner of Indian Lands. LOUNT-At her residence. Barrie, on 33rd inst., Margaret, wife of the late George Lount. Regis-trar County Simcoe, in the sixty-sixth year of her age,

PHILLIPS-WYATT-At the residence of th wide's grandmother, 218 Gerrard street east, or Friday, 21st inst., by the Rev. Alex. Sanson Decar Phillips, to Grace E. Wyatt, both of this DOTY-SCHOFIELD-At Suspension Bridge N.Y., on Tuesday, January the 22nd, by the Rev. Father Hines, Ada, youngest daughter o L. H. Schofield, of H. M. C., Nisgara Falls, Ont. to David A. Doty, Ingersol.

DEATHS.

CUNNINGHAM—At Fenelon Falls, on Thursday the 20th inst., of typhoid fever, Helen J. (Neilie) eldest daughter of the late Geo. Cunningham Esq., of Peterboro'.

HEAKES-At her late residence, 58 Wood street, REAKES-At her late residence, 58 Wood street, on the 20th March, Elizabeth Isabella Ryley, the beloved wife of Mr. Samuel Heakes, in her 64th

HALL-On Tuesday, March 25th, J. B. Hall. DIXON-Fell asleep in Jesus, March 24th, 1884. Hannah, beloved wife of Hillyard C, Dixon, and daughter of the late H. A. Joseph. BUCHANAN-At Denver, Colorado, on the 21s March, Isaac Robert, fourth son of the late Hon saac Buchanan, in the thirty-second, year of hi

GALLOWAY-At his late residence, Scarboro' on fhe 19th inst. William Galloway, aged S

Mail. WASS-BODDY-At the residence of the bride's father, on the 20th March, by the Rev. John Mahan, assisted by the Rev. T. Campbell, of Bond Head, Rev. J. Wass, of Eden Grove, to Linda, daughter of John Boddy, Esq., Bradford, Ont.

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ning piece of iniquity was reserved te closing hour. The At-eneral's bill had gone through comthe amendments of the Opposition e by one, been voted down, and the was about to pronounce the third carried, when Mr. Harcourt, of was put up to move an amendment as of which fairly startled the House, rayed at once the reason why it was y concealed till the very ate. It was no less than Very enactment to legislate the appeal Mr. Drury out of existence Lyon in the petition against him a, and to remove the disqualification . Dowling, and seat him as the legal for South Renfrew, when it is adthat his opponent only awaits of the court to get the seat. Pardee ser had made up their minds to put id front, and pushing the Attorneyto one side, as they had so ofte ig the session, made no attempt at ent, but shamelessly confessed the ect was to destroy the appeal against ary and save Mr. Dowling from the disn they admitted he had incurred, so much as making provision to eosts of the petitioners, whose being put out of court by this led proceeding. The scene was a le one, as member after member of sition arose to express the hones n which will be re-echoed by the at this infamous proceeding ; but nany of them felt that they were ragged through a great humiliation vernment majority were ready with tes to put the rascality through, and ession in infamy.

THE REWARD OF INFAMY.

the great bribery conspiracy has been to light, more than one journal has ad the opinion that the immaculate and his co-conspirators would get ward 'in the shape of lucrative apthe not distant future. The this expectation has come soonthey anticipated. Dowling has al-ceived his reward, and strange to say ken the shape in which he has vainly implicate others, in attempts to The public will fail to discover nce in a moral point of view be ibing by a promise, as he alleges, of wing the petition against him, and legislating that petition out of knowledge that he no doubt of what the Government was do for him throws a flood on the willingness of this to be used for their purposes, es the motive of his hawking wife's private letters and making ight visit and overtures to Mr. Which of the precious quartette he next to receive the reward of be willing tools in the intrigues of Pardee & Co., to blacken the charac-litical opponents? The public await erest the next development in this us business.

COCOA. -GRATEFUL AND COMFORT. Sy a thorough knowledge of the natur ich govern the operation of digestion tion and by a careful application of properties of well-selected Cocoa, has provided our breakfast tables licately flavoured beverage which us many heavy doctor's bills. It is ious use of such articles of diet tution may be gradually built up ng enough to resist every tendency . Hundreds of subtle maladies are 8. Hundreds of subtle maladies are around us ready to attack wherever a weak point. We may escape fatal shaft by keeping our-ell fortified with pure blood and a nourished frame."....Civil Service --Made simply with boiling water or bold only in Packets and Tins (§ 10 by Grogara, labelled..." Janua Erra. Homeopathic Chemists, London."

TOBONTO, March 25. THE PROROGATION.

At a quarter to four his Honour the Lieut.

Governor arrived with the naual ceremony attendant on these occasions. He was ac-companied by the Adjutant-General, Captain Geddes, A. D.C., and other military officers, A mard of honora more foundation A guard of honour was furnished by a de-tachment of the 10th Royal Grenadiers, com-His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor then manded by Captain Mason. His Honour having taken his seat on the delivered the following speech :--Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislathrone, Mr. Sydere, the clerk assistant, read the following list of bills passed during the tive Assembly :--

To confirm a certain by-law of the corpora-tion of the city of Kingston. To incorporate the town of Port Arthur. To incorporate the Brockville, Westport, and Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company. Respecting the Gananoque and Rideau Rail-way Company. To declare valid a certain survey of part of the town of Corpwall It gave me much pleasure to tra addresses to his Excellency the Lansdowne and his Lordship the Lorne, congratulating his Lordanip the appointment to a position where o is afforded for the exercise of the ship that has long characterized family of which he is so distinguish seviative, and congratulating the of Lorne on the close of a career the town of Cornwall. So authorize the town of Collingwood to issue certain debentures.

To incorporate the Cascadilla Railway Com-Respecting the trusts of the will of the late Samuel B. Smith, deceased, Respecting a certain by taw of the town of Trenton. of Lorne on the close of a career marked alike by devotion to the the Dominion, and by sympathy t pany.

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affirming the provisional agreeme into between my Government ar Manitoba for referring to the Jud mittee of her Majesty's Privy (Huron. To confirm certain municipal by-laws granting aid to the Canada Southern Railway Doppany. To incorporate the Midland Junction Railquestions in dispute between vinces; and, as the Dominion has since intimated its willingnes

has since initiated its willingness a party to the reference. I trust th you are next summoned for the o business, a satisfactory determinat long contropersy as to our nor westerly boundaries will have bee at, and the just claims of the provi ed by the highest judicial tribuy empire. To incorporate the Midland Junction Rail-way Company. To amend the Synod and Rectory Sales Act Meeting the Diocese of Toronto. To incorporate the Toronto Tenement Building Association. To authorize the corporation of the town of Omngeville to purchase land for a post-office

THE CAUSES OF FAILURE.

THE CAUSES OF PAILURE. Mr. Hardy says :---"The causes that have led to the tempor-ary failure of these immigrants may be briefly stated, as (1) their refusal to accept reasonable rates of wages, (2) the misuse of the money paid them (£1 per head) on land-ing, which was generally spent before they would consent to go to work, and (3) the fact that a number of them (as already mentioned) would consent to go to work, and (3) the fact that a number of them (as already mentioned) would consent to go to work, and (3) the fact that a number of them (as already mentioned) would consent to go to work, and (3) the fact that a number of them (as already mentioned) would consent to go to work, and (3) the fact that a number of these people we read :--Twas considered important, in conaction with the work of the several committees en-signed at home, to discourage the immigra-tion of unsuitable classes as to encourage those likely to better their own circum-stones, and assist in developing the resources of this morting. Mr. W. H. Historien and To make further provision respecting the

To further amend the Line Fences'Act. The Municipal Amendment Act of 1884. To amend the Act respecting the Adminis-tration of Justice in Unorganized Tracts.

To these bills the royal assent was an nounced by Col. Gilmor, clerk of the Legisla hounced by Col. Grimor, cierk of the Legisla-tive Assembly. Mr. SPEAKER then presented a bill, en-titled "An Act for granting to her Majesty certain sums of money to defray the expenses of the Civil Government for the year 1884, and for other purposes therein mentioned," to which the royal assent was also announced. stances, and assist in developing the resources of this province. Mr. W. H. Higgins was, of this province. Mr. W. H. Higgins was, therefore, early in the season sent to Ireland, to whose other duties was added that of assisting in the selection of immigrants to be forwarded by this committee and the Imperial Commissioners, and as far as possible to limit the selection of the classes of immigrants un-wied to be compresuited to the country. It is obvious that the duty was imperfectly

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years. BROWNE-On Sunday, 23rd inst., at the resi-dence of her brother, 342 Bathurst street, Au-gusta Mary, third daughter of the late Joseph Steere Browne, Esq. SOOTT-At Chatham, on Monday, the 24th in-stant, Carrie, the beloved wife of James Scott (of J. & J. F. Scott), and daughter of T. B. Barrett, of H. M. Customs, Port Dover, in her 32nd year.

TYNER-On March 22nd, at the Manse, Ram-say, the residence of her son-in-law, Rev. Robert Knowles, Frances, relict of the late John Tyner of Toronta, aged 34 years. TEFTZEI-On the 23rd inst., at St. Thomas, James Nelson Teetzel, of Sparta, after a brief liness, aged 54 years. Deceased was father of J. V. Teetzel, of Hamilton, barrister. MENET-At Lawrence, Kansas, on 22nd March. Francis James Menet, aged 46.

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G.F.C.-1. If a child is born on the ocean to what nationality does it belong, provided the hearest port cannot be determined. Does the registration of the vessel have anything to do in the case! 2. Have Ogilyr, Hutchison & Co. the full control of ereding elevators on the ands of C.P.R. road, or are they controlling the wheat market to the determinent of the farmers of Manitoba ? Ana.-1. To the nationality of its father. 2. You must determine these questions for yourself. They have been discussed at auseam for the past two years.
WAPELA.-1. Has the N. W. T. a herd law ? Does it come in force this spring, or are there obligations to perform, and if so what are they? 2. Is there a Sir George Stephen in Canada ? Awa George Stephen, president C.P.R., ever amerchant in Montreal? Ams.-1. See last week's sitven there correspond with actorn Burrows, 2. There is no Sir George Stephen in Canada ? Song years ago he was in business there as a dry goods merchant.
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of your friend with the request that the letter be forwarded. J. G. - Why does the Ontario Government im-pose so much extra labour on the municipal assessors! There are seven columns added to the assessment rolls, and a penalty of two hundred dollars for non-performance of the work (I can't call it duty). It is not municupal business, and is not considered as such in the assessors must do the work for the Government, why does the Government not pay the assessors. Ans. We give it up. You might asky our mem-ber to ask the Government the reason why, which may be effective, and may not. The probability is that if your member is a Grit he won't ask, and if he is a Tory he won't be attended to. F. Queenston. -1. What was the date Sir Richard Cartwright was kingited? 2. Were any others knichted at same time, and who? 3. Were Hon's Messrs. Blake and Maokenzie offered the honour ? 4. Who recommends gen-lement for this honour, or by what means do they receive it? 5. Did Mr. Mowat, in Local Legislature, ever record his tote for the Drange Incorporation bill, if so, when ? Ans.-1, May 24, 1879. 2. Yee: S. L. Tilley, A. Campbell, C. Tauper, W. H. Howland, and N. F. Belleau. 3. Yes. 4. The Queen is supposed to grant such honours of her own free will; the recommenda-ion, if any, would come from the Governor-General. 6. We have not time to look ap Mr. Mowat's record for ten or fifteen years on such a uestion. PENCERIAN These famous Steel Pens combine the essential quali-ties of Elasticity, Du-shillity and real Swan Quill action, and are suited foal stylesed writing. These Pens are made of the Best Steel by the Best Worksmean in England. All the numbers, No pens in a metal box, suit for trial, postpaid, or mecipt of 10 cents. BUNTIN, BOYD & CO., Ag'ts for Canada 645 ST. PAUL STREET, MONTERAL

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