

Ordered, That Mr. *Higinbotham* have leave to bring in a Bill to amend the Act to re-adjust the Representation in the House of Commons.

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 To-morrow.

Ordered, That Mr. *Jetté* have leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the Royal Canadian Chemical Fire Engine Company.

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 To-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *Holton*, from the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, presented to the House the Third Report of the said Committee, which was read, as followeth:—

Your Committee have considered the following Bills, and have agreed to report the same with amendments, viz:—

Bill to incorporate the International Transportation Association.

Bill to amend the Act incorporating the *St. Lawrence* Tow Boat Company.

Bill to amend an Act to incorporate the Maritime Warehousing and Dock Company.

With regard to the last-mentioned Bill, your Committee have so materially diminished the powers applied for by the promoters that they recommend that the fee of \$100 be refunded.

On motion of Mr. *Domville*, seconded by the Honorable Mr. *Tupper*,

Ordered, That the fee paid on the Bill to incorporate the Maritime Warehousing and Dock Company, be refunded, in accordance with the recommendation of the Select Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Robitaille*, seconded by Mr. *Caron*,

Ordered, That the Return to an Address to His Excellency, dated 1st May, 1872, for copies of all correspondence, reports and plans relating to the *Paspebiac* Harbour roadstead; first, as a Harbour of Refuge; second, as a Winter Harbour, communicating with the Intercolonial Railway, presented to this House on the 8th May, 1872, be referred to the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament.

Mr. *Scatcherd* reported from the Committee of Supply, several Resolutions; which was read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Sixty-eight thousand one hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the following Expenses:—Financial Inspector, \$2,600; Office of Assistant Receiver-General, Toronto, \$7,000; Office of Assistant Receiver-General, *Montreal*, \$5,500; Office of Auditor and Assistant Receiver-General, *Halifax*, N.S., \$12,000; Office of Auditor and Assistant Receiver-General, *St. John*, N.B., \$9,000; Office of Auditor and Assistant Receiver-General, *Fort Garry*, \$4,000; Office of Auditor and Assistant Receiver-General, *Victoria*, B.C., \$9,000; Office of Auditor and Assistant Receiver-General, *Charlottetown*, P.E.I., \$3,000; Country Saving's Bank, *New Brunswick*, *Nova Scotia* and *British Columbia*, \$10,000; Seigniorial Tenure and Commission, \$6,000, for the year ending 30th June, 1875.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand eight hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray Salaries of the Department of the Queen's Privy Council for *Canada*, for the year ending 30th June, 1875.

3. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirteen thousand three hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray Salaries of the Department of Justice, for the year ending 30th June, 1875.

4. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-two thousand two hundred and fifty dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray Salaries of the Department of Militia and Defence, for the year ending 30th June, 1875.