Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, to return the Bill intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Dominion Bank," and to acquaint this House that they have passed the said Bill with several amendments to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk as follow.

Page 1, Line 24. Leave out from "currency" to "meetings" inclusive, in line 33.

Page 1, Line 39. After "3" insert "For the purpose of organizing the said Bank, "the persons hereinbefore mentioned and hereby incorporated, shall be Provisional Directors "thercof; and they, or the majority of them, may cause stock books to be opened, after "giving due public notice thereof, upon which stock books may be recorded the subscriptions "of such persons as desire to become shareholders in the said Bank; and such books shall be "opened at *Toronto* and elsewhere, at the discretion of the said Provisional Directors, and as "long as they deem necessary; and as"—and leave out "three" and insert "four."

Page 1, Line 42. Leave out from "the" to "to" where it occurs the first time in line 43, and insert "said Provisional Directors."

Page 1, Line 43. After "meeting" insert "of subscribers to be held."

Page 2, Line 21. Leave out "remainder" and insert "whole."

Page 2, Line 22. Leave out from "up" to "dollars" inclusive.

Page 2, Line 23. Leave out from "within" to "charter" inclusive, in line 29, and "insert four years from the organisation of the said Bank under this Act."

Page 3, Line 38. After "advisable" insert "provided always that such dividends "shall not in any manner lessen or impair the capital of the said Bank."

Page 4, Line 35. Leave out "five" and insert "four."

Page 10, Line 32. Leave out from "of" where it occurs the first time to "or" and "insert the late Province of *Lanada* or of this Dominion."

Page 10, Line 33. After "Fund" insert "or in Dominion Stock."

Page 10, Line 35. After "Debentures" insert "or stock."

Page 10, Line 39. Leave out from "return" to "Debentures" inclusive in line 41.

Page 10, Line 42. After "the" insert "first" and after "ot" insert "June."

Page 10, Line 44. After "and" insert "seventy and from that time till the end of "the next session of the Parliament of the Dominion, and no longer."

The said amendments being read a second time,

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Ross, seconded by the Honorable Mr. (ampbell, it was

Ordered, That the same be agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate doth agree to the amendments made to the said Bill, without any amendment.