

41. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirteen thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses of Telegraph Lines, *British Columbia*, for the year ending 30th June, 1875.

42. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twelve thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses of Dredging, general, additional, for the year ending 30th June, 1875.

43. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses of Roads and Bridges, for the year ending 30th June, 1875.

44. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Thirty-four thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to meet the expenses attending the making of any Treaties which may be concluded during the year with the Indians of the *Saskatchewan*, for the year ending 30th June, 1875.

45. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Twenty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses of procuring Standards of Weights and Measures (revote), for the year ending 30th June, 1875.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(*In the Committee.*)

1. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding Six hundred and fifty thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses of *Fort Garry* and *Pembina* Railway, for the year ending 30th June, 1875.

2. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding One million five hundred thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, to defray expenses of *Pacific* Railway, Construction ; and improvements on Navigable Waters in Interior in connection therewith, for the year ending 30th June, 1875.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair ; and Mr. *Scatcherd* reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

*Ordered*, That the Report be received To-morrow.

Mr. *Scatcherd* also acquainted the House, that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

*Resolved*, That this House will, To-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The Order of the Day being read, for the third reading of the Bill respecting Certificates to Masters and Mates of Inland and Coasting Ships ;

*Ordered*, That the said Order be discharged.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be withdrawn.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution authorizing the Governor in Council to advance to any Province such sums as may be required for local improvements, under certain conditions therein set forth, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair ; and Mr. *Mills* reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. *Mills* reported the Resolution accordingly, and the same was read, as followeth :—

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to authorize the Governor in Council in his discretion, to advance from time to time to any Province of *Canada*, such sums as may be required for local improvements in the Province, and not exceeding in the whole the amount by which the debt of the Province for which *Canada* is responsible then falls short of the debt with which it was allowed to enter the Union, and on which amount *Canada* has to pay interest to the Province at the rate of five per cent. per annum ; such advances to be deemed additions to the debt of the Province, and the amount of interest so payable to