

The House proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled : " An Act to incorporate the *Stadacona* Bank," and the same were read, as follow :—

Page 1, line 6. Leave out from " follows " to " *William* " in line 7.

Page 2, line 2. Leave out " no more than one " and insert " less than two. "

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

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honors, That this House hath agreed to their amendments.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Senate, by their Clerk, as followeth :—

The Senate have passed the Bill, intituled : " An Act to provide for the appointment " of Harbor Masters for certain Ports in the Provinces of *Nova Scotia* and *New Brunswick*," without any amendment.

And then The House, having continued to sit till Ten minutes after One of the Clock on Saturday morning, adjourned till this day.

### Saturday, 3rd May, 1873.

A Message from His Excellency the Governor General, by *René Kimber*, Esquire, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod :—

MR. SPEAKER.

His Excellency the Governor General desires the immediate attendance of this Honorable House in the Senate Chamber.

Accordingly Mr. Speaker, with the House, went to the Senate Chamber.

And being returned ;

Mr. Speaker reported, That, agreeably to the command of His Excellency the Governor General, the House had attended upon His Excellency in the Senate Chamber, where His Excellency was pleased to give, in Her Majesty's name, the Royal Assent to the following Bills :—

An Act to amend the Act to provide for the appointment of a Harbor Master for the Port of *Halifax*.

An Act to amend the Act respecting Procedure in Criminal cases.

An Act to provide for the establishment of " The Department of the Interior. "

An Act respecting claims to Lands in *Manitoba* for which no Patents have issued.

An Act to amend the Act intituled " An Act to make further provisions for the Government of the North West Territories. "

An Act to incorporate the Maritime Improvement Company of the Dominion of *Canada*.

An Act to provide for the Examination of witnesses on Oath by Committees of the Senate and House of Commons in certain cases.

An Act to extend the provisions of the Grand Trunk Arrangements Act 1862, so far as relates to certain Preferential Bonds for a further period, to settle the rates of interest in future on the Preferential Bonds and Stocks and for other purposes.

An Act to render Members of the Legislative Councils and Legislative Assemblies of the Provinces now included, or which may hereafter be included within the Dominion of *Canada* ineligible for sitting or voting in the House of Commons of *Canada*.

An Act with respect to the carriage of Dangerous Goods in Ships.

An Act to amend the Act relating to Port Wardens at *Montreal* and *Quebec*.

An Act to amend the Act incorporating the Isolated Risk Fire Insurance Company of *Canada* and to change the name of the said Company to the Isolated Risk and Farmers' Fire Insurance Company of *Canada*.