A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill (49) intituled: "An Act respecting the Huron and Erie Loan and Savings Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read a first time.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. MacInnes (Burlington), seconded by the Honourable Mr. Vidal, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Thursday next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, with a Bill (43) intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Queenston Heights Bridge Company," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read a first time.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. McKindsey, seconded by the Honourable Mr. McMillan, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Thursday next.

The Honourable Sir Mackenzie Bowell, President of the Queen's Privy Council for Canada, presented to the Senate,—A Return to an Address of the Senate, dated the 11th February, 1896, for a return showing the names of all Civil Service employees, belonging to the Secretary of State Department and to the Department of Agriculture, who have been superannuated since the 1st day of July, 1894; also giving their age; the number of years they have been in the service; their salary, and amount of superannuation allowance granted in each case.

In the case of employees not having reached the full age of sixty years, or who had not completed thirty-five years of service, the reasons for their superannuation and the report of the Treasury Board in each such case.

Also, the names, ages and years of service of all employees belonging to the aforesaid Department to whom notice has been given of the intention to dismiss or superannuate them.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table, and it is as follows :----

(Vide Sessional Papers, No. 63.)

The Honourable Sir Mackenzie Bowell presented to the Senate a Bill (H) intituled: "An Act to further amend the Railway Act."

The said Bill was read a first time.

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time on Friday next.

Then, on motion of the Honourable Sir Mackenzie Bowell, seconded by the Honourable Mr. Desjardins,

The Senate adjourned.