

40. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Three thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for payment of transportation expenses of His Excellency Li Hung Chang and suite through Canada, from Niagara Falls to Vancouver, for the year ending 30th June, 1897.

41. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Twenty-eight thousand four hundred and fifteen dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for Collection of Revenue—Customs—Further amount required to meet salaries and contingent expenses of the several ports of entry in the various Provinces, viz :—Nova Scotia, \$825 ; New Brunswick, \$900 ; Prince Edward Island, \$100 ; Quebec, \$8,890 ; Ontario, \$10,100 ; Manitoba, \$3,000 ; British Columbia, \$3,000 ; Salaries and travelling expenses of Inspectors of Ports, \$1,600, for the year ending 30th June, 1897.

42. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Five hundred dollars be granted to Her Majesty, as compassionate allowance to Albert Coffin and family, as sufferers by the accident on the Intercolonial Railway at Lévis (Revote), for the year ending 30th June, 1897.

43. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding One hundred and twenty-six thousand five hundred and thirty-three dollars and thirty-three cents be granted to Her Majesty, being amount required to pay for ocean mail service between Great Britain and Canada, for the year ending 30th June, 1897.

Resolutions to be reported.

And The House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the Clock on Saturday morning ;

Saturday, 3rd October, 1896.

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

Ordered, That the Report be received at the next sitting of the House.

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

Resolved, That this House will, at its next sitting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

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

The Senate have passed the following Bills without any amendment :—

Bill intituled : “ An Act respecting the St. Catharines and Niagara Central “ Railway Company.”

Bill intituled : “ An Act to revive and amend the Act incorporating the Montreal “ Ottawa and Georgian Bay Canal Company.”

Bill intituled : “ An Act to incorporate the Columbia Telephone and Telegraph “ Company.”

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to amend the North-west Territories Representation Act, by dispensing with the preparation of new voters' lists in certain cases.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time ; and committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

Resolved, That this House do immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair ; and Mr. Brodeur reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made Amendments thereunto.