

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read the first time.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a second time.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend 'The Weights and Measures Act of 1879;'" and the same were twice read, and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendments.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act to amend and to consolidate, as amended, the "several Acts respecting the Adulteration of Food and Drugs," and the same were twice read, and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendments.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Senate to the Bill, intituled: "An Act further to amend 'The General Inspection Act, 1874,'" and the same were twice read, and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry back the Bill to the Senate, and acquaint their Honours, That this House hath agreed to their Amendments.

The Order of the Day being read, for the second reading of the Bill to modify the application of "The Consolidated Insurance Act, 1877;"

Ordered, That the said Order be discharged.

Ordered, That the Bill be withdrawn.

And then The House adjourned till To-morrow.

Friday, 18th April, 1884.

PRAYERS.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petition was read and received:—

Of the *Toronto* Painters' Union; praying for the adoption of such measures as will prohibit the introduction into *Canada* of Chinese Coolies, and provide for the dealing with those already in the Country.

Sir *Hector L. Langevin*, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, presented,—Return to an Order of this House, dated 7th February, 1884, for a Statement setting forth, in separate columns: 1. The amount of money expended in each of the Provinces since Confederation, or their entry into Confederation, up to the 30th June, 1883, on works of a strictly general character, distinguishing the sums chargeable to Capital from those chargeable to Income. 2. The amount of money expended in