

*Resolved*, That *Solomon Desbrisay, Esq.* be Sergeant at Arms.

*Resolved*, That *Mr. Henry William Lobban* be the Messenger to the House.

*Ordered*, That the Sergeant at Arms do appoint a fit and proper person to be Door-keeper.

*Mr. Douse* moved to Resolve, That it is the opinion of this House, that a Chaplain be requested to attend this House, in accordance with the established and constitutional practice of the Imperial Parliament.

The House divided on the question :

Yeas, 9,

Nays, 11.

So it passed in the negative.

*Resolved*, That a Committee of five Members be appointed, to prepare and report Standing Rules and Orders for the governance of this House.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Cooper, Mr. D. Maclean, Mr. Macgregor, Mr. Rae* and *Mr. D. Macdonald* do compose the said Committee.

*Resolved*, That a Committee of seven Members be appointed, to prepare and report, with all convenient speed, the draught of an Address, in answer to the Speech of his Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, delivered this day to both Houses of the Legislature.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Longworth, Mr. Douse, Mr. Thornton, Mr. Cooper, Hon. Mr. Palmer, Mr. Montgomery* and *Mr. D. Maclean* do compose the said Committee.

*Resolved*, That a Committee be appointed, to revise the Journal of each day, after the adjournment.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. D. Macdonald, Mr. Wightman, Mr. Coles, Mr. Longworth* and *Mr. Thornton* do compose the said Committee.

*Resolved*, That a Committee of three Members be appointed, to receive Tenders for the printing of the Journals of this House, for the present Session, and to report thereon to the House.

*Ordered*, That the *Hon. Mr. Palmer, Mr. Coles* and *Mr. Douse* do compose the said Committee.

*Resolved*, That a Committee of five Members be appointed, to keep up a good Correspondence between the two branches of the Legislature, and to report their proceedings from time to time—with power to send for persons, papers and records.

*Ordered*, That the *Hon. J. S. Macdonald, Mr. Macaulay, Mr. Longworth, Mr. Montgomery* and *Mr. Beairsto* do compose the said Committee.

*Ordered*, That the said Resolution be communicated, by Message, to the Legislative Council.

*Ordered*, That the *Hon. J. S. Macdonald* do carry the said Message to the Council.

*Resolved*, That a Committee be appointed, to examine Bills to be engrossed, or that have been engrossed.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Fraser, Mr. D. Macdonald, Mr. Rae, Mr. Thornton* and *Mr. Wightman* do compose the said Committee.

*Resolved*, That a Committee be appointed, to examine what Laws have lately expired, or are near expiring.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Yeo, Mr. Longworth* and *Mr. D. Macdonald* do compose the said Committee.

*Resolved*, That a Committee of seven Members be appointed, to examine and report on the Public Accounts—with power to send for persons, papers and records.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. Longworth, Mr. Cambridge, the Hon. Mr. Palmer, Mr. D. Macdonald, Mr. Thornton, Mr. Wightman* and *Mr. Beairsto* do compose the said Committee.

*Resolved*, That a Committee of five Members, of whom three shall be a Quorum, be appointed, to whom shall be referred every Private Bill, to report thereon.

*Ordered*, That *Mr. D. Macdonald, Mr. Cooper, Mr. Macaulay, Mr. D. Maclean* and *Mr. Rae* do compose the said Committee.

*Ordered*, That a Copy of the Journal of this House be sent to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, each day, as soon as may be after the adjournment.

*Resolved*, That a Reporter be appointed for this House.