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Wednesday, February 15th, 1871.

Wednesday, the Fifteenth day of the month of February, in the Thirty-fourth year of the Reign of Our Sovereign Lady *Victoria*, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain and Ireland*, Queen, Defender of the Faith, being the Fourth Session of the First Parliament of the Dominion of *Canada*, as continued by several Prorogations to this day.

The Members in attendance in the Senate Chamber in the City of *Ottawa*, were :

The Honorable *Joseph Edouard Cauchon*, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Aikins,</i>	<i>Burnham,</i>	<i>Guévremont,</i>	<i>Malhiot,</i>
<i>Armand,</i>	<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Hamilton (Inkerman),</i>	<i>Mills,</i>
<i>Benson,</i>	<i>Chaffers,</i>	<i>Hamilton (Kingston),</i>	<i>Mitchell,</i>
<i>Bill,</i>	<i>Chapais,</i>	<i>Holmes,</i>	<i>Olivier,</i>
<i>Botsford</i>	<i>Cornier,</i>	<i>Lacoste,</i>	<i>Seymour,</i>
<i>Bourinot,</i>	<i>Dickey,</i>	<i>Letellier de St. Just,</i>	<i>Shaw,</i>
<i>Bureau,</i>	<i>Dumouchel,</i>	<i>Locke,</i>	<i>Shead.</i>
	<i>Ferguson,</i>	<i>McDonald,</i>	

His Exoellency the Right Honorable *John*, Baron *Lisgar*, of *Lisgar and Bailieborough*, in the County of *Cavan, Ireland*, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain and Ireland*, and a Baronet, one of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of *St. Michael and St. George*, Governor General of *Canada*, and Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Island of *Prince Edward*, &c., &c., &c., being seated in the Chair on the Throne.

The Honorable the Speaker commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the House of Commons and acquaint that House "It is His Exoellency's pleasure they attend him immediately in this House."

Who being come with their Speaker,

His Exoellency the Governor General was pleased to open the Session by a gracious speech to both Houses.