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The Honourable Mr. Scott, Secretary of State, presented to the Senate,—A Return showing reductions and remissions made under section 141 as added to the Indian Act by section 8, chapter 35, 58-59 Victoria.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 14.*)

The Honourable Mr. Scott, Secretary of State, presented to the Senate,—A Return of Orders in Council relating to the business of the Department of the Interior.

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

(*Vide Sessional Papers, No. 10.*)

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the further adjourned Debate on the Honourable Mr. Power's motion, viz. :—

That the following Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, to offer the humble thanks of this House to His Excellency for the gracious Speech which he has been pleased to make to both Houses of Parliament ; namely :—

TO HIS EXCELLENCY the Right Honourable Sir JOHN CAMPBELL HAMILTON-GORDON, Earl of Aberdeen ; Viscount Formartine, Baron Haddo, Methlic, Tarves and Kellie, in the Peerage of Scotland ; Viscount Gordon of Aberdeen, County of Aberdeen, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom ; Baronet of Nova Scotia ; Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, &c., &c., Governor General of Canada.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY :—

We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Senate of Canada in Parliament assembled, beg leave to offer our humble thanks to Your Excellency for the gracious Speech which Your Excellency has addressed to both Houses of Parliament.

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His Honour the Speaker, under Act 57-58 Victoria, Chapter 11, of the Statutes of the Dominion of Canada, called upon the Honourable William Miller to take the Chair and preside as Speaker during his temporary absence.

The Honourable Mr. Miller accordingly took the Chair of the House.

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After further Debate on the said motion of the Honourable Mr. Power.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Clemow, seconded by the Honourable Mr. Armand, it was

Ordered, That further Debate on the said motion be postponed until to-morrow.

Then, on motion of the Honourable Sir Oliver Mowat, seconded by the Honourable Mr. Scott,

The Senate adjourned.