

The fourth paragraph was then taken under consideration, and which is as followeth:—

“4. We know that Her Majesty’s Government have expressed a strong and deliberate opinion that the Union of the British North American Provinces is an object much to be desired, and that the Legislature of Canada and of Nova Scotia concur in this view, and Your Excellency may rely with confidence on our cordial co-operation in any measure which may be proposed to accomplish that object.”

To which Mr. Kerr moved as an amendment—To expunge therefrom after the word “co-operation,” near to the concluding part of the paragraph, the words “in any measure which may be proposed.”

And upon the question being put, it was carried in the affirmative, and those words expunged; and

The question then taken upon the paragraph as amended, when the House again divided as follows:—

## YEAS.

Hon. Mr. Fisher,	Mr. Johnson,
Hon. Mr. M <sup>c</sup> Millan,	Dr. Dow,
Hon. Mr. M <sup>c</sup> Clelan,	Beckwith,
Hon. Mr. Williston,	Thompson,
Hon. Mr. Wilmot,	Desbrisay,
Hon. Mr. Connell,	Glasier,
Mr. Kerr,	M <sup>c</sup> Adam,
Stevens,	Perley,
Sutton,	Ryan,
Beveridge,	Babbitt,
Chandler,	J. Flewwelling,
Lewis,	W. P. Flewwelling,
Hibbard,	Farris.
Hebert,	

## NAYS.

Mr. Botsford,	Mr. Caie,
Meahan,	M <sup>c</sup> Queen,
Landry,	Young.
M <sup>c</sup> Inerney,	

And so this was carried in the affirmative, and the paragraph, as amended, agreed to.

The House having then gone through the remaining paragraphs of the proposed Address, agreed to the same; and

On motion of Mr. Kerr,

*Resolved*, That the Address be engrossed, signed by the Speaker, and presented to His Excellency by the whole House; and

On like motion of Mr. Kerr,

*Resolved*, That a Committee be appointed to wait upon His Excellency to be informed when he will be pleased to receive the House therewith; and

*Ordered*, That Mr. Kerr, Mr. Beveridge, and Mr. Johnson, be the Committee for that purpose.

The Honorable Mr. Williston moved for leave to bring in—A Bill relating to the administration of Justice in Equity.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in was read a first time; and

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Williston,

The said Bill was read a second time; and

On like motion of the Honorable Mr. Williston,

*Resolved*, That the said Bill “Relating to the administration of Justice in Equity,” be referred to a Select Committee to examine and report thereon; and