

tioner in these counties, and possessed the confidence and esteem of the community. Loyal and patriotic, he had early in life become a volunteer, and, serving as an efficient and zealous officer, was rapidly promoted till, as Colonel of the 42nd Battalion, he did good service, as well in times of threatened invasion as in times of peace. Elected to the House of Commons as member for his native town, he served during two parliaments. A gentleman by nature, kind, affable, and genial in manner, he was a true friend, a generous opponent, and a Christian man, being, at the time of his decease, a churchwarden of Trinity Church. In all the relations of life he held a high place, and his memory will long be cherished lovingly and kindly. To his widow and his family this association desires to offer the sincerest expressions of sympathy and condolence.

Moved by Mr. Brown, seconded by Mr. Marshall :

That a copy of the foregoing resolution, signed by the president and secretary of this association, be transmitted to the widow of our deceased brother.

Moved by Mr. Hutcheson, seconded by Mr. Evertts :

That the members of the Bar do attend, in their robes, the funeral of their deceased brother on Monday next, and do wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days.

Flotsam and Jetsam.

THE LAWYERS LAMENT.

The realm infernal is, we know,
 With good intentions paved,
 And Osgoode Hall from such a fate
 Can hardly now be saved.
 But lawyers, though an upright class,
 As everybody knows,
 May find it hard to walk at ease
 In such a paved close.
 The present pavement, we behold,
 Is vanishing away,
 As fade the mists of early morn
 Before the opening day.
 Oh, what avails a surplus large
 Roll'd up in stately piles,
 When not a cent of it is spent
 In mending of our tiles !
 Too soon the beauty of the floor
 Will perish in decay ;
 Our understanding will be gone,
 To our supreme dismay.
 One thing there will remain to do,
 Upon that fatal day,
 From our opinions "o" we'll drop,
 And heavenward soar away.