

"in relation to the Temporalities of the United Church of *England* and *Ireland*, in this Province."

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Legislative Council, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day for the third reading of the Bill to amend and consolidate the several Acts respecting the assessment of property in *Upper Canada*, being read ;

Mr. *Mackenzie* moved, seconded by Mr. *McKellar*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time ;

The Honorable Mr. *Carling* moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. *Willson*, That all the words after "now" to the end of the Question, be left out, and the words "re-committed to a Committee of the whole House, with instructions to amend the same by 'applying the principle of 'yearly value' instead of 'actual value' to Cities," inserted instead thereof.

And the Question being put on the amendment ; the House divided :—And it passed in the Negative.

Then, the main Question being put,

*Ordered*, That the Bill be now read the third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Legislative Council, and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of the Bill to amend the Act respecting the Superior Courts of Civil and Criminal jurisdiction, being read ;

The Bill was accordingly read a second time ; and committed to a Committee of the whole House, for this day.

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns, it do stand adjourned until Eleven o'clock A.M., this day.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Attorney General *Macdonald*, seconded by the Honorable Mr. Attorney General *Cartier*,

The House adjourned.

Friday, 27th July, 1866.

*Eleven o'Clock, A.M.*

At the hour appointed, Mr. Speaker and the House attended upon His Excellency, the Governor General, with the Address conveying the congratulations of this House to His Excellency on his elevation to the Peerage of *Great Britain*.

And being returned ; Mr. Speaker reported, That the House had attended upon His Excellency with their said Address, to which His Excellency was pleased to make the following Answer :—

*Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly :*

I thank you most heartily for the Address of Congratulation which you have just presented to me, on the occasion of my receiving the mark of Her Royal favor which Our Sovereign has been graciously pleased lately to confer on me.

I am well aware that the terms in which you speak of my Official Conduct are not intended by you as a mere formal and ceremonial expression of your opinion.

I rejoice to find that those who have had the best means of observing my acts, and who are most deeply interested in their results should feel themselves at liberty to record their cordial approbation of my manner of administering the Duties of my Office during a period not uneventful in the annals of the Province, whether we look at its external relations or its domestic condition.

I value the feelings you entertain towards me if possible more highly on public grounds.