

Mr. *Evanturel*, from the Committee of the whole House to take into consideration certain Resolutions on the subject of the encouragement of Superior Education and the establishment of Normal Schools in *Lower Canada*, reported several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:—

1. *Resolved*, That a permanent Fund be established for the promotion of Superior Education in *Lower Canada*.

2. *Resolved*, That the Estates and Property of the late Order of Jesuits be appropriated as the capital of such Fund; and that all moneys arising, as capital, from the sale or commutation of any portion thereof, be invested as part of such Fund.

3. *Resolved*, That the revenues and interests arising from the said Fund, with the unexpended and unclaimed yearly balances of the Common School Fund for *Lower Canada*, and a yearly sum of Five thousand pounds from the Consolidated Revenue Fund of this Province, with such further sum, (if any,) from the *Lower Canada* School Fund, as may be necessary to make up a total of Twenty-two thousand pounds, yearly, be appropriated as an Income Fund, applicable yearly to the purposes aforesaid.

4. *Resolved*, That the amount of the said Income Fund, or such portion thereof as the Governor in Council may direct, and except such as may be required for other purposes under the following Resolutions, be yearly apportioned by the Superintendent of Schools for *Lower Canada*, in such manner and amongst such Universities, Colleges, Seminaries, Academies, High or Superior Schools, Model Schools, and Educational Institutions, other than the ordinary Elementary Schools, as the Governor in Council shall approve, and subject to such conditions as he may direct.

5. *Resolved*, That such sum as the Governor in Council may direct, not exceeding Five hundred pounds in any year, be yearly appropriated as an aid towards the formation of Parish or Township Libraries, in localities where adequate contributions may have been made for the same purpose.

6. *Resolved*, That the Governor in Council be authorized to adopt all needful measures for the establishment of one or more Normal Schools in *Lower Canada*, containing one or more Model Schools, for the instruction and training of Teachers, to select the site or sites for the same, and to erect or procure the requisite buildings and appurtenances.

7. *Resolved*, That a sum, not exceeding One thousand five hundred pounds, be yearly applied out of the Common School Fund for *Lower Canada*, for the salaries of Officers and Contingent Expenses of such Normal School or Schools; and a further sum, not exceeding One thousand pounds yearly, as an aid to facilitate the attendance of Teachers at the said Normal School or Schools; with power to the Governor in Council to apply to the said purposes a further sum, not exceeding Two thousand five hundred pounds, out of the said Income Fund, if the sums first mentioned be found insufficient.

8. *Resolved*, That a sum, not exceeding Two thousand pounds, be yearly set apart, appropriated, and invested under the orders of the Governor in Council, to form, with the proceeds of any property already acquired for Normal School purposes in *Lower Canada*, and not deemed suitable therefor, a Building Fund to defray the expense of providing the necessary sites, buildings, and appurtenances for the said Normal School or Schools.

9. *Resolved*, That the sum of Five thousand pounds be appropriated yearly out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for the encouragement of Superior Education in *Upper Canada*, to be distributed by an annual Parliamentary vote, among the Collegiate Educational Institutions in that portion of the Province, or such of them as the Legislature shall designate.

The Honorable Mr. *Cartier* moved, seconded by the Honorable Mr. *Lemieux*,