

## CANADA.

On motion of Charles Hilaire Têtu, Esq., major of militia, Rivière Ouelle, seconded by Louis Miller, Esq., merchant of Kamouraska :—

*Resolved*, 1.—That the meeting has learnt with the greatest surprise and the most vivid indignation, by yesterday's newspapers, the news of the scandalous scenes of which the capital of Canada has just been the theatre.

On motion of Alexander Fraser, Esq., notary, of St. André, seconded by Joseph Hudon, Esq., merchant, of St. Paschal :—

*Resolved*, 2.—That this meeting cannot find expressions strong enough to mark the cowardly conduct of the self-called loyalists of Montreal, who have had the audacity to commit so gross insults and outrages against the worthy representative of Her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen, and when in the exercise of one of the highest functions of his charge.

On motion of David Solyme Marquis, Esq., physician, of Ste. Anne de la Pocatière, seconded by Joseph René Beaulieu, Esq., physician, of St. Denis :—

*Resolved*, 3.—That we feel the most lively and sincere sympathy for his Excellency Lord Elgin, our worthy Governor, his influential Cabinet, the honourable the Legislative Councillors and liberal members of the Assembly, for their just, firm, and independent conduct on that circumstance.

On motion of Thomas Michaud, Esq., physician, of Kamouraska, seconded by Thomas LeBel, Esq., farmer of the same place :—

*Resolved*, 4.—That the burning of our Legislative House, and still more the destruction of the two provincial libraries, and of the precious documents of all kinds belonging to the archives of the province, deposited therein, are acts unworthy of men living in an enlightened age like the present, and such as will cover their authors with the deepest ignominy, and assimilate them to those hordes of barbarians who, in remote centuries, burnt the valuable library of Alexandria.

On motion of Vincencas Taché, Esq., seignior of St. Paschal, seconded by Josaphat Bouchard, Esq., captain of militia of Rivière Ouelle :—

*Resolved*, 5.—That this meeting most pressingly invite his Excellency the Governor-General and the Legislative Chambers immediately to remove to Quebec, the ancient capital of Canada, where a Parliament House is ready, and where, especially, they will be out of the reach of the furious men who have shown their audacity at the seat of Government.

On motion of J. B. Martin, Esq., notary, of St. Paschal, seconded by Pierre Dessaint, Esq., merchant, of Kamouraska :—

*Resolved*, 6.—That the manifest of the British American League, addressed to the inhabitants of Canada, which has just been published in the newspapers, is a document which would be particularly remarkable for the ridicule by which it is characterized, did it not moreover contain principles as destructive of the franchises and liberty of the great majority of the inhabitants of this province, as insulting to their character as British subjects.

On motion of Honoré St. Torrie, Esq., notary of St. Denis, seconded by Major Desjardins, of Kamouraska :—

*Resolved*, 7.—That should there be a repetition of the scenes which have carried disorder and destruction in the city of Montreal, this meeting think it to be their duty publicly to express the firm determination of all the loyal inhabitants of this county to co-operate, by all means in their power, to the maintenance of good order and public peace in this province.

On motion of Augustin Martineau, Esq., J. P. of St. Anne de la Pocatière, seconded by Paschal Dumais, Esq., notary, of Kamouraska :—

*Resolved*, 8.—That far from being intimidated by the nefarious and villainous acts of those infuriated men, carried away by national hatred, we entertain the confident hope that our statesmen, the representatives of the people, will insist the more in completing the business of this session.

On motion of Joseph Garon, Esq., Notary, of St. Denis, seconded by Louis Frenette, Esq., Commissioner of Small Causes, of Rivière Ouelle :—

*Resolved*, 9.—That this meeting has considered with the greatest scorn and the most grounded indignation, the unqualifiable conduct of Sir A. McNab, in his proposition to the Legislative Assembly, to appropriate, in repairing the acts of unheard iniquity of the incendiaries of our Parliament House, the 100,000*l.* granted as an indemnity for the losses suffered during the rebellion of 1837 and 1838.

On motion of Valence Garon, Esq., merchant, of Ste. Anne de la Pocatière, seconded by Charles Letellier, Esq., merchant, of Rivière Ouelle :—

*Resolved*, 10.—That the liberal press of this country deserves our thanks, on this painful and unhappy circumstance, for its feeling of reprobation of the act of Vandalism which has just defiled the new capital of Canada, and for its expressions of true loyalty and sincere attachment towards our Gracious Sovereign, and Her worthy representative in this colony, as contained in its last columns, and that it be requested to publish the present resolutions.

On motion of Louis Beaupré, Esq., merchant, of St. Paschal, seconded by François Casgrain, Esq., seigneur de la Rivière Ouelle :—

*Resolved*, 11.—That this meeting takes the present opportunity to express its approbation to Pierre C. Marquis, Esq., our representative, and to the honourable Amable Dionne and Jean Bte. Taché, our two legislative councillors, for their conduct in Parliament.

On motion of Thomas Bechard, Esq., notary, of St. Denis, seconded by Ludger Têtu, Esq., physician, of Rivière Ouelle :—

*Resolved*, 12.—That the Chairman of this meeting be instructed to transmit copy of these Resolutions to our representatives, with request to present them to his Excellency and the three branches of the Legislature.