

by such Members of this House as are of the Honorable the Executive Council of this Province.

On motion of Mr. *Dunkin*, seconded by Mr. *Mackenzie (Lambton)*,

*Resolved*, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying His Excellency to cause to be laid before this House, Copies of all Memorials, Reports, Commissions, Instructions to Commissioners, Correspondence and other documents having reference to the Railway Postal Service, or to the payment therefor, not heretofore presented to this House.

*Ordered*, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, by such Members of this House as are of the Honorable the Executive Council of this Province.

On motion of Mr. *Mackenzie (Lambton)*, seconded by Mr. *McKellar*,

*Resolved*, That this House will, on Monday next, resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider certain proposed Resolutions regarding the Assessment Laws of *Upper Canada*.

The Honorable Mr. Attorney General *Cartier*, one of Her Majesty's Executive Council, delivered to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Excellency the Governor General, signed by His Excellency;

And the said Message was read by Mr. Speaker, all the Members of the House being uncovered, and is as followeth:—

MONCK.

The Governor General lays before the Legislative Assembly the "Civil Code of *Lower Canada*," as framed by the Commissioners under the second chapter of the Consolidated Statutes for *Lower Canada*, together with the Reports, Correspondence and other papers connected therewith.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

Quebec, 26th January, 1865.

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

The House adjourned.

Friday, 27th January, 1865.

The following Petitions were severally brought up, and laid on the Table:—

By Mr. *Gagnon*,—The Petition of *J. Bouchard* and others, of the Parish of *St. Louis de l'Isle aux Coudres*, County of *Charlevoix*.

By Mr. *Cowan*,—The Petition of the Agricultural Society of the South Riding of the County of *Waterloo*.

By Mr. *Scatcherd*,—The Petition of the Agricultural Society of the Electoral Division of *West Middlesex*.

By Mr. *Macdonald (Toronto West)*,—The Petition of *F. H. Medcalf*, Mayor of the City of *Toronto*, on behalf of the Citizens, and of *Marcus Rossin*, on behalf of the Directors, for the re-construction of "The *Rossin House*."

By Mr. *Rymal*,—The Petition of the Agricultural Society of *South Wentworth*.

By Mr. *McConkey*,—The Petition of the Agricultural Society of *North Simcoe*.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Petitions were read:—

Of the Right Reverend the Anglican Lord Bishops of *Montreal* and *Quebec*; setting forth certain grievances, and praying relief.

Of Mrs. *C. McLaughlin*, widow of the late *Lawrence McLaughlin*, and others; praying