

absence of all three, the members present being a majority of the whole Council shall elect a chairman who shall preside at the meeting.

9 That no member shall speak disrespectfully of the Queen or person administering the Government of the Dominion or Provinces ; nor shall he use unmannerly or indecent language against the proceedings of the Council or any member thereof ; nor shall he speak before the question in debate.

10. That each member may of right require the question or motion under discussion to be read for his information at any time of the debate, but not so as to interrupt a member speaking.

11. That no member shall speak more than once on the same question without leave of the Council, except in explanation of a material part of his speech which may have been misconceived ; but then he is not to introduce new matter.

12. That no member shall speak more than once without leave of the Council, upon a previous question.

13. That the journals be written in a plain legible hand, and that the Clerk do immediately make an index to the journals of the Council, referring to the several matters therein contained.

14. That the rules of the Council shall be observed in a Committee of the whole Council, so far as they may be applicable, except the rule limiting the number of times of speaking.

15. That upon a division in the Council the names of those who vote for, and those who vote against the question, shall be entered upon the minutes if any one member requires it.

16. That a motion to adjourn shall always be in order.

17. That a motion, that the chairman leave the chair, shall always be in order, and shall take place of any other motion.

18. That no motion shall be debated or put unless the same