

Thursday, 30th March, 1893.

The House met at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable *JOHN JONES ROSS*, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Allan,	DeBlois,	Macfarlane,	O'Donohoe,
Angers,	Desjardins,	MacInnes (Burlington),	Ogilvie,
Armand,	Dever,	Masson,	Pelletier,
Bellerose,	Dickey,	McCallum,	Perley,
Bernier,	Dobson,	McClelan,	Poirier,
Botsford,	Drummond,	McInnes (Victoria),	Power,
Boucherville, de	Ferguson,	McKay,	Primrose,
Boulton,	Gowan,	McKindsey,	Read (Quinté),
Bowell,	Guévremont,	McLaren,	Reid (Cariboo),
Boyd,	Kaulbach,	McMillan,	Robitaille,
Casgrain,	Kirchhoffer,	Merner,	Thibaudeau,
Chaffers,	Lewin,	Montplaisir,	Vidal,
Clemow,	Macdonald (Victoria),	Murphy,	Wark.

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Mr. Power, from the Special Committee appointed to consider and revise or add to the Rules, Orders and Forms of Proceeding of the Senate, presented their First Report.

Ordered, That it be received, and

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 2,

THURSDAY, 30th March, 1893.

The Special Committee appointed to consider and revise or add to the Rules, Orders and Forms of Proceeding of the Senate, with power to report from time to time, beg leave to make the following as their Report:—

Your Committee submit herewith draft copy of the Rules and Standing Orders as recommended for adoption.

They recommend that the new edition, when printed, shall contain the Rules and Standing Orders, the Manual of Procedure, the British North America Act, 1867, and its amendments, and also the Governor-General's Commission and Instructions, and that the Divorce Rules shall follow after Rule 100, in the proposed draft. They recommend that the pages of the Volume be numbered continuously; that a Table of Contents of the whole be prefixed; that there be separate indexes for the Rules and the Statutes; that the text shall be in small pica; and that the Volumes be bound similarly to those heretofore in use.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. G. POWER,
Chairman.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Power, seconded by the Honourable Mr. Read (Quinté), it was

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the House.