

That upon the question, whether the said amendment should pass, the Committee divided—

CONTENT.	NON-CONTENT.
The Hon. The President, Mr. Robertson, Mr. Hatch, Mr. Simonds.	The Hon. Mr. Shore, Mr. Saunders, Mr. Botsford, Mr. Chandler, Mr. Solicitor General, Mr. Minchin, Mr. Hazen, Mr. Hill, Mr. Harrison.

And so it passed in the negative.

The said Address being read, was approved of by the House, and is as follows :—

*To His Excellency Sir EDMUND WALKER HEAD, Baronet, Lieutenant Governor and Commander in Chief of the Province of New Brunswick, &c. &c. &c.*

THE HUMBLE ADDRESS OF HER MAJESTY'S LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL IN  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY CONVENED.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY,

We, Her Majesty's Dutiful and Loyal Subjects, the Legislative Council in General Assembly, thank Your Excellency for the Speech at the opening of the Session.

We participate in the regret so generally felt at the death of the late Queen Dowager of England, whose name will long be endeared to the Nation by the recollection of her deep piety and active benevolence.

We cordially join in Your Excellency's congratulations on the blessings which Providence has vouchsafed to us, in the late abundant Crop, and in the confident hope that our Commerce and Manufactures will, from this as well as from other causes, gradually revive.

We acknowledge with fervent gratitude the mercy of Providence in sparing us from the ravages of that disease which has so fearfully prevailed in our neighbourhood and other parts of the world.

We shall await with much interest the Report of Professor Johnston on the subject of our Agricultural capabilities; and we rejoice in Your Excellency's persuasion that the publication of his examination and opinions on this subject will tend as well to promote an improved description of Immigration as to stimulate the native industry of the Province; and Your Excellency may rely on our most earnest consideration of any suggestions which may emanate from this distinguished Professor, and in our willingness to concur in any measures having for their object the development of our valuable Mineral and Agricultural resources.

We are gratified by the expression of Your Excellency's confidence, that the recent changes in the Navigation Laws of the Mother Country will not prove injurious to the Commercial interests of this Province, but on the contrary, that the reciprocal removal of restrictions on the Cargoes of British Ships in Foreign Ports will create