that any earthly act can lawfully prevail against reason and justice, against mankind and against Heaven. "Canute the Great enacted on the spot, hitherto shall the tide flow and no further: but the law of gravity superseded it. And no truthless legislation can be regarded as paramount to truth, though the sword may enforce it—Lord North once said: "it's a strange right which the moment it is exercised becomes a wrong." But Shakespeare better expresses the truth in nearly these words, "the exercise of a legal right may be a moral wrong." Now the moral wrong may so predominate, as to utterly invalidate the exercise of the legal right. Hence the Christian rule,—"judge ye whether you will rather obey God or man." We compromise about two millions of people—of Christians—and with the Bible in our hands as our eternal charter, we dare hand the rights and liberties it has vouchsafed to us, from a Legislator more Supreme than the mistress of the world.—We ask that there may be no interference with our religious matters, with our domestic churches, or with our ministers, or with whatever is paid from us into the Treasury of the Most High—we ask that the 3rd and 4th Vicissitudes may be repealed. The 3rd & 4th Vic., cap. 78, is unconstitutional, because it subverts the principle of taxation by honest unanimity provides for the rising and appropriation of money without our consent. It is contrary to the Constitutional decision. We are, however, that our money cannot be raised from us without our consent. 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[illegible] York, had not been [illegible] ment drawn from [illegible] that the Reserves were not our property, and if not our property, [illegible] not be sold to [illegible] Now waiving the general [illegible] that every people derive in a new country their wealth from its natural resources, he (Mr. R.) reminded the hon. member of the terms of the constitutional act, by which we were empowered to "alter, vary, or repeal," the clauses relating to the Clergy Reserves.—He (Mr. R.) had already read to the hon. member the invitation of Lord Glenelg to exercise that power to "abolish the Reserves," and to "vest" them in the Crown.—By the constitutional act and by all British statesmen this property has been recognised as belonging to the country and disposable by its Parliament. This act is further unconstitutional, as striking at the foundations of British liberty, as recorded in the imperishable memorial of our rights, and our Magna Charta. By Magna Charta, every Briton is "protected in the free enjoyment of his life, his liberty, and his property, unless forfeited by his peers or the law of the land." By the bill of rights "the levying of money for or to the use of the Crown, by pretence of prerogative, without grant of Parliament, for longer time or in other manner than the same is or shall be granted, is illegal." By the petition of rights, "no man can be compelled to make or yield any gift, loan, benevolence, tax, or such like charge, without common consent by act of Parliament." But our money, even to the churches is bestowed from us from our Reserves without the consent of Parliament, and against the voice repealed. The 3rd & 4th Vic., cap. 78, is unconstitutional, because it subverts the principle of taxation by honest unanimity provides for the rising and appropriation of money without our consent. It is contrary to the constitutional decision. 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