

SPEECH

BY

MR MULOCK

AT MASSEY HALL, TORONTO,

On 22nd of February, 1896.

ON

"REMEDIAL LEGISLATION."

The Chairman called upon Mr. MULOCK to move the following resolution :—

Resolved, that the jurisdiction of the Dominion Parliament in educational matters is exceptional and, while we may not be united as to whether such jurisdiction ought to exist, we are unanimous that it ought not to be resorted to except in cases of a gross and clearly-proven abuse of the power of the majority in any Province, and after all other efforts to remedy the grievance have been exhausted."

MR. MULOCK, in support of the resolution, said :—

"As a party man, it may be thought I am in strange company to-night, in appearing on a platform with gentlemen whose political alliances are not mine, and whose views on many public questions I do not share ; but, Sir, the occasion is one which warrants, aye, demands, the co-operation of citizens of all classes and of all political and religious creeds, in order to the solution of a vexed problem justly and wisely—(applause)—and which, if so solved, will preserve friendly and cordial relations between all classes of our people, and thus assure success to