

A Message from the Legislative Council by *John Godfrey Spragge*, Esq., Master in Chancery,— Message from Legislative Council.

MR. SPEAKER :

The Legislative Council have passed the Bill, intituled “ *An Act to repeal certain Ordinances therein mentioned, and to establish a Board of Works in this Province,*” without any amendment. Board of Works bill passed.

And then he withdrew.

On motion of Mr. *Powell*, seconded by Mr. *Thorburn*.

*Resolved*—That an humble address be presented to His Excellency, the Governor General, praying that his Excellency will be pleased to cause to be laid before this House, a statement in detail of the monies that have been collected under and by virtue of an Act of the Legislature of that part of the Province formerly called *Upper Canada*, passed in the 7th year of the Reign of WILLIAM the *Fourth*, chapter *ninety-five*, intituled, “ *An Act granting to His Majesty a sum of money for the erection of certain Light Houses within the Province, and for other purposes therein mentioned,*” from 1837 to 1840 inclusive—together with a statement including the cost of the several Light Houses that have been erected under and by virtue of the said Act, and the respective and aggregate expenses of keeping and maintaining the same during that period. Address to be sent to His Excellency for statement of moneys collected under 7 Wm 4, chap. 95.

*Ordered*—That the said address be presented to His Excellency by such members of this House as are of the Honourable the Executive Council of this Province.

On motion of Mr. *Small*, seconded by Mr. *Christie*,

*Ordered*—That the report of the Commissioners appointed to investigate into the cause of the riot which occurred at *Toronto* after the late election for that city, be referred to the Committee to which was referred the Petition of *Peter Leppard*, of *East Gwillimbury*, *Home District*, and other references. Report of Commissioners on Toronto riots referred to com. on petition of Peter Leppard.

*Ordered*—That the Order of the day for the second reading of the Bill to incorporate the *Montreal Board of Trade* be postponed until *Monday* next. Order of day for 2nd reading Montreal Board of Trade bill, postponed 'till Monday next.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. *Moffatt*, seconded by Mr. *Delisle*,

*Ordered*—That the Bill to secure to and confer upon *Jacques Alexandre Tailhades*, an Inhabitant of this Province, the Civil and Political Rights of a natural born *British Subject*, read a second time on *Wednesday* the 14th day of *July* last, be now taken into further consideration. Bill for relief of J. A. Tailhades, considered.

The House proceeded accordingly to take the said Bill into further consideration.

*Ordered*—That the following proviso be added to the first section of the said Bill, and do make part thereof: Proviso added to bill.

“ Provided always, that in order to entitle himself to the benefit of this Act, the said *Jacques Alexandre Tailhades*, shall take and subscribe, before the Clerk of the Peace for the District of *Montreal*, the Oath of Allegiance to Her Majesty, Her Heirs, and Successors; and that such Oath, so taken and subscribed, shall be kept by the Clerk of the Peace among the Records of his Office.”

*Ordered*—That the said Bill, as amended, be engrossed and read a third time on *Monday* next. Bill as amended to be engrossed

On motion of Mr. *Henry Smith*, seconded by Mr. *Thorburn*.

*Resolved*—That the following fees be allowed to the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, and the Clerk of this House, for the time being, for as- Table of fees to be allowed to Clerk of Crown in Chancery.