

The House, and also the debate, were adjourned during pleasure.

After some time the House was resumed, and

The debate upon the proposed amendment was also resumed and objected to,

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was

Resolved in the affirmative.

The question being then put on the Main Motion, as amended, it was also

Resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

DISSENTIENT :—

Because public opinion has long and repeatedly been expressed on the necessity of rendering this Branch of the Legislature Elective.

Because the almost unanimous vote of the Legislative Assembly, irrespective of party, has in the most unequivocal manner, ratified the opinion of the people as hereinbefore expressed.

Because the opposition of this House to the universal desire of the inhabitants of *Canada*, unsustained either by a party in the other branch of the Legislature or out of it, is unprecedented, and of a nature to cause the most serious apprehensions.

JNO. ROSS,
E. P. TACHÉ,
LOUIS PANET,
N. F. BELLEAU,
D. M. ARMSTRONG,
EBENEZER PERRY,
JOS. LEGARÉ,
EUS. CARTIER.

The Order of the Day being again read for moving, pursuant to notice, that the Journals of this Honorable Council of the sixth day of September last, containing the Speech of his Excellency the Governor General, on opening Parliament; and also, the Journals of the fourteenth of September, containing the Address of this House, in answer to the Speech, be read, in order that a series of Resolutions founded upon the fourth paragraph of the said Address may be submitted for the consideration of this Honorable Council.

It was moved,

That the same be discharged from the Orders of the Day.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the same was

Resolved in the affirmative, and

Ordered accordingly.

A Message was brought from the Legislative Assembly by the Honorable Mr. Cameron and others, with a Bill, intituled, "An Act to amend the Criminal Law of this Province," to which they desire the concurrence of this House.