

The Clerk at the Table informed the Senate that the Honourable the Speaker *pro tem* was unavoidably absent.

The Honourable Senator Macdonald, P.C., seconded by the Honourable Senator Horner:—

That in the absence of the Honourable the Speaker *pro tem*, the Honourable Senator Wilson do preside as Speaker.

The question of concurrence being put thereon, the Clerk declared the said motion carried in the affirmative.

Whereupon, the Honourable Senator Wilson took the Chair.

PRAYERS.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure. 3:45 p.m.

The Senate resumed. 8:30 p.m.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator Macdonald, P.C., it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until to-morrow, at one o'clock in the afternoon.

The Senate adjourned.