

Sir JOHN A. MACDONALD said he thought that as his hon. friend from Vancouver had had an opportunity for making his explanations, which would go to the country and to the hon. gentleman's constituents, he (Mr. Bunster) had better adopt the suggestion of the Finance Minister, and withdraw his motion. Its passage, of course, was hopeless.

Mr. BUNSTER said that he would comply with the suggestions of the Finance Minister and of the leader of the Opposition, but nevertheless he would probably move the motion in

amendment to the motion of the right hon. member for Kingston or before going into Committee of Supply. He would merely add that British Columbia had been worse treated, and therefore had more cause to feel discontented than any other Province in the Dominion. He hoped the Government might see their way to granting what he had asked for at some future time, and bring it down as part and parcel of their policy.

Motion, with leave of the House, *withdrawn*.