

maritime jurisdiction, and we shall consider attentively the measure to be laid before us designed to reorganize those tribunals.

We are glad to learn that a Code of the Criminal Law has been prepared in order that that branch of our jurisprudence may be simplified and improved, and Your Excellency may rest assured that our best attention will be given thereto.

Your Excellency has been pleased to inform us that measures relating to the Foreshores of the Dominion and to the obstruction of its navigable waters, will be submitted to us, and that we shall also be asked to consider amendments to the Acts relating to the North-West Territories, to the Exchequer Court Act, and to the Acts relating to Trade Marks. We respectfully assure Your Excellency that they shall receive our attentive consideration.

We humbly join in Your Excellency's prayer that in the consideration of these matters, and in the performance of all the labours which will devolve on us, our deliberations may be Divinely aided, and that their results may enlarge the prosperity of the Dominion, and promote in every way the well-being of its people.

After Debate,

The question of concurrence being put thereon, it was unanimously resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General by such Members of this House as are Members of the Privy Council.

Then, on motion of the Honourable Mr. Abbott, seconded by the Honourable Mr. Carling,

The House adjourned until Monday next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Monday, 4th May 1891.

The Members convened were :—

The Honourable *ALEXANDRE LACOSTE*, Speaker,

The Honourable Messieurs

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| <i>Abbott,</i> | <i>DeBlois,</i> | <i>McKay,</i> | <i>Pelletier,</i> |
| <i>Allan,</i> | <i>Dever,</i> | <i>McKindsey,</i> | <i>Perley,</i> |
| <i>Almon,</i> | <i>Dickey,</i> | <i>McMillan,</i> | <i>Poirier,</i> |
| <i>Armand,</i> | <i>Flint,</i> | <i>Macdonald</i> | <i>Power,</i> |
| <i>Baillargeon,</i> | <i>Girard,</i> | (<i>Victoria, B.C.</i>) | <i>Prowse,</i> |
| <i>Beilerose,</i> | <i>Glasier,</i> | <i>MacInnes</i> | <i>Read (Quinté),</i> |
| <i>Bolduc,</i> | <i>Gowan,</i> | (<i>Burlington</i>), | <i>Reseor,</i> |
| <i>Botsford,</i> | <i>Grant,</i> | <i>Macpherson</i> | <i>Ross,</i> |
| <i>Boucherville, de,</i> | <i>Guévremont,</i> | (<i>Sir David Lewis</i>), | <i>Sanford,</i> |
| <i>Boulton,</i> | <i>Kaulbach,</i> | <i>Masson,</i> | <i>Scott,</i> |
| <i>Boyd,</i> | <i>Lougheed,</i> | <i>Merner,</i> | <i>Smith,</i> |
| <i>Carling,</i> | <i>McCallum,</i> | <i>Miller,</i> | <i>Stevens,</i> |
| <i>Casgrain,</i> | <i>McClelan,</i> | <i>Montplaisir,</i> | <i>Sutherland,</i> |
| <i>Chaffers,</i> | <i>McDonald (C. B.),</i> | <i>O'Donohoe,</i> | <i>Tassé,</i> |
| <i>Clemow,</i> | <i>McInnes</i> | <i>Ogilvie,</i> | <i>Vidal,</i> |
| <i>Cochrane,</i> | (<i>Victoria, B.C.</i>), | <i>Pâquet,</i> | <i>Wark.</i> |