

be likely to repeat the operation. If however, candidates would persist in paying taxes to obliging voters, so much the better for the municipalities.

After some further discussion the clause was allowed to stand.

The qualification of voters in cities was reduced from \$500 assessment to \$400.

Clause 100, providing for the election by the people of Mayors in cities and towns, was adopted.

The Committee passed clauses down to No. 342 with slight amendments, and then rose and reported progress, asking leave to sit again to-morrow.

ADJOURNMENT.

Attorney-General MOWAT moved the adjournment of the House, and said that on Thursday, or perhaps Wednesday, he would be able to do away with the anxiety under which the hon. gentleman (Mr. Cameron) was labouring in respect to the Municipal Loan Fund scheme.

Mr. CAMERON also reminded the Attorney-General of the promises made by the Government about bringing down further Railway Orders in Council, and a further School Bill than that now before the House, which was merely a consolidation of the laws now in existence.

Mr. McCALL spoke of the Agricultural Farm scheme.

ADDRESS TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL.

On motion of Attorney-General MOWAT, a Committee composed of Messrs. Cumberland, Gifford, Monk, and Hodgins, was appointed to proceed to Ottawa to present to his Excellency the Governor-General in person the address passed by the House in the early portion of the Session.

The House then adjourned at 11:25 p.m.

NOTICE OF MOTION.

Attorney-General Mowat—On Wednesday next—That for the remainder of this session, when this House adjourns on Friday, it shall stand adjourned till Saturday at one of the clock in the afternoon, on which day there shall be no evening sitting, and that on each day of the sitting of the House throughout the remainder of the session, excepting Mondays, Government orders shall have precedence.
