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Provincial Parliament.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Saturday, April 25, 1819.

The House met at three o'clock in the vestry of Trinity Church, when some co-operation took place respecting an address to His Excellency. The discussion was taken part by Mr. George Moore, Ross, McColl, Jones, and George Kippax, Esq., and Mr. John Clark. The sentiments of the House, which were unanimous, were that the Bill for indemnifying the Lower Canadian Rebels out of the public revenue, be rejected.

Moved by G. Ritter, Esq., seconded by Ald. Dugan, and resolved unanimously,

That this meeting deplores the distresses which have taken place in the City of Montreal, resulting in the destruction of the records of the Province and the Provincial Library; but it is with even deeper regret, that they are compelled to attribute these events

to the conduct of their agents.

The orders of the day were then discharged, and the House adjourned.

Monday, April 30, 1819.

The Council met at three o'clock in the vestry of Trinity Church, when some co-operation took place respecting an address to His Excellency.

The discussion was taken part by Mr. George Moore, Ross, McColl, Jones, and George Kippax, Esq., and Mr. John Clark. The sentiments of the House, which were all in favor of the address, being drawn up, which might meet the unanimous concurrence of house members, all of whom deplored the destruction of property, and were anxious that measures would be adopted to quiet the excitement. It was voted, that that Mr. Ross would have a draft of an address ready by the next time it might be given for its consideration, although Mr. Viger read the draft of which had drawn up; but as discussions on the matter were postponed, none took place.

Mr. McColl, however, moved, and carried, a resolution that the House, in view of its interest in the subject, should be adjourned.

The House then adjourned.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

Monday, April 29, 1819.

At 3 past ten this morning the House of Assembly, in the Committee room, and although no consideration of members were in attendance, no business transacted except that the Hon. Speaker had called the members to order, intimated to the House that the Directors of the Exchange Banking Room had thrown open their doors to the members of the House. The intimation was received with a smile, for, however, short, it did not pass unnoticed.

Shortly after, various movements among the militia in the market gave evidence that something of importance was about to take place, and as the aid adage came to our minds, " come events as they may, we'll face them, and, if our strength be insufficient, we'll manage to make good," we were long kept in suspense, and were stained the fact that His Excellency had sent to us the day for the purpose of receiving the address from the Legislative Assembly.

About two o'clock two parties of the 21st Highlanders were stationed, one on each side of the main entrance to the Hall of the Market, where the 21st and 40th Regiments were encamped, for four days, and managing over a thousand men, and the advance of the others to keep creation of any disturbance from the Market in existence.

On the arrival of the troops, the market was also closed, and the main entrance to the Hall of the Market, where the 21st and 40th Regiments were encamped, was closed, and the 21st and 40th Regiments were encamped over a thousand men, and the advance of the others to keep creation of any disturbance from the Market in existence.

Moved by Ald. Dugan, seconded by Hon. G. Crookshank, and resolved unanimously,

That this Address be forthwith prepared, and presented to Her most gracious Majesty, requesting the adoption of such measures as will restore confidence to her faithful Canadian subjects, by the dissolution of the present Rebellion Losses Bill, the recall of the Governor General, and the dissolution of the present House of Assembly.

Moved by Ald. Dugan, seconded by Hon. G. Crookshank, and resolved unanimously,

That a Committee be appointed to forward such Address, in duplicate, to Her Majesty, that a Delegate be appointed to take charge of the same, and that Sir A. R. McNab, be requested to act as such Delegate.

Moved by the same gentleman, and resolved unanimously,

That the members of this meeting be given notice to the Mayor, for his kindness in taking the Chair, and for his assistance on this occasion.

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## RESOLUTIONS

PASSED AT THE TORONTO MEETING.

Moved by the Hon. Wm. Allan, seconded by J. H. Hazerty, Esq., and resolved unanimously,

That the inhabitants of Toronto have learned with surprise and regret that the Governor General has given the Royal assent to the Bill for indemnifying the Lower Canadian Rebels out of the public revenue.

Moved by G. Ritter, Esq., seconded by Ald. Dugan, and resolved unanimously,

That this meeting deplores the distresses which have taken place in the City of Montreal, resulting in the destruction of the records of the Province and the Provincial Library; but it is with even deeper regret, that they are compelled to attribute these events

to the conduct of their agents.

Moved by W. Atkinson, Esq., seconded by J. D. Read, Esq., and resolved unanimously,

That the inhabitants of Toronto, at this meeting assembled, deplore as they do all acts of violence, placing themselves in our utmost exertion and influence to preserve the public peace.

Your Petitions will ever pray, &c. &c. &c.

and to weaken the ties that bind them to the parent state.

We earnestly and most respectfully pray,

that your Majesty will take into your gracious consideration, the following proposition:

—That the present House of Assembly be dissolved, so that the people may have an opportunity to express their sentiments constitutionally, respecting the conduct of the present Colonial Government; and that, in no case, will your Majesty's assent be given to a measure which, like the Bill for the payment of the Rebellion Losses, has the effect of rewarding rebellion and sanctioning disloyalty.

We earnestly hope, that your Majesty will attribute to the true source, the holdans and planness of the language of your Petitioners. Were they less sincere in their attachment to your Majesty, they would use milder words of which silent.

Professionally convinced of the deep danger threatening your royal authority, by a person in this fatal policy, we feel, that it is our duty, as faithful subjects of the Imperial power, which requires all acts of an unusual character in its exercise, to give the Royal Assent to the Bill which has the effect of indemnifying rebels for losses directly occasioned by their own treason, —interdicting the right of the most unanimous voice of Canada, and in violation of that wise regulation of the Imperial policy, which requires all acts of an unusual character in its exercise, to give the Royal Assent to the Bill which has the effect of indemnifying rebels for losses directly occasioned by their own treason, —interdicting the right of the most unanimous voice of Canada, and in violation of that wise regulation of the Imperial policy, which requires all acts of an unusual character in its exercise, to give the Royal Assent to the Bill which has the effect of indemnifying rebels for losses 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