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OPINION

DE M. GRÉGOIRE,

CURÉ D'EMBERMENIL,

DÉPUTÉ DE NANCI,

SUR LA SANCTION ROYALE,

A la Séance du 4 Septembre.

MESSIEURS,

LA Sanction Royale n'est, à mon avis, que l'acte par lequel le Prince déclare que tel décret est émané de la Législature, & promet de le faire exécuter. Sa fonction se réduit à promulguer la Loi.

En vertu de sa dignité, a-t-il droit de participer au Pouvoir législatif? Non, car il ne

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became a member. Abbot Grégoire was a brilliant product of the Enlightenment, he sided with tolerance towards the Jews and took sides for a reform of the church, which would lead it towards a form inspired by Jansenism and Gallicanism. In this text, Abbot Grégoire calls for a sort of veto from the legislative power against the royal power by absolute definition, 2 months after the storming of the Bastille, this opinion given in a session of the National Assembly by the deputy for Meurthe is a big step towards equality.