

*“ May it please your Honor.”*

“ The House of Assembly have made suitable provision for the payment of the Ordinary Services. And they have provided as liberally for other Public Services, as the funds of the Province would warrant.

“ They have the fullest confidence, that all the grants which have been placed at Your Honor’s disposal, will be so faithfully and judiciously applied, as to have all the beneficial effect intended by the House in making them.

“ The House of Assembly also passed a Bill for raising a Revenue, which contained such necessary and proper provisions, as would have insured its due collection, and would have guarded the same from frauds : And they deeply lament that this Bill has been rejected by the Council. The Assembly have now only to hope, that your Honor, will, with that wisdom and vigour, which has distinguished your Honor’s Administration, adopt such measures, as will tend to avert the evils which must fall upon the Country by the loss of its Revenue.

“ I now tender to your Honor on behalf of His Majesty’s faithful and loyal subjects, the Commons of New-Brunswick.

A Bill to appropriate a part of the Public Revenue to the payment of the Ordinary Services of the Province.

A Bill to appropriate a part of the Public Revenue, for the services therein mentioned.

And a Bill to provide for opening and repairing Roads, and erecting Bridges throughout the Province.

To which Bills, I pray your Honor’s assent.”

That His Honor was pleased to give his assent to the several Bills of Appropriation tendered, as well as the following :

A Bill to continue an Act for the better extinguishing of Fires that may happen within the City of Saint John, and to repeal all the Acts now in force, relating to the same.

A Bill further to continue an Act for the more effectual punishment of persons who shall be guilty of the trespasses therein mentioned, in the City of Saint John.

A Bill to continue the Act now in force for regulating the Assize of Bread in the Town of Fredericton.

A Bill to regulate the Assize of Bread in the Parish of Portland.

A Bill for erecting and maintaining a Boom on the River Kouchabouguasis, in the County of Kent.

A Bill for erecting a part of the Parish of Wakefield, in the County of York, into a separate or distinct Town or Parish.

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled “ An Act to extend the Provisions of an Act intituled “ An Act to repeal the laws now in force for appointing Fire-Wards, and the better extinguishing of Fires, so far as the same relates to the Town of Fredericton, and to make regulations more suitable to the said Town, to the Towns of Newcastle and Chatham, and their vicinities, in the County of Northumberland.”

A Bill to encourage the erection of an Oat-Mill at Dorchester, in the County of Westmorland.

A Bill to continue the Laws now in force for appointing Firewards, and for the better extinguishing Fires in the Town and Parish of Fredericton.

A Bill to authorize the Justices of the Peace in the several Counties, in their General Sessions, to make regulations for Carmen, Waggoners and Truckmen ; and to establish the rates and fares to be taken for the Cartage and Trackage of Goods, in the several Towns throughout the Province, and also to regulate the measurement of Coals and Salt.

A Bill to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte, to lease a certain piece of Common Land, in the Parish of Saint Andrews, for the purpose of erecting thereon a suitable building for an Hospital for Sick and Disabled Seamen.

A Bill for the better and more effectual securing the Navigation of the River Saint Croix, in the County of Charlotte.

A Bill to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the County of Charlotte to assess the inhabitants for erecting a Gaol in the said County.