FRIDAY, 3d February, 1843.

PRESENT:

THE HON.

Mr. Black.
Mr. Baillie,
Mr. Robinson,
Mr. Saunders,
Mr. Attorney General,
Mr. Chander,
Mr. Street.

The Honorable Mr. Black sat President.

PRAYERS.

The Honorable Mr. Botsford, from the Committee appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, to ascertain when this House would be received with their Address in answer to His Excellency's Speech at the opening of the Session, reported that they had done so, and His Excellency was pleased to say, he would receive the Address this day at two o'clock.

At two o'clock the House proceeded to the Government House, with their Address, and having returned

The Honorable the President reported, that His Excellency had been pleased to receive the same, and to return an answer thereto, of which he had obtained a copy, which he read; and it was read again by the Clerk as follows:—

" Mr. President and Honorable Gentlemen,

"I offer you my cordial acknowledgements for your Address.

"I justly appreciate in the present's tuation of the Province the support which you express your desire to afford me, and I hope with your assistance, that the public interests will be essentially promoted by the measures of the present Session."

Aljourned until Monday next at 12 o'clock.

MONDAY, 6th February, 1843.

PRESENT:

THE HON.

Mr. Bluck, Mr. Shore,
Mr. Buillie, Mr. Botsford,
Mr. Attorney General, Mr. Lee,
Mr. Chandler, Mr. Street.

The Honorable Mr. Black sat President.

PRAYERS.

The Honorable Mr. Shore, a Member of Her Majesty's Executive Council, by command of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, lays before the House—

A Copy of the Blue Book, made up to the 30th day of September, 1842: also

A detailed Account from the Surveyor General, made up for the year ending the 31st day of December, 1842: and

A Report from Abraham Gesner, Provincial Geologist.

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