Thursday, April 12, 1866.

PRESENT:

The Hon. Mr. Montgomery, President.

The Hon. Mr. Anderson,

The Hon. Mr. McDonald,
Beer, Mr. McLaren.

Mr. Beer, Mr. Dingwell,

Mr. Palmer, Mr. Ramsay.

Mr. Goff, Mr. Henderson.

Mr. Walker.

PRAYERS.

Pursuant to the Order of the day, the House was adjourned during pleasure, and again put into a Committee of the whole on the Address in answer to His Excellency's Speech at the opening of the present Session.

After some time the House was resumed; and

The Hon. Mr. Goff, from the said Committee, reported that the Committee had made further progress in the business to them referred, and had instructed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the said Committee have leave to sit again this afternoon.

The Council then adjourned.

At a quarter past Four o'clock in the afternoon, the House met.

The House was then adjourned during pleasure, and again put into a Committee of the whole on the Address in answer to His Excellency's Speech at the opening of the present Session.

After some time the House was resumed; and

The Hon. Mr. Goff, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the Address, paragraph by paragraph, and had agreed to the same without any amendment.

And the said Address, being again read by the Clerk;

The Hon. Mr. McDonald moved, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Dingwell,

To amend the said Address by striking out the Fifth paragraph, and substituting the following in lieu thereof: