

16th May, 1861.

First Session Eighth General Assembly, 24th and 25th Victoria.

Ordered—That the Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor by a deputation of the whole House, and that the Honorable the President do ascertain from His Excellency the Governor at what time he would be pleased to receive the same.

Notice of motion. Honorable Mr. STABB gives notice that on to-morrow he will move the suspension of the 35th Rule of this House with reference to any Revenue Bill that may come up from the Assembly.

House adjourns. On motion made and seconded, the House adjourned until to-morrow at 3 o'clock P. M.

THURSDAY, MAY 16, 1861.

House meets. The House met pursuant to adjournment.

PRESENT :

Members present. The Honorable LAURENCE O'BRIEN, *President*,
 " EDWARD MORRIS,
 " NICHOLAS STABB,
 " ROBERT KENT,
 " PATRICK KOUGH,
 " ROBERT J. PINSENT.

Minutes read. The Minutes of Wednesday last were read.

Revenue Bill brought up and read 1st time. A deputation from the House of Assembly brought up a Bill for the concurrence of this House entitled "An Act to continue an Act passed in the Twenty-third Year of the Reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, entitled 'An Act for granting to Her Majesty certain Duties on Goods, Wares and Merchandize imported into this Colony and its Dependencies,' "

35th Rule suspended. Which was read a first time, and, pursuant to notice and on motion of the Honorable Mr. STABB, the 35th Rule of the House was suspended in reference to the said Bill :