FRIDAY, March 15, 1861.

The Council met, pursuant to adjournment.

PRESENT:

The Honorable Dr. Young, President;

The Hon. Mr. Forgan, The Hon. Mr. Simpson,

Mr. Walker, Mr. Ramsay,

Mr. Hutchinson, Mr. Gardiner,

Mr. Palmer, Mr. Goff,

Mr. Johnson, Mr. M'Laren.

PRAYERS.

Mr. President informed the House that continued indisposition prevents Mr. Swabey from attending in his place.

Ordered, That Mr. Swabey's excuse be received.

Ordered, That the Bill intituled "An Act to authorize the exportation of the Horse Saladin from this Island, and to repeal a certain Act therein mentioned," be now read for the third time.

The said Bill was, according to order, read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That the Bill intituled "An Act to continue the Act relating to Packets sailing between this Island and the Provinces of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick" be now read for the third time.

The said Bill was, according to order, read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That a Message be sent down to the House of Assembly, acquainting that House that the Legislative Council have passed the said Bills without any amendment.

Mr. Palmer, a Member of Her Majesty's Executive Council, by command of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, delivered a written Message, signed by His Excellency, which the House received standing.

The same was then read by the Clerk, and is as follows: