

8th January, 1830.—Ordered, that an Address be presented to His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, in answer to his Speech at the opening of the Session.

Ordered, that the Honourable Messieurs Powell, Wells and the Honourable and Venerable the Archdeacon of York, be appointed a Committee to prepare such an Address.

11th January, 1830.—The Honourable and Venerable the Archdeacon of York, from the Select Committee appointed to prepare an Address to His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, in answer to his speech at the opening of the Session, reported a draft thereof, which was read a first time and referred to a Committee of the Whole. The Committee reported the draft without amendment. It was read a second time, and ordered to be read a third time to-morrow.

12th January, 1830.—Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Address to His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor was read a third time and passed. [The part of it evidently relating to the College Charter is as follows] :

It is gratifying, as well as interesting, for us to learn that the questions submitted to His Majesty's Government, whatever difficulties may have occurred in determining them, or in reconciling the respective interests with which they are connected, are passing through a diligent investigation, as it evinces the earnest desire of His Majesty that this portion of his Dominion should reap the full benefit of good laws and free institutions.

JOHN B. ROBINSON.
Speaker.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL CHAMBER,
YORK, 12th of January, 1830.

Ordered, that the Honourable Messieurs Wells and Allan be a Committee to wait on His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, to know when he will be pleased to receive the House with their Address. The Committee reported that His Excellency had appointed to-morrow at ten o'clock a. m. for that purpose.

13th January, 1830.—At the hour appointed the House proceeded to the Government House, and having returned, the Speaker reported that His Excellency had been pleased to receive their Address, and returned an answer thereto as follows :

HONOURABLE GENTLEMEN :

I return you my thanks for this Address.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
YORK, 18th January, 1830.

J. C.

20th January, 1830.—The Honourable William Dickson brought up the Petition of the United Presbytery of Upper Canada, which was laid on the Table.

22nd January, 1830.—The Petition of the United Presbytery of Upper Canada, praying for an Act to be passed providing for the education of the Presbyterian youth in this Province, was read.

A deputation from the Commons House of Assembly brought up a Bill, intituled : "An Act to Incorporate the Trustees of the Grantham Academy," to which they requested the concurrence of this House, and withdrew.

The Bill intituled : "An Act to Incorporate the Trustees of the Grantham Academy" was read, and the same was ordered to be read a second time on Tuesday next.

27th January, 1830.—Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill intituled : "An Act to Incorporate the Trustees of the Grantham Academy" was read a second time ; and it was ordered, that the House be put into a Committee of the Whole on the same to-morrow.

28th January, 1830.—Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the House was put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled : "An Act to Incorporate the Trustees of the Grantham Academy." The Honourable Charles Jones took the chair.

After some time the House resumed, and the Chairman reported that the Committee had taken the said Bill into consideration, had made some progress therein, and asked leave to sit again to-morrow. Ordered, that the Report be received, and leave granted accordingly.

29th January, 1830.—Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the House was again put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill intituled : "An Act to Incorporate the Trustees of the Grantham Academy." The Honourable William Allan took the chair.

After some time the House resumed, and the Chairman reported that the Committee had taken the said Bill into consideration, had made some progress therein, and asked leave to sit again this day. Ordered, that the Report be received, and leave granted accordingly.