

RULES and REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED IN

THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

OF

NEWFOUNDLAND.

I.

The Members of the Legislative Council are to sit in the order prescribed by Her Majesty.

II.

The President, when he speaks to the House, is always to be uncovered, and is not to adjourn the House, or do anything else as mouth of the House, without the consent of the members first had, excepting the ordinary things about Bills which are of course, wherein the Members may likewise over-rule, as for preferring one Bill before another, and such like. And in case of difference among the Members, it is to be put to the question; and if the President will speak to any thing particular, he is to go to his own place as a Member.

III.

That immediately after the President shall have taken the Chair, the doors shall be closed, and the Journals of the preceding day be always read.

IV.

That any Member may at any time desire the House to be cleared of strangers, and the President shall immediately give directions to execute the order, without debate.