

21st & 22nd December, 1826.

THIRD SESSION OF THE 9th PROVINCIAL PARLIAMENT, 7th GEO. IV.

Committed.³ On motion made and seconded, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole, to take the same into consideration.

House in Committee.

Mr. Dunn in the Chair.

The Speaker resumed the Chair.

Adopted. The Chairman reported that the Committee had taken the said Addresses into consideration, and recommended them to the adoption of the House.

Ordered that the Report be accepted.

On motion made and seconded, the said Addresses were ordered to be engrossed and read a third time to-morrow.

On motion made and seconded, the House adjourned during pleasure.

The House formed.

Prince Edward Division Bill brought up. A Deputation from the Commons' House of Assembly being announced, it was admitted, and brought up for the concurrence of this House, a Bill, entitled, "An Act to provide for the erection of the County of Prince Edward into a separate District."

Read first time. The Deputation having withdrawn, the said Bill was read a first time, and—

On motion made and seconded, the said Bill was ordered to be read a second time the first meeting of the House after the Holidays.

On motion made and seconded, the House adjourned until to-morrow at twelve o'clock.

Friday, 22d December, 1826.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

PRESENT.

THE HONORABLE WILLIAM CAMPBELL, SPEAKER,

THE HONORABLE MESSRS. BABY,

" " M'GILL,

" " CROOKSHANK,

" " WELLS,

" " CAMERON,

" " DUNN,

" " RIDOUT,

" " ALLAN.

Prayers were read.

The Minutes of yesterday were read.

Addresses read third time and passed. Pursuant to the order of the day, the Addresses in answer to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor's Messages received on Wednesday last, were read a third time, and the question being put upon each Address respectively, if it do now pass, was carried in the affirmative, whereupon the Speaker signed the same as follows:—

To HIS EXCELLENCY SIR PEREGRINE MAITLAND, *Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Military Order of the Bath, Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Upper Canada, and Major General Commanding His Majesty's Forces therein, &c. &c. &c.*

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY,

Relative to Debentures. The Legislative Council return their respectful thanks to your Excellency for transmitting to them a statement of Debentures, issued under authority of the several Provincial Statutes of the 2d, 4th, and 7th years of His Majesty's Reign, Chapters 5, 24, and 20.

(Signed)

WILLIAM CAMPBELL,

Speaker.

Legislative Council Chamber, }
22d December, 1826. }