

such neglect : it is hereby ordered, that every Surveyor shall, before he enters upon the execution of any Warrant of Survey, apply to the said Office for such Instructions as shall at the said Office be deemed requisite to be given in such behalf, and that from and after the date of this Order, no Return or Diagram of Survey shall be certified by the said Surveyor General or any other person acting in such capacity, unless it shall appear that such Survey has been made in consequence of Instructions received from the said Office, and that the Return and Diagram are conformable thereto.

APPENDIX C.

It appears by an Entry in the Council Book, (marked C.) of the 20th February 1792, that a Land Committee was on that day named in Council.

On the 17th March 1792, a Report of a Committee of the whole Council upon certain doubts suggested by the Land Committee, is entered.

In this Report after observing that "An abundant Population of these Countries seem to be the main object of the Royal Instructions" the Chairman of the Committee proposes a plan for the ordinary progress of the business of the Land Office Department, as follows :

1st. A Petition to the Governor for the vacancy desired, under a description to be accurately ascertained by a future Survey.

2d. The reference of it to a Committee of the Council for their Report.

3d. Judgment in Council thereon; and when for the Grant, an Order for issuing a Warrant to the Surveyor General's Office, for the Return of a Survey agreeable to the Royal Instructions; this Warrant to be under the Governor's Hand and Seal at Arms.

4th. Then the adjustment in Council of the shares of each of the Patentees.