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SECOND SESSION OF THE SEVENTEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

ANNO QUINTO VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

AT HALIFAX, IN THE PROVINCE OF NOVA-SCOTIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL CHAMBER,

Thursday, 20th January, 1842.

The General Assembly having been prorogued to this day, the Council met :

PRESENT-

The Honorable S. B. Robie, President.

The Right Reverend and Honorable the Lord Bishop. The Honorable Peter M'Nab, conconcon

Norman F. Uniacke, James W. Johnston, William Lawson,

The Honorable Alexander Stewart, Michael Tobin, Junr. John Morton. Hugh Bell.

At a quarter past two of the clock in the alternoon, His Excellency the Right Honourable H. E. comes to Lucius Bentinck, Viscount FALKLAND, Knight Grand Cross of the Guelphic Order, and Mem- H. E. comes to Council Chauber ber of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, Lieutenant-Governor and Commander in Chief in and over Her Majesty's Province of Nova-Scotia, and its Dependencies, &c. &c. &c., came to the Council Chamber, attended as usual, and, being seated, the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod received His Excellency's command to let the House of Assembly know "It is His Excellency's will and pleasure they attend him immediately in this House"-who, being come, with their Speaker, His Excellency was pleased to open the H. A. attend Session with the following Speech :

Mr. President, and Honorable Gentlemen of the Legislative Council; Mr. Speaker, and Gentlemen of the House of Assembly; مريز محاويق البيرة فلا يجابسا ويكاف المك

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