

MONDAY, 11th FEBRUARY, 1833.

House attend with
Address

Mr. Speaker and the House attended His Honor the Administrator of the Government with their Address, pursuant to the order of Saturday last.

And being returned,

Mr. Speaker reported, that His Honor was pleased to give this Answer to the Address of the House.

Mr. Speaker, and Gentlemen of the House of Assembly :

Answer of President
to Address

I am very thankful to you for the sentiments, in reference to myself, which are expressed in this Address, and for the cordial offer of your support and assistance.

While a good understanding animates the Legislature, and the several Branches of it zealously co-operate to advance the Public Interests, a happy termination of its labors may be expected.

State of Currency
made order of day

On motion of Mr. Deblois, *resolved*, that this House will, on Monday next, the 18th instant, take into consideration the state of the Currency of this Province.

A Message from the Council, by Mr. Halliburton :

Mr. Speaker,

Committee of Council
on Public Accounts

The Council have appointed Mr. Cunard, Mr. McNab, and Mr. Allison, a Committee to join the Committee of the House of Assembly, to examine the Public Accounts.

And then the Messenger withdrew.

Provincial Account
Current laid before
House

Mr. Lawson presented to the House, an Account from Mr. Treasurer Wallace, of all Monies received into, and payments made from, the Provincial Treasury, between the 1st January, and the 31st December, 1832.

Ordered, That the Account do lie on the Table, to be perused by the Members of the House.

House proceed to
ballot for Select
Committee on Cape
Breton Election

At two of the clock, the Serjeant at Arms was directed to go to the places adjacent, and require the immediate attendance of the Members on the business of the House, who having returned and reported that he had so done, the House was counted, and thirty-three Members being present, (exclusive of Mr. Speaker and Mr. W. Young, the sitting Member,) and all other previous measures prescribed by the Act of the General Assembly, made and passed in the first and second years of His late Majesty's Reign, entitled, "An Act to regulate the Trials of Controverted Elections or Returns of Members, to serve in the House of Assembly of this Province," having been taken, and the Petitioner and his Counsel, as also the Counsel of the sitting Member, being in attendance at the Bar of the House, the doors of the House were locked, and the order of the day was read, whereupon the House proceeded to ballot for a Select Committee, to try the merits of the Return and Election of William Young as a Member for the County of Cape-Breton, in the manner prescribed by said Act, when the following names of fifteen Members present were drawn, viz:—Mr. Cochran, Mr. Wier, Mr. Smith, Mr. R. Dickson, Mr. Freeman, Mr. B. Dewolf, Mr. Huntington, Mr. Shey, Mr. Lent, Mr. Oxley, Mr. Morton, Mr. Deblois, Mr. Fairbanks, Mr. Johnston, and Mr. Harris; and thereupon, Mr. Bliss was named by Richard Smith, Esquire, the Petitioner, to be added to those so chosen by lot, and Mr. J. R. Dewolf was, thereupon, named by Mr. W. Young, the Sitting Member, to be also added thereto; and the names so drawn, having been (pursuant to the said Act and in the manner thereby prescribed,) reduced to seven as follows, viz:—Mr. Wier, Mr. Freeman, Mr. Huntington, Mr. Shey, Mr. Lent, Mr. Morton and Mr. Harris, those seven Members, last named, together with the said two Members, nominated as aforesaid, were duly sworn by the Clerk at the Table of the House, "well and truly to try the merits of the Petition referred to them, and a true Judgment to give according to the evidence," pursuant to the provisions of the said Act, and thereupon,

Ordered,