

ture, should have prevented the passing of the Appropriation Bill, usually enacted at the end of the Session; but, I trust, this will not be found a circumstance from which any great inconvenience will result. Such of the votes for granting money, for the services agreed on, as have been sent up by the House, and concurred in by the Council, will be paid: as was usually done, previous to the practice in this Province of passing such Bills; and out of the Revenue granted for the support of the Government, and not otherwise appropriated, I shall feel myself justified in paying the Salaries usually granted to the officers of Government, and in discharging the current contingencies of the public service; amongst which I shall willingly include the pay of the Members at the rate of Ten Shillings per day; and such of them as shall apply at the Treasury, will be accordingly paid, on the usual certificates. I have only to recommend to you the cultivation of peace and good order in your several stations and situations in the Province, as the safest and best means of securing and increasing the happiness of the people.

And afterwards the President of His Majesty's Council, said,

GENTLEMEN,

It is his Excellency's will and pleasure, that this General Assembly be prorogued to Thursday the first day of November next, to be then here held, and this General Assembly is accordingly prorogued to Thursday the first day of November next.