

TUESDAY, 31st JANUARY, 1837.

*County of Juste-ai-Corps.*—William Young.  
*County of Cumberland.*—Gaius Lewis, Alexander Stewart.  
*County of Hunts.*—Benjamin Smith, Hemy Goudge.  
*County of King's County.*—Samuel Chipman, Thos. Andrew S. Dewolf.  
*County of Annapolis.*—William Holland.  
*County of Yarmouth.*—Herbert Huntington.  
*County of Shelburne.*—Winthrop Sargent.  
*County of Queen's County.*—Samuel P. Fairbanks.  
*County of Lunenburg.*—William Rudolf, Garret Miller.

*Township of Halifax.*—Hugh Bell, Thomas Forrester.  
*Township of Truro.*—Alexander L. Archibald.  
*Township of Onslow.*—Alexander M. Upham.  
*Township of Londonderry.*—Glorid Wilson McLellan.  
*Township of Pictou.*—Henry Hatton.  
*Township of Sydney.*—Edmund Murray Dodd.  
*Township of Arichat.*—Lawrence O'Connor Doyle.  
*Township of Amherst.*—Robert McGowan Dickey.  
*Township of Windsor.*—Lewis Morris Wilkins.  
*Township of Falmouth.*—John Elder.  
*Township of Newport.*—James W. Allison.  
*Township of Cornwallis.*—John Morton.  
*Township of Horton.*—Perez M. Benjamin.  
*Township of Annapolis.*—Elnathan Whitman.  
*Township of Granville.*—Stephen S. Thorne.  
*Township of Digby.*—James B. Holdsworth.  
*Township of Yarmouth.*—Reuben Clements.  
*Township of Argyle.*—Simon D'Entremont.  
*Township of Shelburne.*—Peter Spearwater, Junior.  
*Township of Barrington.*—John Sargent.  
*Township of Liverpool.*—William B. Taylor.  
*Township of Lunenburg.*—John Heckman.

After which, a Message was delivered from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, by Mr. Secretary George, as follows :

*Gentlemen of the House of Assembly :*

His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor commands your attendance immediately in the Council Chamber.

Accordingly, the Members went up to attend His Excellency in the Council Chamber ; where the President of His Majesty's Council, by His Excellency's command, said,

*Gentlemen,*

I am commanded by His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, to inform you that he doth not think fit to declare the causes for which he has convened this General Assembly, until the House of Assembly have elected a Speaker.

It is therefore His Excellency's pleasure, that the House of Assembly do return to their own Chamber, and there elect a Speaker, and present him for His Excellency's approbation.

And the House being returned,

Mr. G. Smith, addressing himself to the Clerk (who standing up, pointed to him, and then sat down) proposed to the House, for their Speaker, Samuel George William Archibald, Esq. His Majesty's Attorney-General, and Member for the County of Colchester, and moved that Samuel George William Archibald, Esquire, do take the Chair of this House, as Speaker : which motion, was seconded by Mr. Stewart, and the choice of the House having unanimously fallen upon the said Samuel George William Archibald, Esquire, he stood up in his place and