

pay due regard to their circumstances and conveniencies when represented with decency and with a desire of yielding proper obedience to the Laws.

The general tranquility which at present happily prevails throughout the Province affords good reason to hope, that there will be little occasion for having practical recourse to those extraordinary powers that have been thought proper to be vested temporarily in the Executive Government; and if, from the secret machinations of the Enemy any instances should happen in which it may become necessary to resort to those extraordinary Powers, I doubt not but the vigilance of the Magistrates, actuated by your influence and example, and supported by the Zeal of His Majesty's faithful Subjects in this Province, will convince the Offenders of their Temerity and give an effectual check to their designs.

Permit me to wish you a happy meeting with your Families and Friends, and to request that you will assure your fellow subjects in your respective Neighbourhoods, that the security of their happiness and prosperity will, on all occasions, call forth my best endeavours, and be the constant Object of my Care.

After which the Honorable Speaker of the Legislative Council said—

*Gentlemen of the Legislative Council, and*

*Gentlemen of the House of Assembly,*

IT is His Excellency the Governor's Will and Pleasure, that this Provincial Parliament be Prorogued until Thursday the eighteenth day of July next, to be then here held; and this Provincial Parliament is accordingly Prorogued until Thursday the eighteenth day of July next.