

Saturday, 23rd November, 1833.

SIR JOHN COLBORNE, K. C. B., *Lieutenant Governor.*

**UPPER CANADA.**

J. COLBORNE,

WILLIAM the FOURTH by the Grace of GOD of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith.

The Writ.

To our trusty and well beloved Thomas Alexander Stewart; and to all to whom these presents shall come;

**GREETING :**

KNOW YE, that as well for the special trust and confidence that We have manifested in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the state and defence of our said Province of Upper Canada, and the Church thereof, concern: We have thought fit to Summon you to the Legislative Council of our said Province: And we do therefore command you the said Thomas Alexander Stewart, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear for the purposes aforesaid, at the Legislative Council of our said Province at all times whensoever and where-soever our Provincial Parliament may be therein hereafter convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of our said Province to be hereunto affixed: Witness our trusty and well beloved SIR JOHN COLBORNE, K.C.B., Lieutenant Governor of our said Province, and Major General commanding our Forces therein, at York, this Twentieth day of November, in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty-three, and in the Fourth year of our reign.

J. C.

By His Excellency's Command.

ROBERT S. JAMESON,  
*Attorney General*

D. CAMERON,  
*Secretary.*

Then the Honorable Mr. Stewart came to the Table and took the oath prescribed by Law, which was administered by Grant Powell, Esquire, one of the Commissioners appointed to administer the oath to the Members of the Legislative Council; and took his seat accordingly.

Oath prescribed by Law administered to him.

He takes his seat.

The Honorable Mr. Wells, from the Select Committee appointed to draft an Address to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor in answer to His Excellency's Speech at the opening of this Session, reported a draft thereof, which he read in his place.

Report of the Select Committee appointed to draft an address to Lieut. Governor, thanking him for his Speech.

Draft read 1st time.

Ordered, that the Report be received; and,

The said draft was again read by the Clerk; and it was,

Read 2nd time.

Ordered, that the House be forthwith put into a Committee of the whole to take the same into consideration.

The House was then put into a Committee of the whole accordingly.

Committed.

The Honorable Mr. Wells took the Chair.

After some time the House resumed.

The Chairman reported that the Committee had gone through the said Address, had made some amendments thereto, and recommended the same to the adoption of the House.

Amendments reported.

Ordered, that the Report be received; and,

Adopted.

Ordered, that the said Address be engrossed and read a third time to-morrow.

On motion made and seconded the House adjourned.

House adjourns.

SATURDAY, 23d NOVEMBER, 1833.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

House meets.