

JOURNALS

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

THURSDAY, the Nineteenth day of the month of January, in the Twenty-eighth year of the Reign of Our Sovereign Lady *Victoria*, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland*, Queen, Defender of the Faith, being the Third Session of the Eighth Provincial Parliament of *Canada*, as continued by several Prorogations to this day:

The Members in attendance in the Building prepared for the accommodation of the Legislative Council, in the City of *Quebec*, were:—

The Honorable **ULRIC JOSEPH TESSIER**, Speaker.

The Honorable Messieurs

<i>Alexander,</i>	<i>Burnham,</i>	<i>Matheson,</i>	<i>Ross,</i>
<i>Allan,</i>	<i>Campbell,</i>	<i>Mills,</i>	<i>Ryan,</i>
<i>Belleau, Sir N. F.</i>	<i>Foster,</i>	<i>Olivier,</i>	<i>Seymour,</i>
<i>Bennett,</i>	<i>Hamilton (Kingston),</i>	<i>Panet,</i>	<i>Shaw,</i>
<i>Blake,</i>	<i>Leslie,</i>	<i>Perry,</i>	<i>Taché, Sir E. P.,</i>
<i>Bossé,</i>	<i>Letellier de St. Just,</i>	<i>Prud'homme,</i>	<i>Vidal.</i>
<i>Boulton,</i>			

His Excellency the Right Honorable **CHARLES STANLEY**, Viscount **MONCK**, Baron **MONCK** of *Ballytramon*, in the County of *Wexford*, Governor General of *British North America*, and Captain General and Governor-in-Chief in and over the Provinces of *Canada*, *Nova Scotia*, *New Brunswick*, and the Island of *Prince Edward*, and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c., &c., &c., being seated in the Chair on the Throne, the Honorable the Speaker commanded the Gentlemen Usher of the Black Rod to let the Assembly know "It is His Excellency's pleasure they attend him immediately in this House;"

Who being come with their Speaker, His Excellency the Governor General was pleased to open the Session by a gracious Speech to both Houses.

Honorable Gentlemen of the Legislative Council :
Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly :

In calling you together to resume the performance of your constitutional duties, I desire to express my thankfulness to a beneficent Providence that I am enabled to congratulate you on the general prosperity and contentment of the people of this Province, and the continuance to us of the inestimable blessing of peace.

Outrages have been committed on the commerce and territory of the *United States of America* by persons who, after the perpetration of these acts, have sought refuge on Canadian soil.