

# JOURNALS

## OF THE

# LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

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**T**HURSDAY, the Thirteenth day of the month of August, in the twenty-seventh 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 First 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 Messieurs

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| <i>Aikins,</i>             | <i>Currie,</i>              | <i>Leslie,</i>                | <i>Quesnel,</i>         |
| <i>Alexander,</i>          | <i>De La Terrière,</i>      | <i>Letellier de St. Just,</i> | <i>Read,</i>            |
| <i>Allan,</i>              | <i>Dessaulles,</i>          | <i>McOrea,</i>                | <i>Reesor,</i>          |
| <i>Archambault,</i>        | <i>Dickson,</i>             | <i>McDonald,</i>              | <i>Rénaud,</i>          |
| <i>Armand,</i>             | <i>Duchesnay, E. H. J.,</i> | <i>McMaster,</i>              | <i>Ross,</i>            |
| <i>Baby,</i>               | <i>Ferrie,</i>              | <i>McMurrich,</i>             | <i>Ryan,</i>            |
| <i>Belleau, Sir N. F.,</i> | <i>Ferrier,</i>             | <i>Malhiot,</i>               | <i>Sanborn,</i>         |
| <i>Bennett,</i>            | <i>Flint,</i>               | <i>Masson,</i>                | <i>Seymour,</i>         |
| <i>Blair, Fergusson,</i>   | <i>Foster,</i>              | <i>Matheson,</i>              | <i>Shaw,</i>            |
| <i>Blake,</i>              | <i>Gordon,</i>              | <i>Mills,</i>                 | <i>Simpson,</i>         |
| <i>Boulton,</i>            | <i>Guévremont,</i>          | <i>Moore,</i>                 | <i>Skead,</i>           |
| <i>Bureau,</i>             | <i>Hamilton (Inkerman),</i> | <i>Clavier,</i>               | <i>Smith,</i>           |
| <i>Campbell,</i>           | <i>Hamilton (Kingston),</i> | <i>Panet,</i>                 | <i>Taché, Sir E. P.</i> |
| <i>Christie,</i>           | <i>Lacoste,</i>             | <i>Perry,</i>                 | <i>Tessier,</i>         |
| <i>Cormier,</i>            | <i>Lenieux,</i>             | <i>Proulx,</i>                | <i>Wilson.</i>          |
| <i>Crawford,</i>           | <i>Leonard,</i>             | <i>Prudhomme,</i>             |                         |

### PRAYERS:

The Clerk informed the Honorable Members present that during the Recess he had received certain Returns from the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery;  
Which said Returns were then read as follow :—

PROVINCE OF CANADA, }  
TO WIT :

This is to certify that, in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the thirteenth day of April last past, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to the Returning Officer for the Electoral Division of *Wellington* (*William Ritchie, Esquire*, appointed Returning Officer for the Electoral Division of *Wellington*), for the election of a