

NEW BRUNSWICK.

Message to the Legislative Council.—2nd May, 1865.

ARTHUR GORDON.

His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor lays before the Legislative Council the copy of a Despatch from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, dated 8th April, 1864.

A. H. G.

Downing Street, 8th April, 1864.

SIR,—I have had the honor to receive your Despatch of the 14th of March, transmitting a Joint Address of Congratulation from the Legislative Council and the House of Assembly of New Brunswick, to Her Majesty on the Birth of a Son to the Prince and Princess of Wales.

You will have the goodness to inform the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, that I have laid their Address before the Queen, and that Her Majesty received with much satisfaction the expression of the loyalty and attachment of the Legislature of New Brunswick, and of their good wishes to the Royal Family.

I have, &c.

(Signed)

EDWARD CARDWELL.

Lieutenant Governor Hon. Arthur Gordon, C. M. G., &c. &c. &c.

On motion—

ORDERED, That seven hundred and fifty more copies of the Debates of this House be supplied by the Publisher for the use of this House, at his offer of \$100 additional charge, making in all the sum of \$280 for the whole two thousand copies.

The Honorable Mr. Davidson, by leave, presented the following Petitions, viz:—

From Angus McEachren, and others, for Act to incorporate Pilots in the Port of Miramichi.

From the Reverend William Henderson, and others, for an Act in reference to Banns of Marriage, Fees, &c.

From James Millar, and others, for Act to authorize Trustees of Schools to sell land, &c.

From George E. Letson, and others, for an Act to authorize the inhabitants to support their own paupers, &c.

ORDERED, That the same be received and lie on the Table.

The Honorable Mr. Perley, by leave, presented a Petition from George S. Milligan, and others, for alteration of Section 6, Chapter 106, Revised Statutes, respecting Fees for Certificates of Marriage.

ORDERED, That the same be received and lie on the Table.

The Honorable Mr. Chandler, by leave, presented a Petition from the Reverend Patrick Holahan, and others, for Bill to fence certain Intervale Lands in Westmorland.

ORDERED, That the same be received and lie on the Table.

The Honorable Mr. Odell, by leave, presented a Petition from the Reverend James H. Tupper, and others, praying for Act to alter Banns of Marriage, and Fees on Licences.

ORDERED, That the same be received and lie on the Table.

Adjourned until To-morrow at 11 o'clock.