

While we rejoice to be informed of the Birth of another Princess, we regret to learn the death of Her Royal Highness the Duchess of Gloucester.

We shall enter upon our labours with the earnest prayer that our deliberations may result in the maintenance of the character and the advancement of the prosperity of the Province.

ORDERED, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency by the whole House.

ORDERED, That the Honorable Messieurs Saunders and Hill be a Committee to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, to know when this House will be received with their Address in answer to His Excellency's Speech at the opening of the Session.

The Honorable the President acquaints the House, that by a Mandamus under the Royal Sign Manual, dated the twenty third day of March one thousand eight hundred and fifty seven, John Earle, Esquire, was appointed a Member of this House, and desired to be admitted.

ORDERED, That the Honorable Messieurs Hill and Harrison be a Committee to attend the Honorable Mr. Earle, and see him qualified.

ORDERED, That the Journals of this House be printed daily, and that three hundred copies thereof be furnished for the use of this House.

Adjourned until To-morrow at 12 o'clock.

THURSDAY, 25th June, 1857.

PRESENT :

THE HON.

Mr. Black, President.

*Mr. Saunders,
Mr. Minchin,
Mr. Hill,
Mr. Odell,
Mr. Rice,*

*Mr. Botsford,
Mr. Hazen,
Mr. Harrison,
Mr. Steeves,
Mr. Earle.*

PRAYERS.

The Honorable Mr. Saunders, from the Committee appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, to know when this House would be received with their Address in answer to His Excellency's Speech, reported that they had attended to that duty, and that His Excellency was pleased to say that he would receive the House at half-past one o'clock to-day.

The Honorable Mr. Hill, from the Committee appointed to attend the Honorable Mr. Earle, and see him qualified to take his seat in this House, reported that they had attended to that duty, and that the Honorable Mr. Earle had taken the usual oath in the presence of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor.

The Honorable Mr. Earle was then introduced between the Honorable Messieurs Hill and Harrison, and took his Seat.

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