to have and to hold the said office and place for and during our Royal Pleasure and your actual residence within our said Province, together with the rights, powers, authorities, profits and emoluments which to the said office of Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod of the said Legislative Council do belong, or of right ought to belong or appertain.

In testimony whereof, We have caused these our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of our said Province of Canada to be hereunto affixed.

Witness our right trusty and well-beloved the RIGHT HONOURABLE CHARLES, BARON Sydenham, of Sydenham, in the County of Kent, and of Toronto, in Canada, one of our most Honourable Privy Council, Governor-General of British North America, and Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief in and over our Provinces of Canada, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and the Island of Prince Edward, and Vice Admiral of the same.

At our Government House, at Kingston, in our said Province of Canada, the tenth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-one, and in the fourth year of our reign.

By Command,

D. DALY, Secretary.

The Honourable the Speaker, declared this House continued until to-morrow, at twelve o'clock at noon, the House so decreeing.

Tuesday, 15th June, 1841.

The Members convened were:

The Honourable, the Vice Chancellor, Speaker,

The Honourable, Messieurs,

The Honourable Messieurs.

McKay.

DeBlaquiere, Macaulay, Sullivan, Hamilton, Morris, Bruneau. Joliette, McDonald, Quesnel, Knoulton,

Fergusson,

The Honourable the Speaker informed the House, that the Honourable Mr. Ferrie was at the bar, having Her Majesty's Writ summoning him to the Legislative Council, and that he had already taken and subscribed the oath prescribed by law, before one of the Commissioners appoined by his Excellency the Governor-General for that purpose.

The Writ of Summons was then read by the Clerk as follows:—

PROVINCE OF ? Canada.

SYDENHAM.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of GOD, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith.

To our trusty and well-beloved Adam Ferrie, Esquire.

NOW Ye, that as well for the especial trust and confidence We have manifested in Writ summoning the Hon. Adam Forrie to the you, as for the purpose of obtaining your ad-Forrio to the Council. vice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs, which may the state and defence of our Province of Canada, and the Church thereof concern; We have thought fit to summon you to the Legislative Council of our said Province, and We do command you, the said Adam Ferrie, Esquire, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear, for the purposes aforesaid, in the Legislative Council of our said Province, at all times whensoever and wheresoever our Provincial Parliament may be, in our said Province, 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 of Canada to be hereunto affixed.

Witness our right trusty and well-beloved the RIGHT HONOURABLE CHARLES, BARON SY-DENHAM, of Sydenham, in the County of Kent, and of Toronto, in Canada, one of our most Honourable Privy Council, Governor-General of British North America, and Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief in and over our Provinces of Canada, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and the Island of Prince Edward, and Vice-Admiral of the

At our Government-House, in our Town of Kingston, in our said Province of Canada, the ninth day of June, and in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fortyone, and in the fourth year of our reign.

> ${f T}$ nos. Amiot, Clerk of the Crown in Chancery.

The Honourable Mr. Ferrie was then introduced by the Honourable Messieurs Morris and Fergusson, and took his seat accordingly.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the House, that the Honourable Mr. Roy was at Roy in the bar, having Her Majesty's Writ summoning

Adjourn.