

The advancement of these noble Provinces in Population, and in Agricultural and Commercial prosperity, being an object of our deepest solicitude, we unite with Your Excellency in the desire that that Great Being, who governs and controls all things, may assist and guide us in our deliberations.

Ordered, That the said Address be read a second time at a future day.

Com. of Privileges. *Ordered*, That Mr. Morton, Mr. Bell, Mr. Almon, Mr. Brown, and Mr. McCully, be appointed a Committee to consider of the orders and customs of this House, and privileges of Parliament.

Com. on Reporting. *Ordered*, That Mr. McCully, Mr. Almon, and Mr. Grigor, be a Committee to consider and report to the House the arrangements for Reporting and Publishing the Debates of this House for the present Session.

Adjourn. On motion made and seconded, the House adjourned until To-morrow, at 2 o'clock.

Wednesday, 5th November, 1851.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

P R E S E N T—

The Honorable MICHAEL TOBIN, President.

The Hon. JOHN MORTON,
HUGH BELL,
STAYLEY BROWN,
ALEXANDER M'DOUGALL,
MATHEW B. ALMON,
EDWARD KENNY,

The Hon. JAMES D. HARRIS,
ALEXANDER KEITH,
WILLIAM A. BLACK,
JAMES M'NAB,
JONATHAN M'CULLY,
WILLIAM GRIGOR.

PRAYERS.

The Minutes of yesterday were read.

Address read 2d time. The Address to His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, in answer to his Speech at the opening of the Session, was read a second time.

Ordered, That the said Address be committed to a Committee of the whole House presently.

Committed. On motion the House was adjourned, during pleasure, and put into a Committee on the said Address.—After some time the House was resumed, and Mr. Morton reported that the Committee had gone through the said Address, and had agreed to the same, without any amendment.

Read 3d time, The said Address was then read a third time, and the question was put by the President,

Whether this Address shall pass?

And agreed to. It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor by the whole House.

Com. to ascertain when H. E. will receive. *Ordered*, That Mr. Bell, Mr. McCully, and Mr. Grigor, be a Committee to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, and ascertain when he will be pleased to receive this House with their Address.

Mr.