

Monday, 22d July, 1844.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

PRESENT—

The Honorable S. B. ROBIE, President.

The Honorable PETER McNAB,
NORMAN F. UNIACKE,
ALEXANDER STEWART,
WILLIAM RUDOLF,
MICHAEL TOBIN,
JOHN MORTON.

The Honorable HUGH BELL,
STALEY BROWN,
PETER H. CLARKE,
MATHER B. ALMON,
EDWARD KENNY.

PRAYERS.

The Minutes of Saturday were read.

At one of the clock, p. m. the House proceeded to the Government House with their Address, and being returned to the Council Chamber, the President reported that His Excellency had been pleased to receive the said Address and return the following Reply thereto:

Mr President and Gentlemen of the Legislative Council,

Reply.

I thank you for the Address which you have just presented to me.

Mr Stewart, by command of His Excellency, the Lieutenant-Governor, laid before the House,

Message from H. E. with papers relative to Cape Breton.

A Copy of a Despatch from Lord Stanley to Lord Falkland, dated 3d June, 1844, No. 168, enclosing copies of Correspondence relating to a Petition for separating Cape Breton from the Province of Nova Scotia, namely:

Lord Wharncliffe to Lord Stanley, date, 3d July, 1843,
Lord Stanley to Lord Wharncliffe, date, 11th July, 1843,
Lord Wharncliffe to Lord Stanley, date, 17th May, 1844,
Lord Stanley to Lord Wharncliffe, date, 27th May, 1844,
Lord Wharncliffe to Lord Stanley, date, 31st May, 1844,
The Honble. W. L. Bathurst to Mr. Hardingham, date, 14th July, 1843,
Mr. Hardingham to Mr. Bathurst, date, 18th July, 1843,
Lord Stanley to Lord Wharncliffe, date, 1st June, 1844.

With the following Despatch referred to in No. 168, viz: Lord Falkland to Lord John Russell, No. 60—16th April, 1841.

Also, the Petition and case referred to.

The said Despatches and Papers were read and ordered to lie on the Table.

(For Despatches and Papers vide Appendix, No. 1.)

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

Adjourn.

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PRAYERS.

The Minutes of yesterday were read.

Mr. Stewart brought up the Petition of Thomas Boole, a Prisoner confined in Gaol, praying that a Bill might be passed for his relief.

Petition of T. Boole.

The said Petition was read.

Ordered,