

The Council being again met, the President reported that the Council had presented their Address to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor who had been pleased to return the following answer :

" Mr. President, and Honorable Gentlemen of His Majesty's Council,

" I thank you for this Address, and for the grateful and cordial assurance it contains of your anxious desire to cooperate with me on all occasions in furtherance of the public good.

" In assembling the Legislature, at the present time, in accordance with the opinion of an enlightened Council, I was fully sensible that the pressing exigencies of the case admitted neither of delay nor doubt; and I feel a confident assurance that our present meeting will contribute, in no small degree, to promote the happiness and comfort of the loyal people of New Brunswick."

Adjourned till eleven o'clock on Monday next.

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**MONDAY, 7th May, 1832.**

PRESENT.

THE HON.

*Mr. Chief Justice Saunders, President.*

*Mr. Justice Bliss.*

*Mr. Shore.*

*Mr. Peters.*

*Mr. Simonds.*

Message from the Assembly, by Mr. Partelow, with a Bill, intituled "A Bill to prevent the spreading of infectious or pestilential Distempers," to which they desire the concurrence of this House;

And also,

With the following Resolutions of the House of Assembly :

*" HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY, Saturday, 5th May, 1832.*

*" Whereas in and by the twenty eighth section of an Act made and passed in the sixtieth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to incorporate sundry persons by the name of the President, Directors, and Company of the Bank of New Brunswick," it is provided, that any Committee thereafter to be appointed by the Honorable the Legislative Council and the House of Assembly, for the purpose of examining into the proceedings of the said Corporation, shall, either during the session or prorogation of the General Assembly, have free access to all the books and vaults of the same: And whereas it is considered proper that the object of the said recited section should be carried into effect; Thereupon Resolved that a Committee of this House be appointed to join such Committee of the Council as may be appointed by them, for the purpose of examining, during the recess, the proceedings and vaults of the said Corporation, and that the said Committee do report such examination at the next Session of the Legislature.*

*" ORDERED, That Mr. Partelow do communicate the Resolution to the Council:*

*" And*