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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15, 1845.

THE General Assembly having by several Proclamations of His Excellency the Governor hereto prefixed, been prorogued until this day, then to meet for the despatch of business, the members thereof accordingly assembled this day in the principal committee of the house.

Members assemble.

At Two o'clock, p. m. a message was delivered by JOSEPH TEMPLEMAN, Esq. Usher of the Black Rod :

Message from the Governor.

Mr. Speaker, Hon. Gentlemen and Gentlemen :

His Excellency the Governor commands your immediate attendance in the General Assembly Room.

Accordingly the Hon. Mr. Speaker, with the members of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly present, attended His Excellency the Governor in the General Assembly Room.

House attend his Excellency

After some time His Excellency the Governor retired, and the Hon. Mr. Speaker having taken the chair, he reported that the House had been in attendance upon his Excellency the Governor, and that his Excellency had been pleased to make a Speech, of which Mr. Speaker said he had, to prevent mistakes, obtained a copy, which he read to the house, and which is as follows :

Mr. Speaker reports his Excellency's speech.