

SATURDAY and MONDAY, 27th and 29th JANUARY, 1837.

Leave given to
bring in Bill res-
pecting Jury Trials
Adjourn

Mr. Johnston asked leave to bring in a Bill respecting Jury Trials in certain cases, which was granted.

On motion made and seconded, the House adjourned until Monday, at 2 o'clock.

Monday, 29th January, 1838.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

P R E S E N T —

The Honorable S. B. Robie, President.	
The Honorable Joseph Allison,	The Honorable William Ousely,
Norman Uniacke,	Robert M. Cutler,
James W. Johnston,	Alexander Campbell,
William Lawson,	James Ratchford,
George Smith,	Joseph FitzRandolph,
Alexander Stewart,	William B. Almon, M. D.
James S. Morse,	

PRAYERS.

The Minutes of Saturday were read.

Message relative to
surrender of Casual
Revenue and Civil
List.

The Hon. Sir Rupert D. George, Baronet, the Secretary of the Province informed the House that he was commanded by His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, to deliver to the House the following written Message from His Excellency:—

M E S S A G E :

(Signed) C. Campbell.

THE Lieutenant-Governor lays before the Legislative Council copies of the Despatches to which he alluded in that part of His opening Speech which was addressed separately to the House of Assembly, with copies of various other papers, either referred to in those Despatches, or connected with the subjects to which they relate.

Her Majesty having, as these Communications amply testify, evinced her earnest solicitude to meet the views of the Assembly, by cheerfully consenting to place at the disposal of the Legislature Her Casual and Territorial Revenues, and the whole Crown Domain in this Province, in exchange for a Civil List—subject only to the conditions by which His late Majesty was pleased to qualify the corresponding concession in Lower Canada and New Brunswick—the Lieutenant-Governor is persuaded that the Legislative Council will readily concur with the Assembly in the proposals which are now submitted to them by Her command.

In bringing this subject before the Legislature, the Lieutenant-Governor is instructed to advert to the settlement recently made with New-Brunswick, as a precedent to be followed, as far as local circumstances will permit.

Among the Papers which accompany this Message, are Letters from the Chief-Justice and Puisne Judges of the Supreme Court, expressing their willingness to accept the rate of Salary proposed to be affixed to their Offices, without Fees, and the Lieutenant-Governor earnestly trusts that the present opportunity will be taken to provide adequately for the independence of the Judges.

Government-House, 29th January, 1838.

List of Papers accompanying the Lieutenant-Governor's Message of the 29th January, 1838. Copies of

- No. 1.—Despatch from Lord Glenelg to Sir Colin Campbell, dated 30th April, 1837.
- 2.—Despatch from do. to do. dated 6th July, 1837.
- 3.—Despatch from do. to do. dated 31st October, 1837.
- 4.—Being the paper No. 3, alluded to in the last Despatch.
- 5.—Despatch No. 87, alluded to in do.
- 6.—Letter from the Hon. Chief-Justice Halliburton to the Provincial Secretary, dated 18th January, 1838.