

Friday, 1st March, 1839.

FOURTH SESSION, THIRTEENTH PROVINCIAL PARLIAMENT, 2nd VICTORIA.

The Honourable Mr. Radcliffe takes the oath prescribed by law.

Then the Honourable Mr. Radcliffe came to the table, and took and subscribed the oath prescribed by law, which was administered by John Joseph, Esquire, one of the Commissioners appointed to administer the oath to the Members of the Legislative Council, and took his seat accordingly.

Speaker reports to the House the appointment of Frederick Star Jarvis, Esq. as Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the House, that Frederick Star Jarvis, Esquire, had been appointed by His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, attending this House, in the room of Stephen Jarvis, Esquire, who had resigned.

House adjourns.

On motion made and seconded, the House adjourned until Friday next, at the hour of one of the clock, P. M.

FRIDAY, 1st MARCH, 1839.

House meets.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

PRESENT :

Members present.	<i>The Honourable</i> JONAS JONES, SPEAKER.	<i>The Honourable Messrs.</i> ADAMSON,
	<i>The Honourable</i> Mr. CROOKSHANK,	" " JAMES KERBY,
	<i>The Hon. & Ven.</i> The ARCHDEACON OF YORK,	" " CROOKS,
	<i>The Honourable</i> Messrs. ALLAN,	" " MORRIS,
	" " McDONELL,	" " SULLIVAN.
	" " BALDWIN,	

Prayers were read.

The Minutes of Wednesday last were read.

Speaker reports a Member waiting to be introduced.

The Honourable the Speaker acquainted the House that there was a Member without ready to be introduced ;

Introduction of John Simcoe Macaulay, Esq.

When the Honourable Mr. John Simcoe Macaulay, was introduced between the Honourable Mr. Crookshank, and the Honourable Mr. Allan.

He presents his Writ of Summons.

Then the Honourable Mr. Macaulay presented to the Speaker his writ of summons, who delivered it to the Clerk, and it was read as follows :—

Same read.

UPPER CANADA.

GEO. ARTHUR.

The Writ.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of GOD, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, &c. &c. &c.

To our trusty and well-beloved John Simcoe Macaulay, Esquire ; and to all to whom these presents shall come :

GREETING.

KNOW YE, that as well for the special trust and confidence that We have manifested in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the state and defence of our said Province of Upper Canada, and the Church thereof concern ; We have thought fit to summon you, the said John Simcoe Macaulay, to the Legislative Council of our said Province ; and We do therefore command you, the said John Simcoe Macaulay, that all difficulties and excuses laying aside, you be and appear, for the purposes aforesaid, at our Legislative Council of our said Province, at all times whensoever and wheresoever our Provincial Parliament may be therein hereafter convoked and holden.— And this you are in nowise to omit.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of our said Province to be hereunto affixed : WITNESS our trusty and well-beloved SIR GEORGE ARTHUR, K. C. H. Lieutenant-Governor of our said Province, and Major General Commanding our Forces therein, at Toronto, this ninth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, and in the second year of our reign.

G. A.

By command of His Excellency.

C. A. HAGERMAN,

Attorney General.

R. A. TUCKER,

Secretary.