

had they needed it. But possessed by an evil jealousy alike against the late Council and the Assembly, he heralded himself the person solely entrusted to carry remedial measures, immediately into full effect: and the House of Assembly as well as the Executive Council were to play a subordinate part, by assisting when he called upon them. Making himself the boss in the work, why has he not called for assistance?—Until he called, who could tell what assistance he wanted? Had he felt half the sympathy, he has effected with the people's wrongs, and CALLING had proved ineffectual, he would, as a faithful "boss" have bellowed, until he was heard and answered.

When, indeed, he dismissed the late Council, he whiningly said to the Assembly "I was preparing remedial measures, which I intended to lay before them (my Council) after a few moments' reflection." Very well;—he was preparing these long-coming remedial measures, in a disingenuous manner, unknown to the late Executive Council or to the Assembly; and a few moments were only needed for him to bring forth these embryo measures. This preparation was secretly in progress, (if he tells the truth) when he dismissed the late Council on the 12th of March, and therefore our Representatives, with great patience and forbearance, instead of limiting him to "a few moments" made no report, on the Constitutional question at issue, till the 15th of April following, in the hope, that he who only wanted "a few moments" would, in a few weeks, be ready to present them with some of the remedial measures, with which he professed to be entrusted, or call upon the Assembly for that assistance, "which the King expected and the rising interests of the country required." But there was during all that time no call made, no assistance sought for! He had been preparing remedial measures, and has none, even now, ready; he was too full of self-sufficiency and concealment to call for assistance from the House of Assembly or the late Executive Council, and, therefore he who was entrusted to carry certain "remedial measures immediately into full effect" has done nothing! has prepared nothing! has proposed nothing! has called for assistance in nothing!

As he declared, however, he had nothing to promise or profess, actually did nothing when much was expected and needed, and would not condescend to call for assistance, it obviously became the duty of the people, thro' their representatives, to jog his memory, and a little quicken his understanding. For this purpose it was certainly excusable for the Assembly to disturb him in his dignified repose, faring sumptuously every day, with his \$20,000 a year; and as the grievances, to be immediately and effectually redressed, were the offspring of the past and identified with it, they were obliged to advert to that past, in ascertaining him with a summary of the grievances requiring immediate correction. This was done by the Assembly, you will recollect, in Peter Perry's memora-