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OF THE
LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
OF THE
PROVINCE OF NOVA-SCOTIA.

SECOND SESSION OF THE NINETEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

ANNO DUODECIMO VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

AT HALIFAX, IN THE PROVINCE OF NOVA-SCOTIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL CHAMBER,

Thursday, 18th January, 1849.

The General Assembly having been by Proclamation prorogued to this day, the Council met.

PRESENT—

The Honorable MICHAEL TOBIN, President.

The Right Reverend and Honorable the LORD BISHOP.

The Honorable HUGH BELL,
STAYLEY BROWN,
ALEXANDER McDougall,
MATHER B. ALMON,
EDWARD KENNY,

The Honorable WILLIAM A. BLACK,
JOHN E. FAIRBANKS,
JAMES McNAB,
WILLIAM STAIRS.

At three of the clock, P. M., His Excellency Lieutenant-General SIR JOHN HARVEY, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Military Order of the Bath, Knight Commander of the Royal Hanoverian Guelphic Order, Lieutenant-Governor and Commander in Chief, in and over Her Majesty's Province of Nova-Scotia, and its Dependencies, &c. &c. &c., came to the Council Chamber, attended as usual, and, being seated, the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod received His Excellency's command to let the House of Assembly know, "It is His Excellency's will and pleasure they attend him immediately in this House"—who being come, with their Speaker, His Excellency was pleased to open the Session with a Speech to both Houses, as follows :

H. E. comes to
Council Chamber.

H. A. attend.

Mr.