

An Act in amendment of an Act, passed in the 34th year of his present Majesty's Reign, entitled, An Act for the preservation of Partridges, and Blue Winged Ducks.

An Act to continue and amend the Act, passed in the forty-eighth year of his present Majesty's Reign, entitled, An Act to provide for the accommodation and billeting of his Majesty's Troops or of the Militia, when on their march from one part of the Province to another; and the Act, passed in the fifty-second year of his said Majesty's Reign, in amendment of the said Act.

After which Mr. Speaker spake as follows :

May it please your Excellency,

I beg, leave to present to your Excellency, on the behalf of the Commons of Nova-Scotia, a Bill for appropriating the Supplies granted in the present Session, for the support of His Majesty's Government for the present year, and to request your Excellency's assent to the same.

His Excellency was pleased to give his assent to the said Bill following, viz :

An Act for applying certain Monies therein mentioned, for the service of the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirteen, and for appropriating such part of the Supplies granted in this Session of the General Assembly, as are not already appropriated by the Laws or Acts of the Province.

His Excellency was then pleased to make the following SPEECH :

Mr. President, and Gentlemen of His Majesty's Council ;

Mr. Speaker, and Gentlemen of the House of Assembly ;

I CANNOT dismiss you from the arduous task in which you have been engaged, without offering my acknowledgements for the time and attention you have devoted to the concerns of the Province, during the present Session.

I have observed with peculiar satisfaction, the confidence and unanimity which have prevailed between the two Branches of the Legislature, and which at this critical period, will, in my opinion, be attended with the most beneficial consequences.

Mr. Speaker, and Gentlemen of the House of Assembly ;

I return you my best thanks for the very liberal Provision you have made for the Defence of the Province, and for the other Public Services recommended by me to your consideration.

These necessary Legislative Arrangements being now completed, I feel great satisfaction in having it in my power, to release you from a further attendance for the present.

Afterwards the President of His Majesty's Council, by His Excellency's Command, said :

GENTLEMEN,

IT is His Excellency's Will and Pleasure, that this General Assembly, be prorogued to Thursday the eighth day of July next, to be then here held; and this General Assembly is accordingly prorogued to Thursday, the eighth day of July next.