"Government House, 4th March, 1857."

[See Appendix No. 2.]

Adjourned until to-morrow, at One o'clock.

THURSDAY, 5th March, 1857.

PRESENT:

The Honorable Dr. Young, President;
The Hon. Mr. Swabey, The Hon. Mr. Attorney General.
Mr. Beaton,

PRAYERS.

There not being a quorum-

Adjourned until to-morrow, at One o'clock.

FRIDAY, 6th March, 1857.

The Council met, pursuant to adjournment.

PRESENT:

The Honorable Dr. Young, President;
The Hon. Mr. Swabey, The Hon. Mr. Wright,
Mr. Attorney General, Mr. Bagnall,
Mr. Craswell, Mr. Forgan.

PRAYERS.

Read the Proceedings of Wednesday last.

Pursuant to order, the Bill for preventing Fraud by secret Bills of Sale of personal chattels, was read a second time.

The Hon. Mr. President, a Member of Her Majesty's Executive Council, informed the House, that he was directed by His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, to lay before the House, the following written Message, signed by His Excellency: