JOURNAL AND PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

Third Session of the Eighth General Assembly

OF

MEWFOUNDLAND.

WEDNESDAY, 28th January, 1863.

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY having by several Proclamations of His Excellency the Governor, hereunto prefixed, been prorogued until this day, the Members thereof met in the Assembly Room.

By virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal of this Island, to the Honorables Laurence O'Brien and Robert Carter, which is as follows:

A. Bannerman, Governor. [L. S.] VICTORIA, by the Grace of GOD, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith.

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

Know Ye that We have constituted and appointed, and by these presents do constitute and appoint the Honourable Laurence O'Brien, President of our Legislative Council, of our Island of Newfoundland; and the Honorable Robert Carter, a Member of the Executive Council of Our said Island, to be Commissioners, they or either of them, jointly or severally, to administer the Oath of Allegiance to the undermentioned persons elected to serve in the General Assembly of Our said Island,