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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL CHAMBER,

FREDERICTON, TUESDAY, April 15, 1879.

THIS day at twelve o'clock, His Honor The Honorable EDWARD BARRON CHANDLER, Q. C., Lieutenant Governor of the Province of New Brunswick, came to the Council Chamber, and being seated on the Throne, commanded the attendance of the House of Assembly, who being come, His Honor, after assenting to the several Bills passed during the Session, was pleased to close the Session with the following

S P E E C H :

“ Mr. President, and Honorable Gentlemen of the Legislative Council,

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

“ I congratulate you upon the zeal and diligence with which you have discharged your labors during the Session now closing.

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

“ I thank you for the Supplies you have so readily voted; and I assure you it is the intention of my Government to regulate the Provincial Expenditure by as strict a regard to economy as shall be found consistent with the just requirements of the Public Service.

“ Mr. President, and Honorable Gentlemen of the Legislative Council,

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

“ The state of the Public business enables me to release you for the present from further attendance upon your Legislative duties; and I sincerely trust that the blessing of Divine Providence may rest bounteously upon you in the discharge of the business of your ordinary avocations, and upon the People at large.

His Honor then, through the Honorable the President of the Legislative Council, declared the General Assembly prorogued to the second Tuesday in June next.

SECRETARY'S OFFICE, April 16, 1879.

The following is a List of the Acts passed at the recent Session of the Legislature:—

Passed 15th April, 1879.

An Act relating to the Indemnity to Members of the Legislature, and the Salaries of the President of the Legislative Council and Speaker of the House of Assembly.

An Act to provide for the repair and improvement of Roads and Bridges, and other Public Works and Services.

An Act to provide for defraying certain expenses of the Civil Government in the Province.

An Act in addition to Chapter 99 of The Consolidated Statutes, of “Municipalities.”

An Act to amend an Act intituled “An Act to incorporate the Dalhousie Branch Railway Company.”

An Act to amend an Act made and passed in the forty first year of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled “An Act to define and establish the side lines of Streets in the City of Saint John, and to prevent encroachments on the Public Streets.”

An Act to incorporate The Sisters of Charity of the Diocese of Saint John, N. B.

An Act to alter the time for holding the June Term of the County Court in the County of Albert.

An Act further to define the boundary of the Parish of Harvey, in the County of Albert.

An Act in addition to an Act intituled “An Act relating to the Roman Catholic Burial Ground in the Parish of Portland, City and County of Saint John.”

An Act relating to Free Grants of Crown Lands.

An Act to extend the Parish of Addington, in the County of Restigouche.