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FREDERICTON, THURSDAY, MARCH 6, 1924

This being the day appointed by Proclamation for the meeting of the Legislature, at three o'clock His Honour, William Frederic Todd, Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of New Brunswick, came to the Assembly Chamber, and being seated on the Throne, was pleased to open the Session with the following:

SPEECH

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:—

It affords me much pleasure to welcome you on assembling for the discharge of your legislative duties. I have every confidence that you will devote yourselves earnestly to discharging the obligations of the trust reposed in you, and that increased prosperity and contentment will follow as a result of your deliberations.

I am pleased to state that the depressed conditions brought about as a result of the World War are rapidly disappearing, and with the birth of a new year our people should look to the future with renewed confidence and an indomitable faith in the steady growth of prosperity which is sure to place our Province in the front ranks of progress. I join with you in