

Legislative Council.

Tuesday 10th April. 1866.

The Clerk of the Council having at half past eleven reported to H.E. the Governor, that there were not a sufficient number of Members present to constitute a meeting - the Governor adjourned the Council to Thursday the 12th instant at 11 o'clock A.M.

The following ^{oath} was administered to Robert Christopher Tacke ^{Esq^r} as Member of the Legislative Council.

Council Chamber.
April. 12th 1866.

I Robert Christopher Tacke Esq^r do swear that I will truly and faithfully to the best of my skill and knowledge discharge the duties of a Member of the Legislative Council for Her Majesty's Settlements in the Fackland Islands and their Dependancies.
So help me God.

Legislative Council.

Thursday 12th April. 1866.

Present: H. E. Governor Mackenzie
Edward A. Griffiths Esq^{re}
Robert C. Packer Esq^{re}

The Council met pursuant to adjournment
The oath of office was administered to Captain
Packer, and he accordingly took his seat as a
Member of the Legislative Council.

The Minutes of the last preceding Meeting were
read and confirmed.

The Governor laid on the table two Bills Nos 1
and 2 of 1866. The former being an Ordinance
for the protection of Penguins on the East Falk-
land Island and Islands adjacent thereto
lying North of Herby Sound and Brenton Loch;
and the latter "An Ordinance for the Naturalization
of James Anderson in the Falkland Islands".

The Governor then principally for the
information of Capt. Packer the new Member
of Council again dwelt on the expediency
of the passing of Ordinance No. 1 of 1866, and
also stated that as Her Majesty's Secretary of
State for the Colonies considered the fine of
£100 inflicted under the 2nd Clause of
the Ordinance No. 1. of 1864 excessive, he
had been induced to lay the bill with the
suggested amendment before them for their
consideration, and moved that it now be
read a first time.

The Motion being seconded by Capt. Packer the
bill was accordingly read a first time.

On the motion of the Governor bill No. 2 of 1866 was
read

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No notices of amendment were given.

The Ordinances were then on the Governor's motion directed to be brought up for their second reading on Saturday next; and the Council accordingly adjourned to that day.

A Byng
Clerk to the
Councils

Legislative Council.

Saturday. 14th April. 1866.

Present
All the Members.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment.
The Minutes of the last preceding Meeting were read and confirmed.
The Standing Rules and Orders of Council were on the Governor's motion read.
The Governor then moved the second reading of the Summary Jurisdiction Ordinance N^o 1 of 1866, which being seconded by the Members was read clause by clause.
On the motion of the Governor the Ordinance was directed to be engrossed and brought up for the 3rd reading.

The Governor moved the second reading of Ordinance N^o 2 of 1866.
Seconded by Mr. Griffiths, and read accordingly.
Mr. Griffiths moved that the name of the individual James Anderson be inserted and the word "a certain person" omitted. Agreed to.

The Bill was then on the Governor's motion directed to be engrossed, and brought up together with bill N^o 1. 1866 on Monday the 15th instant, and the Council adjourned to that day.

A. Byng.
Clerk to the Council.

Legislative Council.

Monday, 16th April, 1866.

Present
All the Members.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment.
The Minutes of the last preceding Meeting were read and confirmed.

The Ordinances Nos 1 and 2 of 1866 were as directed brought up engrossed.

On the motion of Cap^t. Packer the Summary Jurisdiction Ordinance No 1, 1866 was read a third time.

The Ordinance was then on the Governor's motion passed.

The Ordinance No 2, 1866 was on the motion of the Governor read a third time.

Mr. Griffiths moved that the Ordinance do now pass which was agreed and accordingly passed.

The Governor then adjourned the Council sine die.

A. Byng
Clerk to the Council.