

Ordered,—That the said petition do lie on the table.

Petition of T. W. Gaden
for office of door-keeper.

Mr. Carter, pursuant to leave granted, presented a petition from Thomas W. Gaden, and the same was received and read, praying to be appointed door keeper, or any other situation within the gift of the House.

Ordered,—That the said petition do lie on the table.

Petition of J. T. Burton,
to be appointed printer.

The Hon. Mr. Row, pursuant to leave granted, presented a petition from John Thomas Burton, and the same was received and read, praying that he may be appointed Printer of this House.

Ordered,—That the said petition do lie on the table.

Petition of M. Power for
office of door-keeper.

Mr. Barnes, pursuant to leave granted, presented a petition from Michael Power, and the same was received and read, praying to be appointed door-keeper of the House.

Ordered,—That the said petition do lie on the table.

Petition of J. A. Keith
for office of door-keeper.

Mr. Barnes, pursuant to leave granted, presented a petition from Joseph A. Keith, and the same was received and read, praying for the appointment of door-keeper of the House.

Ordered,—That the said petition do lie on the table.

Mr. Wakeham attends at
the bar to receive the thanks
of the House

The Hon. Mr. Speaker acquainted the House that pursuant to the resolution adopted on Saturday last, for conveying the thanks of the House to Robert Roberts Wakeham, Esq., he had notified Mr. Wakeham, who was now in attendance in the Committee room, for the purpose of attending at the Bar to receive the thanks of the House.

Ordered,—That Mr. Wakeham do now attend at the Bar.

Mr. Wakeham having accordingly appeared at the Bar, the Hon. Mr. Speaker addressed him as follows

Mr. Wakeham,

The pleasing duty devolves upon me of acquainting you that this House has passed the following resolution :

Resolved,—That the thanks of this House be conveyed to Robert Roberts Wakeham, Esq., for the zeal and fidelity with which, during a period of more than five years, he discharged the duties of Clerk of the House of Assembly, and that he attend at the Bar of the House, to receive the same.

The honor conferred by such a resolution of the General Assembly needs no remark from me to enhance its value, but I cannot refrain from expressing my gratification, at being the medium of conveying to you so high a testimony of the zeal and fidelity, with which, during a period of more than five years, you discharged the duties of your late office.

And then Mr. Wakeham withdrew.

On motion of Mr. O'Brien, seconded by Mr. Nugent,

Late Clerk to have a seat
with the Solicitor.

Resolved,—That the late Clerk, Robert Roberts Wakeham, Esq., be accommodated with a seat in that part of the House appropriated to the Solicitor, and that the Clerk do notify him of the same.