

Then the house adjourned until Monday next, at one of the clock.

MONDAY, MAY 1, 1843.

Bill to continue Lighthouse  
not read read 3 time.

PURSUANT to the order of the day, an engrossed bill to continue the act concerning Light houses, was read a third time.

Passed—Title.

On motion of the hon. Mr. Morris, seconded by Mr. Nugent,  
*Resolved*,—That the bill do pass and that the title be “An act to continue an act passed in the third year of her Majesty’s Reign, entitled “An act to amend several acts now in force respecting Light houses, and to make further provision for the said Light houses, and to consolidate the laws respecting the same.

Sheriff's bills read 3d time

Pursuant to the order of the day, an engrossed bill to commute the fees of the office of High Sheriff of this colony, was read a third time.

Passed—Title

On motion of Mr. Robinson, seconded by the hon. Mr. Kent,  
*Resolved*,—That the bill do now pass, and that the title be “An act for commuting the fees of the office of High Sheriff of this colony, and for providing salaries for the said Sheriff and his deputies.”

Petition of John Thomson  
and others

A petition of John Thomson and others, inhabitants of Old Perlican, was presented by Mr. Barnes, (who stated in his place that he had received the consent of his Excellency the Governor for that purpose,) and the same was received and read, praying for a grant of money to repair the roads and bridges in the said settlement.

Referred to com. on roads  
and bridges

*Ordered*,—That the said petition be referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

Further petition of John  
Thomson and others

A further petition of John Thomson and others, inhabitants of Old Perlican, was presented by Mr. Barnes, who stated in his place that he had obtained the consent of his Excellency for that purpose) and the same was received and read, praying for a grant to open and make a road from Old Perlican, aforesaid, to Lower Island Cove, and to Grates Cove.

Referred to com. on roads  
and bridges.

*Ordered*,—That the said petition be referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

Petition of Rev. H. Lind  
& others

A petition of Rev. Henry Lind and others, inhabitants of New Perlican, was presented by Mr. Barnes, (who stated in his place that he had obtained the consent of his Excellency for that purpose,) and the same was received and read, praying for a grant of money to erect a school house and establish a school at the said place.

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

Notice of motion for meet-  
ing of Burin election com.

Mr. Ridley gave notice that to-morrow he would move that a day be named for the select committee upon the petition complaining of the undue return of Clement Benning, Esq. as member for Burin, to meet and proceed with the consideration of the said petition.

Report of select com. on  
New Duties to be imposed

The hon. Mr. Morris reported from the select committee appointed to report upon what articles it is advisable to impose duties for the increase of the Revenue ; and he read the report in his place, and afterwards delivered it in at the Clerk’s table, where it was again read and is as follows—