

all matters, which may hereafter arise, that may in any way be supposed to affect the privileges of this House.

*Ordered*, That Mr. Simonds, Mr. Weldon, Mr. Chandler, Mr. Allen, and Mr. End, be a Committee for that purpose.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

*Resolved*, That an humble Address be presented to His Honor the President, in answer to his Speech.

*Ordered*, That Mr. Partelow, Mr. Cunard, and Mr. Chandler be a Committee to prepare the Address.

On motion of Mr. J. Humbert,

*Ordered*, That one hundred and fifty copies of His Honor the President's Speech be printed for the use of the Legislature.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, that the Clerk had nominated Thomas Saunders Wetmore, Esquire, to the office of Clerk Assistant ; which was approved by the House.

Mr. Wetmore, after taking the requisite Oaths, took the seat assigned him at the Clerk's Table.

On motion of Mr. Weldon,

*Resolved*, That a Committee be appointed to revise the Rules and Regulations of the House of Assembly of this Province, and to make further Rules and Regulations for the government thereof.

*Ordered*, That Mr. Weldon, Mr. Simonds, Mr. J. Humbert, Mr. Allen, and Mr. Partelow, be a Committee therefor.

On motion of Mr. S. Humbert,

*Resolved*, That the Reverend Dr. Somerville be the Chaplain of this House.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

*Resolved*, That a standing Committee be appointed to examine, liquidate, and report upon Public and Private Accounts.

*Ordered*, That Mr. Partelow, Mr. Cunard, Mr. Ward, Mr. End, and Mr. Smith, be a Committee therefor.

On motion of Mr. Vail,

*Ordered*, That the Journals of this House be daily (or as soon as a copy thereof can be prepared by the Clerk) printed, and that the Printer do furnish one hundred and fifty copies thereof, for the use of the Legislature.

On motion of Mr. Simonds,

*Resolved*, That a Committee of Trade be appointed to consider and report upon all the matters relating to the Commerce of this Province.

*Ordered*, That Mr. Simonds, Mr. Wyet, Mr. Partelow, Mr. Cunard, Mr. Barlow, Mr. Ward, and Mr. Taylor, be a Committee for that purpose.

On motion of Mr. Chandler,

*Resolved*, That no Petition be received, or Bill brought in, after the sixth day of March next, except by special leave of the House.

On motion of Mr. Partelow,

*Ordered*, That the House do go into Committee of the whole, in consideration of His Honor the President's Speech, to-morrow.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY,