

Mr. RENOUF gave notice that, on to-morrow, he will ask the leader of the Government to inform the House what arrangement has been made to pay the Laborers (distressed fishermen) now being employed by the Government.

Also, that, on to-morrow, he will ask the Hon Acting Colonial Secretary to lay on the table of the House a Return shewing the value of Imports and amount of Duty collected in 1863, distinguishing the principal articles of Merchandize. Also, shewing the increase and decrease, as compared with the Canadian Tariff.

Then the House adjourned till to-morrow, at three of the clock.

Wednesday, 8th February, 1865.

Mr. KAVANAGH presented a Petition from Martin Kough and others, of Quidi Vidi; and from Daniel Keefe and others, of Pouch Cove, which were severally received and read, praying for grants to complete roads in those localities.

Ordered,—That the said Petitions do lie upon the the table.

(Documents from His Excellency the Governor.)

The Hon. RECEIVER GENERAL, by command of His Excellency the Governor, presented to the House the following Documents :—

Financial Statement of the affairs of the Colony, for the year 1864.

Estimate for defraying part of the Civil Expenditure of the Colony, for the year 1865.

Statement of the Public Debt of the Colony, for the year 1864.

Statement of Assets and Liabilities of the Colony, on 31st December, 1864.

Financial Secretary's Statement of Expenditure, for each particular Service, for the year 1864.

Consolidated Account of Goods Imported, for the year ending 31st December, 1864.

Receiver General's Account for Treasury Department, for the year 1864.