

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass, and that the title be, An Act for the encouragement of the Fisheries of the Province.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Council and desire their concurrence.

A Message from the Council by Mr. Hill :

Mr. Speaker,

The Council have agreed to Ten Resolutions of this House for granting the following sums, viz

£450 For the importation of Sheep.

£200 For the Secretary of the Agricultural Society.

£20 5 To Messrs. Fairbanks and M'Nabb.

£60 For Robes, &c. to the Speaker and Clerk of the Assembly.

£35 To the Secretary of the Province.

£35 To John Whidden, Esq.

£25 To the Chaplain of the Assembly.

£25 To the Chaplain of the Council.

£35 To William Hill, Esq.

£150 To the Adjutant-General of Militia.

And then the Messenger withdrew.

A Message from the Council by Mr. Hill :

Mr. Speaker,

The Council request a Conference, by Committee, on the subject of the Bill for the encouragement of the Fisheries of the Province.

And then the Messenger withdrew.

*Resolved*, That this House do agree to the Conference, as desired by the Council, and that the Clerk do acquaint the Council therewith.

*Ordered*, That Mr. Fairbanks, Mr. Uniacke, Mr. Lawson, Mr. Bingay and Mr. Poole, do manage the Conference.

And they went to the Conference,

And being returned,

Mr. Fairbanks reported that the Managers had been at the Conference, and stated the substance of the Conference to the House; and thereupon,

Mr. Hartshorne moved that a further Conference be desired with the Council on the subject of the last Conference, and that the Managers be instructed to state that this House will be disposed to pass a Bill for encouraging the Fisheries, by further guards, and by making the Bounty payable on the exportation of Fish, provided the Purchaser pay the same to the Fisherman; which being seconded and put, and the House dividing thereon, there appeared, for the motion, seven; against it, twenty-six :

For the Motion,

Mr. Fairbanks,

Mr. Albro,

Mr. Hartshorne,

Mr. Heckman,

Mr. R. Dickson,

Mr. James,

Mr. Kavanagh,

Mr. Lawson,

Mr. Sargent,

Mr. T. Dickson,

Mr. Fleming,

Mr. Morse,

Mr. Crowell,

Mr. Uniacke,

Mr. Wier,

Mr. J. R. Dewolf,

Against the Motion,

Mr. Bishop,

Mr. Robertson,

Mr. Campbell,

Mr. M'Kinnon,

Mr. Bingay,

Mr. W. H. Roach,

Mr. Smith,

Mr. B. Dewolf,

Mr. O'Brien,

Mr. Poole,

Mr. T. Roach,

Mr. Chipman,

Mr. Dennison,

Mr. Gesner,

Mr. Ruggles,

Mr. Blair,

Mr. Wells,

So it passed in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Chipman, *resolved*, that a further Conference be desired with the Council, on the subject matter of the last Conference, and that the Managers be instructed to state to the Committee of the Council that the House adhere to their Bill, as sent up for concurrence, and that the Clerk do request the said Conference.

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