

The Speaker resumed the Chair, and *reported*, that the House delivered the Address to His Excellency, who was pleased to give the following Answer Thereto :

GENTLEMEN,

“ THE due Sense you entertain of the Sources whence the Welfare of this Province is to proceed, gives me great Satisfaction and the Disposition you manifest to profit of every Advant-
“ tage that may offer, assures me of the Success of your Endeavours.”

His Excellency's
Answer.

The House then adjourned untill To-morrow at half past Nine of the o'Clock.

Thursday 9th June, 1791.

PRAYERS.

Mr. *Pyke* pursuant to leave given, presented a Bill for granting to His Majesty a Duty on Wheel Carriages within the Peninsula of *Halifax*; and also to alter and amend, an Act passed in the first Year of his Majesty's Reign, intituled, *an Act for repairing and mending Highways, Bridges, Streets &c.* And the same was read a first Time,

Bill for laying Duty on Wheel Carriages within the Peninsula of *Halifax*, read first Time.

Resolved, That the Bill do lie on the Table to be read a second Time.

On Motion, the Order of the day for taking into Consideration, the State of the Revenue and Funds, was adjourned until Monday next the 13th Instant.

Order of the Day adjourned.

The *Bill for establishing a Charity School in the Town of Halifax*, was read a second time.

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Resolved, That the Bill do lie on the Table, to be committed to a Committee of the whole House.

On Motion of Mr. *McMonagle*, ordered, that Major *Barclay*, Major *Millidge*, Mr. *Morris* and Mr. *McMonagle*, be a Committee for the Purpose of preparing and bringing in a Bill to amend and extend the Act for regulating and Maintaining a House of Correction or Work House within the Town of *Halifax*, and for binding out Poor Children.

Committee appointed to prepare a Bill to extend work House Act.

Then the House adjourned until To-Morrow at half past Nine of the Clock.

Friday 10th June, 1791.

PRAYERS.

A Petition of *John Lawson*, was presented by Mr. *Hill*, and reading forth that the Petitioner imported Ten Puncheons of Rum from the West Indies in May last, and praying he may be relieved from paying the Impost Duties demanded thereon, for Reasons offered in the Petition.

Petition of *John Lawson*, presented.