

Resolved, That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole House; and thereupon,

On motion, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole House on the consideration of the said Bill.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Pool took the Chair.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported from the Committee that they had gone through the Bill to them referred; and that the Committee had directed him to report the said Bill without any amendment; and he afterwards delivered the Bill in at the Clerk's table.

Ordered, That the Bill be engrossed.

Phineas Lovett, Esq. returned duly elected as a Representative for the County of Annapolis, took the usual oaths and his seat.

Then the House adjourned until to-morrow at Twelve of the Clock.

Tuesday, 31st May, 1808.

PRAYERS.

On motion of Mr. Lawfon, *Resolved*, That a Committee be appointed to examine the state of the new Government House, and to report what repairs are necessary to be made to the same, and to procure and lay before this House, an estimate of such repairs, and the sums necessary to be applied for that purpose; and also to ascertain what materials, the property of the Province, purchased for the completion of said House, remain unapplied.

Ordered, That Mr. Lawfon, Mr. Ritchie, and Mr. Crane, be a Committee accordingly.

An engrossed Bill to impose and appropriate an additional Duty on all Wine hereafter imported into this Province, was read the third time, and thereupon,

Mr. Tonge moved that the Bill do not pass the House, which being seconded and put, and the House dividing thereon, there appeared for the motion four; against it twenty seven.

For the motion,

Mr. CHANDLER

Mr. ROBBE

Mr. TONGE

Mr. LAWSON

Mr. ROACH

Mr. LOVETT

Mr. WARWICK

Mr. MORTON

Mr. BARSS

Mr. SARGENT

Mr. BUSKIRK

Mr. DEWOLF

Mr. JAMES

Against the motion,

Mr. RITCHIE

Mr. POOL

Mr. COLLINS

Mr. HUTCHINSON

Mr. ARCHIBALD

Mr. CRANE

Mr. ROBERTSON

Mr. HALIBURTON

Mr. BAKER

Mr. SHAW

Mr. MARSTERS

Mr. WELLS

Mr. DIMOCK

Mr. PEARSON

Mr. NORTHUP

Mr. PURDY

Mr. CAMPBELL

Mr. MARSHALL

So it passed in the negative.

Mr. Lawfon moved, that a clause be added to the Bill as follows, viz:

"Provided always and be it enacted, That if any Wine hereafter to be imported into this Province and upon which the duty hereby imposed shall be paid or secured to be paid, shall be exported from this Province, that then the duty of six pence hereby imposed shall be repaid to the person or persons exporting the same without any deduction whatever, which being seconded and put, passed in the affirmative."

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