

Mr. *D. Maclean* read in his place a Petition of divers Inhabitants of New London, praying for a Legislative enactment on behalf of the Tenantry of this Island; and also expressing the abhorrence of the Petitioners at certain proceedings on the part of the Executive Government.

And then Mr. *Maclean* moved, that the said Petition be received and read.

Mr. *Speaker* declined to put the question, on the ground that the said Petition was couched in language highly insulting and disrespectful towards the Executive branch of the Legislature.

Ordered, That the Order of the Day be now called over.

The Bill to provide a remedy against Parishes, for damage done to property within them, by persons riotously and tumultuously assembled, was, according to order, read a second time.

The Hon. Mr. *Palmer* moved, that the Petition of divers Inhabitants of New London,

read this day in his place by Mr. *D. Maclean*, be deposited with the Clerk of this House.

The House divided on the question :

YEAS :

Hon. Mr. <i>Palmer</i> ,	Hon. <i>J. S. Macdonald</i> ,
Mr. <i>Cambridge</i> ,	Mr. <i>Longworth</i> ,
Mr. <i>Douse</i> ,	Mr. <i>Beairsto</i> ,
Mr. <i>Coles</i> ,	Mr. <i>Hudson</i> ,
Mr. <i>Macaulay</i> ,	Mr. <i>Wightman</i> .
Mr. <i>Yeo</i> ,	

NAYS :

Mr. <i>D. Macdonald</i> ,	Mr. <i>Fraser</i> ,
Mr. <i>D. Maclean</i> ,	Mr. <i>Macgregor</i> ,
Mr. <i>Montgomery</i> ,	Mr. <i>Thornton</i> ,
Mr. <i>A. Maclean</i> ,	Mr. <i>Rae</i> ,
Mr. <i>Macintosh</i> ,	Mr. <i>Cooper</i> ,
Mr. <i>Dalziel</i> ,	Mr. <i>Dingwell</i> .

So it passed in the negative.

A motion being made, that the House do now adjourn ;

It was carried in the affirmative.

Then the House adjourned until to-morrow, at 10 o'clock.

SATURDAY, April 8, 1843.

A MOTION being made, that the amendments made by the Legislative Council to the Bill intituled *An Act to provide for the summary trial of Small Debts, and to regulate proceedings in cases of summary Capias*, be read the third time ;

The House divided on the question :

YEAS, 10.

NAYS, 9.

So it was carried in the affirmative.

And the said amendments were accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That the said amendments do pass.

Ordered, That Mr. *Longworth* do carry back the said Bill to the Legislative Council, and acquaint them that this House hath agreed to their amendments.

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed, to search the Journals of the Legislative Council, as to the proceedings had on the Bill intituled *An Act to further amend an Act passed in the Fourth year of the Reign of the late King William the Fourth, for ascertaining*

the Boundaries of the several Townships in this Island.

Ordered, That Mr. *Rae* and Mr. *Thornton* do compose the said Committee; who, returning, reported, that they had found the following extract :—

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Friday, 7th April, 1843.

PRESENT :

The Hon. Mr. <i>Attorney General</i> , President ;	
The Hon. Mr. <i>Macintosh</i> ,	The Hon. Mr. <i>Hensley</i> ,
Mr. <i>Dalrymple</i> ,	Mr. <i>Irving</i> ,
Mr. <i>Solicitor General</i> ,	Mr. <i>Worthy</i> .
Mr. <i>Young</i> ,	

The Order of the Day, for the second reading of the Bill intituled "An Act to further amend an Act passed in the Fourth year of the Reign of the late King William the Fourth, for ascertaining the Boundaries of the several Townships in this Island," being read ;

Ordered, That it be discharged, and that the said Bill be read a second time this day six months.

DISSENTIENT :

Mr. *Young*.

The Solicitor General having withdrawn before the question was put.