

A Bill, entitled, An Act to suspend the operation of several Acts of the General Assembly, passed to prevent forestalling, regrating, and monopolizing; and also,

A Bill, entitled, An Act to alter and continue the Acts for the regulating of the Militia, severally, without any amendment.

The Council agree to a further Conference on the General State of the Province; and also, on the Resolution relating to a Building for an Academy or School at Annapolis.

And then the Messenger withdrew.

*Ordered*, That the respective Managers who managed the last Conferences on the subjects as above mentioned, do manage the said Conferences.

And they went to the Conferences accordingly.

And being returned,

Mr. W. H. Roach reported, that the Managers had been at the Conference, on the subject of the Annapolis Academy Resolution, and stated the substance of the Conference to the House.

Mr. Lawson reported, that the Managers had been at the Conference on the General State of the Province, and stated the substance of the Conference to the House.

A Message from the Council, by Mr. Secretary George:

Mr. Speaker,

The Council have agreed to a Bill, entitled, An Act to authorize the Incorporation of a Company for working certain Mines of Iron, and manufacturing of Iron, in the County of Annapolis, with several amendments, to which amendments they desire the concurrence of this House.

The Council request a further Conference on the subject matter of the two last Conferences.

And then the Messenger withdrew.

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

*Ordered*, That the Managers who managed the last Conferences respectively, do manage the said Conferences.

And they went to the Conferences accordingly.

And being returned,

Mr. W. H. Roach reported, that the Managers had been at a further Conference on the subject of the Annapolis Academy Resolution, and stated the substance of the Conference to the House.

Mr. Lawson reported, that the Managers had been at a further Conference on the General State of the Province, and stated the substance of the Conference to the House.

A Message from the Council by Mr. Secretary George:

Mr. Speaker,

The Council have not agreed to a Resolution of this House, relative to the erecting a Building for an Academy or School in the Town of Annapolis.

And then the Messenger withdrew.

On motion, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole House, to consider further of a Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair,

Mr. James took the Chair,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported from the Committee, that they had made some progress in the business to them referred, and that the Committee had come to several Resolutions thereupon, which they had directed him to report to the House, and he read the same in his place, and afterwards delivered them in at the Clerk's Table, where they were read, and are as follow:

*Resolved*, That it is the opinion of this Committee, that a sum of Two Hundred Pounds should be granted and paid to Commissioners to be appointed by His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, to aid the Inhabitants of the Town of Annapolis, to erect a suitable Building for an Academy or Grammar School; the sum hereby granted not to be drawn from the Treasury, until the sum of Two Hundred Pounds, raised by private subscription, shall have been expended and so certified by the Justices in Session.

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*Resolved,*