

Chair; and Mr. *Robitaille* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made an amendment thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

Mr. *Robitaille* reported the Bill accordingly; and the amendment was read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read the third time, on Monday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to amend the Law relating to Crown Debtors in *Upper Canada*; and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Smith* (East *Durham*) reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same, without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read the third time, on Monday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to amend chapter 70 of the Consolidated Statutes for *Lower Canada*, intituled, "An Act respecting Joint Stock Companies for the construction of roads and certain other works;" and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Bellerose* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same, without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read the third time, on Monday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to regulate the means of Egress from Public Buildings; and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Honorable Mr. *Cameron* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made an amendment thereunto.

*Ordered*, That the Report be now received.

The Honorable Mr. *Cameron* reported the Bill accordingly; and the amendment was read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read the third time, on Monday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to amend chapter 15 of the Consolidated Statutes for *Lower Canada*, respecting Public Education; and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Dufresne* (*Montcalm*) reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same, without any amendment.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be read the third time, on Monday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to amend and consolidate the several Acts respecting the assessment of property in *Upper Canada*; and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Honorable Mr. *Cameron* reported, That the Committee had made some progress, and directed him to move for leave to sit again.

*Ordered*, That the Committee have leave to sit again, to-morrow.

The Honorable Mr. *McDougall*, one of Her Majesty's Executive Council, laid before the House, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Report of the Commissioners from *British North America*, appointed to enquire into the Trade of the *West Indies*, *Mexico* and *Brazil*. (*Sessional Papers*, No. 43.)

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill to amend the Act passed in the twenty-seventh and twenty eighth years of Her Majesty's reign respecting the granting of Charters of Incorporation to Manufacturing, Mining and other Companies; and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. *Cowan* reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and directed him to report the same, without any amendment.