Petition of John Gumb

A petition of John Gumb, of the city of Halifax, was presented by Mr. Tobin and read, praying reimbursement of the value of province notes accidentally destroyed by fire.

Trade committee

Ordered, That the petition be referred to the committee on trade and manufactures.

Petition of overseers Aylestord A petition of overseers of the poor for the township of Aylesford, was presented by Mr. Webster and read, praying reimbursement of the expense of maintaining a transient pauper.

Relief committee

Ordered That the petition be referred to the relief committee.

Petition for alteration of pilotage law

A petition of licensed pilots for the port of Halifax, was presented by Mr. Tobin and read, praying for an alteration of the law regulating pilotage at that port.

Navigation securities committee

Ordered, That the petition be referred to the committee on navigation securities.

l'etition respecting tare on sugar A petition of merchants of the city of Halifax, was presented by Mr. Tobin and read, praying for the passing of a law to regulate the tare on sugar.

Trade committee

Ordered, That the petition be referred to the committee on trade and manufactures.

Petitions from overseers 1st sec., Pictou 2nd section, Egerton and A petition of overseers of the poor, for the first section of the township of Pictou;
Also, a petition from overseers of the poor for the second section of the township of Egerton;

4th section, Egerton

Also, a petition from overscers of the poor for the fourth section of the township of Egerton;

Were severally presented by Mr. McDonald and read, praying reinbursement of the expense of maintaining transient paupers.

Relief committee

Ordered, That the petitions be referred to the relief committee.

Petition of comm'rs of schools, Picteu

A petition of the commissioners of schools, for the southern district of the County of Pictou, was presented by Mr. McDonald and read, praying an increased grant of school moneys.

Education committee

Ordered, That the petition be referred to the committee on education.

Petition of J Reynolds

A petition of John Reynolds, of Georgetown, P. E. Island, was presented by Mr. McDonald and read, praying a grant to aid bim in conveying the mails between Georgetown and Pictou.

Post office committee

Ordered, That the petition be referred to the committee on the post office.

Petition for way office at Sambro

A petition of inhabitants of Sambro, in the county of Halifax, was presented by Mr. Wier and read, praying for the establishment of a way office.

Post office committee

Ordered, That the petition be referred to the committee on the post office.

Petition of inhabitants of Lower Prospect

A petition of inhabitants of Lower Prospect and Turn's Bay, in the county of Halifax, was presented by Mr. Wier and read, praying for an extension of mail communication and the establishment of a polling place at Lower Prospect.

Post office committee and leave for bill Ordered, That the petition be referred to the post office committee, and that Mr. Wier have leave to bring in a bill to establish a polling district in accordance with the prayer thereof.

Petition from inhabitants of Herring Cove

A petition of inhabitants of Herring and Bear Cove, in the county of Halifax, was presented by Mr. Wier and read, praying for aid in removing a sand bar from the entrance of Herring Cove harbor.

Navigation securities committee

Ordered, That the petition be referred to the committee on navigation securities.

Petition of managers of Haliax dispensary

A petition of the managers of the Halifax visiting dispensary, was presented by Mr. Wier and read, praying additional aid in conducting that institution.

Humane institution committee

Ordered, That the petition be referred to the committee on humane institutions.

City of Halifax bill

Mr. Tobin, pursuant to leave given, presented to the house a bill concerning the city of Halifax; and the same was read a first, and ordered to be read a second time.

Mr.