

necessary provision, so as to guard against the Revenue of the Colony being affected by such repeal of such Imperial Act as aforesaid.

Mr. HANRAHAN gave notice that on the 18th day of December next he would that the following Imperial Acts of Parliament be procured and printed for the use of Members ;—8th and 9th Victoria, entitled “ An Act to regulate the Trade of the British Possessions,” 9th and 10th Vic., entitled “ An Act to enable the Legislatures of certain British Possessions to reduce or repeal certain duties.”

Notice of motion for returns of Imperial Acts 8th and 9th, and 9th and 10th Vic.

On motion of Mr. JOB, pursuant to order, seconded by Mr. CARTER,

*Resolved*,—That the ordinary rules which regulate the proceedings of this House be suspended, as regards the Address to His Excellency the Governor, of which notice was given yesterday.

Suspension of rules of House.

Mr. JOB, pursuant to notice of yesterday, presented an Address to His Excellency the Governor, which he read in his place, and afterwards delivered in at the Clerk's table, where it was again read as follows:—

Address to Governor for Outport relief.

*To His Excellency Sir JOHN GASPARD LEMARCHANT, Knight and Knight Commander of the Orders of St. Ferdinand and Charles the Third of Spain, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Newfoundland and its Dependencies, &c. &c.*

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY,—

The House of Assembly respectfully request that Your Excellency will be pleased to adopt such measures as Your Excellency may deem proper for transmission of Relief, not exceeding the amount of One Thousand Pounds, to such of the Outports as may appear to Your Excellency to be in a state of destitution, and requiring the same before the termination of the navigation this season.

On motion of Mr. JOB, seconded by Mr. CARTER,

*Resolved*,—That the said Address be now committed to a Committee of the whole House.

Address in Committee.

Mr. SPEAKER left the chair.

Mr. MULLOY took the chair of the Committee.

Mr. SPEAKER resumed the chair.