

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, by such Members of this House as are of the Honorable the Executive Council of this Province.

Surveys on the
Ottawa.

On motion of Mr. *Egan*, seconded by Mr. *Lyon*,
Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, praying His Excellency will be pleased to cause the proper officer to lay before this House, the Report of all the Surveys performed on the *Ottawa* and its tributaries, by whom such Surveys have been made, the cost of each, and by whom ordered, since 1st January, 1844, up to the present period; and if there are any Surveys now in progress, where, and the names of the Surveyors employed since the above period, and the total cost up to this date.

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General, by such Members of this House as are of the Honorable the Executive Council of this Province.

Bill relating to
Streams in
Upper Canada.

Ordered, That Mr. *Flint* have leave to bring in a Bill to prevent Mill Owners and others from restraining the natural flow of Streams in certain cases in *Upper Canada*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read for the first time; and ordered to be read a second time, on Thursday, the twenty-ninth instant.

Bill relating to
Causes in
formâ pauperis.

Ordered, That Mr. *Lemieux* have leave to bring in a Bill to remove doubts as to the right of suing and defending Causes in *formâ pauperis* before the Courts of Law in *Lower Canada*.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was received and read for the first time; and ordered to be read a second time, on Monday next.

Religious, Edu-
cational, or
Charitable
Institutions.

Resolved, That a Select Committee composed of Mr. *Christie*, the Honorable Mr. *LaTerrière*, the Honorable Mr. *Boulton*, Mr. *Chauveau*, and Mr. *Lemieux*, be appointed to enquire into and report to this House what Acts, since the Union of the late Provinces of *Upper* and *Lower Canada*, have been passed by the Parliament of this Province incorporating Religious, Educational, or Charitable Institutions therein; their several and respective titles, styles or denominations; the annual amount as Income or Revenue from real property which by their respective Acts of Incorporation they are authorized to acquire and hold; the collective or total annual amount thereof; and also, whether any and which of the Religious, Educational, or Charitable Institutions existing in *Lower Canada* previous to the Union, have since that period been authorized by Act of Parliament to increase their respective Income or Revenue in Mortmain, and by what amount, to report thereon with all convenient speed; with power to send for persons, papers, and records.

Winter Roads
(L. C.) Bill.

The Order of the day for the second reading of the Bill to repeal the Laws relating to Winter Roads in *Lower Canada*, being read;

Mr. *Laurin* moved, seconded by Mr. *Boutillier*, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time;

Mr. *Holmes* moved in amendment to the Question, seconded by Mr. *Macdonald*, of *Glengary*, That the word "now" be left out, and the words "this day six months" added at the end thereof.

And the Question being put on the Amendment; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down, as follow:—

YEAS.

Messieurs *Badgley*, Attorney General *Baldwin*, *Beaubien*, *Bell*, Solicitor General *Blake*, *Boulton* of *NORFOLK*, *Boulton* of *TORONTO*, *Brooks*, *Burritt*, *Cameron* of *KENT*, *Cartier*, *Cauchon*, *Cayley*, *Christie*, *DeWitt*, Solicitor General *Drummond*, *Dumas*, *Egan*, *Flint*, *Gugy*, *Hall*, *Holmes*, *Jobin*, *Johnson*, Attorney General *LaFontaine*, *Macdonald* of *GLENGARY*, *Macdonald* of *KINGSTON*, *McConnell*, *Mongenais*, *Morrison*, *Notman*, *Papineau*, *Price*, *Richards*, *Robinson*, *Scott* of *TWO MOUNTAINS*, *Seymour*, *Smith* of *DURHAM*, *Smith* of *FRONTENAC*, *Smith* of *WENTWORTH*, *Stevenson*, and *Viger*.—(42.)

NAYS.

Messieurs *Armstrong*, *Boutillier*, *Chabot*, *Chauveau*, *Davignon*, *Duchesnay*, *Fourquin*, *Guillet*, *LaTerrière*, *Laurin*, *Lemieux*, *Lyon*, *Marquis*, *Méthot*, and *Taché*.—(15.)

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then the main Question, so amended, being put; the House divided: and the names being called for, they were taken down as in the last preceding division.

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time, this day six months.

The Order of the day for the second reading of the Bill to limit the number of Executive Functionaries, and the Salaries to be accorded to each, and for other purposes relating to their appointments to office, being read;

Executive
Functionaries
Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time, on Monday next.

The Order of the day for the second reading of the Bill to authorize limited Partnerships in *Upper Canada*, being read;

Limited Part-
nerships
(U.C.) Bill.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the whole House, for Monday next.

The Order of the day for the second reading of the Bill requiring Mortgages of personal property in *Upper Canada* to be filed, being read;

Bill requiring
Mortgages to be
Filed.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time; and committed to a Committee of the whole House, for Monday next.

The Order of the day for the second reading of the Bill for the relief of *Joseph Richard Thompson*, being read;

Thompson's
Relief Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time, on Thursday next.

The Order of the day for the second reading of the Bill to authorize to a certain extent the seizure and attachment of Official Salaries towards payment of the Incumbents' debts, being read;

Official Salaries
Attachment
Bill.

Ordered, That the said Order be discharged.

Ordered, That the Bill be withdrawn.

The Order of the day for the House in Committee on the Bill to authorize the formation of Joint Stock Companies in *Upper Canada*, for the construction of Plank, Gravelled, or Macadamized Roads therein, being read;

Joint Stock
Road Compa-
nies Bill.

Ordered, That the said Order of the day be postponed till Monday next, and be then the second Order of the day.

Ordered, That the remaining Orders of the day be postponed till to-morrow.

Orders
deferred.

Then, on motion of Mr. *Chabot*, seconded by Mr. *Laurin*,
The House adjourned.