

Mr. Hatheway, by leave, presented a Petition from William Heron, of the Parish of Douglas, in the County of York, praying to be remunerated for labour performed on the Road leading from Fredericton to Miramichi; which he read.

*Ordered*, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Taylor, by leave, presented a Petition from George T. Smith, praying remuneration for having taught a School in the Parish of Southampton, in the County of York, for a period of one year ending on the 12th day of December last; which he read.

*Ordered*, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee on School Petition to report thereon.

Mr. Hatheway, by leave, presented a Petition from Patrick Reilly, an old Soldier, praying pecuniary aid to relieve him in his present destitute circumstances; which he read.

*Ordered*, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee appointed to take into consideration claims for Pensions to report thereon.

Mr. Ryan, by leave, presented a Petition from Leah Wannamaker, of the Parish of Studholm, in King's County, Widow of an old Soldier of the Revolutionary War, praying a continuation of her Pension; which he read.

*Ordered*, That the said Petition be received and referred to the same Committee to report thereon.

Mr. Ryan, also by leave, presented a Petition from Dorothy Groom, of the Parish of Studholm, in King's County, Widow of an old Soldier of the Revolutionary War, praying like continuation of her Pension; which he read.

*Ordered*, That this Petition be received and referred to the same Committee to report thereon.

Mr. Porter, by leave, presented a Petition from James M'Bride, of the Parish of Saint Stephen, in the County of Charlotte, a licenced Teacher, praying to be remunerated, in consideration of his long services as Teacher, and for having given instruction in the higher branches of Education; which he read.

*Ordered*, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee on School Petitions to report thereon.

Mr. Gilbert, by leave, presented a Petition from William H. Redstone, of the Parish of Hampstead, in Queen's County, setting forth that in the month of May last his Grist and Saw Mills, together with his Barn, and all they contained, situate between Jerusalem and New Ireland Settlements, were totally destroyed by Fire, and praying pecuniary aid to enable him to rebuild the Grist Mill thus consumed; which he read.

*Ordered*, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee appointed to take into consideration the subject of the Agricultural Interests of the Province to report thereon.

Mr. J. M. Johnson moved for leave to bring in a Bill in addition to and in amendment of an Act to incorporate the Miramichi and Richibucto Electric Telegraph Company. Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in was read a first time.

Mr. Robinson, by leave, presented a Petition from David W. Jack, Esquire, Deputy Treasurer at the Port of Saint Andrews, praying for an increase of Salary, for the reasons therein set forth; which he read.

*Ordered*, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.

Mr. Needham, by leave, presented a Petition from the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of Saint John, praying that an Act may pass relating to the repairing and amending the Streets of the said City; which he read.

*Ordered*, That the said Petition be received and lie on the Table.