THURSDAY, 27th January, 1848.

PRESENT:

THE HON.

Mr. Black, President.

Mr. Robinson, Mr. Chandler, Mr. Attorney General,

Mr. Wyer,

Mr. Minchin.

PRAYERS.

There not being eight Members present, the House adjourned until to-morrow at 12 o'clock.

FRIDAY, 28th January, 1848.

PRESENT:

THE HON.

Mr. Black, President.

Mr. Shore, Mr. Attorney General, Mr. Botsford, Mr. Chandler,

Mr. Wyer, Mr. Minchin. Mr. Kinnear,

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PRAYERS.

On motion—

The Bill to authorize the Justices of the Peace for King's County to levy an assessment to pay off the County Debts, was read a second time.

ORDERED, That the House be put into a Committee of the whole on Monday next, to take the said Bill into consideration.

On motion-

The House was put into a Committee of the whole, to take into consideration the Bill further to continue an Act, intituled "An Act to extend the Jurisdiction of the Corporation of the City of Saint John for the regulation of the Rates of Pilotage beyond the limits now prescribed by Charter."

The Honorable Mr. Botsford took the Chair.

After some time the House resumed.

The Chairman reported, that the Committee had gone through the Bill, and recommended the same without amendment to the adoption of the House.

ORDERED, That the Report be received, and that the said Bill be read a third time on Monday next.

Messages from His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor were delivered by the Honorable Mr. Chandler, a Member of Her Majesty's Executive Council.

The Honorable the President read the same; and they were again read by the Clerk, as follows:—

NEW BRUNSWICK.

Message to the Legislative Council, 25th January, 1848.

W. M. G. COLEBROOKE, Lt. GOVERNOR.

The Lieutenant Governor lays before the Council, the copy of a Despatch received by him from the Secretary of State for the Colonies relative to the Act passed in the

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