

SATURDAY and MONDAY, 14th and 16th FEBRUARY, 1829.

Court and General Sessions of the Peace in and for the said County, was read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass, and that the title be, An Act in further amendment of an Act to regulate the Jurisdiction of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas within the County of Cape Breton, and to fix and establish the times and places for holding of the said Inferior Court, and General Sessions of the Peace, in and for said County.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bills to the Council, and desire their concurrence.

Bills read 2d
time committed

A Bill in further addition to the Act relating to Highways, Roads and Bridges.

A Bill concerning Elections in the County of Shelburne.

A Bill in amendment of the several Acts, relating to the Registry of Deeds, were severally read a second time.

Resolved, That the Bills be committed to a Committee of the whole House.

Assessment Bill
referred to a se-
lect Committee

A Bill relating to Assessments of Poor and County Rates, was read a second time.

Resolved, That the Bill be referred to a Select Committee, to examine and report upon the merits thereof.

Ordered, That Mr. Haliburton, Mr. Harris, Mr. J. Morton, Mr. Dickson and Mr. Freeman, be a Committee for the above purpose.

Then the House adjourned, until Monday next at twelve of the clock.

Monday, 16th February, 1829.

PRAYERS.

Pawnbrokers'
Bill read 2d time

A Bill to regulate Pawnbrokers, was read a second time.

On motion, *resolved*, That the Bill be referred to Mr. Murdoch, Mr. Barry and Mr. Hartshorne, to examine and report thereon, with power to send for persons and papers.

Bills presented

Mr. Stewart, pursuant to leave given, presented a Bill in amendment of the Act relating to Wills, Legacies and Executors, and for the settlement and distribution of the Estates of Intestates; and the same was read a first time.

Mr. Murdoch, pursuant to leave given, presented a Bill, in addition to and amendment of the several Acts of the Province relating to the Office of Sheriffs, and the same was read a first time.

Mr. B. Dewolf, pursuant to leave given, presented a Bill in addition to, and in amendment of an Act, passed in the Twenty Second year of His late Majesty's reign, entitled, An Act to restrain Hawkers, and Pedlars, and Petty Chapmen, not duly Licensed to Trade, travelling to and fro through the Country; and the same was read a first time.

Resolved, That the Bills be read a second time.

Committee to
enquire into
operation of
Pickled Fish
Act

On motion of Mr. Homer, *resolved*, that a Committee be appointed to enquire into the operation of the Act, entitled, An Act for the more effectually enforcing the inspection and encouraging the exportation of Pickled Fish, and to report whether any amendment or alteration be necessary for carrying the same into full effect.

Ordered, that Mr. Homer, Mr. Lovett, Mr. Freeman, Mr. Haliburton, and Mr. Forman, be a Committee for the above purpose.

Motion for Ac-
count of Ton-
nage

On motion of Mr. Young, *Resolved*, that a Committee be appointed to wait on His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, and request that His Excellency will be pleased to direct the proper Officers of His Majesty's Customs to lay before this House, an account of the Tonnage of the vessels engaged for the year 1828, both in the Coasting and