

The order of the day for the House in Committee to consider the expediency of establishing Register Offices throughout this Province, was postponed till Monday next.

The order of the day for the House in committee on the report of the St. Lawrence Company, on the petition of Pierre Roi dit Lapensée, was postponed till Friday next.

The order of the day for taking into consideration the motion for appointing Commissioners for the contested Election of the County of Northumberland; was postponed till to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a committee to consider the expediency of erecting new Jurisdictions in the Districts of Montreal and Quebec.

Then the House adjourned.

TUESDAY, 1st February, 1825.

Mr. Taschereau, as one of the Messengers to His Excellency, praying Copies of the Accounts of persons superintending the Houses of Correction in the Province, reported that His Excellency had been pleased to say that he would comply with the desires of the House.

Mr. Assistant Secretary Montizambert, delivered to the House the Message following:

"The Lieutenant Governor informs the Assembly, that His Majesty has been graciously pleased to appoint Norman Fitzgerald Uniacke, Esq. a Member of the Assembly, to be one of His Majesty's Justices of the Court of King's Bench for the District of Montreal, and that Letters Patent under the Great Seal of this Province, have accordingly been issued."

FRANCIS BURTON, Lt. Gov."

Castle of St. Lewis, 1st February.

Mr. Speaker laid before the House a Statement of the Quebec Bank, received in pursuance to the Resolve of the House of yesterday.

A Petition from divers Inhabitants of Soulanges and Nouvelle Longueuil was presented to the House, and referred on Motion of Mr. Simpson, to a Committee of Privileges, to enquire whether it be of a private or local nature and as such ought to have been presented within the first fifteen days of the Session—an Instruction to the Committee, on Motion of Mr. Cuvillier, was given, to search for precedents relative to Petitions which are not signed on the same paper upon which they are written.

On Motion of Mr. Vallière it was resolved that the House would, on Saturday next, go into Committee, to enquire how far it may be expedient to amend the 17th Geo. III. Chap. 3, an Ordinance for ascertaining damages on protested Bills of Exchange, and fixing the rate of interest in the Province of Quebec.

The engrossed Bill "to regulate the exercise of the rights appertaining to Proprietors and Lessors against their Tenants and Lesses, and to facilitate the recovery of rents and for other purposes," was read a third time, passed, and ordered to the Legislative Council. [A Motion, by Mr. Simpson, to re-commit it to a Special Committee, was rejected, yeas 6; nays 27.]

Mr. Belanger introduced a Bill to regulate the practice of Physic, Surgery and Midwifery, read a first time, and ordered for a second reading on Monday the 14th inst.

The House in Committee on the Bills to enforce the ancient Laws of the Province, compelling Seigniors to concede their Lands, reported progress, and the Bill was afterwards referred to a Special Committee.

The House in Committee on the Report of the Committee on Petition praying an aid to the British and Canadian School Society of Montreal, reported progress, and obtained leave to sit again on Saturday next.

The House resolved, on the consideration of a Motion by Mr. Vallière, that it is expedient to regulate by law the qualifications of Justices of the Peace in the different Districts of this Province; the Bill was presented, read a first time, and ordered for a second reading on Saturday next.

WEDNESDAY, 2d February, 1825.

On motion of Mr. Cuvillier, it was ordered that Mr. Speaker do issue his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, to make out a new writ for the Election of a Burgess for Sorel, in the room of N. F. Uniacke, Esq. appointed Judge.

On motion of Mr. Cuvillier, it was resolved that an Address be presented to his