

11. "An Act to provide for the more effectual and impartial trial of persons charged with Treason and Treasonable practices, committed in this Province," passed January 12th, 1838, will expire at the close of the present session of Parliament.

All which is most respectfully submitted.

RICHARD PHILLIPS HOTHAM,
Chairman.

Committee Room,
March 20th, 1839. }

The Bill to continue the Act authorising the holding of County Courts was read the first time. County Court continuation bill read 1st time.

Ordered—That the bill be read a second time to-morrow.

2d reading tomorrow.

The Bill to continue the Act for trial of controverted Elections, was read the first time. Bill to continue act for trial of contested elections read 1st time.

Ordered—That the Bill be read a second time tomorrow.

2d reading tomorrow.

The Bill to continue the Act for granting Licenses to Innkeepers, was read the first time. Innkeepers' license continuation bill read first time.

Ordered—That the Bill be read a second time tomorrow.

2d reading tomorrow.

The Bill to continue the Act granting Licenses to Hawkers and Pedlars, was read the first time. Pedlars License Bill, read first time.

Ordered—That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

2d reading tomorrow.

The Bill to continue the Act regulating Line Fences and Water Courses, was read the first time. Line Fence and Water Course Bill read first time.

Ordered—That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

2d reading tomorrow.

The Bill to continue the Act for preventing the consumption of Spirituous Liquors in Shops, was read the first time. Spirituous Liquor Bill read 1st time.

Ordered—That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

2d reading tomorrow.

The Bill to continue the Act, prescribing the mode of measuring the contents of Wooden Stills, was read the first time. Still measuring Bill read first time.

Ordered—That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

2d reading tomorrow.

The Bill to continue the law for Attaching the property of Absconding Debtors was read the first time. Absconding Debtors' Bill read first time.

Ordered—That the bill be read a second time to-morrow.

2d reading tomorrow.

The bill to continue the Act for the promotion of the public health, was read the first time. Public Health promotion bill read first time.

Ordered—That the bill be read a second time to-morrow.

2d reading tomorrow.

Mr. Aikman from the Committee to wait on His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, with the Address of this House, praying for certain information respecting the Rideau Canal Tolls, reported delivering the same, and that His Excellency had been pleased to make thereto the following answer :— Committee report Answer of His Excellency to Address on the subject of Rideau Canal Tolls.

GENTLEMEN,

There being no Returns in the possession of the Provincial Government of the Tolls or Revenues arising from the Rideau Canal, it is not in my power to transmit to the House of Assembly the information requested in this Address.

Answer.

Mr. McLean from the Select Committee to which was referred the petition of D. Jones and others, presented a report which was received and read. Committee report on petition of D. Jones and others.

Report—(See Appendix.)

On motion of Mr. Hotham, seconded by Mr. McLean.

Ordered—That the Report of the the Committee on the petition of David Jones Esq., and others, be referred to a Committee of the whole on Finance to-morrow. Report of committee on petition of D. Jones referred to Finance.

Mr. Marks from the Select Committee to which was referred the petition of Dr. Dormer. presented a report which was received and read. Committee report on petition of Dr. Dormer.

Report—(See Appendix.)