Mr. RORKE gave notice that, on Monday next, he will ask leave to bring in a Bill to divide the Carbonear Grammar School Educational Grant, and also the School House and property thereto belonging, the same to be apportioned to the several Religious Denominations of that place.

Mr. TALBOT gave notice that, on to-morrow, he will ask the Hon. Attorney General, if the Act 25 Vic. Cap. 9, known as the Placeman's Act, for the better securing the Independence of the House of Assembly, will affect the situation of Superintendant of the Fisheries, or persons holding offices of emolument under the St. John's and Harbor Grace Water Companies, and if not, whether it is the intention of the Government to bring in a Bill to amend the present Act, so as to exclude from the House all persons holding offices of emolument under any Directory or Board over which the Government has any control, either directly or indirectly.

Then the House adjourned till to-morrow, at three of the clock.

## Thursday, 30th March, 1865.

Mr. CASEY presented a Petition from Richard Tucker and others, of Broad Cove, which was received and read, praying for a grant to repair the Road from thence to the Portugal Cove Road.

Ordered,-That the said Petition do lie upon the Table.

The Solicitor GENERAL presented a Petition from John Sheppard and others, of Spaniard's Bay, which was received and read, praying for a grant to open a road to join the Northern Cove line.

Ordered,-That the said Petition do lie upon the Table.

Mr. KAVANAGH presented a Petition from Thomas Vincent and others, of Logy Bay, and from John Ryan and others, of Middle Cove, which were severally received and read, praying for grants to repair roads in those localities.

Ordered,-That the said Petitions do lie upon the Table.

Mr. NowLAN presented Petitions from Joseph Kelly and others, of Lance Cove and Seal's Cove, and from John Veitch and others, of Kelligrews and settlements on South Shore, which were severally received and read, praying for grants to repair roads there.

Ordered.-That the said Petitions do lie upon the Table.

Pursuant to Order of the Day, the House resolved itself into Commit-