

Northern Gut of Port de Grave, a distance of four miles, there to join the main road leading from St. John's round Conception Bay.

On motion of Mr. Power, seconded by Mr. Godfrey,

Referred to committee
on roads and bridges.

Ordered,—That the said petition be referred to the committee on Roads and Bridges.

House in committee on
Bill to prevent fraud in
sale of certain articles,
&c.

Pursuant to the order of the day, the House resolved itself into a committee of the whole on the consideration of the bill to prevent fraud in the sale of certain articles imported into this colony.

Mr. Speaker left the chair.

Mr. Godfrey took the chair of the committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the chair.

Report.

The chairman reported from the committee that they had gone through the said bill, and had made an amendment therein which they had directed him to report to the House, and he delivered the bill with the amendment in at the Clerk's table.

Amendment read and
agreed to.

And the said amendment having been read throughout a first and second time, was, upon the question put thereon, agreed to by the House.

Engrossed.
3d reading.

Ordered,—That the said bill, as amended, be engrossed and read a third time on Tuesday next.

Notice of Bill to repeal
registration of voters
act.

Mr. Brown gave notice that, on Monday next, he should ask leave to bring in a bill to repeal an act passed in the second session of the Legislature, entitled "An act for registering the names of persons entitled to vote at Elections."

Notice of registration
of voters bill.

Mr. Brown also gave notice that he should, on Monday next, ask leave to bring in a bill for registering the names of persons entitled to vote at elections.

Notice of bill to prevent
fraud in the culling of
fish, &c.

Mr. Moore gave notice that he should, on an early day ask leave to bring in a bill to prevent fraud in the guaging of oil and the culling of fish in this colony.

Notice of bill respecting
the making of oil barrels

Mr. Moore also gave notice that he should, on an early day, ask leave to bring in a bill that no oil be shipped from the Island in any cask but those made of the wood of this country, save and except porter tierces.

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

Monday, July 23, 1838.

Report of committee
appointed to present ad-
dress to his Excellency.

MR. Brown, from the committee appointed to present an address of the House adopted on the 18th inst. to his Excellency the Governor, reported that they had waited on his Excellency with the address accordingly, when his Excellency was pleased to reply as follows :—