

Ordered, That Mr. *Jardine* have leave to introduce a Bill to regulate the Fees of Land Agents and others.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was read the first time, and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow.

RESOLVED, That the Order of the Day for the second reading of the Bill to repeal and amend certain parts of the Law now in force, relating to the admission of Barristers, Attorneys and Solicitors, be discharged, and made the Order of the Day for Friday next.

Mr. *Coles*, from the Committee appointed to prepare and bring in a Bill to oblige Husbands and natural Relatives of indigent and impotent persons unable to maintain themselves, to contribute to their support, presented to the House a Bill, as prepared by the Committee; and the same was read the first time.

Ordered, That the Tenth Rule of the House be suspended in this case.

And then the said Bill was read a second time.

Ordered, That the said Bill be now committed to a Committee of the whole House.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. *Macneill* took the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

Mr. *Macneill* reported, that the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made several amendments thereto; which amendments were again read at the Clerk's Table, and agreed to by the House.

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be engrossed, and that the Title be, *An Act to oblige Husbands and natural Relatives of indigent and impotent persons, unable to maintain themselves, to contribute to their support.*

Then the House adjourned for one hour;

And being met—

Mr. *Coles*, from the Special Committee appointed to prepare and bring in a Bill to provide for the payment of the Civil List, presented to the House a Bill, as prepared by the Committee; and the same was read the first time, and ordered to be read a second time on Thursday next.

Ordered, That Mr. *Coles* have leave to introduce a Bill to alter the appropriation of a certain sum of Money, raised by the present Land Assessment Act.

He accordingly presented the said Bill to the House, and the same was read the first time, and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow.

Then the House adjourned until to-morrow, at Ten o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, March 20, 1850.

MR. *COLES* from the Committee appointed to prepare and bring in a Bill to facilitate the intercourse between this Island and the Provinces of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, presented to the House a Bill, as prepared by the Committee; and the same was read the first time.

Ordered, That the Tenth Rule of the House be suspended in this case; and then the said Bill was read a second time.

Ordered, That the said Bill be now committed to a Committee of the whole House.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. *Fraser* took the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

Mr. *Fraser* reported, that the Committee had gone through the Bill, without making any amendment thereto; and the Report was again read at the Clerk's Table.