

the amounts paid annually as a Sinking Fund, and the actual amount annually received at the Custom-house to be applied under the provisions of the St. John's Re-building Act, and the total amount of the Revenue received annually exclusive of the ten per cent. tax raised and levied under the provisions of the St. John's Re-building Act, during the years commencing the 29th May, 1855, and ending 31st December, 1860.

Pursuant to order of the Day, the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole upon the Bill to amend the Carbonear Street Act.

Committee on Carbonear Street Act.

Mr. SPEAKER left the Chair.

Mr. BARRON took the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. SPEAKER resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported from the Committee that they had passed the Bill to them referred, with some amendments, which they had directed him to report to the House; and he handed the Bill and Amendments in at the Clerk's Table.

Reported with Amendments.

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

*Ordered*,—That the Bill, as amended, be engrossed, and read a third time to-morrow.

On motion of the Hon. E. D. SHEA, seconded by Mr. BARRON,

*Resolved*,—That the following Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor:

*To His Excellency Sir ALEXANDER BANNERMAN, Knight, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Newfoundland and its Dependencies.*

Address to Governor for grant of ground for Fishermen's Association.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY,—

The House of Assembly having had under consideration the accompanying memorial and documents of the Fishermens' Society, respecting the grant of a site of vacant land situate on the east side of Queen-street, St. John's, and held at present by Mr. Kenneth McLea under lease from the Crown, on which piece of land to erect a Hall for the purposes of the said Society—respectfully beg leave to recommend the prayer of the memorial to your Excellency's favourable consideration upon the surrender of his lease to the government by Mr. McLea.