

RESOLVED, that this House doth concur in the said Resolution.

Mr. *Berthelot* then moved, seconded by Mr. *Menut*, that a Committee of five Members be appointed, whereof three shall form a *Quorum*, to consider of the means of renewing, encouraging, and extending the culture of Hemp in this Province, to report with all convenient speed by a Bill or otherwise; and that the said Committee do meet at six o'clock this evening in the Committee Room, with power to send for Persons, Papers, and Records.

The House divided upon the question,

Yeas 6

Nays 9

Majority of three in the negative.

And then, on motion of Mr. *Berthelot*, seconded by Mr. *Menut*,

The House adjourned 'till Wednesday next.

Wednesday, 12th March, 1800.

THE order of the day for taking into consideration His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor's Speech, at the opening of the present Session, to both Houses of the Provincial Parliament, being read—

The House accordingly proceeded to take the same into consideration.

And the Speech was read throughout by the Clerk—

The House being moved that the Act “to oblige Ships and Vessels coming from places infected with the Plague or any Pestilential Fever or disease, to perform Quarantine, and prevent the communication thereof in this Province” might be read—

The said Act was read accordingly—

On motion of Dr. *Fisher*, seconded by Mr. *Young*,

RESOLVED, That a Committee of five Members, three of whom shall make a *Quorum*, be appointed to revise the Quarantine act, and report with all convenient speed, in form of a Bill, such amendments as to them may seem requisite; in order to give the Executive Government power to take the necessary steps for preventing the spreading of contagious diseases brought into this Province by Ships coming from parts beyond seas, and