

paid, shall be paid and discharged, and no longer ;—which, being seconded and put, passed in the affirmative ; and thereupon,

The said clauses were engrossed, and thrice read by the Clerk ; and, upon the question severally put thereupon, agreed to by the House, and made part of the said Bill accordingly.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass, and that the Title be, An Act for granting to His Majesty an additional Revenue to defray the expense of the War : and to appoint Commissioners to borrow Money for the Use of the Province.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence to the same.

Mr. Ritchie, pursuant to leave given, presented a Bill to empower the Lieutenant-Governor, or Commander in Chief for the time being, to appoint Commissioners to issue Treasury Notes, and the same was read a first time.

On motion, *Resolved*, That the Bill be now read a second time, and the same was read a second time accordingly.

On motion, *Resolved*, That the Bill be now committed to a Committee of the whole House : and thereupon,

The House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole House, on the consideration of the said Bill accordingly.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair,

Mr. Pyke took the Chair,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported from the Committee that they had gone through the Bill to them referred, and that the Committee had directed him to report the said Bill, without any amendment, and he afterwards delivered the Bill in at the Clerk's Table.

*Ordered*, That the Bill be engrossed.

Mr. Crane reported from the Committee appointed to wait on his Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor with the Address of this House, in answer to his Excellency's Message of the 7th instant, respecting Criminal Offences, that the Committee had, pursuant to order, waited upon, and delivered to his Excellency, the said Address accordingly.

An engrossed Bill to empower the Lieutenant-Governor or Commander in Chief for the time being, to appoint Commissioners to issue Treasury Notes, was read a third time.

*Resolved*, That the Bill do pass, and that the title be, An Act to empower the Lieutenant Governor, or Commander in Chief for the time being, to appoint Commissioners to issue Treasury Notes.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence to the same.

A Message from the Council, by Mr. Cogswell :

Mr. Speaker,

The Council request a conference by Committee on the subject of the Bill, entitled, An Act for granting to His Majesty an additional Revenue, to defray the Expense of the War, &c.

And then the Messenger withdrew.