

mittee of his Majesty's Council on the subject of the Bill intituled "an Act to regulate the Fisheries of this Island," reported the substance of the conference to the House.

On Motion, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole House, to resume the consideration of the petition of the Inhabitants of Townships Nos. 48, 49, and 50, respecting the Ferry over Hillsborough River, opposite to Charlotte-Town,

Mr. Speaker left the Chair,

Mr. Owen took the Chair of the Committee,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair,

Mr. Owen Chairman of the Committee reported, That they had under their consideration the said petition, and that the Committee recommend that an Address be presented to his Excellency the Lieut. Governor, humbly suggesting that the following arrangements respect-

ing such Ferry, would conduce to the public interest, viz.

That a Ferryman should be appointed on each side of the Charlotte-Town Ferry, who should have a Lease of the same, free of Rent for a term of years, subject to be displaced for neglect of duty, or other misconduct.

That each Ferryman should keep two Flats or Boats, one of which should not be less than 16 feet keel, besides a Flat or Boat to carry Horses.

That the rate for Ferriage between sun-rise and sun-set of a single person should not exceed 8d. and for two or any greater number 4d. each, and for a Horse, Cow, or Ox, 1s. 6d. each; Sheep 3d. each; a Calf or grown Pig, 6d. each.

Ordered, That the Report of the Committee be agreed to by the House.

Adjourned to 10 o'clock to-morrow.

FRIDAY, March 11, 1825.

THE House met pursuant to adjournment.—PRAYERS.

On Motion the House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole House, to take into consideration the Bill for raising a further duty on Rum, Wine, Gin, Brandy, and other Distilled Spirituous Liquors,

Mr. Speaker left the Chair,

Mr. Hodgson took the Chair of the Committee,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair,

Mr. Hodgson Chairman of the Committee reported, That they had made a progress in the Bill, and that he was directed to move that they may have leave to sit again. Ordered accordingly.

On Motion, it was ordered, that a Message be sent to his Majesty's Council, requesting a conference with them on the subject of the alterations and amendments suggested by them to the Bill intituled an Act to regulate the Fisheries of this Island; and that the Attorney General be added to the Committee formerly appointed to manage such conference.

A Message from his Majesty's Council, by Mr. Carmichael, their Clerk.

Mr. Speaker,

I am directed by his Majesty's Coun-

cil, to acquaint this Honorable House, that the Committee of his Majesty's Council as requested, are ready to meet a Committee of this House instanter, with the addition of the Honorable Thomas H. Haviland.

The Attorney General from the Committee appointed to meet a Committee of his Majesty's Council, on the subject of the alterations and amendments suggested to the Bill intituled an Act to regulate the Fisheries of this Island, reported the substance of such conference to the House.

A Message from his Majesty's Council, by Mr. Carmichael, their Clerk.

Mr. Speaker, His Majesty's Council have agreed to the Bill intituled an Act for the encouragement of Education in the different Counties and Districts in this Island, with an amendment.

Mr. Stewart moved that the said Bill do pass with the amendment proposed by his Majesty's Council. Ordered accordingly.

Ordered, that the same be re-engrossed and sent up to his Majesty's Council.

On Motion, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole House to resume the consideration of the Bill for raising a further duty on Rum, Wine,