

and Mr. *Lewellin*, be a committee for that purpose.

Mr. *Owen* reported from the committee appointed to examine the Public Accounts, and to report thereon—and he read the report in his place.

On motion, the House resolved itself into a committee of the whole House, to take the said report into consideration.

Mr. Speaker left the chair:

Mr. *Jardine* took the chair of the committee:

Mr. Speaker resumed the chair.

Mr. *Jardine*, chairman of the committee,

reported, that they had made a progress, and that he was directed to move that they may have leave to sit again. Leave granted.

Mr. *Owen* moved for leave to present a Petition from the Inhabitants of Three Rivers and Murray Harbor, for a Road from Sturgeon Bridge to Mink River. Leave being granted, the said petition was read, and ordered to be referred to the committee for the consideration of all matters relating to Roads and Bridges, hereafter to be appointed.

Adjourned to 11 o'clock to-morrow.

TUESDAY, March 23, 1830.

THE House met pursuant to adjournment.—PRAYERS.

Read a third time, as engrossed, the Bill intituled "An act for the further Security and Recovery of Monies due to his Majesty, upon Duties of Impost and Excise—and for regulating the Offices of Treasurer and Collectors of Impost."

Ordered, that the said bill do pass.

Ordered, that Mr. *Brecken* do carry the said bill to the Council, and desire their concurrence.

Mr. *Cameron* moved for leave to present a Petition from the Inhabitants of King's County, and others, praying the House to devise some measure to render valid Titles to Lands, obtained through the medium of Sales made by the Sheriff or Coroner, and taken in Execution at the suit of the Crown. Leave being granted, the said petition was read—

Whereupon, on motion of Mr. *Cameron*, Ordered, that said petition do lie on the table, and that the consideration thereof be referred to a committee of the whole House, on Friday next.

On motion for The Order of the Day, the House resolved itself into a committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Speaker left the chair:

Mr. *Mabey* took the chair of the committee:

Mr. Speaker resumed the chair.

Mr. *Mabey*, chairman of the committee, reported, that they had made a progress, and that he was directed by the committee to move, they may have leave to sit again. Leave granted.

Mr. *Nelson* moved for leave to present a Petition from Placide Gallant, of Rustico,

Farmer, complaining of two public Roads being run through his Farm, and praying relief. Leave being granted, the said Petition was read, and ordered to be referred to the committee for the consideration of all matters relating to Roads and Bridges, hereafter to be appointed.

On motion, the Bill to require Magistrates and others authorised to solemnize Marriages, to return certificates thereof to the Surrogate of the Island,—received the second reading.

On motion, the House resolved itself into a committee of the whole House, on the consideration of the said bill.

Mr. Speaker left the chair:

Mr. *Brecken* took the chair of the committee:

Mr. Speaker resumed the chair.

Mr. *Brecken*, 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. Leave granted.

Message from the Council:

Mr. *Nantes* informed the House, that the Council had passed a Bill intituled "An act to explain certain parts of an act made and passed in the 26th year of his late Majesty, intituled an act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors,"—to which they request the concurrence of this House:

And that they had passed the Bill intituled "An act to amend an act made and passed in the 10th year of his present Majesty's reign, intituled an act to continue an act made and passed in the 8th year of his present Majesty's reign, intituled an act