

Mr. Worrell Chairman of the Committee reported, That they had gone through the amendments and that the first second and third were not agreed to, but the fourth was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Report of the Committee be agreed to, and that the amendments be engrossed.

On Motion the Bill to amend the Militia Law received the second reading.

Mr. *Worrell* moved for leave to bring in a Bill intituled an Act for regulating Juries, and declaring the qualifications of Jurors; and leave being granted, the said Bill received the first reading.

Adjourned till 10 o'clock to-morrow.

WEDNESDAY, December 2, 1818.

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 intituled An Act to establish the standard weight of Gram,

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 the Committee had gone through the same paragraph by paragraph and had agreed thereto, and that the Committee had directed him to ask when the House would receive the Report of the Committee.

Ordered, That it be now received.

Mr. *Mabey*, accordingly moved the amendments which were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill receive the third reading.

On Motion that the Bill do pass and be engrossed, the House divided,

For the Motion,

Mr. Cambridge,	Mr. Chappell,
Mr. Cameron,	Mr. Stewart,
Mr. Alley,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Worrell,	Mr. McLaren,
Mr. Hyde,	Mr. Murray,

Against it.

Mr. Coffin,

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

On Motion the Bill intituled an Act for regulating Juries, and declaring the qualifications of Jurors; received the second reading.

On Motion the Bill intituled an Act to enable the Justices of the Supreme

Court of Judicature to issue Commissions for examining Witnesses out of this Island: received the second reading.

Ordered, That Mr. *Campbell*, do carry to his Majesty's Council the Bill intituled an Act to raise a fund to build Gaols and Court Houses, and for appointing Commissioners to carry the same into effect; also

A Bill intituled an Act for the better regulation of Merchant Seamen, and to repeal part of an Act passed in the Fiftieth year of his present Majesty's Reign, intituled an Act to prevent the harbouring Deserters from his Majesty's Navy or Army, and for giving a Reward for apprehending Deserters from Ships in the Merchant Service; and prayed their concurrence to the same.

On Motion the Bill intituled an Act to amend and render more effectual an Act made and passed in the Thirteenth year of his present Majesty's Reign, intituled an Act for the more easy and speedy recovery of Small Debts, &c. received the second reading.

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

Mr. Speaker,

His Majesty's Council have passed a Bill intituled "an Act for regulating Statute Labour, and for suspending for a limited time an Act made and passed in the Thirty-Fifth year of his present Majesty's Reign, intituled an Act to alter and amend the High Road Laws," to which they request the concurrence of this House.

And then the Messenger withdrew.

Adjourned till 6 o'clock this Evening.

Wednesday Evening, 6 o'clock,

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

On Motion the House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole House to take into consideration the Bill intituled an Act to enable the Justices of

the Supreme Court of Judicature to issue Commissions for examining Witnesses out of the Island,

Mr. Speaker left the Chair,

Mr. Solicitor General took the Chair, of the Committee,