

Thursday, 17th February, 1859.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

PRESENT:

The Honorable EDWARD KENNY, President.

The Honorable ROBERT M. CUTLER,
MICHAEL TOBIN,
HUGH BELL,
STAYLEY BROWN,
MATHER B. ALMON,
ALEXANDER KEITH,
HENRY G. PINEO,
JOHN E. FAIRBANKS,
JAMES McNAB,

The Honorable JONATHAN McCULLY,
WILLIAM McKEEN,
RICHARD A. McHEFFEY,
THOMAS D. ARCHIBALD,
ANSELM F. COMEAU,
ALFRED WHITMAN,
JOHN HOLMES,
JOHN CREIGHTON.

PRAYERS.

The Minutes of Tuesday were read.

Mr. Archibald presented the Petition of Francis Walker and others, praying for the passing of a Prohibitory Liquor Law—which was ordered to lie on the Table. Petition of F. Walker and al.

Mr. Brown, by the command of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, laid before the House the following Papers relative to the Hospital for the Insane: Message from H. E., Report Insane Hos.

The First Report of the Commissioners of the Hospital for the Insane.

Report of the Medical Superintendent of the Hospital for the Insane for the year 1858.

The Treasurer's Account for the Hospital for the Insane for the year 1858.

(Appendix—Hospital for the Insane.)

The same were read and ordered to lie on the Table.

Ordered, That the same be printed.

Mr. Brown, by His Excellency's command, also laid before the House—

The Report of the Chairman of the Board of Works for the year 1858.

Letter, dated August 12th, 1858, from the Superintendent of the Board of Works to the Chairman. Message with Report, &c. B. of Works.

Letter, dated January 20th, 1859, from the same to the same.

Letter, dated January 22d, 1859, from the same to the same.

The same were read, and ordered to lie on the Table.

Mr. Brown, by the command of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, laid before the House an Account of the sales of the Provincial Debentures in England and this Province. Account of sales of Pro. Debentures.

(Appendix—Provincial Bonds.)

The same were read and ordered to lie on the Table.

Ordered, That the said Accounts be printed.

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Mr. Brown, presented the Accounts of the Nova Scotia Electric Telegraph Company, for the year 1858—which were ordered to lie on the Table. Account E. T. Co.

Mr. Whitman presented the Petition of the Rev. William M. Godfrey, Chairman of the Commissioners of Schools for the Western District of Annapolis, praying that the undrawn monies for Grammar Schools may be appropriated to Common Schools—which was ordered to lie on the Table. Pet. of Rev. W. M. Godfrey.