

Mr. Weldon, by leave, presented a Petition from the Justices of the Peace for the County of Kent, praying An Act may pass, authorising an assessment to be made upon the Inhabitants of the said County, towards defraying the debt due for building a Court House and Gaol in the said County; which he read.

*Ordered*, That the said Petition be received, and lie on the Table.

Mr. Taylor moved for leave to bring in a Bill to amend an Act, intituled, "An Act to regulate the Exportation of Lumber, and to repeal all the Acts now in force relating to the same."

Leave granted.

Mr. S. Humbert moved for leave to bring in a Bill to facilitate the recovery of Seamen's Wages in the Merchant Service and Coasting Trade in this Province.

Leave granted.

Mr. Vail, by leave, presented a Petition from David Goddard, praying to be remunerated for a sum expended by him on the road from Grave's Mill to Antone Clane's; which he read.

*Ordered*, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Wyer moved for leave to bring in a Bill to alter and amend the Law for the regulation of the Herring Fisheries of the Island of Grand Manan, West Isles and Campo Bello, as far as relates to Grand Manan.

Leave granted.

Mr. Brown, by leave, presented a Petition from Richard E. Foster, of the Island of Grand Manan, praying a Law may pass for the preservation of Moose on that Island, giving to the Petitioner the exclusive right thereto; which he read.

Upon the question that the Petition be received and lie on the Table, it was decided in the negative.

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning, at 10 o'clock.

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#### THURSDAY, 10th FEBRUARY, 1831.

##### *Prayers.*

Mr. Weldon, by leave, presented a Petition from the Justices of the County of Kent, praying pecuniary aid to assist in the discharge of the debt due for building the Court House and Gaol in the said County; which he read.

*Ordered*, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Gilbert, by leave, presented a Petition from James Mullen, praying remuneration for services performed on the Great Road from Fredericton to Westmorland, in the years 1813 and 1817, under a contract with the late Benjamin Wilson, Esquire, then Supervisor; which he read.

Upon the question, that the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee of Supply, it was decided in the negative.

Mr. Weldon moved for leave to bring in a Bill to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the County of Kent, to assess the Inhabitants for the purpose of paying off the debt due for building the Court House and Gaol.

Leave granted.

The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

Mr. S. Humbert moved for leave to bring in a Bill to provide for the due performance of the Statute Labour throughout this Province.

Leave granted.

Mr.