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Council acquainted thereof.

Ordered,—'That Mr. Winser and Mr. Nugent do carry the said bill up to her Majesty's Council and desire their concurrence thereto.

Draft of address to his Excellency.

Mr. Nugent, pursuant to notice yesterday, presented to the House the draft of an address to his Excellency the Governor, which he read in his place and afterwards delivered it in at the Clerk's table, where it was again read as follows:

To his Excellency HENRY PRESCOTT, Esq., Companion of the Most Honorable Military Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Newfoundland and its Dependencies, &c. &c. &c.

May it please Your Excellency,

The House of Assembly pray your Excellency will order that the opinions of her Majesty's Attorney and Solicitor General of this Island be laid before this House, on the question of the liability of monies voted to individuals by the Legislature for the public service, to be arrested in the hands of the Treasurer of the colony by writ of attachment.

Adopted

Resolved,—That the said address be adopted and engrossed, and that a committee be appointed to present the same to his Excellency.

Ordered,—That Mr. Nugent, and Mr. Winser, do form such committee.

On motion of Mr. Nugent, seconded by Mr. Moore,

Resolved,—That a committee of three be appointed to ascertain whether a convenient apartment for the use of the Members of the House can be had in the immediate vicinity of the Court House, and to report thereon to the House.

Ordered,--That Mr. Nugent, Mr. Moore, and Mr. Dwyer, do form such committee.

On motion of Mr. Nugent, seconded by Mr. Kent,

Resolved,—That the Map and plan of sections accompanying the report on the Geology of Newfoundland. sent down to the House by his Excellency the Governor, be ordered to be framed and glazed.

On motion of Mr. Nugent, seconded by Mr. Moore,

Resolved,—That the Despatches of his Excellency the Governor to the Secretary of State for the Colonies on the subject of tacks to Bills of Supply and the replies of her Majesty's Secretaries of State thereto, be printed for the use of Members.

Message from H. M. Council.

A MESSAGE FROM HER MAJESTY'S COUNCIL.

The Master-in-Chancery brought down from her Majesty's Council the following written Message:—

Mr. Speaker,

Her Majesty's Council request a conference with the House of Assembly on the subject matter of the Bill entitled "an Act to make provision for the Sick and des-