

Mr. G. Smith presented a Bill to authorize the Sale of the Old Presbyterian Meeting House at River John, in the County of Pictou; and the same was read a first time, and ordered to be read a second time.

Bill presented for Sale of Old Meeting House at River John

Mr. Hall, pursuant to leave given, presented a Bill to provide for the Supervision and Management of the Burial Ground near Kentville; and the same was read a first time, and ordered to be read a second time.

Bill presented for supervision of Burial Ground, near Kentville.

The Hon. The Attorney General, by command of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, presented to the House several Copies of Despatches and other Papers, and the same were read by the Clerk—viz :

Copies of Despatches &c., laid before House, on following subjects, viz :

Copy of a Circular Despatch from Lord Stanley, dated 7th August, 1844, announcing the Birth of an Infant Prince.

Birth of Prince.

(See Appendix No. 2.)

Copy of a Despatch from Lord Stanley to Lord Falkland, dated 10th June, 1844, in reference to the Address of the House of Assembly, on the subject of the expense and management of the Post Office;—with Lord Falkland's Report thereon. And

Post Office.

Copy of a Despatch from Lord Stanley to Lord Falkland, dated 12th September, 1844, in answer to the Addresses of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, relative to the change reported as about to take place in the transportation of the Canadian Mails.

Transportation of Mails.

(See Appendix No. 3.)

Copy of a Despatch from Lord Stanley to Lord Falkland, dated 13th June, 1844, on the subject of the Provincial Light House Act.—And

Light House Act.

Copy of a Despatch from Lord Stanley to Lord Falkland, dated 3rd November, 1844, on the same subject of the Light House Duty Act.

(See Appendix No. 4.)

Copy of a Despatch from Lord Stanley to Lord Falkland, dated 19th June, 1844, relative to the Acts for levying Impost Duties on Foreign Wheat Flour and Molasses, and to the Address of the House of Assembly on the same subject.

Impost Duty Acts—Flour & Molasses.

(See Appendix No. 5.)

Copy of a Despatch from Lord Stanley to Lord Falkland, dated 10th July, 1844, in answer to the Address of the House of Assembly, praying that Barrington, Argyle, Cornwallis and Guysborough, be made Free Ports.

Free Ports.

(See Appendix No. 6.)

Copy of a Despatch from Lord Stanley to Lord Falkland, dated 3rd August, 1844, relative to the suggested junction of the Customs and Excise Departments.

Junction of Customs and Excise.

(See Appendix No. 7.)

Copy of a Despatch from Lord Stanley to Lord Falkland, dated 16th November, 1844, relative to the Registrar of Deeds Bill.

Registrar of Deeds Bill.

(See Appendix No. 8.)

Five Copies of Orders of the Queen in Council, confirming certain Acts of the General Assembly, passed in 1844.

Orders of Queen in Council confirming Acts.

(See Appendix No. 9.)

Ordered, That the said several Papers do lie on the Table.

The Hon. The Attorney General, also by command of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, presented to the House several papers relative to the Treasury and Excise Departments, and the protection of the Revenue, and the same were read by the Clerk:—viz :

Papers presented relative to the Treasury, Excise and Revenue.