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(A true Copy.)

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(No. 2.)

In the House of Assembly, 17th March, 1842.

1. *Resolved*, That the accounts of the Deputy Post Master General having been accurately and minutely examined during the last six years by Committees appointed by this House, it has been satisfactorily ascertained that the proceeds of the Internal Postage of this Province, independent of, and separated from the Packet Postage, yield a sufficient fund to defray the whole charge of keeping up the lines of Internal Communication as they existed in the year 1839.

2. *Resolved*, That Her Majesty's Government having been pleased by the Treasury Minute of September 3d, 1839, to concede to this House and to declare it as their opinion that so long as the Revenue derived from the Internal Postage was sufficient to meet the expenditure for the Internal Communications, no demand for that object should be made upon the Provincial Funds, this House resolved on the 16th of March, 1840, that no vote of money for the maintenance of the lines of Post Communication and Ferries then existing would require to be made during that Session, the ordinary grant therefor in the four preceding years having amounted on an average to the sum of £1360, Currency, and in the year 1839, having risen to the sum of £1562, and this House accordingly voted no money therefor in the Session of 1840, but pledged themselves to provide for any deficiency that might be found therein, so as the lines of Internal Communication should not be interrupted or diminished.

3. *Resolved*, That in the year 1840, a further charge of £550 was incurred for the conveyance of the English Canadian Mail from Halifax to Pictou, and although such charge