

On Motion, the Bill to repeal an Act intituled an Act to repeal "an Act made and passed in the 41st year of his present Majesty's Reign, intituled an Act for the better regulation of Elections, and to regulate Elections for Members to serve in General Assembly in future," received the second reading.

Mr. *Cameron* gave notice that he would on an early day, move for leave to bring in a Bill to repeal the Law for the recovery of his Majesty's Quit Rents within this Island.

On Motion the House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole House, to take into consideration the Bill to amend an Act intituled "an Act for preventing Trespasses by unruly horses, cattle, and sheep, and for preventing the running of hogs at large through the Town of Charlotte-Town, by the appointment of Hog Reeves,"

Mr. Speaker left the Chair,

Mr. Hodgson took the Chair of the Committee,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair,

Mr. Hodgson Chairman of the Committee reported, That they had made a progress in the Bill, and that he was directed to move that they may have leave to sit again. Ordered accordingly.

By order, Mr. *Cameron* carried to his Majesty's Council, the Bill intituled "an Act for the encouragement of Education in the different Counties and Districts in this Island," for their concurrence.

The Attorney General moved for leave to bring in a Bill to regulate the Statute

Labour, and to repeal an Act of the 35th of the late King, intituled an Act to alter and amend the High Road Law, which was granted, and on Motion, the same received the first reading.

On Motion, the said Bill received the second reading.

On Motion, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole House, to take into consideration the Bill to amend an Act, intituled "an Act ascertaining the Toll to be taken at the different Grist Mills in this Province,"

Mr. Speaker left the Chair,

Mr. Montgomery took the Chair of the Committee,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair,

Mr. Montgomery Chairman of the Committee reported, That they had made a progress in the Bill, and that he was directed to move that they may have leave to sit again. Ordered accordingly.

Mr. *Cameron* moved that a Committee be appointed to prepare an Address to be presented to his Majesty, praying that his Majesty would be graciously pleased to remit the Quit Rent for this Island until the payment of the same is enforced in the neighbouring Provinces of Nova-Scotia and New-Brunswick, and that his Majesty would be pleased to allow us to raise an assessment on Land in lieu thereof, for the purpose of erecting a Government House and other Public Buildings and Colonial improvements. Ordered accordingly. Mr. *Cameron*, Mr. *Cambridge*, and Mr. *Campbell*, were appointed a Committee for that purpose.

Adjourned to 10 o'clock to-morrow.

WEDNESDAY, March 2, 1825.

THE House met pursuant to adjournment.—PRAYERS.

On Motion, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole House, to take into consideration the Bill to regulate the Statute Labour, and to repeal an Act of the 35th year of the late King, intituled "an Act to alter and amend the High Road Laws,"

Mr. Speaker left the Chair,

The Attorney General took the Chair of the Committee,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair,

The Attorney General Chairman of the Committee reported, That they had made a progress in the Bill, and that he was directed to move that they may have leave to sit again. Ordered accordingly.

Mr. *Cambridge* Chairman of the Committee appointed to prepare and bring in the heads of a Bill for raising a further duty on Rum, Wine, Brandy, Gin, and other distilled Spirituous Liquors, and to alter and amend the existing Revenue Laws, reported that they had prepared a Bill, which on Motion, received the first