Mr. Thomson, by leave, presented a Petition from Mary Pratt, of the Parish of Saint George, in the County of Charlotte, Widow of an old Soldier of the Revolutionary War, praying that her Pension may be continued; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the aforenamed Com-

mittee on applications for Pensions to report thereon.

Mr. Thomson, also by leave, presented a Petition from Mercy M'Nichol, of the Parish of Saint George, in the County of Charlotte, Widow of an old Soldier of the Revolutionary War, praying a like continuation of her Pension; which he read.

Ordered, That this Petition be received and referred to the same Committee to

report thereon.

Mr. Porter, by leave, presented a Petition from Rosanna Pulk, of the Parish of Saint David, in the County of Charlotte, Widow of an old Soldier of the Revolutionary War, praying that her Pension may be continued; which he read.

Ordered, That this Petition be received and referred to the same Committee to

report thereon.

Mr. Lewis, by leave, presented a Petition from Rebecca Berry, of the Parish of Coverdale, in the County of Albert, Widow of an old Soldier of the Revolutionary War, praying for a continuation of her Pension; which he read.

Ordered, That this Petition be received and referred to the same Committee to

report thereon.

Mr. Thomson, by leave, presented a Petition from Henry Brittany, of the Parish of Pennfield, in the County of Charlotte, praying that a balance of Pension due his late father, Jacob Brittany, at the time of his death, as an old Soldier of the Revolutionary War, may be granted to him; which he read.

Ordered, That this Petition be received and referred to the same Committee to

report thereon.

Mr. Thomson, also by leave, presented a Petition from Margaret Grierson, of the Parish of Saint George, in the County of Charlotte, Widow of an old Soldier of the Revolutionary War, praying for a continuation of her Pension; which he read.

Ordered, That this Petition be received and referred to the same Committee to

report thereon.

Mr. Thomson, also by leave, presented a Petition from Jane Hawkins, of the Parish of Pennfield, in the County of Charlotte, Widow of an old Soldier of the Revolutionary War, praying a like continuation of her Pension; which he read.

Ordered, That this Petition be received and referred to the same Committee to

report thereon.

Mr. Gilbert, by leave, presented a Petition from Samuel Knight, a licenced Teacher of the second class, praying to be remunerated for having taught a School at the Parish of Waterborough, in Queen's County, for a term of one year and six months ending the 5th day of June 1851; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee on School

Petitions to report thereon.

The Honorable Mr. Street, Attorney General, applies for leave of absence for a few days, he having to attend the Circuit Court now holden at Saint John, which was granted.

Mr. Needham, by leave, presented a Petition from Rachel Martin, of Fredericton, an old and valuable Instructress of Youth, praying pecuniary aid towards her services in that capacity; which he read.

Ordered, That the said Petition be received and referred to the Committee on School

Petitions to report thereon.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. Partelow,

That the House proceed to the Order of the Day of Thursday the 8th day of January instant, to go into consideration of the proposed Address to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, in answer to the Speech at the opening of the Session—

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