

House upon Partridge Island, and to make provision for the future support thereof, and of other Light Houses at the entrance of the Harbour of Saint John."

Mr. Gilbert in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and made progress therein, and that he was directed to ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be accepted and leave granted.

Mr. Weldon gave notice, that he would, on Monday next, submit a Resolution, declaring it inexpedient any longer to continue the appointment of Province Agents in Great Britain.

Read a second time, the following Bills :—

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled, "An Act further to increase the Revenue of the Province, by imposing a duty upon all Rum and other Spirituous Liquors that shall be distilled within the same."

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled, "An Act to lay a Tax on Dogs in certain parts of the Parishes of Fredericton and Saint Andrews."

A Bill to regulate the Salmon Fishery in the County of Northumberland, and to repeal all the Laws now in force relative to the same, as far as they relate to the said County of Northumberland."

A Bill to repeal the Act, intituled, "An Act for the conviction and punishment of Criminals who shall refuse to plead when arraigned, and for the trial of those who shall peremptorily challenge more than twenty."

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning, at half past nine o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, 16th FEBRUARY, 1831.

Prayers.

Read a second time the following Bills :—

A Bill to regulate the rafting or driving of Lumber, Logs, and Sawed Timber down Cape De Moisselle Creek, in the County of Westmorland.

A Bill to incorporate the Minister and Elders of the Kirk of Scotland, in the Town of Newcastle, and for other purposes therein mentioned.

A Bill to amend an Act made and passed in the tenth and eleventh years of His late Majesty's Reign, intituled, "An Act to repeal all the Acts now in force for the support and relief of confined Debtors, and to make other and more effectual provisions in lieu thereof."

A Bill to repeal an Act, intituled, "An Act to exclude certain description of persons from serving as Representatives in General Assembly."

A Bill to continue an Act, intituled, "An Act to provide for the expenses of the Judges holding the Circuit Courts and Courts of Oyer and Terminer in this Province, and of the Clerks of those Courts."

On motion of Mr. Cunard,

The House went into Committee of the whole, on a Bill to regulate the Salmon Fishery in the County of Northumberland, and to repeal all the Laws now in force relative to the same, as far as they relate to the said County of Northumberland.

Mr. Taylor in the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that they had gone into consideration of the Bill referred to them, and agreed to the same with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be accepted, and the Bill engrossed.