Message from H. E. with Estimate.

Mr. Stewart, by the command of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, laid before the House,

An Estimate of the expense of the Civil Government for the year 1846.

(Vide Appendix No. 11.)

Commission on Distilleries.

Also, a Commission, dated \_\_\_\_\_\_ to Joseph A. Seivewright, and Andrew Richardson, Esquires, to enqure into the subject of the Distilleries in the City of Halifax.

And report.

Also, a Report of the Commissioners, and suggestions by them to prevent Frauds.

(Vide Appendix No. 12.)

The said Estimate, Commission, and Report, were read, and ordered to lie on the Table.

Adjourn

On motion made and seconded—the House adjourned until To-morrow, at two o'clock.

## Thursday, 22nd January, 1846.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

PRESENT-

The Honorable S. B. Robie, President.

The Honorable Alexander Stewart, The Honorable Edward Kenny,
John Morton,
Mather B. Almon,
Alexander Keith.

PRAYERS.

Adjourn

At a quarter before three o'clock, there being but seven Members present, the President adjourned the House until To-morrow, at 1 o'clock.

## Friday, 23d January, 1846.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

PRESENT

The Honorable S. B. Robie, President.

The Honorable Alexander Stewart, The Honorable Edward Kenny,
Michael Tobin,
John Morton,
Hugh Bell,
Mather B. Almon,

The Honorable Edward Kenny,
James D. Harris,
Alexander Keith,
William A. Black.

PRAYERS.

The Minutes of Wednesday and Thursday were read.

Criminal Law Bill - read 2d time, and

A Bill, entitled, An Act further to amend the Criminal Law, was read a second time.

Rafd. to Sel. Com.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to a Select Committee, to examine and report upon.

Committee.

Ordered, That Mr. Stewart, Mr. Bell, and Mr. Black, be a Committee for that burpose.

Water Company,

A Bill, entitled, An Act to amend the Act to Incorporate the Halifax Water Company: Also,

And Engagements in aid of Public Works Bills, read 2d time, A Bill, entitled, An Act for enforcing performance of engagements in aid of Public Works—

Were read a second time.

Ordered,