

The Clerk of Assembly, accompanied by the Committee, the agent for Petitioners, and the sitting Member, retired to the Committee Room, and being returned,

The Clerk handed in to the Speaker the list of names remaining after the agent for the petitioners and sitting Member had each stricken off three names from the Committee. as originally balloted, which list is as follows :—

Mr. Knight,
“ Barron,
“ Nowlan.

Hon. J. J. Rogerson,
“ E. D. Shea.

The said Members and Nominees were then sworn by the Clerk, well and truly, to try the matters of the petition referred to them, and true judgment give according to the evidence.

Members of Committee sworn.

Ordered,—That the foregoing Members, including the nominees, Mr. Rendell and Hon. Colonial Secretary, do form the Committee to take into consideration the petition of John Munn and others, against the return of J. L. Prendergast, Esq., to be Member of this House for Harbor Grace.

Committee to try Petition

The Hon. ATTORNEY GENERAL gave notice, that on to-morrow he will move a protest against the proceedings had this day on the matter of the Harbor Grace Election, they being contrary to law.

Notice of Protest.

On motion of the Hon. COLONIAL SECRETARY, seconded by Mr HOYLES.

Resolved,—That this House, from respect to the memory of the late Hon. Philip Duggan, do adjourn till Monday next, at Four of the Clock, and that the House do attend his funeral.

Order for adjournment from respect to memory of late P. Duggan.

Then the House adjourned till Monday next at Four of the Clock.

Monday, 29th January, 1860.

Mr. DWYER presented a petition from John Lester and others, of Pearl Town, which was received and read,—Praying for a grant to re-

Road Petition from Pearl Town.