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Notice of motion for committee to prepare address to the Queen.

Notice of motion for engrossing and transmitting address to Earl Durham.

Mr. Morris gave notice that, on Thursday next, he should move that a committee be appointed to prepare an address to the Queen on the general state and condition of this Island.

Mr. Kent gave notice that, on an early day, he should move that the address to Earl Durham, adopted by the House, be engrossed and transmitted.

Then the House adjourned until to-morrow, at twelve of the clock.

Friday, August 31, 1838.

Bill to preserve the harbors of this Colony from annoyances read 3d time. DURSUANT to the order of the day, an engressed bill to preserve the harbors of this colony and its dependencies from all annoyances, and to provide for the appointment of a harbor master at Carbonear, was read a third time.

On motion of Mr. Power, seconded by Mr. M'Carthy,

Passed. Title.

Resolved,—That the said bill do pass, and that the title be "An act to preserve the harbors of this colony and its dependencies from all annoyances, and to provide for the appointment of a harbor master at Carbonear."

Sent to Council.

Ordered,—That Mr. Power and Mr. M'Carthy do carry the bill up to her Majesty's Council and desire their concurrence.

Petition of W. Bemister and others presented and read

A Petition of William Willis Bemister, William H. Taylor and others, members of several Boards of Road Commissioners at Carbonear, was presented by Mr. Power, and the same was received and read, praying for a grant of a sum of money for constructing a drain from a place called Bunker's Hill, to lead towards Crocker's Cove, so as to obviate the very great loss, damage, and inconvenience that very often accrue after a sudden thaw or a continuance of wet weather by the overflowing of the flat land above the said town of Carbonear, causing heavy floods of water to intersect the town in several places.

On motion of Mr. Power, seconded by Mr. M'Carthy,

Referred to committee on roads and bridges

Ordered,—That the said petition be referred to the committee on Roads and Bridges.

On motion of Mr. Morris, seconded by Mr. Winser,

House in committee on privilege.

Resolved,—That the House do now resolve itself into a committee of the whole on privilege.

And the House resolved itself into the said committee accordingly.

Mr. Speaker left the chair.

Mr. Doyle took the chair of the committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the chair.

The chairman reported from the committee that they had directed him to report that the committee rose.

Report.