

FRIDAY, 13th FEBRUARY, 1829.

## PRAYERS.

Mr. G. Smith reported from the Committee appointed yesterday to wait on His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, and request His Excellency to direct a return and account of the Custom House Duties, to be laid before this House; that the Committee had complied with the order of the House, and that His Excellency was pleased to say, that he should direct the proper Officers to prepare the Documents requested, and that, when completed, they should be laid before the House.

Report from  
Committee ap-  
pointed to re-  
quest Custom  
House Returns

A Petition of Thomas Davis, was presented by Mr. Fairbanks, and read, praying aid towards relieving his poverty, the result of accidents and misfortunes.

Petitions pre-  
sented

A Petition of Joseph Wiley, was presented by Mr. B. Dewolf, and read, praying remuneration for medical aid to a transient Pauper, at Windsor.

A Petition of Isaac O'Brien, was presented by Mr. B. Dewolf, and read, praying a bounty upon the erection of an Oat Mill, by him, at Noel.

A Petition of James Moriarte, was presented by Mr. Rudolf, and read, praying aid towards the erection of the dam and kiln of an Oat Mill, at Chester.

A Petition of George F. Dauphinee, and others, was presented by Mr. Rudolf, and read, praying aid in avoiding, by a new road, a Hill, called Bolman's Hill, near Lunenburg.

A Petition of Terence Cochran, Sheriff of the County of Hants, was presented by Mr. Dill, and read, praying a remuneration for his attendance, by order of the House, upon an Election Committee, last Session.

A Petition of John Hibbits, and others, was presented by Mr. B. Dewolf, and read, praying aid on account of a bridge and road in the County of Hants.

A Petition of William Christie, was presented by Mr. Murdoch, and read, praying a compensation for having supplied a Tank, for the watering of Vessels in Halifax Harbour.

A Petition of the Inhabitants of Windsor, Falmouth, and the adjacent Country, was presented by Mr. B. Dewolf, and read, praying aid towards the erection of a Bridge over the River Avon, near Windsor.

A Petition of Samuel Rigby was presented by Mr. Uniacke, and read, praying compensation for the loss of a Horse, whilst on service as an Adjutant of Militia in Cape Breton.

A Petition of John G. Marshall, was presented by Mr. Uniacke, and read, praying a compensation for having furnished a Committee of this House, with a Manuscript Copy of a digested Index of the Statutes of this Province.

A Petition of John M. Terry, was presented by Mr. Harris, and read, praying a remuneration on account of services performed by him, as Adjutant of Militia, at Horton.

A Petition of the Inhabitants of Port Medway, was presented by Mr. J. R. Dewolf, and read, praying aid towards removing obstructions from Petite Riviere.

A Petition of Richard Gibbons, was presented by Mr. Uniacke, and read, praying compensation for services in prosecuting, on the part of the Crown, an Indictment in the Court of Sessions, at Sydney, in Cape-Breton.

Ordered, That the Petitions do lie on the Table.

On motion of Mr. Fairbanks, resolved, that on Tuesday next, the seventeenth day of February instant, this House will proceed to the consideration of the Message of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, regarding the Custom-House Establishment.

Message of Lt.  
Governor on  
Custom House  
establishment  
made the order  
of a future day

Mr. J. Morton, pursuant to leave given, presented a Bill, in further addition to the Act relating to Highways, Roads and Bridges, and the same was read a first time.

Bill relating to  
Highways pre-  
sented

Mr. Homer reported from the Committee appointed to examine into the merits of,