

Supply of the Light-House, from which Circumstances, the Situation of the Petitioner, is rendered very uncomfortable.

That the only landing Place on the Island, is at the Distance of three Miles from the Light-House, over a Tract of Land almost impassable even for Foot Passengers, from whence the Oil and every other Necessary, required for the Light-House, as well as the Petitioner, can only be conveyed upon Mens backs at a great Expence ; that the Expence of making a Road passable for Carts will be about £20 ; and praying the House will take his Case into Consideration, and grant a Sum of Money for the Purpose of Building a Kitchen, Cellar, and Store-House, and making a Road as abovementioned ; or such other Relief, in the Premises as to them shall seem meet.

A Petition of *Jonathan Tremain*, Junr. was presented by Mr. *Hartshorne*, and read ; setting forth, that the Petitioner has in his Possession, and is the Proprietor of three Province Notes of Twenty Shillings each, dated in the Years 1764 and 1765, bearing Interest, Part of which Interest, has been paid at the Provincial Treasury ; that to the best of the Petitioner's Knowledge and Belief, the said Notes were out of the Province, during the late Publication for funding or paying off Notes of the like Description, and praying the House will take the same into Consideration, and order Payment of the same, together with the Interest, that may appear to be due thereon.

Ordered, That the above Petitions, do lie on the Table.

On Motion, the House *resolved*, itself into a Committee of the whole House, upon the several Bills, which stood committed.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair,

Mr. *Pyke* took the Chair,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair,

The Chairman *reported* from the Committee, that they had gone through the Bill *for the better Regulating of the Militia in this Province*, and had made several Amendments thereunto, which they had directed him to report to the House ; and he read the Report in his Place, and afterwards delivered in the Bill, with the Amendments at the Clerk's Table. The Chairman also acquainted the House, that the Committee had directed him to move for leave to sit again on the several Bills, which stood committed ; which Report the House agreed to.

The Amendments to the Bill, above-mentioned were then read throughout a first and second Time, and upon the Question severally put thereupon, agreed to by the House.

Ordered, That the Bill, with the Amendments be engrossed.

Then the House adjourned until To-morrow, at Eleven of the Clock.

Tuesday, 24th March, 1795.

PRAYERS.

An engrossed Bill, *for the better regulating of the Militia, in this Province*, was read the third Time ; and thereupon, Mr. *McMonagle*, moved, that the said Bill do not pass, which being seconded and put, and the House dividing thereon, there appeared for the Motion Seven, against it Eighteen.