

The House then resolved that the said Report be now received.

Which Report was then received and accepted.

Mr. Rogers, seconded by Mr. Swayze, moved that the Bill for the District of Newcastle be engrossed and read a third time to-morrow.

Ordered accordingly.

Then was read for the first time, An Act to provide for the appointment of Parish and Town Officers throughout the Province.

Mr. Rogers then moved, seconded by Mr. Howard, That the Bill for the appointment of Parish and Town Officers be read a second time to-morrow.

Which was ordered accordingly.

The Bill entitled, "An Act to revive and confirm an Act to ratify and confirm certain Provisional Articles of Agreement entered into by the respective Commissioners of this Province and Lower Canada, met at Montreal on the fifth Day of July, One thousand eight hundred and four, for carrying the same into effect, and also to continue an Act passed in the thirty ninth Year of His Majesty's Reign" was read for the first time.

Then Mr McLean moved, seconded by Mr. Washburn for leave to bring in a Bill on Wednesday next to Regulate the Curing, Packing, and Inspecting of Beef and Pork to be exported from this Province."

Leave was accordingly granted.

Mr. Washburn then moved, seconded by Mr. McLean for leave to bring in a Bill on Tuesday next to repeal an Act passed in the fortieth year of His Majesty's Reign, entitled "An Act to alter the method of performing Statute Duty on the Highways and Roads within this Province, and to make further provisions for the same."

Accordingly leave was given.

Mr. Sherwood, seconded by Mr. Nellis, moved that leave be given to Messrs. Wilkinson and Crysler to absent themselves from their attendance in this House for four days of this week.

Leave of absence was accordingly given.

On motion of Mr. Nellis, seconded by Mr. Dorland, the House adjourned till half past one o'clock in the afternoon.

The House being met,

A message from the Hon. Legislative Council by Mr. Burns, Master in Chancery.

Mr. Speaker,—

I am commanded by the Honorable Legislative Council to inform this House that they have passed the Bill entitled "An Act to regulate the trial of Controverted Elections, or returns of Members to serve in Parliament," sent up from this House, to which they have made some amendments, to which amendments they request the concurrence of this House.

And then he withdrew.

Which Bill as amended was then read.

On motion of Mr. Sherwood, seconded by Mr. Clench, the House resolved itself into Committee to enter into the consideration of the said Bill as amended by the Legislative Council.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Wilkinson was called to the chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Wilkinson reported that the Com-