

Read a second time "A Bill for transferring to and vesting in the Crown such Lands and Tenements of any person or body politic, on which it may be judged suitable and necessary to erect Fortifications which may be wanted, or for other uses of War and defence, and for ascertaining the value thereof, and making compensation for the same to the former owners"—Ordered, that the said Bill be committed.

"A Bill for the more equal Representation of the Province in General Assembly"—was read a third time: On the Question that this Bill pass, the House divided—

YEAS.

Mr. M'Lean,
Mr. Davison,
Mr. Fraser,
Mr. Robert Pagan,
Mr. Price,

Mr. Coffin,
Mr. Leonard,
Mr. Peters,
Mr. Wilson,
Mr. Yeamans,

Mr. Easterbrooks,
Mr. Taylor,
Mr. Agnew,
Mr. M'Kay,

NAYS.

Mr. William Pagan,
Mr. Lindsay,
Mr. Gilbert,

Mr. Younghusband,
Mr. Parter,

Mr. Robinson,
Mr. Johnston,

And it passed in the affirmative—Whereupon Ordered, that the said Bill be sent up to the Council for their concurrence.

Mr. Coffin brought in by leave "A Bill for establishing a Public Grammar School in the City of Saint John"—which was read the first time.

On Motion, Ordered, That Samuel Tilly, Hicks Simmons and his Wife, Nicholas Redoubt, junr. and Nathaniel Kinney, Do attend at the Bar of this House on Friday next at Twelve of the Clock in the Day, to give evidence of what they and each of them know as to matters depending on the Petition of William Hubbard, Esquire, complaining of the undue Election of James Glenie, Esquire, for the County of Sunbury—Of which order, when the said witnesses are notified, they will take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

MESSAGE was received from His Excellency, as followeth, to wit:—"THOMAS CARLETON.

"The Lieutenant-Governor informs the House, that a balance of Three Hundred and Forty-Two Pounds Two Shillings and Seven Pence, is yet unpaid of the expences incurred in building the Province Hall, for the accommodation of the General Assembly and Courts of Justice; and he recommends it to the House to make provision for the same"—Ordered, that the said Message be referred to the Committee of Supply.

The House in Committee (Mr. M'Kay in the Chair) went into the further consideration of the Supplies to be granted to His Majesty.—The Speaker having resumed the Chair—The Chairman Reported, that the Committee on the business to them referred, had come to sundry further Resolutions, and requested leave to sit again—Ordered, that the said Report be accepted.

MESSAGE was received informing this House, that the Council have concurred in passing "A Bill to enable the Justices of the General Sessions of the Peace and Inferior Court of Common Pleas in the County of Northumberland, to hold the same for the present Year at the times therein mentioned."

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at Eleven of the Clock.