

Mr. Kent, pursuant to notice yesterday, presented to the House the draft of an address to his Excellency the Governor, and he read the same in his place and afterwards delivered it in at the Clerk's table, where it was again read, and is as follows :

Draft of address to his Excellency presented & read.

To his Excellency Henry Prescott, Esquire, Companion of the Most Honorable Military Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Newfoundland and its Dependencies, &c. &c. &c.

May it please Your Excellency,

The House of Assembly respectfully request that your Excellency will be pleased to direct that a detailed account of the expenditure of the sum of two thousand pounds granted in the last supply bill towards liquidating outstanding claims on the Executive, and to meet prospective deficiencies, be laid before this House.

Ordered,—That the said address be adopted and engrossed.

Adopted and engrossed.

Ordered,—That Mr. Brown and Mr. Kent be a committee to present the said address to his Excellency.

Mr. Kent gave notice that he should, to-morrow, move for a select committee to enquire into the operation of the act to continue and amend an act to regulate the packing and inspection of pickled fish for exportation from this Island, and report thereon, with power to send for persons and papers.

Notice of committee to enquire into operation of pickled fish amendment act.

Pursuant to the order of the day, the House resolved itself into a committee of the whole House on the consideration of a supply to be granted to her Majesty.

House in committee on supply.

Mr. Speaker left the chair.

Mr. Brown took the chair of the committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the chair.

The chairman reported from the committee that they had made some progress in the business to them referred, and had directed him to move for leave to sit again on the further consideration of the same.

Report.

Ordered,—That the said committee have leave to sit again.

On motion of Mr. Power, seconded by Mr. Winsor,

Ordered,—That the Estimate and Treasurer's accounts laid before this House by direction of his Excellency the Governor, be printed for the use of Members.

Treasurer's accounts to be printed.

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

Thursday, July 26, 1838.

A Petition of Charles Granger was presented by Mr. Moore, (who stated in his place that he had obtained the consent of

Petition of C. Granger and others presented & read.