

And the names of the Members present were taken down, as follows :

Mr. SPEAKER,

Mr. Blouin, Mr. Papineau, senior, Mr. Bellet, Mr. Gauvreau, Mr. Larue, Mr. Bruneau, Mr. Durocher, Mr. Augustin Caron, Mr. Jean Baptiste Bedard, Mr. Debartzch, Mr. Viger, Mr. Papineau, junior, and Mr. Fortin.

And, at twenty-five minutes past nine of the clock at night, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, for want of a *Quorum*.

Wednesday, 6th February, 1811.

MR. Viger, from the Committee to whom was referred the Message of His Excellency the Governor in Chief, to this House, on the fourteenth of January last, and to whom was also referred the Petition of sundry Pilots for and below the Harbour of *Quebec*, presented to this House on the first instant, Reported, according to order, a Bill to amend an Act passed in the forty fifth year of His present Majesty's reign, intituled, "An Act for the better regulation of Pilots and Shipping in the Port of *Quebec*, and in the Harbours of *Quebec* and *Montreal*, and for improving the navigation of the River *St. Lawrence*, and for establishing a Fund for decayed Pilots, their Widows and Children;" and the same was received, and read for the first time.

RESOLVED, that the said Bill be read a second time on Saturday next.

A Petition of *John Molson*, of *Montreal*, Brewer, whose name is thereunto subscribed, was presented to the House by Mr. *Papineau*, sen. and the same was received and read:—SETTING FORTH;—That the Petitioner, at a great expense, has built a Steam Boat, for the purpose of navigating and carrying passengers between *Quebec* and *Montreal*.—That the utility resulting from this enterprise, is very beneficial to the public, and to the Province, by affording, at little expense, a speedy and