

MONDAY, February 10th, 1862.

The SOLICITOR GENERAL presented a Petition from Bertram Jones and others, of Spaniard's Bay, which was received and read, praying for a grant to enlarge the School-house there. School Petition from Spaniard's Bay.

Ordered,—That the said Petition do lie upon the table.

Mr. HANRAHAN presented a Petition from James Kinneally, planter, of Carbonear, which was received and read, setting forth that he had carried on the fishery at Cape Charles, Labrador, last summer, and had been obliged to abandon his voyage and property there, owing to the malicious injuries done by some persons there, and praying that his case may be considered and compensation made him. Petition from J. Kinneally of Carbonear.

Ordered,—That the said Petition do lie upon the table.

Mr. PARSONS presented a Petition from Henry Renouf, Captain of the Terra Nova Rifle Company, which was received and read, praying that he may be reimbursed for cost of Uniform imported for that Corps. Petition from H. Renouf, Captain Terra Nova Rifle Company, for payment of cost of Uniform.

Ordered,—That the said Petition do lie upon the table.

Mr. PARSONS gave notice that on to-morrow he will move the appointment of a Select Committee on the foregoing Petition of Henry Renouf. Notice of Select Committee on Petition of H. Renouf.

Mr. SHEA gave notice that on to-morrow he will ask the Hon. Attorney General, whether the Local Government have been informed of the appointment of an Anglo-French Commission to supervise the working of the Treaties under which the French enjoy the rights of fishing on the Coasts of this Island, and if so, whether the Commission will enter on its duties during the next fishing season. Notice of question in reference to appointment of Anglo-French Fishery Commission.

(A Message from His Excellency the Governor.)

The HON. ATTORNEY GENERAL, by command of His Excellency the Governor, presented to the House a written Message from His Excellency the Governor, signed by His Excellency, which he read in his place, all the Members being uncovered, as follows :

A. BANNERMAN, *Governor.*

Early in December last, the Governor was requested by the Telegraph Company to forward a statement to Her Majesty's Government, to account Message from the Governor on damage to Telegraph Wires.