

Ordered on motion of Mr. Solicitor General, seconded by Mr. Aulay, That the house do now resolve itself into a Committee relative to the Communications of His Excellency the Lieut. Governor, to this House, dated 13th December 1809, on the subject of a dispatch from Viscount Castlereagh, dated December 9th, 1809, requiring information as to a Bill, passed by the Legislature of this colony in 1808, respecting High Roads, the house accordingly resolved itself into a Committee (Mr. Solicitor General in the Chair) and after some time spent therein, the Speaker resumed the Chair and the Chairman reported progress and begged leave to sit again on Monday next, which was ordered.

Ordered, on Motion of *Mr. Solicitor General*, seconded by *Mr. Nelson*, That a Committee be appointed to inspect the public accounts, conjunctly with a Committee of his Majesty's Council, and that *Messrs. Solicitor General, Bernie and Goff*, do compose the said Committee, and also that this Resolution be sent up to his Majesty's Council, for their concurrence.

Ordered, on Motion of *Mr. Solicitor General*, seconded by *Mr. Birnie*, That an Address be presented, to his Excellency the Lieut. Governor, praying that he would be pleased to order that any Communications, which have been made to him, from the Colony Agent of this Island, relative to Bills or Resolutions, which have passed this House, since the Session of 1806, may be laid before the House; and that *Messrs. Solicitor General, Nelson, and Murray*, be appointed a Committee to draw and present the said Address.

On Motion of *Dr. M<sup>r</sup> Aulay* seconded by *Mr. Solicitor General*, leave was given, to bring in the Petition of William Roubel, Esq. complaining of an undue Election, of the Town and Royalty of Charlotte-Town; the same having been read; Ordered, on Motion, that this House do, on Friday next, resolve itself into a Committee of the whole House, as a Committee of privileges and Elections, to take into consideration the merits of the said Petition, and that the Secretary or his Deputy do then attend with the Writ of Election, and Return; and further ordered, that the Members of this House, do, before they proceed, take an Oath that they will well and truly try, the merits of said Petition.

The like order was made on Motion of *Mr. M<sup>r</sup> Aulay* seconded by *Mr. Solicitor General*, on the Petition of Mr. James Bagnall, complaining of an undue Election for George-Town, the matter thereof to be heard on Friday next.

The like order was made on Motion of *Mr. M<sup>r</sup> Aulay*, seconded by *Mr. Solicitor General* on the Petition of Elisha Le Page, Esq. complaining of an undue Election, for George-Town, the matter thereof to be heard on Friday next.

The like order was made on Motion of *Mr. Birnie*, seconded by *Mr. Gardiner* on the Petition of George Wright, Esq. complaining of an undue Election for Queens County, the matter thereof to be heard on Saturday next.

The like order was made, on Motion of *Mr. Curtis* seconded by *Mr. Worrell*, on the Petition of John Frederick Holland, Esq. complaining of an undue Election, for Charlotte-Town, the matter thereof to be heard on Monday next.

*Mr. Solicitor General* Chairman of the Committee appointed to draw and present an Address to his Excellency the Lieut. Governor, requesting that he would be pleased to order to be laid, before this House any Communications, which have been made to His Excellency from the Colony Agent of this Island, relative to any Bills or Resolutions which have passed this House, since the Session of 1806, brought in an Address which was agreed to, and is as follows, viz.