

FRIDAY, March 12, 1830.

THE House met pursuant to adjournment.—PRAYERS.

Ordered, on motion of *Mr. Mabey*, that it be an instruction to the Committee for preparing a bill to regulate Elections, and to repeal the existing Election Law, that instead thereof, they bring in a bill to alter, amend, and repeal certain parts of an act made and passed in the 47th year of his late Majesty's reign, intituled "An act to repeal an act made and passed in the 41st year of his present Majesty's reign, intituled an act for the better regulation of Elections, and to regulate Elections for Members to serve in General Assembly in future."

Mr. Lewellin, from the Committee appointed to prepare and bring in a bill to relieve the Roman Catholics from all civil disabilities—presented the draught of a bill for that purpose, intituled "An act for the Relief of his Majesty's Roman Catholic Subjects,"—which, on motion, received the first reading.

—Ordered, on motion of *Mr. Brecken*, that an humble Address be presented to the Lieut. Governor, praying that his Excellency will be pleased to direct that there be laid before the House, the following Returns and other Documents.

A Return of Vessels belonging to the Island, employed in the foreign and coasting trade, and in fishing.

The Correspondence of the Commissioners of Light Houses.

The Accounts of the Collector of Light Duty for the past year.

The Accounts of Collector of Impost for the Districts of Richmond Bay and New London.

Certificates for obtaining Drawbacks on Spirituous Liquors, exported last year.

A copy of the Warrant Book from the 1st to 31st January last.

Certificates of Magistrates to Schoolmasters for the past year.

Ordered, that *Mr. Brecken*, *Mr. Owen* and *Mr. Lewellin* be a Committee to prepare the said Address.

Mr. Brecken moved for leave to introduce a bill to render more efficient the Fire Engine Company of Charlotte-Town. Leave being granted, the said bill, on motion, received the first reading.

On motion, the House resolved itself into a committee of the whole House, on the consideration of the bill intituled "An act for the Establishment and Support of Schools, and to repeal an act made and passed in the 9th year of his present Majesty's reign, intituled an act to continue and amend an act of the 6th year of his present Majesty's reign, intituled an act for the Encouragement of Education in the different Counties and Districts in this Island."

Mr. Speaker left the chair:

Mr. Cameron took the chair of the Committee:

Mr. Speaker resumed the chair.

Mr. Cameron, chairman of the committee, reported, that they had made some progress in the bill, and that he was directed by the Committee to move for leave to sit again. Leave granted.

On motion, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole House, on the consideration of the bill intituled "An act to repeal an act made and passed in the 10th year of his present Majesty's reign, intituled an act to regulate the introduction of Passengers, in Vessels arriving in this Island."

Mr. Speaker left the chair:

Mr. Cameron took the Chair of the Committee:

Mr. Speaker resumed the chair.

Mr. Cameron, chairman of the committee, reported, that they had gone through the Bill, and had agreed to the same.

Ordered, that the report of the committee be agreed to.

Ordered, that the said bill be engrossed.

Adjourned to 11 o'clock to-morrow.

SATURDAY, March 13, 1830.

THE House met pursuant to adjournment.—PRAYERS.

Read a third time, as engrossed, the bill intituled "An act to repeal an act made and passed in the 10th year of his present Majesty's reign, intituled an act to regulate the

introduction of Passengers, in Vessels arriving in this Island."

Ordered, that the said bill do pass.

Ordered, that *Mr. Owen* do carry the said bill to the Council for their concurrence.

Mr. Brecken, from the committee appointed