WEDNESDAY, 23d FEBRUARY, 1842.

Pugwash, and had directed him to report that it was the opinion of the Committee that the further consideration of the said Bill should be deferred to this day three months. Ordered, That the said report be received, and the further consideration of the said Bill

be deferred to this day three months.

The Chairman also reported that the Committee had gone through a Bill, entitled, An Act to authorize the Congregation of the Presbyterian Meeting-House at Chebogue to raise Money from the Pews of the said Meeting-House for the repairing and upholding thereof, and had agreed to the same without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time, at a future day.

The Chairman also reported that the Committee had had under consideration

A Bill, entitled, An Act to authorize the shutting up of an old Road in Upper Musquedoboit; also.

A Bill, entitled, An Act to provide for opening a Cross Road in Upper Musquedoboit; also,

A Bill, entitled, An Act for establishing a Presbyterian Burial Ground at Dartmouth; also, A Bill, entitled, An Act to establish a Sessions House and Lock-up House at Bridgetown, and to repeal a certain Act therein mentioned; also,

A Bill, entitled, An Act to enable the Inhabitants of Upper Musquedoboit to enclose

and ornament the Public Burial Ground there.

And had directed him to report that it was the opinion of the Committee that the said Bills should be referred to a Select Committee, to examine and report upon.

Ordered, That the said report be received, and the said Bills be referred to a Select

Committee, to examine and report upon.

Ordered, That Mr. Bell, Mr. Morton and Mr. Uniacke, be a Committee for that purpose. The Chairman also reported that the Committee had had under consideration a Bill, entitled, An Act for enforcing performance of engagements in aid of Public Works, and had directed him to report that it was the opinion of the Committee that the further consideration of the said Bill should be deferred to this day three months.

Ordered, That the said report be received, and the further consideration of the said Bill

be deferred to this day three months.

Mr. Stewart presented a Bill, entitled, An Act to authorize the examination of parties on the trials of Issues depending between them in the Supreme Court of this Province. The said Bill was read a first time.

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time, at a future day.

Mr. Stewart, the Chairman of the Committee to whom the Rules of the Supreme Court, laid on the Table of this House on the 24th January last, were referred, reported as follows:

The Committee to whom the Rules prepared by the Judges of the Supreme Court were referred, report that as the Act of the General Assembly of the last Session, under which the Judges of that Court were empowered to make Rules, authorized the Judges to do so, it is doubtful whether those now submitted to the Legislature by the Chief-Justice and Judges Hill and Bliss, are within the scope of the Statute, and on that account the Committee think it would be prudent to pass a Resolution disapproving of them, leaving it to the Legislature to confer further power upon the Judges to prepare Rules for the consideration of the Legislature at its next Session, and in that case to adopt the provision of the English Statute which authorized the Judges of the Courts of Westminster Hall, or a majority of them, to make such Rules.

> A. STEWART. J. W. JOHNSTON. L. M. WILKINS. D. McFARLANE, JOHN MORTON.

Committee Room, February 23d, 1842. Ordered, That the said Report be received.

Bill deferred

Report Chehogue Meeting House Bill without amdt.

Recommend Old Road Musquedoboit

Cross Road do.

Presbyterian Burial Ground Dartmouth Sessions House Bridgetown

And Burial Ground Musquedoboit Bills

To be referred to Select Com.

Bills referred

Committee

Recommend engagements in aid of Public Works to be defd. 3 months

Bill deferred

Examination of parties Bill presented and read 1st time

Com. on Rules of Supreme Court report

Report