

FRIDAY, November 20, 1818.

**T**HE House met pursuant to adjournment.— PRAYERS.

On Motion of Mr. *Hyde*, seconded by Mr. *Alley*, Resolved unanimously, That the Address intended to have been presented to his Excellency the Lieut. Governor, in answer to his Speech at the opening of the Session, and the communications relative thereto, be inserted in the Prince Edward Island Gazette.

Ordered, On Motion of Mr. *Townsend*, seconded by Mr. *Cambridge*, That the Petition of Donald Nicholson, sen. of Orwell Bay, with the other Petitions before the House, be the Order of the day, on Thursday next.

Mr. *Mabey* moved for leave to bring in the heads of a Bill intituled an Act for raising a Fund to make and keep in repair the Pumps and Wells of Charlotte-Town, and other purposes therein mentioned, which being seconded by Mr. *Solicitor General*: Ordered accordingly, and the Bill was delivered in at the Clerk's Table.

Ordered, That the Bill receive the first reading.

On Motion of Mr. *Cameron*, seconded by Mr. *Chappell*, Ordered, That the House resolve itself into a Committee of whole House, to take into consideration the Bill intituled An Act for the further increase of the Revenue by raising a Duty of Impost on all Goods, Wares, and Merchandize, imported into this Colony, &c.

The House met at 4 o'clock pursuant to adjournment.

On Motion of Mr. *Solicitor-General*, seconded by Mr. *Mabey*, The Bill intituled an Act to alter the manner and mode of recovering Small Debts: received the second reading.

On Motion of Mr. *Solicitor General*, seconded by Mr. *Mabey*, The House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole House to take into consideration the Bill intituled an Act for Barring Estates Tail,

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Mr. Cameron took the Chair of the Committee,

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Mr. Cameron Chairman of the Committee reported, That they had made a progress in the Bill, and that he was

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Mr. Cameron Chairman of the Committee, Reported, That they had made a progress in the Bill, and that he was directed by the Committee to move that they may have leave to sit again.

On Motion of Mr. *Cameron*, seconded by Mr. *Coffin*, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole House to take into consideration the Bill intituled An Act for better regulating the manner of Distraining for Rent and for amending the practice of granting Replevins,

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 paragraph by paragraph and had agreed thereto; and that the Committee had directed him to move that the House would now be pleased to receive the said report. Ordered accordingly.

On Motion, Ordered, That the Bill receive the third reading, and the Bill was read accordingly.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass and be engrossed.

Adjourned till 4 o'clock this afternoon.

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On Motion the House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole House to resume the consideration of the Bill intituled an Act for the further increase of the Revenue by raising a duty of Impost on all Goods, Wares and Merchandize imported into this Colony, &c.

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Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair,  
Mr. Cameron Chairman of the Committee reported, That they had made a progress in the Bill, and that he was directed by the Committee to move that they may have leave to sit again.

Adjourned till 10 o'clock to-morrow.