A Message was brought from the Assembly by Mr. Williston, with Resolutions of Appropriation dated the third day of March; to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Resolutions were read a first time.

The Honorable Mr. Hatch, by leave, presented the following Petitions:—

From Mary Pratt, for War Pension:

From Margaret Grierson, with a like prayer:

From Jane Hawkins, with a like prayer:

From Mercy M'Nichol, with a like prayer:

From Duncan M'Farlan, with a like prayer:

From Jane Hamilton, with a like prayer: and

From David W. Jack, for addition to his Salary.

ORDERED. That the same be received and lie on the Table.

The Honorable Mr. Davidson, by leave, presented the following Petitions:—

From Hugh H. Wilson, for remuneration for services to Indians:

From James M'Phelim, for compensation for loss in consequence of error in Timber Licence: and

From the same, for part of money paid by W. H. Scovil for trespass on Land leased at the time to Petitioner.

ORDERED. That the same be received and lie on the Table.

The Honorable Mr. Hill, by leave, presented a Petition from Nehemiah Marks, praying increase in Capital Stock of Saint Stephen's Bank.

ORDERED. That the same be received and lie on the Table.

Adjourned until To-morrow at 12 o'clock.

# SATURDAY, 5th March, 1853.

#### PRESENT:

#### THE HON.

## Mr. Black, President.

Mr. Botsford, Mr. Hatch,

Mr. Minchin. Mr. Hill.

Mr. Brown. Mr. Gilbert. Mr. Chandler.

Mr. Solicitor General,

Mr. Hazen. Mr. Davidson, Mr. Connell, Mr. Steves.

### PRAYERS.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Bills were severally read a second

A Bill to alter the Terms of holding the Court of General Sessions of the Peace and Inferior Court of Common Pleas in the County of Westmorland: and

A Bill to alter and amend the Act to consolidate and amend the Laws relating to sick and disabled Seamen belonging to this Province, not being paupers, so far as the same relates to the County of Gloucester.