

A Message was brought from the Assembly by Mr. Miles, with a Bill to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the County of Sunbury to levy assessments to defray the Contingent expenses thereof; to which they desire the concurrence of this House.

The said Bill was read a first time.

ORDERED, That the said Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

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

A Petition from Eliphaz Codrington, of Grand Manan, in Charlotte County, praying for an allowance for losses sustained by him in the year 1813, in consequence of the non-fulfilment on the part of Government of a Contract entered into between a Deputy Assistant Commissary General and the Petitioner for building Batteaux: and

A Petition from James Steene, of Charlotte County, praying a return of loss sustained by him in defending Title to Lands purchased by him from the Crown, which Lands had previously been granted.

ORDERED, That the said Petitions be received and lie on the Table.

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

A Petition from John Boyd, Physician and Surgeon to the Provincial Marine Hospital, praying compensation for duties performed: and

A Petition from the same person, praying for the amount of losses sustained by him in consequence of Emigrants being located, by authority, on the Highway, near to his property.

ORDERED, That the said Petitions be received and lie on the Table.

Adjourned until Monday next at 12 o'clock.

MONDAY, 31st January, 1848.

PRESENT:

THE HON.

Mr. Black, President.

*Mr. Shore,
Mr. Saunders,
Mr. Chandler,
Mr. Kinnear,
Mr. Minchin.*

*Mr. Robinson,
Mr. Botsford,
Mr. Wyer,
Mr. Johnston,*

PRAYERS.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill further to continue an Act, intituled "An Act to extend the Jurisdiction of the Corporation of the City of Saint John for the regulation of the Rates of Pilotage beyond the limits now prescribed by Charter," was read a third time and passed.

ORDERED, That the Master in Chancery do go down to the Assembly, and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have agreed to this Bill without any amendment.