

may build of stone, to have leases granted them of not less than forty years. That the expense of the party walls, recommended by the Committee, should be borne by all the tenants in the line or block wherein the same may be erected, and who may thus have additional security afforded them;—always taking into account, in proportion to the interest of the landlord, and the party building, the saving to be made in the building of two chimnies.

Resolved.—That the Report be received and adopted by the House.

Ordered.—That the Bill for regulating the making and repairing of highways in this Island be printed.

Mr. PACK, in pursuance of leave granted, presented a Bill in amendment of the Act of the General Assembly, to regulate the streets of the town of Harbour-Grace; and the same was read a first time.

Resolved.—That the Bill be now read a second time;

And the same was read a second time, accordingly.

Resolved.—That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole House.

On motion, the House then resolved itself into a Committee of the whole House on the consideration of the several Bills that stood committed.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. HOOPER took the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported from the Committee that they had made some progress in the business to them referred, and had directed him to move for leave to sit again on the consideration thereof; which the House agreed to.

Mr. PACK, pursuant to leave granted, presented a Bill in amendment of an Act of the General Assembly, entitled, "An Act to establish and regulate Fire Companies in the town of Harbour-Grace; and the same was read a first time.

Resolved.—That the Bill be read a second time.

Then the House adjourned until to-morrow at eleven of the clock.

FRIDAY, JULY 26, 1833.

A Petition of MARY TRAVERS, was presented by Mr. MARTIN, and read, setting forth,

That the Petitioner begs to represent to the House the attention and services of herself and her servants, toward the comfort of the House from the 26th day of December last. The Petitioner begs also to intimate to the House, the inconvenience and loss she has sustained by not yet having received the sum awarded her, and ordered long since by the House, to be paid to her for the use of her premises at the Election, and that for want of it her creditors have instituted expensive law suits against her;—and praying that the House will take her case into consideration, and forward a recommendation thereon to His Excellency the Governor.

Ordered.—That the Petition do lie on the Table.

Ordered.—That the Bill in amendment of the Act to regulate the streets of the town of Harbour-Grace be printed.

On motion, the House then resolved itself into a Committee of the whole House, on the consideration of the several Bills that stood committed.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. HOOPER took the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported from the Committee, that they had made some progress in the business to them referred, and had gone through the Bill to regulate the building of houses in Water-street, in the town of St. John's, to which they had made certain amendments, which they had directed him to report to the House; and he

delivered the Bill, with the Amendments, in at the Clerk's Table.

The said Amendments were read throughout a first and second time, and thereupon

Mr. HOYLES moved that the Report of the Committee be not agreed to; which being seconded and put, and the House dividing thereon, there appeared for the motion, four; against it, eight.

For the Motion.

Mr. KENT

— HOYLES

— BENNETT

— MARTIN.

Against the Motion.

Mr. PACK

— HOOPER

— CARTER

— THOMAS

— COZENS

— SWEETMAN

— KOUGH

— POWER.

So it passed in the negative.

The said Amendments were then, upon the motion put thereon, agreed to by the House.

Ordered.—That the Bill with the amendments be fairly engrossed.

A Petition of ROBERT AYLES and others, Inhabitants of the town of Carbonear, was presented by Mr. PACK, and read, setting forth,

That the Petitioners pray the House to support any Bill that may be introduced into the House having for its object the establishment of Fire Companies in the said town.—And humbly pray for the support of the House to a Bill for regulating the keeping of Gunpowder in magazines, and not in houses and stores.—They also humbly pray the House to support a Bill for