Wednesday, 6th February, 1839.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

PRESENT-

The Honorable S. B. Robie, President.

The Honorable Joseph Allison,
Norman F. Uniacke,
William Lawson,
Alexander Stewart,

The Honorable Lewis M. Wilkins, Jun.
Alexander Campbell,
William B. Almon,

PRAYERS.

The Minutes of yesterday were read.

A Bill, entitled, An Act for regulating Elections of Members to serve in General Assemly; also,

Controverted Elections Bill read 3d time, agreed to and sent to H. A.

Elections &

A Bill, entitled, An Act for regulating the Trials of Controverted Elections or Returns of Members to serve in General Assembly, were read a third time, and the question was put by the President on each Bill,

Whether this Bill shall pass? It was resolved in the affirmative.

A Message was sent to the House of Assembly, by the Clerk,

To return the said Bills, and acquaint them that this House have agreed to the said Bills, without any amendment.

Criminal Justice

A Bill, entitled, An Act for improving the Administration of Criminal Justice; also, A Bill, entitled, An Act relating to Joint Tenancy; also,

Joint Tenancy and Rogers' Hill Kirk Bill read 2d time

A Bill, entitled, An Act to enable the Congregation at Rogers' Hill, in connexion with the Kirk of Scotland, to make sale of their Church or Meeting-House, were read a second time.

Ordered, That the said Bills be committed to a Committee of the whole House at a future time.

Committee on continuing Bills report

Mr. Stewart, the Chairman of the Committee, to whom the continuing Bills were referred, reported that the Committee had examined the said Bills, and found them all correct, except the Bill, entitled, An Act to continue the Acts in force relative to the inspection of Pickled Fish.

Whereupon, the following Bills, viz:

Wills, &c.

A Bill, entitled, An Act to continue the several Acts now in force in addition to, and amendment of, the Act relating to Wills, Legacies and Executors, and for the Settlement and Distribution of the Estates of Intestates.

Cape Forchu Harbour A Bill, entitled, An Act to continue the Act to preserve the Harbour of Cape Forchu, in Yarmouth.

Nuisances in Rivers

A Bill, entitled, An Act to continue the Act in addition to, and in amendment of, the Act to prevent Nuisances by Hedges, Wears and other Incumbrances, obstructing the passage of Fish in the Rivers of this Province.

Sup. Court Halifax

A Bill, entitled, An Act to continue the Act concerning the Terms of the Supreme Court at Halifax.

C. Pleas Courts

A Bill, entitled, An Act to continue the Act concerning the Inferior Courts of Common Pleas within this Province.

Circuits of Sup.

A Bill, entitled, An Act to continue the Act respecting the Trial of Issues in the Supreme Court, and for regulating the times of holding the Circuits of the said Court, and the Acts in amendment thereof.

Disorderly Riding

A Bill, entitled, An Act to continue the Act to prevent Disorderly Riding, and to regulate the Driving of Carriages on the Streets of Halifax or other Towns, or on the Public Roads of this Province, and for repealing certain Acts therein mentioned.

Billetting of Troops

A Bill, entitled, An Act to continue the Act, entitled, An Act to provide for the Accommodation and Billetting of His Majesty's Troops, or of the Militia, when on their march from one part of the Province to another, and also the Acts in amendment thereof.

Lunenburg Fisheries

A Bill, entitled, An Act to continue the Act to prevent injuries to its Fisheries within the County of Lunenburg, by Mill Dams, or any other obstruction.