

of John Munn and others, against the return of J. L. Prendergast, Esq., to be Member of this House for Harbor Grace.

The names of Members present were called over by the Clerk, when there appeared :—

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Hon. Colonial Secretary	Mr. Warren
“ Receiver General	“ March
“ Surveyor General	“ Bemister
“ Attorney General	“ Whiteway
“ E. D. Shea	“ Winter
“ Rogerson	“ R. Carter
Mr. Barron	“ Rendell
“ Dwyer	“ Knight
“ Prendergast	“ F. Carter
“ Kavanagh	“ Walbank
“ Furey	“ Hoyles

And there being not less than twenty Members present,

Mr. HOYLES moved, seconded by Mr. F. CARTER, pursuant to order of the day,

That the House do appoint the 25th day of January, at 4 o'clock, p.m., for taking into consideration the petition of John Munn and others, against the return of James L. Prendergast, Esq., to be Member for Harbor Grace.

Whereupon,

The Hon. COLONIAL SECRETARY moved in amendment, seconded by the Hon. ATTORNEY GENERAL,

Motion to take into consideration Petition against return of J. L. Prendergast.

That the House do adjourn in order to afford the Speaker an opportunity “ to notify in writing all parties concerned, or their agents, of the necessity of their attendance at the Bar of the House at the time appointed,” for taking into consideration the petition of John Munn and others, of Harbor Grace, against the return of James L. Prendergast, Esq., of that District, and that another day and hour be set down by the parties petitioning for the hearing of the case.

And the question being put thereon, the House divided, when there appeared :