

ways and Roads, and for appointing Commissioners and Surveyors of Highways within the several Towns and Parishes in this Province.

On motion ordered, that Mr. R. Pagan, Mr. Johnston, and Mr. Knapp, be a committee to bring in a Bill to alter and amend an Act, entitled, "An Act for assessing, collecting and levying County rates."

Ordered that, Mr. Botsford, Mr. Campbell, and Mr. Allen, be a committee to revise and amend the Militia Law.

The House then adjourned until to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock.

FRIDAY, the 14th day of JANUARY, 1814.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Botsford and Mr. McDonnell, are appointed a committee to wait on His HONOR the PRESIDENT, to know when he will be pleased to receive the House with their Address.

Mr. Botsford of the committee, appointed to wait on His HONOR the PRESIDENT, to know when he will be pleased to receive the House with their Address, reported that His HONOR the PRESIDENT, said he would receive the same this day at two o'clock, in the Council Chamber.

The House waited upon His HONOR the PRESIDENT with their Address in answer to His HONOR's Speech, and being returned, Mr. Speaker reported that the House had presented their Address, and that His HONOR was pleased to make the following reply, viz.

"Gentlemen of the Assembly,

"I return you my sincere thanks for this Address, and gladly avail myself of the occasion to express my entire confidence in your zeal and ambition to second my best endeavors to secure and promote the welfare and prosperity of this Loyal Colony."

Mr. R. Pagan by leave brought in a Bill to make perpetual several Acts of the General Assembly that are near expiring; which was read a first time.

The House then adjourned until to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock.

SATURDAY, the 15th day of JANUARY, 1814.

PRAYERS.

Read a second time, a Bill to make perpetual several Acts of the General Assembly which are near expiring, and ordered to be committed.

The House in committee Capt. Agnew, in the chair, went into consideration of a Bill to make perpetual several Acts of the General Assembly which are near expiring. The Speaker resumed the chair, the chairman reported that the committee had agreed to the Bill, which report was received. Ordered, that the Bill be engrossed.

The House then adjourned until Monday morning next at 11 o'clock.

MONDAY, the 17th day of JANUARY, 1814.

PRAYERS.

Read a third time an engrossed Bill to make perpetual, several Acts of the General Assembly that are near expiring. Resolved that the Bill do pass. Ordered that, Mr. R. Pagan and Mr. Easterbrooks, do carry the Bill to the Council and desire their concurrence.

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