

Bill relating to Causes in formâ pauperia.

Weights and Measures (L.C.) Bill.

Lessor and Lessee's Bill.

L'Association St. Jean Baptiste de Montréal Bill.

Grand River Navigation Company Bill.

Montreal Merchant's Reading Room Bill.

Orders deferred.

"An Act to remove doubts as to the right of suing and defending Causes in formâ pauperis before the Courts of Law in Lower Canada:"

"An Act to amend the Law relative to the inspection of Weights and Measures in Lower Canada:"

"An Act to amend the Act to regulate the exercise of certain rights of Lessors and Lessees:"

"An Act to incorporate L'Association Saint Jean Baptiste de Montréal:"

"An Act to amend the Grand River Navigation Company's Charter:"

"An Act to incorporate the Merchants' Exchange, Montreal."

And then he withdrew.

Ordered, That the remaining Orders of the day be postponed until to-morrow.

Then, on motion of the Honorable Mr. Attorney General LaFontaine, seconded by Mr. Boutilier, The House adjourned.

Jovis, 10^o die Maii;

ANNO 12^o VICTORIÆ REGINÆ, 1849.

Petition brought up.

THE following Petition was brought up, and laid on the table:—

By Mr. Galt,—The Petition of F. C. Cleave and others, of the northern part of the District of St. Francis.

Neepigon Mining Company Bill.

An engrossed Bill to incorporate certain persons under the name and style of Neepigon Mining Company, was read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass, and the Title be,

"An Act to incorporate certain persons under the name and style of the Neepigon Mining Company."

Ordered, That Mr. M'Farland do carry the Bill to the Legislative Council, and desire their concurrence.

Huron Mining Company Bill.

An engrossed Bill to incorporate the Huron Mining Company, was read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That the Honorable Mr. Robinson do carry the Bill to the Legislative Council, and desire their concurrence.

Petitions read.

Pursuant to the Order of the day, the following Petitions were read:—

Of Donald Cameron, of the Township of Thora; praying for the adoption of certain measures to obtain the issue of Deeds of the Lands for which he and his followers have received Location Tickets.

Of O. Rémond and others, Pilots navigating the River St. Lawrence between the Ports of Quebec and Montreal; praying for certain amendments to the Bill relating to the Trinity House at Montreal.

Notarial Profession Organization Bill.

Mr. Jobin reported from the Select Committee on the Bill to amend the Act providing for the organization of the Notarial Profession in Lower Canada, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made an amendment thereunto.

Ordered, That the Bill and Report be committed to a Committee of the whole House, for to-morrow.

Ordered, That the Bill to incorporate the Hamilton Mercantile Library Association be engrossed.

Hamilton Mercantile Library Association Bill.

Mr. Armstrong, from the Standing Committee on Road and Bridge Bills, presented to the House the Tenth Report of the said Committee; which was read, as followeth:—

Tenth Report of Committee on Road and Bridge Bills.

Your Committee have examined the provisions of the Bill to authorize Alexandre M. Delisle, B. H. LeMoine and Jean Bte. Debien, the younger, to build a Toll Bridge over the River Jésus, and for other purposes therein mentioned, and have agreed to several amendments thereto, which they herewith submit for the consideration of Your Honorable House.

Bridge Bill of A. M. Delisle and others.

Ordered, That the Bill and Report be committed to a Committee of the whole House.

Resolved, That this House will immediately resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee.

Mr. Hall took the Chair of the Committee; and after some time spent therein,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair;

And Mr. Hall reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill, and made amendments thereunto.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

On motion of Mr. DeWitt, seconded by Mr. Christie, Ordered, That the Order for engrossing the Bill to authorize Antoine Amable Archambeault, and others, to erect a Toll Bridge over the River L'Assomption, and for other purposes therein mentioned, be discharged.

Bridge Bill of A. Archambeault and others.

Ordered, That the said Bill be re-committed to the Standing Committee on Road and Bridge Bills.

Ordered, That the Honorable Mr. Boulton be added to the Standing Committee appointed to assist Mr. Speaker in the direction of the Library.

Library.

Ordered, That the Amendments made by the Legislative Council to the Bill, intituled, "An Act to amend an Act passed in the Parliament of Upper Canada in the ninth year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled, "An Act to provide for the construction of Aprons to Mill Dams over certain Streams in this Province," and to "make further provision in respect thereof," be now taken into consideration.

Bill respecting Aprons to Mill Dams.

The House proceeded accordingly to take the said Amendments into consideration; and the same were read, as follow:—

Press 1, line 32. Leave out "Stream" and insert "Channel," leave out "River" and insert "Stream."

Press 1, line 35. After "aforesaid" insert Clause (A.)

Clause (A.) "And be it enacted, that no Apron to any Mill Dam on the River Ottonabee shall be less than thirty-two feet wide, by an inclined plane of five feet to a perpendicular of one foot, and so in proportion to the height of the Dam; and that side pieces of at least one foot in height shall be fixed on the outsides of every such Apron, to confine the water, and to prevent the timber from falling off the sides."

The said Amendments, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Honorable Mr. Boulton do carry back the Bill to the Legislative Council, and acquaint their Honors, that this House hath agreed to their Amendments.