An Ordinance to provide for the improvement during the winter season of the Queen's Highways in this Province, and for other purposes.

Government House, Montreal, 30th April, 1840.

The Ordinances mentioned in the preceding Message were severally read for the first time.

His Excellency the Governor General, having entered the Council Chamber, he took his seat at the head of the Table.

On motion of Mr. Hale, of Sherbrooke, seconded by Colonel Heriot,

ORDERED, That An Ordinance to render permanent certain Acts of the Legislature of this Province relative to the District of Saint Francis, be now read for the third time.

The said Ordinance was accordingly read for the third time.

His Excellency having put the question :

"That this Ordinance do now pass,"

It was

RESOLVED in the affirmative.

On motion of the Honble. Mr. Daly, seconded by Mr. Hale, of Sherbrooke,

ORDERED, That an Ordinance to render permanent certain Acts therein mentioned relative to the Administration of Justice in the Inferior District of Gaspé, be now read for the third time;

The said Ordinance was accordingly read for the third time.

His Excellency having put the question:

"That this Ordinance do now pass,"

It was

RESOLVED in the affirmative.

On motion of the Honble. Mr. Daly, seconded by Mr. Hale, of Sherbrooke,

Ordered, That an Ordinance to provide permanently for the want of Notaries in the Inferior District of Gaspé, and to remove the doubts therein mentioned, be now read for the third time;