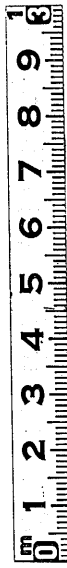


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REPORT
FROM THE
COMMITTEE ON ORDERS
RESPECTING
IRELAND.

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THIRD REPORT.

THE COMMITTEE appointed to take into Consideration, what additional Orders, and what other Regulations, it may be proper to make, relative to the Proceedings of this House, in consequence of the Union of GREAT BRITAIN and IRELAND; and to report the same, with their Opinion thereupon, from Time to Time, to the House;—

HAVE made a further Progress in the Matters to them referred; and have come to the following Resolutions, viz:

Resolved,

THAT it is the Opinion of this Committee, That the several Orders and Resolutions of this House, relative to Private Bills here referred to; viz.—One upon the 26th May 1685:—One upon the 13th May 1690:—One upon the 31st March 1699:—Second and Third upon the 24th November 1699:—One upon the 12th November 1705:—One upon the 15th January 1705:—Two upon the 13th March 1716:—One upon the 13th June 1751:—Two upon the 12th March 1752:—One upon the 5th May 1773:—Two upon the 15th April 1774:—Four upon the 25th April 1774:—Two upon the 15th November

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November 1775:—One upon the 14th March 1781:—Three upon the 23d May 1786:—Two upon the 20th May 1791:—Two upon the 17th November 1797:—One upon the 22d December 1797:—And one upon the 27th June 1799:—should be extended to Ireland.

Resolved,

THAT it is the Opinion of this Committee, That there be Twenty-one Days, at least, between the First and Second Reading of every Private Bill relating to Ireland.

Resolved,

THAT it is the Opinion of this Committee, That before any Petition be presented to this House, for confirming or prolonging the Term of Letters Patent, granted by His Majesty to any Person or Persons, on account of any Invention; Notice of such intended Application shall be inserted Three Times in the London Gazette (and also Three Times in One of the Edinburgh Papers, where the Letters Patent extend to Scotland; and also Three Times in the Dublin Gazette, where the Letters Patent extend to Ireland); in the Months of August and September, or either of them, immediately preceding the Session of Parliament in which such Application is intended to be made: And that such Notice shall have prefixed to it, in Capital Letters, the Name by which the Invention is usually distinguished, and shall contain a distinct Description of the Invention for which such Letters Patent have been obtained, and also an Account of the Term of their Duration; and that the Chairman of the Committee to whom the Petition for confirming or prolonging the Term of such Letters Patent is referred, do report to the House, how far the Order contained in the said Resolution has been complied with.

Resolved,

THAT it is the Opinion of this Committee, That before any Bill of Divorce for Adultery do pass this House, Evidence be given before the Committee to whom the said Bill shall be committed,

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mitted, that an Action for Damages has been brought in one of His Majesty's Courts of Westminster Hall, or in one of His Majesty's Courts of Record in Dublin, against the Persons supposed to be guilty of Adultery, and Judgment had thereupon; or sufficient Cause be shewn to the said Committee, why such Action was not brought, or such Judgment was not obtained.

Resolved,

THAT it is the Opinion of this Committee, That all Persons concerned, in Interest, in Private Bills relating to that Part of the United Kingdom called Ireland, do personally attend the Committee to give their Consents; or do signify the same to One of the Judges of that Part of the United Kingdom, whose Certificate shall be taken as Proof of such Consent; unless the Committee to whom any Petition or Private Bill shall be referred shall otherwise order.

Resolved,

That it is the Opinion of this Committee, That in all Private Bills relating to that Part of the United Kingdom called Ireland, the Notices required by the Standing Orders of this House, and the Allegations in the Preamble of such Bills, may be proved before any Judge of that Part of the United Kingdom, whose Certificate shall be admitted as Evidence of such Proof having been made; unless the Committee to whom any Petition or Private Bill shall be referred, shall otherwise order.

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