## Journal of the House of Representatives of the United States, 1809-1811 WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7, 1810.

Mr. Fisk presented a petition of sundry inhabitants of Locke, in Cayuga county, in the State of New York, praying for the establishment of a post route from the post office in Homer, by Benjamin Williams's, in said Locke, to the post office in Genoa.

Ordered, That the said petition be referred to the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads.

On motion of Mr. Clopton,

Ordered, That the petitions of John Adams and Robert Poore, presented on the twenty-second of February and ninth of March, one thousand eight hundred and eight, be referred to the Committee of Claims.

On motion of Mr. Hufty, and seconded,

Resolved, That a committee be appointed to inquire into the expediency of altering the times of holding the District Court of the United States for the District of New Jersey; and that they have leave to report by bill.

Ordered, That Mr. Hufty, Mr. Seybert, and Mr. Matthews, be appointed a committee, pursuant to the said resolution.

Mr. Emott, from the committee appointed, on the twelfth ultimo, on the petition of Jared Duncan, made a report thereon; which was read, and ordered to lie on the table;

Mr. Macon presented a petition of **Daniel Jones**, of the State of North Carolina, praying compensation for services rendered, and moneys advanced, whilst a **Captain** in the North Carolina line of Revolutionary army.

Ordered, That the said petition be referred to the Committee of Claims.

Mr. Sheffey, from the committee appointed on the fifth instant, presented a bill providing the means to ascertain the title to the batture in front of the suburb St. Mary, in the city of New Orleans; which was received, and read the first time.

On motion,

The said bill was read the second time, and committed to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

On motion of Mr. Burwell,

Ordered, That the report of the Committee of Claims, made the seventh ultimo, on the petition of James Sawyers, be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Friday next.

The House proceeded to consider the amendments of the Senate to the bill, entitled "An act to extend the time for locating Virginia military land warants, and for returning