

Report of Chairman.

The Chairman reported from the Committee that they had gone through the said Address and had agreed to the same without amendment; and he handed the same in at the Clerk's table, where it was again read.

On motion of Mr. JOB, seconded by Mr. CARTER,

Address adopted.

Resolved,—That the said Address be adopted.

Committee to present Address.

Ordered,—That the said Address be engrossed, and that Mr. Job and Mr. Carter be a Committee to present the same to His Excellency the Governor.

On motion of Mr. O'BRIEN, seconded by Mr. CARTER,

Governor's Speech printed.

Resolved,—That Thirty copies of the Governor's Speech be printed for the use of Members.

Several Members having retired, and the names of those present being taken down as follows,—

Mr. Speaker, Mr. O'Brien, Mr. Prendergast, and Mr. Hanrahan,

House adjourns for want of a quorum.

The House adjourned, for want of a quorum, at half-past four o'clock.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1848.

Petitions from Bay Bulls, Aquaforte, Ferryland, Caplin Bay, Renewie, and Fermeuse.

Mr. WINNER stated in his place that he had received the consent of His Excellency the Governor to present the following Petitions from the Southern District, and the same were received and read, setting forth, that the failure of the potato crop and fall Fishery had rendered them destitute, and praying for Government relief.

From John Dulhanty and others, inhabitants of Ferryland,
From Michael Shisk and others, inhabitants of Aquaforte,
From Patrick Dooley and others, inhabitants of Renewie and Fermeuse,
From James Walsh and others, inhabitants of Caplin Bay.

Lie on table.

Ordered,—That the said Petitions do lie on the table.

Mr. HANRAHAN gave notice that on Monday next he would move for an Address to His Excellency the Governor requesting that the following Returns be laid before this House.