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prepared to introduce the system of Responsible Government, and also to surrender the disposal of the Crown Revenues to the Legislature, 15. See *Appendix* (D.)

Declining to furnish the House with copies of Despatches of his predecessor, since the prorogation, in May last, and the replies thereto, in reference to the differences between the House and the late Lieutenant Governor, 28. And see *Addresses*, No. 2.

In reply to Address of the House, for copies of all correspondence with the Deputy Postmaster General, on the stoppage of the Inland Mails, last year, and his replies thereto, 28.

In reply to Address of the House, of the 1st of April—accompanied by Resolutions adopted—on the subject of the conditions on which Responsible Government will be introduced, and the disposal of the Crown Revenues surrendered to the Legislature, 30. House resolve to consider the Message, in Committee of the whole, 33. Considered, and Resolution reported, and carried on division, 35. Committee to prepare an Address in conformity, 35. See *Addresses*, No. 5.

With copy of Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Washington; and a similar one from the Governor General of Canada, on the subject of a reciprocal Act passed by the United States' Legislature, but which had not (as His Excellency understands) been received in this Colony, 34. See *Appendix* (I.)

With the Estimates of the expenditure of the Government, for the current year. See *Appendix* (J.)

In reply to Address of the House of the 9th April, referring him to a Despatch of Earl Grey, dated 12th November, 1847. His Excellency expresses his opinion that the conditions on which he was instructed to introduce Responsible Government, might have been settled in a short space of time; and that he is placed

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in that position which he thinks will render it imperative on him to refer the whole proceedings, since his arrival, to Her Majesty's Government, 43. Message referred to the Committee of the whole House, 44. Considered, and two Resolutions reported, 48. See *Civil List*; and see *Land Assessment*.

With Road Returns for the past year; Road Commissioners' Reports or Estimates of repairs required on Roads and Bridges for the present year; List of persons who have and have not performed labour on roads in payment of advances made to them in former seasons of scarcity; Accounts from Road Commissioners of expenses incurred by them in necessary repairs of Bridges during the past season; A Petition from Tryon, Crapaud, &c. praying for alterations in the Road leading from Poplar Island Bridge to De Sable, 50.

In answer to Address of the House of 14th April, expressing his satisfaction thereat, as enabling him to fulfil his instructions; and terminating the discussion between him and the House, by a quotation of extracts from Lord John Russell's Despatch to the Governor General of Canada, of 14th October, 1839, on the subject of Responsible Government, 52.

Desiring the House to adjourn over Good Friday, 56.

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Transmitting copy of a Despatch No. Six (6), on the state of the Currency of this Island, 128. Also, copy of a Despatch to the Earl of Elgin and Kincardine, on the subject of the Canada Act of 1850, intituled "An Act to amend the Currency Act of this Province," *ib.* See *Appendix* (Z.)

Assents to several Bills, 63, 89, 96, 143, 144.