

For the motion—	Against the motion—
Mr. KENT	Mr. HOYLES
— POWER	— ROW
— P. BROWN	— MARTIN
— PACK	— KOUGH
— SWEETMAN	— COZENS
— CARSON	— CARTER.

And the House being equally divided,

Mr. Speaker gave his casting vote in favour of the question, so it passed in the affirmative.

Speaker gives his casting vote in favor of the question.

Ordered, that the said address with the amendments be engrossed.

Address ordered to be engrossed.

On motion of Mr. Pack, seconded by Mr. Power,

Resolved, that a committee be appointed to whom shall be referred all matters in any way touching or concerning the privileges of the House, and that such committee do consist of the whole House.

Committee of Privileges appointed, to consist of the whole of the House.

Then the House adjourned until to-morrow, at eleven of the clock.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1834.

THE Address in answer to His Excellency's Speech being engrossed, was read by the Clerk, and is as follows :

Address of the House to his Excellency.

To His Excellency Sir Thomas John Cochrane, Knight, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Island of Newfoundland, and its Dependencies, &c. &c. &c.

The Humble Address of the House of Representatives, in General Assembly.

May it please your Excellency,

We, the Representatives of His Majesty's loyal Subjects the Inhabitants of Newfoundland, in General Assembly convened, beg leave to thank your Excellency for your Excellency's Speech at the opening of this the third Session of the first General Assembly of Newfoundland.

The inadequate return of the Shore and Labrador Fishery, and the extensive failure of the potatoe crop, from the cause noticed by your Excellency, whereby the benevolent intentions of Government in distributing seed to the poor have been unhappily frustrated, are subjects upon which the House deeply sympathize with your Excellency ; but it is a source of much gratification to learn from your Excellency, that hitherto the pressure has been so little felt that only a single instance has occurred in which application has been made for relief.

We lament the deficiency that Your Excellency informs us has taken place in the Revenue arising from the Imperial Duties for the last nine months, as compared with the corresponding period of the year One thousand eight hundred and thirty two ;—and on receiving the Estimates which Your Excellency has promised to lay before us, we shall be prepared to adopt such measures as may be suitable for the occasion ; and we thank Your Excellency, for the assurance that the Duties raised by our own enactments have been kept inviolate.

We thank Your Excellency for the attention to economy and the ready acquiescence with our wishes which induced your Excellency to appropriate a portion of the Court-House for the holding of our Session.

To the various subjects referred to by Your Excellency in the Memoranda laid before us at the opening of the first Session of the Legisla-