

Mr. Delaney and Mr. Parsons, the House adjourned for want of a quorum.

T H U R S D A Y , JANUARY 31, 1850.

Motion for appointment of  
Committee of Audit.

Mr. WINSER gave notice that he would on to-morrow move that a Committee of Audit be appointed to examine into the public Accounts, and to make a faithful report thereon.

Petition from Fortune Bay  
on Education.

Mr. HOYLES presented a petition from Thomas F. Gaden, and others, inhabitants of Fortune Bay, and the same was received and read, setting forth,—

The inadequate provision made for Education in that district, and praying that in any alterations that may be made in the Education Act, their case may be considered.

On Table.

*Ordered*,—That the said Petition do lie upon the Table.

Address of Thanks read 2nd  
time.

Pursuant to order of the day, the Address of Thanks in reply to His Excellency's Speech at the opening of the Session was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. HOYLES, seconded by Mr. DELANEY,

Rules suspended.

*Resolved*,—That the ordinary rules of the House be suspended as regards the Address to His Excellency in reply to his Speech at the opening of the Session.

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

Committee of whole on Ad-  
dress of Thanks.

*Resolved*,—That the House do now resolve itself into a Committee of the whole on the consideration of the said Address, and the House resolved itself into the said Committee accordingly.

Mr. SPEAKER left the Chair.

Mr. DELANEY took the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. SPEAKER resumed the Chair.