tee had gone into the consideration of the matter to them referred, and come to a Resolution thereupon; and he read the same in his place, and delivered it in at the Clerk's Table, where it was again read, and is as followeth:

RESOLVED, That it be recommended to the House to appoint a Committee to draw up an Address to Her Majesty, stating the grounds on which the House has been obliged to pass a vote of Want of Confidence in the Executive Council of this Colony, and that, as a consequence, they are under the necessity of refusing the Supplies, until the Government of this Island shall be remodelled, so as to enjoy the confidence of the people, and that the moneys which shall in future be taken from the people shall be expended judiciously and for their benefit; or, in other words, until the people of this Colony obtain what is usually termed Responsible Government.

And the said Resolution being again read, and the question put thereon,

The House divided:

## YEAS:

Mr. Coles,	Mr. Warburton,
Mr. LeLacheur,	Mr. Whelan,
Mr. Clark,	Mr. Fraser,
Mr. Jardine,	Mr. Pope,
Mr. Lord,	Mr. Montgomery,
Mr. Davies,	Mr. Mooney,
Mr. Beaton,	Mr. Macdonald,
Mr. Flynn,	Mr. Laird.
Mr. Macneill,	

## NAYS:

Hon. Mr. Thornton.

Mr. Haviland.

So it was carried in the affirmative.

Ordered, That Mr. Warburton, Mr. Coles, Mr. Pope, Mr. Davies, Mr. Jardine, Mr. Fraser and Mr. Clark be a Committee pursuant to the above reported Resolution.

RESOLVED, That this House do now resolve

itself into a Committee of the whole House, to take into further consideration the Report of the Special Committee appointed to examine and report on such Laws as have lately expired, or are near expiring.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Clark took the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported, that the Committee had come to two Resolutions, which he was directed to report to the House.

The Chairman also acquainted the House, that he was directed by the Committee to move for leave to sit again,—which the House agreed to.

The Resolutions reported from the Committee were again read by the Clerk; and on the question being separately put upon each, were agreed to by the House, and are as follow:

- 1. Resolved, That it is the opinion of this Committee that it is expedient to discharge the Order for bringing in the several Bills enumerated in the Report of the Committee upon the Expiring Laws.
- 2. RESOLVED, That it be recommended to the House, to direct the Committee appointed to carry into effect the Resolutions previously reported from this Committee, that a Bill be brought in to continue in one Act henceforth, for one year, and to the end of the then next Session of the Assembly, the various Acts comprised in the Resolutions before mentioned.

Then the House adjourned until to-morrow, at Ten o'clock.

## WEDNESDAY, March 13, 1850.

R. COLES, from the Committee appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, with the Address praying for copies of the Blue Book for certain years past, together with a detailed Account of all Fees received by the Colonial Secretary, as

Private Secretary's Fees, and retained by him, &c., reported to the House the delivery of the said Address, and that His Excellency had been pleased to return the following reply:

The Lieutenant Governor will endeavour to comply with the desire of the House of Assembly, respecting the