One from Mr. John Ings, engaging to perform the work for One Pound six shillings and threepence, per sheet, and to bind each copy for the sum of Three Shillings and nine-pence.

One from Mr. John Walsh, engaging to perform the work for the sum of One Pound, seven shillings, for each Sheet of four pages, and to bind each copy for the sum of Four shillings and threepence.

One from Mr. Thomas Burris, engaging to perform the work for the sum of One Pound, five shillings, per sheet of four pages, and to bind each copy for the sum of Four shillings.

One from Mr. John S. Bremner, engaging to perform the work for the sum of Seventeen shillings and threepence, for each Sheet of four pages, and to bind the same for Three shillings and twopence each copy.

Which latter Tender, being the lowest, the House adopted.

Mr. Swabey, from the Committee, appointed to make arrangements for the efficient reporting and publication of the proceedings and debates of this House, reported, that the Committee had engaged the services of William Minns Howe, Esquire, as a Reporter, on the same conditions as those of the last Session.

Ordered, That the Report of the Committee be received.

Ordered, That William Minns Howe, Esquire, be re-appointed Reporter to this House, for the present Session.

Mr. Craswell, from the Committee appointed to prepare an Address in answer to His Excellency's Speech, reported a draft thereof, which he read in his place.

Ordered, That the Report be received, and the said Draft was again read by the Clerk, and it was ordered, that the House be forthwith put into a Committee of the whole, to take the same into consideration.

The House was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee on the said Address.—After some time, the House was resumed, and Mr. Craswell reported, that the Committee had gone through the Address, and had made several amendments thereto.

Ordered, That the Report of the Committee be received.

The said amendments being twice read by the Clerk, were agreed to by the House.

Ordered, That the said Address be engrossed, and read a third time on Monday next.

Adjourned until Monday next, at One o'clock.