So it passed in the affirmative.

Motion affirmed.

Ordered,—Accordingly.

Mr. Winser moved, seconded by Mr. Hogsett.

Motion for Committee of Audit.

That Peter Winser, John Hayward, and James L. Prendergast, be appointed a Committee of Audit.

Whereupon,-

Mr. Ellis moved, seconded by Mr. Warren,

Amendment to adjourn.

That this House do now adjourn.

And the question being put thereon, it passed in the negative on a similar division as the foregoing.

And the question on the original motion being then put, it passed in the affirmative, and

Motion Affirmed.

Ordered,—Accordingly.

Then the House adjourned till Monday next, at Three of the clock.

Monday, 21st January, 1856.

Notice of motion in Committee on contingencies.

Mr. Howkes gave notice that when the House shall be in Committee on Contingencies, he will move the following Resolution:—

Resolved,—That after the appointment of a Financial Secretary with a Salary of £300 Stg. per annum, the appointment of a Committee of Audit by this House was wholly unnecessary, and if at all made; the duties of such Committee should be discharged, not by supporters of the Administration, but by members of the Opposition, by whom such services would be rendered gratuitously, and that therefore no salary be allowed to any Member of such Committee.

Committee on Address of Thanks.

Pursuant to Order of the Day, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole upon the Address of Thanks, in reply to the Speech of His Excellency the Governor, at the opening of the Session.