Morning Street
1st August 1834

Sir,

The House of Commons have presented a humble address to the Majesty, praying "that His Majesty will take such measures, and give such direction to the Governor, the Officers of His Majesty's Colonies, Settlements, and Plantations, as shall secure to the "Nation the due observance of Justice, "and the protection of their rights; "promote the spread of Civilization "among them, and lead them to the "peaceful and voluntary reception "of the Christian Religion."

And His Majesty, having been graciously pleased to accede to this address, I trust that I cannot take more effectual means for realizing the wishes expressed by the House of Commons and sincerely entertained by this Mayor General."

New South Wales
majesty, than by directing your attention to the principles contained in the address presented to. I am quite aware that these principles are not now laid down for the first time, but that they will be found to have graced the conduct of my predecessor in this office, and to have been embodied in such instructions as have been given by this Department for the improvement of the condition of the Aborigine Inhabitants of the Majesty's Colonies.

Entertaining the fullest confidence that in relation to the territories of which the government has been intrusted by His Majesty to you, the most earnest and watchful attention will be given to the subject, I am convinced by His Majesty to assure you that your efforts in the discharge of this important and interesting duty shall be seconded by the utmost support which you can claim from
His Majesty

I am

Sir

Your most obedient

Humble Servant

J. Spring Price