

The following are the copies of those presented with his Excellency's replies, in the order they were made.

To His Excellency Major General Sir HOWARD DOUGLAS, Bart. Lieutenant Governor, and Commander-in-Chief of the Province of New-Brunswick, &c. &c. &c.

The humble Address of the Magistrates and Principal Inhabitants of St. Andrews
May it please your Excellency.

WE, the Magistrates and principal Inhabitants of the Town of Saint Andrews, with the most respectful congratulations on your arrival, beg to tender our grateful acknowledgments for the solicitude manifested towards this part of your Excellency's Government, by a visit at so early a period of your Excellency's administration.

From the comprehensive view of the resources of this new Country which your Excellency's extensive tour has brought under your immediate observation, your Excellency has become fully aware of our means of advancement.

Situated as Saint Andrews is, upon the frontier of a foreign Government, and exposed as its interest are from peculiar causes it will, at all times need the most watchful care, to this we humbly crave, your Excellency's kind and earnest attention.

With our neighbours we are now at peace, and sincerely do we wish so to continue, should however circumstances arise to change our present feelings, we look with filial confidence to a paternal and powerful State for protection and trust the County of Charlotte, with the Province at large, will continue to evince as it ever has done, zeal and loyalty to its Sovereign, and that the Inhabitants will feel an honest and sincere pride, in the name of Britons.

Permit us to conclude with our warmest wishes for the health and happiness of your Excellency and family, beseeching the Great Disposer of events to crown your labours, with all the success that your benevolence may design, and our hopes anticipate.

JOHN CAMPBELL,
On behalf of the Magistrates, and principal Inhabitants of the Town of St. Andrews.

To which His Excellency was pleased to return the following REPLY:—
To the Magistrates and Principal Inhabitants of Saint Andrews.

Gentlemen,

I Receive this Address with great satisfaction.

In the solicitude which I feel for the prosperity of New-Brunswick, the important County of Charlotte has a great share, and accordingly I have sought an early opportunity of bringing it within that view which I have taken, personally, of the resources of the Province, by which, I trust I shall be enlightened as to the means of advancing its interests.

I am well aware that from the local situation of Saint Andrews, that this place will at all times need the most watchful care and concern of the Government, and to this my most earnest attention shall not fail to be alive.

It gives me the greatest satisfaction to find that the pursuits and feelings and courtesies of peace are so followed and observed with the adjoining people, as to maintain those terms which happily subsist between the two countries. I join ardently in your wishes that those relations may never be interrupted. With a kindly retrospect to the times when other bonds subsisted, and to those ties which in blood can never wear out, nor in natural affection be forgotten, may we continue to cultivate those relations in which our neighbours may find fresh reason to respect their natural Parent, and we to be proud of the progress which a People of our blood and kind have made. Under such measures and influences we shall never permit ourselves to do injury to each other, but seek rather to make an union of so much good feeling, and wisdom, and power, useful to the world in any of those crises which troubled times may occasion. But should it happen otherwise, I have seen enough of the offspring of that Loyalty and devotion, in which the foundation of the Colony was laid, and of the spirit which has since resorted to it, to be well persuaded that aided by the protection of our Powerful Parent, the people of New-Brunswick will ever retain the name, as I am sure they do the feelings of Britons.

I thank you, Gentlemen for the good

wishes you express for the health and happiness of myself and family, and I join in the prayers which invoke a Blessing on my endeavours to be useful.

To His Excellency Major General Sir HOWARD DOUGLAS, Bart. Lieutenant Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Province of New-Brunswick, &c. &c. &c.

The respectful Address of the Rector, Church-Wardens and Vestry of the Parish of Saint Andrews.

May it please your Excellency.

WE, His Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Rector, Church-Wardens and Vestry of the Parish of Saint Andrews, embrace the opportunity afforded by your Excellency's visit to this County, of offering to your Excellency our most respectful welcome.

Perfectly sensible of the intimate connection which exists between the interest of both Church and State, we feel humbly grateful to our most gracious Sovereign, for having been pleased to appoint a gentleman of your Excellency's well known character and talents, to fill the highly important office of Lieutenant-Governor of this Province.

Under those feelings, permit us, Sir, to solicit, not only, for the Parish Church in Saint Andrews but for the Provincial Established Church in general, your Excellency's powerful protection and support.

With sincere and hearty prayers that God will be pleased to prosper every measure, which your Excellency may adopt, so that, all estates and conditions of men within your Government may profit by them, we beg leave to conclude this tribute of respect, with our ardent wishes for the happiness both here and hereafter of your Excellency and your family.

JEROME ALLEY, Rector.

His Excellency answered as follows:—
To the Rector, Church Wardens and Vestry of the Parish of Saint Andrews.

Gentlemen,

I Thank you for the terms in which you are pleased to welcome my arrival in this part of the County.

Fully sensible of the intimate connection which exists between the interests of Church and State, I shall not fail to extend my protection and support to the Parish Church of Saint Andrews, as part of the Established Church in this Province, consigned to my Government.

I thank you, Gentlemen, for the prayers which you, Sir, in your Holy Office put forth, that God will be pleased to prosper my endeavours, that all estates and conditions of men within my Government may prosper by them; and I receive with warm acknowledgment the good wishes you express for the happiness of myself and family, here and hereafter.

To His Excellency Major-General Sir HOWARD DOUGLAS, Bart. C. B. F. R. S. &c. &c. &c. Lieutenant-Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Province of New-Brunswick.

May it please your Excellency.

WE, the Minister and Elders of the Church of Scotland, in the Town of Saint Andrews, beg leave to approach your Excellency with the tribute of our sincere respect, and with a declaration of the high satisfaction with which we behold the fulfilment of our much cherished expectations, in at length meeting your Excellency in this interesting part of the Province, under your Government.

In humbly soliciting the extension of your Excellency's favourable regards to the infant Church here of which we are the representatives, as well as to any other Institutions that may have been, or may yet be, organized in the Province, in connection with the Scottish National Church, as by Law established; our only advocates at present shall be—the well known Loyalty of the members of that Church—the very considerable proportion which its adherents bear to the entire mass of our Provincial population—the Scriptural purity of Doctrine which it professes in common with the other great National Protestant Church, the recorded fact that our most gracious Sovereign is extending to it his fostering care more sedulously than ever; of which care His Majesty's Government have lately exhibited substantial and various evidence both in the Mother Country and her colonies, together with your Excellency's own feeling of respect

for the established and venerable institution of your native Land.

That the blessing of the Most High may always rest on your Excellency's person and family:—and likewise upon that administration, of which we already feel the beneficial influence,—is the fervent prayer of those who have now the honour of addressing you.

Signed in the name and by appointment of the Session of the Scottish National Church, in the Town of Saint Andrews, New Brunswick, this sixteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Twenty-five, by

ALEXANDER MACLEAN,
Moderator.

His Excellency's Answer.

To the Minister and Elders of the Church of Scotland in the Town of Saint Andrews.

Gentlemen,

I Thank you for the assurance you express of the satisfaction with which you behold the fulfilment of the purpose, I have long entertained to visit this very interesting part of the Province.

Knowing well the Loyalty of the Members of your Church, and the Doctrine which it professes, I shall be happy to extend to those Establishments which are in connection with the Scottish National Church as by Law established, all protection and support that may consist with other obligations; and for myself, it may be permitted me to assure you of my own feeling of respect for the Established and Venerable Institution of my Native Land.

I thank you further, Gentlemen, for the Divine Blessing which you invoke on my Administration, Family, and Person. May it aid me in discharging those duties which I owe to all.

In the course of the day (Friday) his Excellency visited the Grammar School, Madras School, Savings Bank, and Charlotte County Bank, and also received the Committee of the Charlotte County Agricultural and Emigrant Society, thus leaving nothing undone to inform himself of the state of our Public Institutions. He examined several classes at the different Schools, and expressed himself well satisfied with both Mr. CASSELLS, the Teacher of the Grammar School, and Mr. & Mrs. MELLAR, the Teachers of the Madras School.

At six o'clock His Excellency dined with the Magistrates and Principal Inhabitants of St. Andrews, and several distinguished strangers, at Ordway's Hotel, at which Colonel MACKAY presided. The Dinner consisted of all the varieties of the season, and the Wine was excellent.

The following are some of the Toasts.

From the Chair—

The King—four times four
The Duke of York and the Army—three times three
The Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of British North America—three times three
Our illustrious Guest, His Excellency Sir Howard Douglas—May his strenuous and indefatigable endeavours and Patriotic exertions to promote the public interest, be amply crowned with success, and long, very long, may the favored Province of New-Brunswick, be made happy with the Administration of so excellent and able a Ruler—three times three
Lady Douglas and her Daughters—May her Ladyship long continue to preside over the female society of New-Brunswick—three times three
His Excellency Sir James Kemble and our Sister Province, Nova Scotia—three times three
Agriculture—May the era of its prosperity in this Province, be hastened by the example of our present Governor.
Commerce, the Great engine of civilization.
The British Fisheries, a nursery for Seamen, and a source of National wealth
Col. Ferguson and the 52d Regt—three times three
Capt. Gauler, and the detachment of the 52d Regt under his Command—three times three
By His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor
The Magistrates and Principal Inhabitants of Saint Andrews—three times three
The Land o' Cakes—three times three.

His Excellency left the table at half past nine o'clock, amidst the cheers of the company. We have not limits to enumerated the particulars as they deserve, of what occurred in these two momentous and happy days.—The Speeches of his Excellency at the respective Dinners, on returning thanks when his health and also that of Lady DOUGLAS, were drunk, can only be appreciated by those who heard them. They excited the highest pitch of enthusiasm. Not an accident, not a bad feeling, of any description, occurred to damp the general festivity.

On Saturday morning his Excellency and suite embarked in the Revenue Cutter Elizabeth, for St. Stephen.

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Revenue Cutter Elizabeth, Cap. M. MARRIS, for St. Stephen, on the morning of the 17th inst. He arrived there about eleven o'clock under a discharge of 17 guns from a detachment of Cap. WYER'S Artillery Company. At the public landing he was met by the Magistrates and principal Inhabitants who conducted him to the residence of J. N. CLARKE, Esq. Although the distance is nearly a mile, the road was lined on both sides by the 2d Division of the 1st Battalion of Charlotte Militia under the Command of Lieut. Col. CAMPBELL, extended at six paces and facing inward.—An escort of the newly raised and highly respectable troop of Cavalry, received his Excellency at the landing, and accompanied him to his quarters.

On leaving the boat His Excellency received a second salute from two pieces of cannon planned in a very commanding situation by the Gentlemen of the Committee appointed to superintend his reception. His Excellency was loudly cheered in passing through the line, and received at the house with presented arms by Cap. UPTON'S Light Infantry Company, in full uniform.

Soon after his arrival at his quarters, the Rev. Dr. THOMPSON, L. L. D., attended by the Magistrates and many of the principal inhabitants, presented the following address to his Excellency.

To His Excellency Major General Sir HOWARD DOUGLAS, Bart. Lieutenant Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Province of New-Brunswick, &c. &c. &c.

The respectful Address of the Rector, resident Magistrates, and Inhabitants of Saint Stephen.

May it please your Excellency.

HIS Majesty's faithful subjects of the Parish of St. Stephen, whose sentiments we have the honor of conveying to your Excellency, have long looked forward with feeling of deep interest to your Excellency's expected arrival in this part of your Government, which tho' remote, yield to no other in esteem for your Excellency's person and administration.

Attached to the British Constitution and the person of our august and beloved Sovereign, we would under any circumstance, hail that day as happy, that should bring among us the representative of our King, but we esteem ourselves peculiarly happy in the visit of your Excellency, who not satisfied with previous knowledge gained from report or second hand information, have resolved to see for yourself, and at the expense of much personal labour, visit every place of importance in the Province over whose destinies our Gracious Sovereign has placed you, judging thus from personal observation you will learn our local capabilities and we augur the happiest results. Your Excellency's talents long known and duly appreciated in the most polished regions of Europe, combined with the greatest official activity, have already been felt in this infant colony in the unusual energy given to every institution connected with its interest and improvement.

Your Excellency will perceive that the local situation of this Parish happily enables its industrious population to profit by the two great sources of Provincial wealth Lumbering and Agriculture. Our river, tho' abounding with obstructions, furnishes an extensive if not an easy means of conveying the products of our distant forests to market and our generally grateful soil, rewards the labours of the farmer.

Your Excellency has already done much to remove restrictions that pressed heavy on both the Lumberer and the Agriculturist, for which the people we represent feel deeply grateful as their local situation renders them deeply interested.

In conformity with your Excellency's wishes, no less than from a sense of its intense importance, we have lately formed among us an Agricultural and Emigrant Society, whose funds are already considerable, and under your Excellency's protection, which we would humbly entreat for, we doubt not it will have happy effects.

Ever firmly attached to the Parent Country, in whose cause and for whose sake many among the inhabitants of this Parish have fought and bled, and forsaken homes and friends. They find the tie that binds them to her still closer drawn by the late liberal concessions of the Supreme Legislature and by the kind and paternal consideration of our beloved and gracious King in giving them so enlightened and distinguished a Governor

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