

ed; but I see around me so many persons who can talk rationally, and yet whom I know to be completely insane, that I will not pretend to judge of the state of my own faculties."

While some insane persons, at times, display a surprising burst of intellectual power, they also occasionally manifest very amiable moral feelings. One day, a patient, who is always very irascible, and often highly enraged, or even furious, approached the physician, in the day room, in a very menacing attitude, railed at him and threatened him, in the most passionate language.---Soon after the physician had proceeded to a distant apartment, the same person came hurriedly up to him, and with great eagerness entreated that he would instantly return, and prescribe for a patient who had been suddenly taken ill. This entreaty was immediately complied with; and, as soon as the necessary prescription was given, the person, recently so hostile, now grasped the physician warmly by the hand, saying, "Sir, I love you for your kindness to your patient," and all his fury had subsided in concern for his companion.

One of our poets, who is remarkable for habitual benevolence, and who is strongly impressed with some of the late systems of perfectibility, proposes to form a colony in some chosen part of the globe, where uninterrupted peace and happiness shall prevail. In a poem written by him on this subject, he contrasts the irksomeness of his present situation, with the pleasures of that society to which he looks forward, and which he places on the margin of a beautiful lake, in a delightful and sequestered valley.

SAINT ANDREWS, JULY 16.

On Friday last, at 6, A. M. the Revenue Cutter, Capt. M'Master, was discovered approaching the harbour, having at her mast-head a Union Jack with a Pendant over it, by which it was known that his Excellency Major General GEORGE STRACEY SMYTH, Lieutenant Governor and Commander in Chief in this Province, was on board. A gun was immediately fired, and in a short time the greater part of the first Battalion Charlotte County Militia, under Major C. Campbell, consisting of the Artillery, Rifle, Grenadier, & Battalion Companies, with their respective Officers, assembled, and were drawn up in the Market Square to receive his Excellency. We never witnessed more alacrity and zeal than on this occasion, tho' the notice was necessarily short; the different Companies were in the field almost to a man, dressed in a neat and becoming manner, with their arms and accoutrements in excellent order. They were unfortunately exposed to a very heavy rain, which continued without intermission the whole time they remained on the ground. It was at length known that the Chebucto, Lieutenant Stewart, having on board His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir JAMES KEMPT, G. C. B. &c. &c. was off the Eastern Bar, and that owing to the unfavorable state of the weather their Excellencies would not land on that day, and the Militia were accordingly dismissed. His Excellency Major General SMYTH, landed about 5, P. M. incog. and dined with a select party at the house of the Revd. JEROME ALLEY. On Saturday, the Troops at this Post, Commanded by Capt. THOMAS JONES, and the Companies of the first Battalion Charlotte County Militia under Major CAMPBELL, again assembled, and were drawn up in the Market Square in the following order: viz--The Artillery Company on the right, the Grenadiers as a Guard of Honour, His Majesty's Troops in the centre, next the newly raised Battalion Company, and on the left the Rifle Corps. At half past nine o'clock, A. M. His Excellency Major General SMYTH, passed down the Line and received a salute from the different companies in succession, each having its own music; and afterwards a general salute from the Battalion. At ten o'clock his Excellency Lieutenant General Sir JAMES KEMPT, landed at the Market Slip, under a salute of 17 guns, fired in a masterly manner by the Artillery Company, commanded by Capt. J. STRANG. At the head of the Market Wharf he was received in form by his Excellency Major General SMYTH, as Governor of the Province, in full dress, attended by his Aide Camp. Capt. JOHNSTON, R. A. and received the cordial congratulations on his arrival in New-Brunswick. It was a noble

and gratifying spectacle; on the one side we beheld the Warrior who acted so distinguished a part in the ever-memorable and glorious victory of Waterloo, and who is no less celebrated for his gallantry, than for all the other qualities which adorn and complete the character of the gentleman and the soldier; on the other, our excellent Governor, under whose mild, equitable, and impartial administration, this Province has gradually risen in prosperity and importance. Such a visit would have done honour to any place, and the feelings of the people of Saint Andrews were wrought to a high pitch of enthusiasm.---Their Excellencies then proceeded to the Market Square where they were received and saluted by the Guard of Honour, his Majesty's Troops, and afterwards by a general salute from the Battalion; and they were pleased on this occasion to express their approbation of the handsome and soldierly appearance of the Militia. Their Excellencies then repaired to Col. WYER's, where the following address was read and presented by Col. WYER, to Sir JAMES KEMPT, the other addresses from the Magistrates and principal inhabitants and Church Corporation having been previously presented to Major General SMYTH.

To His Excellency, Lieutenant General Sir JAMES KEMPT, Knight Grand Cross, of the most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, Lieutenant Governor and Commander in Chief, in and over His Majesty's Province of Nova Scotia, and its dependencies, &c. &c. &c.

The respectful Address of the Magistrates, and principal inhabitants of the Town of Saint Andrews: May it Please your Excellency,

WE, His Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Magistrates, and principal inhabitants of the Town of Saint Andrews, beg leave to request your Excellency's acceptance of our most respectful thanks for the honor of this Visit.

Entertaining as we do, the strongest attachment to His Majesty's Sacred Person & Paternal Government, we are ambitious not only of expressing the high gratification we feel, at seeing an Officer who has so eminently signalized himself in our Country's Service, now presiding over our Sister Province, but also of having the opportunity of personally addressing him.

The interest which your Excellency feels in promoting the security of these Provinces, and the attention which your Excellency has been pleased to bestow, in visiting the different points of your Command, call for our hearty thanks. Permit us then, Sir, to offer them, and to wish your Excellency all health and happiness.

THOMAS WYER,
In behalf of the Magistrates of Saint Andrews.

JOHN CAMPBELL,
PETER STUBBS,
Representatives of the County of Charlotte, in behalf of the Principal Inhabitants of Saint Andrews.

TO WHICH HIS EXCELLENCY WAS PLEASED TO MAKE THE FOLLOWING REPLY:--
Gentlemen,

THE very cordial and distinguished manner in which you have been pleased to receive me in the town of Saint Andrews, has afforded me particular gratification, and I return you my most sincere thanks for your hearty welcome.

His Majesty having been graciously pleased to confide to me the Military command in these Provinces, their security and welfare are to me objects of the greatest interest: I was led therefore, by duty and inclination, to visit so important a part of our frontier as Saint Andrews, and to make myself personally known to its loyal Inhabitants, in whose prosperity and happiness, I shall always take a lively concern.

JAMES KEMPT.

To His Excellency Major-General GEORGE STRACEY SMYTH, 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 SAINT ANDREWS.

May it please Your Excellency,
DEEPLY impressed with the honor conferred on us by your Excellency's present visit, we His Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Magistrates and principal Inhabitants of the town of Saint Andrews, beg leave to offer our respectful congratulations on your Excellency's safe arrival in this town.

Your Excellency's zealous exertions to promote the welfare of this Province--exertions so well known and appreciated--are such as must ever command our gratitude and personal affection.

And here permit us to particularise the

charitable and wise measures adopted by your Excellency, to forward the important cause of Education amongst the great mass of the people: convinced as we are, that on this depends in a considerable degree not only the moral character, but the political importance of the country, we are impelled by every motive to offer your Excellency our sincere thanks for the patronage you have afforded, and the liberal endowments you have been pleased to make in aid of our Schools.

The material improvements made in the organization of our militia, under your Excellency's auspices, are such, as must in a very great measure, benefit the Province, and eventually tend, not only to render that body more effective, but prove a strong bulwark for our future defence.

In conclusion, permit us further to express our gratitude for your Excellency's flattering attention to this County, and particularly for the honour of your Excellency's patronage and liberal support of the Charlotte County Agricultural and Emigrant Society; at the same time to request you to accept our fervent wishes for your Excellency's health and happiness.

THOMAS WYER,
On behalf of the Magistrates of Saint Andrews.
JOHN CAMPBELL,
PETER STUBBS,
Representatives of the County of Charlotte, in behalf of the Principal Inhabitants of Saint Andrews.

TO WHICH HIS EXCELLENCY WAS PLEASED TO MAKE THE FOLLOWING REPLY:--
Gentlemen,

I FEEL truly gratified to find, that my present visit to Saint Andrews, (so long intended and postponed,) proves acceptable to the Magistrates and Principal Inhabitants; and that my endeavors to promote the welfare of the Province, generally, are so indulgently appreciated by His Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects in this important part of it.

The zeal which the Militia of this place has shewn to greet my arrival, and to contribute their portion of attention in the reception of His Excellency the Lt. General commanding H. M. Forces in these Provinces, is acceptable to me, and conveys a strong proof of their advancement in organization.

The praise-worthy and useful exertions of the Charlotte County Agricultural and Emigrant Society, are so well known in the Province, that it is most gratifying to me to be reminded, that I was so fortunate as to be called upon to become its Patron.

Accept my best thanks for the good wishes you so kindly express for my health and happiness.

G. S. SMYTH.

To His Excellency Major-General G. S. SMYTH, Lt. Gov. and Commander in Chief, in and over the Province of New-Brunswick:

May it please your Excellency,

WE, the Rector, Churchwardens, & Vestry of St. Andrews Church, beg leave to express to your Excellency, our great satisfaction at your arrival in this town, and at the same time to tender our grateful thanks, for the uniform and important support which your Excellency has been pleased to extend to the Established Church throughout the Province.

Convinced of the great importance of religion, in connection with the State, admiring the beauty and sublimity of the excellent Liturgy of the Church, and venerating her pure and admirable Doctrines, we, from principle, profess ourselves Churchmen, and have, and ever will use our best endeavours to promote the wide dissemination of those truths which she inculcates, and which may, with strict propriety, be called "truths which lead to salvation."

Embarked therefore, in this most interesting cause, and feeling how little we should be able to accomplish, unaided by Government, we are impelled by every motive of gratitude, to offer our sincere and most respectful thanks, for the patronage and support which the church of this parish has at all times received from your Excellency, as well as for the liberal endowments which your Excellency has lately been pleased to confer for its benefit.

We have to offer our prayers to the Almighty Disposer of all, to pour down on your Excellency every blessing, both here and hereafter.

Signed,
On behalf of the Church Corporation,
JEROME ALLEY, Rector.
THOMAS WYER, } Church
ELISBA S. ANDREWS } Wardens.

To which His Excellency made the following Answer:--

Reverend Sirs, and Gentlemen,
I BEG to offer my thanks for your obliging expression of satisfaction on my arrival in this town.

Fully persuaded of the paramount importance of religion, as affording the only solid foundation for the prosperity of States, and the happiness of individuals, I have always considered it one of the first duties of my station, to lend my best influence in support of those institutions connected with it; and it cannot, therefore, but be gratifying to me to learn, by the address of the Church Corporation of St. Andrews, that my endeavors in this regard, have been useful.

G. S. SMYTH.

The Officers of the Army and Militia, with the principle inhabitants of the Town, were then introduced to Sir James Kempt, who received them in the most dignified and affable manner. After this ceremony, their Excellencies rode to the parade ground, where the Militia fired a Royal Salute in honor of their Excellencies arrival here, in good style. The artillery fired with a regularity and precision much superior to any thing we have hitherto witnessed in this County, and which drew from their Excellencies strong and well merited expressions of satisfaction. The Battalion then marched in review before their Excellencies, first in ordinary and afterwards in quick time.

The day was uncommonly fine, and the Ladies of St. Andrews honored the parade with their presence, and the eye was gratified by various groups of Beauty, Taste, and Fashion. Their Excellencies then visited the Madras School, and the different public works in the Town, and returned to Col. WYER's, where the officers of the army and Militia were presented to Major-General Smyth, and received in a polite and condescending manner. At 6 P. M. their Excellencies accompanied by their Aides-de-Camp, Major Gore and Capt. Johnson, arrived at M'Farlane's Hotel, and partook of an excellent dinner prepared for the occasion; the whole was got up, and conducted in such a way as was calculated to gratify the distinguished Guests. The Hall was tastefully decorated with double festoons of ever-green, and here and there the white and red rose (for once happily united) displayed their leafy beauties and shed around a delicious fragrance.

The following were the Toasts given at the Dinner:

- 1---The KING.
- 2---The Duke of York, and the Army.
- 3---The Duke of Clarence and the Navy.
- 4---His Excellency Earl Dalhousie, Governor-General of the British North American Provinces.
- 5---His Excellency Lieut.-Gen. Sir James Kempt--a toast which I am confident will be drunk with enthusiasm by every Lover of his Country.
- 6---His Excellency Major-Gen. Smyth, Lt. Gov. and Commander in Chief of this Province--the beneficial effects of whose administration will long remain engraved on our memories.
- 7---The British North American Colonies--May their interests and that of the Mother Country, ever be inseparable.
- 8---The British Constitution.
- 9---Agriculture and Commerce--the permanent sources of National wealth.

By the Vice President,--Admiral Fahie.

After His Excellency Sir James Kempt's health was given, his Excellency rose and returned thanks to the Company, and afterwards gave the following toast:--

"Prosperity to the Town of Saint Andrews."

"The Ladies of St. Andrews."

On His Excellency Major-Gen. Smyth's health being drunk, His Excellency rose and thanked the company, with much feeling; observing, that it had long been his intention to visit his friends at St. Andrews, and he was happy to have made it at a time when they had shown such marked attention to their much esteemed visitor Sir James Kempt. A number of choice songs heightened the pleasures of the evening. At ten o'clock their Excellencies retired, and early next morning sailed for St. John, in their respective Provincial armed vessels.

THE Subscriber is about closing his business in the Mercantile line, and requests all persons indebted to him to settle the same with P. E. PAYSON.

JONATHAN PAYSON.
Fredericton, 3d June, 1822.