

Resolved, That the Address be presented by the Members of the Executive and Legislative Councils and Assembly, in Halifax, the Sheriff, the Mayor, Recorder, and Members of the City Council, being subscribers thereto, together with such others of the subscribers as may please to accompany them.

Which Resolution having been put, also passed unanimously.

The thanks of the Meeting were then voted to the Chairman and Secretary, and the Meeting adjourned.

A. M. UNIACKE, *Chairman*.
S. L. SHANNON, *Secretary*.

Halifax, August 27, 1846.

A number of signatures were added to the Address at and subsequent to the Meeting.

THE FOLLOWING IS THE ADDRESS.

At twelve o'clock this day it was presented to His Excellency by a numerous body of the subscribers, and His Excellency was pleased to make the subjoined reply.

To His Excellency Major General Sir John Harvey, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Military Order of the Bath, Knight Commander of the Royal Hanoverian Guelphic Order, Lieutenant Governor and Commander in Chief in and over Her Majesty's Province of Nova Scotia and its Dependencies, &c. &c.

We the undersigned citizens of Halifax and others, Her Majesty's faithful subjects of Nova Scotia, offer to Your Excellency and Lady Harvey, our respectful congratulations and good wishes on your arrival in Halifax.

Your Excellency's name has long been honorably connected with the history of British North America. During war the able counsel and intrepid and skillful conduct of Your Excellency were crowned with results the most distinguished and important. While the successful administration of the affairs of three Colonies throughout a lengthened period is evidence of Your Excellency's zeal and ability in Civil Government.

Coming as Your Excellency does to our shores from a Colony which justly acknowledges the beneficent influences of Your Excellency's rule, we look forward with confident hope to your prosperity and success in the duty which Her Majesty's confidence in your past services, has assigned to you among ourselves.

To effect this result Your Excellency may rely on our best exertions, and we offer to Your Excellency as the truest pledge of our sincerity, the assurance of our respect for the high office you hold as Representative of the Sovereign, and of our personal esteem—of devoted attachment to our Gracious Queen, and of our deep conviction that the welfare of the Colony and the happiness of the inhabitants, will ever be best promoted under the fostering protection of the Parent State, which under its happy constitution has reached the highest degree of prosperity and glory.

REPLY.

My Lord Bishop and Gentlemen,

This expression of your kind congratulations on our arrival among you is most gratifying to Lady Harvey and myself. We had not indeed approached your shores with the feelings of strangers, but if we had, this Address and the reception which we have experienced would at once have converted them into those of friends.

As a Soldier I am proud and gratified for the language which you have thought fit to employ in adverting to my services in connection with the military operations in Canada during the last war. Any success which may through the Divine blessing have attended my administration of civil affairs I refer with equal pride and satisfaction to the admirable manner in which my endeavours to discharge the important duties confided to me by my gracious Sovereign have been every where sustained by those over whom I have had the good fortune to preside.

Permit me then to say to you, Gentlemen, that the assurance of your support now so frankly and so kindly tendered to me, leave me nothing to apprehend as to the result of those endeavours which I on my part pledge myself zealously to devote to your service.

I do not conclude this our first brief communication, without adverting with great satisfaction to the declaration which your Address embodies, of that loyal devotion to the Sovereign, that firm attachment to British Connection, and that pride in our free and happy Institutions for which the inhabitants of the British North American Colonies have at all times been eminently distinguished, and which constitute a band of union between them and the Parent State, which as nothing can ever sever, so will nothing I trust ever weaken or disturb.

(Signed)

J. HARVEY.

Government House, Halifax, Sept. 1, 1846.

THE SECOND ADDRESS.

May it please Your Excellency,

We, the inhabitants of Halifax and its vicinity, avail ourselves of the opportunity presented by Your Excellency's arrival in Nova Scotia, of expressing our gratification at the event; and our earnest aspirations for Your Excellency's happiness and success in the Government of this Province.

Your Excellency's successful administration of three Sister Colonies of British North America, authorizes us to approach you not

as a stranger; and we beg to assure you that we regard your appointment as a gracious manifestation of Her Majesty's benignant regard for the interests of this Dependency of the Empire.

This new instance of Your Sovereign's favour, and the affection so forcibly demonstrated in the recent solicitation of the people of Newfoundland to retain longer the benefit of Your Excellency's services, inspire us with the most sanguine hopes for the future prosperity of Nova Scotia.

In the hope that Your Excellency, Lady Harvey and family may long enjoy health and happiness in Nova Scotia,—We have the honor to remain, &c.

[Here follow the signatures, 1319 in number.]

To the above His Excellency was pleased to return the following answer:

GENTLEMEN,—To the inhabitants of Halifax and its vicinity, from whom this dutiful and affectionate address proceeds, I offer my warmest acknowledgments for their congratulations upon my arrival among them, and for the expression of their satisfaction at my appointment to the high and important office of the Representative of our Gracious Sovereign in a Province which has at all times been distinguished for its loyalty and attachment to the Throne.

If I had come among you altogether a stranger, and wholly unknown, I might indeed with reason have shrunk from the difficulties of such a position; but hailed as my appointment has been by this community, cheered by welcome as I have found myself by all classes of the inhabitants of this Provincial Capital, I shall feel myself unworthy of the marks of confidence and good will which have already been bestowed upon me, if I were to allow myself to entertain any doubt that my earnest exertions to promote your interests can fail of that success which the hearty co-operation of Her Majesty's loyal subjects has elsewhere invariably conferred upon them.

Gentlemen,—Henceforward we are not strangers to each other, but fellow citizens and fellow subjects, governor and governed, alike pledged to exert all our energies in the promotion of the object common to us all; the peace, harmony, happiness and prosperity of Nova Scotia.

For Lady Harvey, myself and my family, I beg again to thank you for this welcome.

NEW BRUNSWICK, } *Wednesday the second day of September,*
IN CHANCERY. } *A. D. 1846.*

BY HIS HONOR THE MASTER OF THE ROLLS.

In the matter of Alexander Becket, of the City of Saint John, in the City and County of Saint John, Mariner, Insolvent Debtor.

WHEREAS at a Public Meeting of the Creditors of the said Alexander Becket, held pursuant to an Order in that behalf, before the Clerk of the Peace for the City and County of Saint John, on Monday the eighth day of December last, under and by virtue of the Act of Assembly, intituled "An Act to afford relief to persons unfortunate in business in certain cases," a composition was offered by the said Alexander Becket, and accepted, and the agreement for the same having been reduced into writing, was duly signed pursuant to the said Act, as by the said agreement and the Minutes and Record of the proceedings certified and sworn to by the said Clerk of the Peace, and duly transmitted, appears: His Honor the Master of the Rolls doth hereby Order, that unless good cause be shewn to the contrary on the first Tuesday in October next, an Order will be made by him releasing and discharging the said Alexander Becket from his existing debts and other liabilities, upon and agreeably to the terms and conditions agreed upon, save and except the composition agreed upon at the said Meeting; and His Honor doth further Order, that affidavits in opposition to such release and discharge (if any) be filed with the Register on or before the twenty fourth day of September instant.

By Order of His Honor the Master of the Rolls.

D. LUDLOW ROBINSON, REGR.

Diocesan Church Society of New Brunswick.

THE next Meeting of the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Church Society, is appointed for Wednesday the 7th October, 1846,—It will be held at the Madras School Room, Fredericton, at twelve o'clock.

(RULE XVI. of the Constitution.)

E. J. W. ROBERTS,

Secretary to the Executive Committee.

Kingsclear, September 7, 1846.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, That all and every power of Attorney heretofore made and executed by me in favor of Humphry T. Gilbert, Esquire, Barrister at Law, I have this day revoked and cancelled.

WILLIAM BLACK.

St. John, 29th August, 1846.—3w.—*Courier*.

APPRENTICES.

THE Commissioners of the Alms House for the County of York will bind out 2 Boys of the ages of 10 and 12 years, to such persons as may require their services.

September 2, 1846.

NOTICE.

THE Business heretofore carried on by the Subscriber under the Firm of JOSEPH CUNARD & Co., will from this date be carried on in his individual name.

Miramichi, 1st June, 1846.—3m.

JO. CUNARD.

All Letters must be Post-paid.

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