

“their surviving children will imitate his example.” And he observes of Hannah, if ever child repaid a parent’s care, or merited their fondest love, it was her. “Beautiful, kind, unassuming, unaffected, she was adored and beloved by all her acquaintance, and almost doated on by her parents.”

I may be thought to dwell too long upon the death of those excellent young persons, but it gives me a melancholy enjoyment, and how seldom can we speak so favourably of those who are snatched to an early grave; never in all my experience have I found persons of their age, so pure, so perfect, and may all who hear me pray to God, that he may give them grace to live such a life and die such a death, since it is impossible to doubt of their eternal felicity.

The progress of the war threw upon Mr CARTWRIGHT so many duties, that we thought his mind would be so much occupied, as in time to divert his grief; he ceased indeed to complain, but his constitution was impaired, and his heart was broken. With that dignity and firmness, which were the basis of his character, he seemed to a stranger, to have recovered from his misfortunes, but the wounds which they inflicted, never ceased to bleed.

Never did he omit a particle of his duty by night and day, he was ready with his sword and pen, to defend this happy province, and his incessant application to business,