

LETTER FROM THE BISHOP OF TORONTO  
TO COLONEL FITZ GIBBON.

23, Sackville Street, London, August 15, 1839.

My dear Sir,

I have received from Chief Justice Robinson a letter, which I enclose, in the hope that it may be useful to you in the present crisis of your affairs.

*I concur most heartily in the statements it contains, and shall have much pleasure in adding my testimony, at any time, to their correctness; as well as to the great satisfaction with which any measure on the part of Her Majesty's Government to reward your valuable services would be received in Upper Canada.*

I remain, my dear Sir, with great regard,

Yours sincerely,

JOHN TORONTO.

Extract of a Letter from CHIEF JUSTICE ROBINSON  
to the BISHOP OF TORONTO.

"Brighton, August 14th, 1839.

"My dear Bishop,

"I think Colonel Fitz Gibbon may feel assured that the Government has a just sense of his faithful and valuable services. If I had any doubt of this I would most readily repeat in writing what I have already taken occasion to say to the Secretary of State on that subject. During the many years that Colonel Fitz Gibbon has resided in Upper Canada *his resolute character, his ardent loyalty, and his active and intelligent mind* have led him, and have enabled him to render *important services to the Government* and to the *Province*, and upon several occasions when I think it would have been difficult to have found any one else, who could have discharged the same duty so efficiently.

"With regard to his services in December, 1837, *I have no doubt*, and I should be happy to state this on every occasion where