joined the Union. Ethan Allen was dead and Ira silent on account of the lands at Alburgh claimed by Caldwell. Other motives; the people at large see they have done wrong, but it is now too late. By-and-bye they will see as clearly as St. Paul did when the scales fell from his eyes. Page 194 Robert Townson to Mr. Day, London. Sends his address in case he should be employed as naturalist in Canada, as he is leaving for Stockholm, &c. Colonel Johnston to Barnard. For information respecting the arrangements for settlers to Upper Canada, for a friend in Austrian Flanders, who may bring others with him. Caldwell to Grenville. For a mandamus to obtain the lands near Lake Champlain as a recompense for those he had lost to the South of line 45°. Sends petition he had formerly transmitted. 203 The petition dated 8th December, 1788. 204 Paper on the culture of hemp, sent from Russia by Whitcomb. 197 Peter Russell to Nepean. Congratulates him on his safe return. Asks him to assist in removing the uncertainty of his appointment as Receiver

the St. Lawrence last year with his goods, Vermont would not have

General, as, although he is recognized as such by Simcoe, he is liable to be superseded at any moment. Urges the issue of his patent to avoid loss, &c., he has provided for securities and for the payment of the necessary fees. 206

Sir Henry Clinton to Pitt. Respecting the claims of Arnold. The importance of the information he furnished in 1780 regarding the arrival of the French fleet and army in July of that year; had Admiral Arbuthnot placed the same reliance on it as he did, the French army would have been met and defeated on landing at Rhode Island. The want of success does not lessen Arnold's claim. Encloses letter from him on the subject. The  $\pounds 6,000$  paid to Arnold was not in full compensation for his services, but he (Clinton) did not doubt that his (Arnold's) zeal and services would be rewarded at the proper time. 208

Sir John Johnson to Dundas. That on his arrival on leave of absence he had called and left letters from Clarke, but did not think himself justified in calling at a season of much public attention. In consequence of the war with France, he now, however, offers his services in a military line. Suggests that his late regiment be re-established on the same terms as other levies, and that he should be appointed colonel, the other officers to obtain permanent rank. Reasons why his request should be granted. Asks for an interview. 210

The same to King, with extract of letter promised the previous day 258

The extract from Shelburne to Sir William Johnson, dated Whitehall, 11th December, 1760, on the subject of his office of superintendent of Indian affairs being under the orders only of the Commander-in-chief of Canada. 259

Suggestions respecting the Province of Upper Canada, submitted by Captain Stevenson to Dundas by desire of Simcoe. Field train of artillery necessary; artificers' company wanted; respecting the posi-tions of McGill, Commissary, and of Brigade Major Littlehales and Mr. Small; Lieutenant Smith appointed Surveyor General; respecting a supply of clergy; the French emigrants would be useful at Detroit; what is to be the position of French settlers there? The loyalists sent from England not entitled to indulgences; a port wanted for Upper Canada; Upper Canada will not answer expectations if dependent on

1792.

January 9, Inverkeithing.

March 2. London.

April 30, Quebec.

June 5, London.

November 5. Niagara.

December 2. London.

1793. March 12. London.

March 29. London.

July 31.

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