

the people of the Colony ; and let us never expect that truly happy results or solid benefits are to be achieved by forbidden means. If we are indeed Christian patriots, let us learn to approach all the subjects of our anxiety, to handle all the affairs which engage our attention, to prosecute all the aims which enlist our energy and zeal, as those who weigh their actions in the balance of the sanctuary, who habitually and reverentially regard themselves as the responsible creatures of a God sitting in the throne of judgment, who rule their proceedings by His will and walk as under his eye *Happy are the people that are in such a case : yea blessed are the people who have the Lord for their God.*

Quebec, November 3, 1849.