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Lordship hold out any confident expectation that he will be able to comply Page 136 with his (Boulton's) application at a future period.

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Petition of John Beikie.

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March 22. York. 1821.

York.

April 17, Certificate by Coffin. Both enclosed in Maitland to Bathurst, 5th December, 1825.

1822. July 8, Treasury.

Enclosed in Maitland Lushington to Buchanan, consul at New York, to Bathurst, 18th August, 1825.

1824. Bathurst to Maitland. Enclosed in Maitland to Bathurst, 30th June, November 30, 1825.

Downing 1825. April 6.

Street.

April 14, York.

June 21. York.

June 22, Stamford.

Report of railway committee. General remarks on the report of the commissioners on internal navigation in Upper Canada against the charge of want of enterprise in constructing public works, as compared with the state of New York. Probability that the calculations of the engineers are correct. The favourable condition of Upper Canada in respect to climate, fertility, &c., for the works proposed for internal navigation. The advantages of the military settlements and the communication by the Ottawa and Rideau. Remarks on the canal to connect Lakes Erie and Ontario and its importance. Estimate of the cost of canals of different dimensions. The propriety of the work preceding requirements so as to give a greater impulse, rather than to wait the time when the work should be required. Page 306

Memorial of the Welland Canal Company. That they have increased the capital of the company from £40,000 to £200,000 to enlarge the canal and ask for a grant of the unconceded Crown lands in the township of Wainfleet, with such other lands in the western part of the province as may be considered an efficient encouragement. 302

Maitland to Bathurst (No. 188). Sends return of the revonue and expenditure of the colony. The military expenditure will, no doubt, be sent by the military department. 335

Maitland to Bathurst (No. 189). Asks for decision on the pretension lately set up by the Minister of the Presbyterian congregation of the Kirk of Scotland, in Kingston, to the right of burying their dead in a burying ground at that place according to the manner of that persuasion, a pretension resisted by the rector of the parish. Has submitted the petitions, &c., of both parties to the Executive Council, whose report (enclosed) recommend a reference to His Lordship. A A piece of ground had been added to that already assigned to the Presbyterian congregation. The bad effect of the excitement, as the members of the Church of Scotland had, unlike those from the United States, been disposed to connect themselves with the Church of England and in many parts of the province had assisted liberally in the erection of her places of worship.

Enclosed. Report of the Executive Council on the subject of a burial ground at Kingston, respecting which a collision had occurred between the olergymen of the Church of England and of the Church of Scotland.

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