

repeating anecdotes of his agreeable intercourse with all orders. The head of the Recollets, was a gentleman far advanced in years. He retained great vivacity and a sprightly humour and fancy, which rendered his company very acceptable in all circles.—The severe weather increasing at the beginning of winter, Lord Dorchester informed this father, who had the direction of the church in which the English congregation assembled, that it was time to place the stove in the chapel, as Lady Dorchester had complained, that the cold was disagreeable on the preceding Sunday. I hoped, my Lord, replied the father, that her ladyship's devotions, would have kept her warm this winter.

The common vehicle for conveying passengers in winter, is called a cariole, and is constructed in a commodious form—It imitates a chair or chaise without a top, and is not unlike a caleche or summer vehicle. The sled or runners which support the cariole, are made of plank, and elevate the machine about eight inches. In front is a seat for the driver, and the whole is defended by a work, which rises as a guard against the snow, which is collected by the machine, and impedes the progress of the horse. Another use of this