

Colonel Wetherall, which, it is obvious, if they are not complied with, may greatly embarrass the Military Authorities, under present circumstances.

The granting of these *Writs*, the Administrator is persuaded, will induce the Council to devote its immediate attention to the measure now before it, proposing the suspension of the *Habeas Corpus Act*.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE, }
Montreal, 21st April, 1838. }

The *Writs* referred to in the preceding Message, are as followeth, viz :

PROVINCE OF LOWER CANADA, }
DISTRICT OF MONTREAL. }

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain and Ireland*, Queen, Defender of the Faith :

To *George Augustus Wetherall*, Esquire, Lieutenant Colonel of Our First or Royal Regiment, and Commandant of the Garrison of *Montreal*.

We command you, that you have the body of *Louis Michel Viger*, detained in your Custody (as it is said) under safe and secure conduct before Our trusty and well beloved The Honorable *James Reid*, Chief Justice of Our Court of King's Bench at *Montreal*, or the Honorable *Jean Roch Rolland*, one of the Justices of Our said Court, immediately after the receipt of this Writ, to do and undergo all and singular those things which Our said Justices or either of them shall then and there consider of him in his behalf.

Witness the Honorable *Jean Roch Rolland*, one of Our Justices of Our said Court, at *Montreal*, this twenty first day of April, in the first year of Our Reign.

(Signed,) A. M. DELISLE, *Clk. of the Crown.*

By virtue of an Ordinance passed in the 24th year of His Majesty *Geo. III.*

(Signed,) J. R. ROLLAND.

PROVINCE OF LOWER CANADA, }
DISTRICT OF MONTREAL. }

J. B. R.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain and Ireland*, Queen, Defender of the Faith :

To *George Augustus Wetherall*, Esquire, Lieutenant Colonel of Our First or Royal Regiment, and Commandant of the Garrison of *Montreal*.

We command you, that you have the body of *Toussaint Peltier*, detained in your Custody (as it is said) under safe and secure conduct before Our trusty and well beloved the Honorable *James Reid*, Chief Justice of Our Court of King's Bench at *Montreal*, or the Honorable *Jean Roch Rolland*, one of the Justices of Our said Court, im-