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(No. 8.) COPY of a DESPATCH from Sir Charles A. Fitzroy, K.H., to Lord Glenela.

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My Lord,

Government House, Prince Edward Island. 29 January 1838.

I HAVE much satisfaction in transmitting to your Lordship a dutiful and loval Address, agreed to at a very numerous and respectable meeting of the inhabitants. of Queen's County in this island, expressive of their loyalty to the Crown, and their abhorrence of the rebellion in the Canadas, with a request that it may be laid at the foot of the Throne.

I have also the honour to transmit, for the same purpose, an Address from the inhabitants of Prince Town, Prince Town Royalty, and vicinity.

I have, &c.

Charles A. Fitzroy, Lieut.-Governor. (signed)

Enclosure 1, in No. 41.

Encl. 1, in No. 41 To His Excellency Sir Charles Augustus Fitzroy, K.H., Lieutenant-governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Island, Prince Edward, and its Dependencies, Chancellor, Vice-Admiral, and Ordinary of the same, &c. &c.

May it please your Excellency,

WE, the inhabitants of Queen's County, fully impressed with a due sense of the abundant blessings imparted to these North American colonies by the British constitution, are filled with astonishment and indignation at the unwarrantable proceedings which have recently taken place in Lower Canada. Your Excellency will likewise give us credit for similar feelings in reference to the rebellious spirit which has also pervaded many deluded people in the Upper Province.

That the success on these occasions has not been equal to the sanguine expectation of the factious demagogues and their revolutionary parties, must be attributed, under Pro-vidence, to the well-displayed loyalty and zeal of the better part of Her Majesty's subjects, both civil and military, in Lower Canada, and to the prompt and energetic measures of the Government and gallant militia at Toronto.

In requesting your Excellency to convey to the foot of the Throne our heartfelt expressions of fidelity and attachment to our beloved Queen and the British constitution, we avail ourselves of the opportunity afforded us, of acknowledging our gratitude to Her Majesty for her appointment of a lieutenant governor so experienced and willing, as far as our strength and numbers admit, to apply that strength in any emergency to assist in upholding the dignity of the Crown, and for the better security of this part of Her Majesty's. dominions.

Charlotte Town, 18 January 1838.

By order and on behalf of the meeting, (signed)

John Barrow, Chairman.

Enclosure 2, in No. 41.

Ercl. 2. in No. 41. To His Excellency Sir Charles Augustus Fitzroy, к.н., Lieutenant governor and Com-mander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Island, Prince Edward, Chancellor, Vice-Admiral, and Ordinary of the same, &c. &c.

May it please your Excellency,

THE inhabitants of Prince Town, Prince Town Royalty, and vicinity, deeply regretting the unfortunate situation of affairs presently existing in the Canadas, where rebellion against their lawful Sovereign, among a number of misguided and deluded men, so much prevails, have, at a public meeting this day convened unanimously, declared not only their lovalty

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