PREFACE.

In presenting to the public their first edition of the Sherbrooke, Coaticook, Richmond, Lennoxville, and Melbourne Directory, the Compilers trust that it will be found as near correct as it is possible for a book of the same description to be. No pains have been withheld to make it such, and every exertion on their part has been put forth to secure that object.

The view the compilers had in the production of this work was, not so much speculative, but rather the producing of a reliable Directory, suited to the wants of the commercial community.

It being their first attempt, they trust a kind public will overlook any slight discrepancies that may inadvertently exist, as, in taking the information in the various places, they met with considerable difficulty in getting the names of the inhabitants.

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