

made him prepare an address to the Prince of Wales, during his visit to this country, on behalf of the coloured inhabitants of Canada—an address, however, which was not presented, owing to a desire of the Duke of Newcastle to avoid giving to the welcome of our future sovereign any appearance of sectionalism. It was, we should suppose, a practical contradiction of all his theories of right or wrong that he, on one occasion, took part in a duel, arising, we believe, between himself and a brother barrister, during the trial of a case in Court. But Mr. Gale was a man of high spirit and imbued with all the feelings of a gentleman, so that whatever abstract opinions he entertained, he could not bear any imputation on his character, such as thirty years ago would have followed upon his declining a hostile invitation. He was married to Miss Hawley, who has been dead some years, by whom he had three daughters.

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