

**GRAND MILITARY FETE TO THE COUNTESS OF DALHOUSIE.**—On the evening of the 19th, Colonel Johnstone and the officers of the 68th Light Infantry, stationed in this Garrison, entertained the Earl and Countess of Dalhousie, and a numerous party of the fashionable circles of Quebec, at a splendid Ball and Supper given in honor of her Ladyship, to whose hospitable attentions the society has been so much indebted for promoting that round of amusement and gaiety which has so particularly characterised the past winter.

## Upper-Canada.

### KINGSTON.

From the following census it appears that the county of Frontenac must, according to law, be represented in Parliament by two Members.

Inhabitants in the Township of Kingston, 1904—do. in Pittsburgh, 957—do. in Lobborough, 689—do. in Portland, 255—do. Wolfe and Simcoe Islands, 146—Total 4,151.—do. in the town of Kingston, which sends one Member to Parliament 2,849.—Total number of inhabitants in the county of Frontenac, 7,000.

**FIRE.**—On the morning of the 13th, about two o'clock, the stable situated in the rear of that brick house in Barrack street, occupied by Major Schoedde and Captain Pearce of the 60th Regiment, was discovered to be on fire. An adjoining house containing materials for the erection of a new frame house, together with an adjacent range of old buildings, formerly occupied as barracks, the property of Mr. James Meagher, were totally consumed by the destructive element. Five families were in possession of the latter premises, when the accident happened. The ravages of the fire would have been much more extensive, but for the extreme calmness of the morning.

It is with regret we state that ten fine dogs, belonging to Major Schoedde and Captain Pearce, which were kept in the stable, perished in the flames.

**Died.**—On Thursday the 25th, the wife of Darius Smith, of the Township of Kingston, Upper-Canada, aged 52 years.

### YORK.

The foundation Stone of the new Gaol in this city was laid on the 24th, His Excellency the Lieut. Governor Sir Peregrine Maitland and Staff, along with the members of the Executive Council, Judges and Gentlemen of the Bar, with the Magistrates and a numerous assembly of Gentlemen were present on the occasion. A Sovereign and Half Sovereign of gold, and several coins of silver and copper, of the present Reign, together with some newspapers and other memorials of the present day, were deposited in a cavity of the stone, over which, a plate of copper, bearing an appropriate inscription, was placed; and, after His Excellency had given the first blow, with a hammer handed to him for the purpose, the ceremony concluded with several hearty cheers from all who were present.

## Army Intelligence.

### QUEBEC, MARCH 29.

A Court Martial was held in August last in this garrison on Lieutenant Colonel Burer, of the 37th foot, stationed here, upon charges preferred by Lieutenant and Adjutant Lang of the same Regiment. The Trial occupied several days, and created a good deal of interest at the time. The English January mail has brought out the decision of His Royal Highness the Commander in Chief, which was sanctioned by His Majesty.