

and his little garison, and burnt the fort.

In the succeeding year, Colonel Bradstreet caused another pallisadoe fort to be erected, which he call'd Fort Eagle. It is scituate on the banks of the Wood Creek, its form, a regular square, with four bastions; each exteriour side, about sixty yards in length; it was surrounded by a wide ditch, communicating with the creek; a cross which, a very fine strong dam was made, by which means, the ditch, surrounding the fort, was kept full of water; for a work of its kind, 'tis the best constructed of any in our possession: On the surrender of Oswego to the enemy, this, together with all our other posts, beyond the German Flats, was demolished by order of the Earl of London.

On the 16th, in the morning, the troops from Fort Newport, join'd those at Fort Eagle, from whence, the whole march'd to Canada Creek, where they embark'd on board