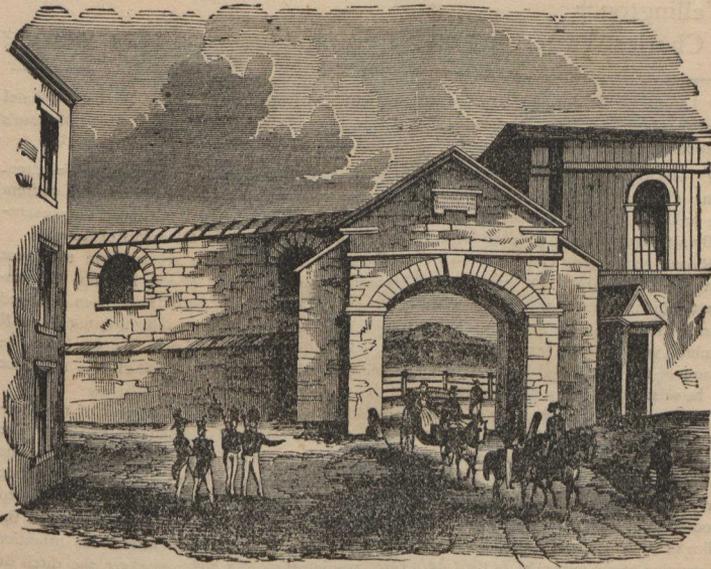


71° 12' 15" 5. o. according to Commander Ashe. It was by means of the halyard of this Flag staff, that General Theller and Colonel Dodge in October, 1838, made their escape from the citadel, where these Yankee sympathisers were kept prisoners. They had previously set to sleep the sentry, by means of drugged porter, when letting themselves down with the flagstaff rope, they escaped out of the city despite all the precautions of the Commandant Sir James MacDonnell.



HOPE GATE.

The following inscription on Hope Gate describes when it was erected :

HENRICO HOPE  
 Copiarum Duce et provinciæ sub prefecto  
 Protegente et adjuvante  
 Extracta,  
 Georgio III. Regi Nostro,  
 Anno XXVI. et salutis, 1786.

The martello Towers, named from their inventor in England,