

SUPPLEMENTARY.

Important Documents.

The subjoined documents were found among Gen. Proctor's papers, taken at the battle of the Thames: We give them a place in the present volume under a conviction that every American into whose hands it may fall will view it (as we do) as a record worth preserving, and that they will be perused with no small degree of interest.

*Copy of a letter from Sir George Prevost to
Com. Sir James Lucas Yeo.*

Head-Quarters, Kingston, }
19th September, 1813. }

SIR,

The Centre Division of the Upper Canada army is placed in a situation very critical, and one novel in the system of war; that of investing a force vastly superior in numbers, within a strongly intrenched position. It was adopted and has been maintained from a confident expectation, that with the co-operation of the squadron under your command, a combined attack, ere this, could have effected on the enemy, at Fort George, with every prospect of success. To the local disadvantages of the positions occupied by our army, have unhappily been added disease and desertion to a degree, calling for immediate remedy. You are, therefore, required to