

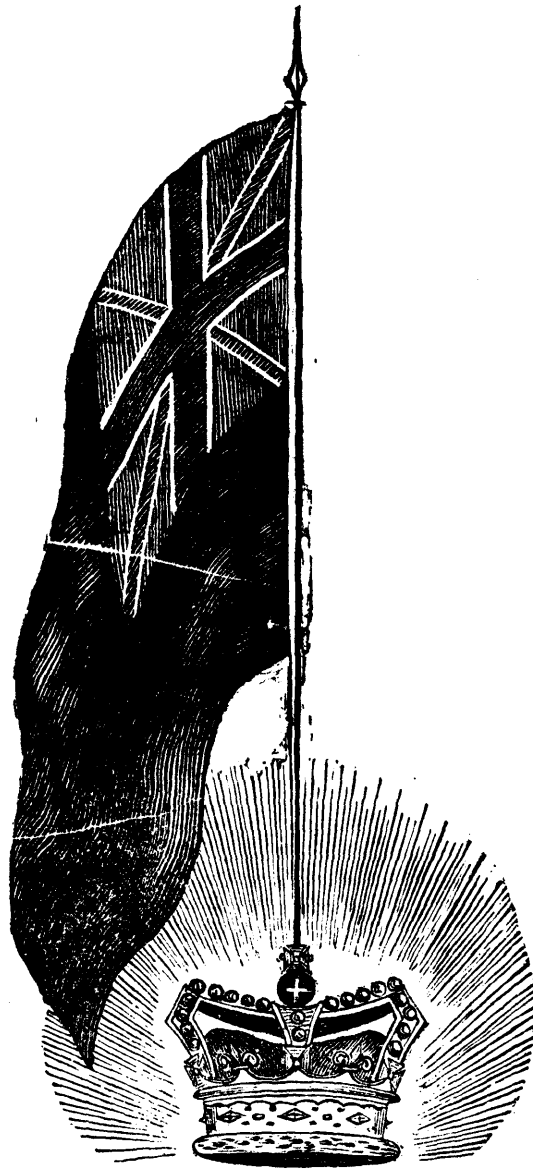
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Mount Hermon Cemetery, NEAR QUEBEC.

“ Mine be the breezy hill that skirts the Down,
Where a green grassy turf is all I crave,
With here and there a violet bestrown,
Fast by a brook or fountain's murmuring wave,
And many an evening's sun shine sweetly on my grave.”

The salutary effects of ornate and well-preserved cemeteries, on the moral taste and general sentiments of

all classes, is a most valuable result, and seems to have been appreciated in all ages and by all civilized nations, the Egyptians, the Greeks, the Romans, and in more modern times the Turks, all illustrated not only their skill in the arts, and their intellectual excellence, but also their social affections and refinement, and all the gentler characteristics of civilization, by a studied attention to cemeteries for the dead. If the christian seeks authority more commanding in its influence, he will find it with the patriarchs of Israel, who transmit