

“ passing such an act as a deliberate review of this important
 “ subject may suggest and hope so to frame it as to meet with
 “ the concurrence of the other branches of the Legislature in
 “ such manner that it may immediately become a part of the
 “ provincial code.

“ We shall also pay every attention to the other papers men-
 “ tioned by your Excellency.

“ The public roads are so essential to the progress of settle-
 “ ment and cultivation in this country, that they must continue
 “ for some years to be one great object of our consideration.

“ We shall pay all due attention to the plan which your Ex-
 “ cellency has directed to be prepared and laid before us, as the
 “ decent accommodation of the General Assembly and the Courts
 “ of Justice, are objects exceedingly desirable.

“ We hear, with much regret, of the death of *His Royal*
 “ *Highness the Duke of Cumberland* and sincerely sympathize
 “ with their MAJESTIES and all the Royal Family in their great
 “ grief on that melancholy occasion.

“ It gives us much satisfaction to learn that the vigor and
 “ dispatch with which the necessary preparations for war have
 “ been made on the part of Great Britain, have enabled His
 “ MAJESTY to terminate the negotiations with the Court of
 “ Spain in such a manner as to secure inviolate the national ho-
 “ nor, preserve the blessings of peace to his people, and avoid
 “ the calamities attending a bloody and expensive war.

“ We are happy in returning your Excellency’s congratula-
 “ tions on this great event, in which, as British subjects we feel
 “ ourselves deeply interested, convinced that the consequences
 “ of war would have been sensibly felt by the inhabitants of this
 “ province in its present infant state.

“ The conviction impressed on your Excellency’s mind of
 “ the just value we place on the constitutional blessings we de-
 “ rive from our birth right, affords us sincere pleasure, and we
 “ shall always derive peculiar satisfaction from every event that
 “ reflects lustre on His MAJESTY’s administration.”

Captain *Lyman*, member for *York* county in his place informed
 the House that *Edward Stelle*, Esquire, member for the same coun-
 ty, had left the province about *eighteen months* ago, with an inten-
 tion not again to return, and had gone to reside in *Foreign States*;
 and it appearing by the evidence of *Andrew Finucane*, Esquire,
 given at the Bar of this House, that the said *Edward Stelle* had
 informed him Mr. *Finucane* that he never intended to return
 to this province. And this House having received no communi-

Information re-
 specting Mr.
Stelle,