

The most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, Captain General and Governor in Chief in and over the province of Lower Canada, &c.

May it please your Excellency,

We, the Magistrates and principal inhabitants of the Town and Borough of William Henry, his Majesty's loyal and dutiful subjects humbly beg leave to approach your Excellency to offer our sincere congratulations on your happy return to Canada, to resume the administration of the government.

We also presume to offer our sincere congratulations on the return of the Countess of Dalhousie, whose kind condescension, benevolence and humanity have been so generally experienced in the Borough of William Henry and its environs.

William Henry, }

28th September, 1825. }

THE EARL OF DALHOUSIE'S ANSWER.

SIR,—The Magistrates and inhabitants of William Henry have always shewn to Lady Dalhousie and myself much kind attention during our summer residence in that neighbourhood, and I beg you to assure them of our best thanks for this renewed mark of their good wishes.

(Signed) DALHOUSIE.

Chateau St. Louis, }

3d October, 1825. }

Montreal, 17th October.

The second sale of the East India Company's Teas took place here on Saturday last. It went off heavily, only 718 chests and boxes being sold, of 1641 put up. The prices obtained were:

Bohea,	1s.	8d.		
Congou,	2s.	11d.		
Souchong,	2s.	9d.		
Hyson,	5s.	a	5s.	2d.
Young Hyson,	4s.	8d.	a	4s. 9d.
Twankay,	3s.	2d.	a	3s. 3d.
Hyson Skin,	3s.	1d.	a	3s. 2d.

The decline of prices is unfavourable as to preceding purchasers, but otherwise, it tends more effectually to the prevention of smuggling, an object of primary importance. This assuredly will be accomplished, when

the supply adequate to the demand is ascertained and the future sales get into regular periodical succession, the past was rather matter of experiment as neither the agents nor purchasers had sufficient data to guide them.

Quebec, October 15.

This day, at twelve o'clock, the honorable C. W. Grant, John Forsyth, Thomas Porteous, George Garden, Peter M'Gill, John Molson, senior, F. A. LaRocque, and Henry M'Kenzie, Esquires, being appointed at a public meeting, to present a congratulatory address to his Excellency the Earl of Dalhousie, from the inhabitants of Montreal, on his return from England, to resume the government of these Provinces, waited on his Lordship at the Castle of St. Lewis, and delivered to him the following Address:—

To his Excellency the Right Honourable George Earl of Dalhousie, Knight Grand Cross of the most honourable Military Order of the Bath, Governor in Chief in and over the Province of Lower Canada, &c.

May it please your Lordship,

We, the subscribers, his Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, inhabitants of the city and vicinity of Montreal, most respectfully approach your Excellency to offer our cordial congratulations on the happy return of your Lordship and Lady Dalhousie to this Province.

It is justly esteemed a fortunate circumstance for the distant possessions of the Empire, when their governments are administered by men of public integrity and private worth, qualities which in a pre-eminent degree distinguish your Excellency, and while your Lordship's return to this Province marks the approbation and confidence of your royal master, our beloved Sovereign, we hail the auspicious event with the warmest expression of those feelings which peculiarly belong to grateful and loyal subjects.

The results of the last session of the Imperial Parliament, while they