

author of several works. He was a minister in Newburyport for many years, and was an attractive preacher. He died on the 4th day of March, 1819, aged 73 years. He was the father of the Rev. Gardiner Spring, Pastor of the Brick Church in this city.

(28) The city of Quebec is situated on a promontory on the north-west side of the St. Lawrence, formed by that river and the St. Charles. The extremity of the head-land is called Cape Diamond, whose highest point rises 345 feet above the level of the water. On the cape is erected the famous CITADEL of Quebec—a formidable combination of powerful military works—frequently called the "*Gibraltar of America*."

(29) COL. CAMPBELL, being next in lineal rank to Montgomery, assumed the command of the army after the death of that General—a position for which he was totally unqualified, for instead of inspiring the troops and pressing on the victory half won, he was entirely disconcerted by the sudden loss of the commander, and ordered a retreat, leaving behind him the bodies of the General, his two aids, and twelve others of the detachment, unburied and uncared for.

Life and Times of Gen. Lamb, p. 123.

(30) JOHN LAMB was born in the city of New-York on the 1st January, in the year 1735. His father was Anthony Lamb, a celebrated optician and mathematical instrument maker. In his early youth, John followed the occupation of his father. He afterwards became a merchant. In the war of the Revolution, he took an active part, and was one of the most zealous leaders of the sons of liberty. As a captain of artillery, he joined the expedition against Quebec in the year 1775, where he was severely wounded and taken prisoner. He was afterwards pro-