

me your Address of this day. It is particularly gratifying to my feelings, to find that my Conduct has been such, as to merit your good opinion, and to ensure me your esteem. I trust you will not find me wanting in future endeavours to merit a continuance of those Sentiments from you, which you have expressed in a manner so particularly obliging. I look forward with anxious expectation to the moment, when, if I am called upon, to the more immediate Active Service of my Country, I may prove to You, that, I shall ever exert myself with redoubled Zeal, when employed in a cause so dear to me, as must ever be, the protection of your Property and Persons, and the Defence of your Country. Once more, *Gentlemen*, allow me to assure You, that I shall ever retain the most grateful sense, of the high honour conferred on me this day, and must hope that you will remain persuaded that, while I must from duty ever feel the warmest interest in your general welfare as a public Body,—I shall also consider myself as particularly fortunate whenever it may be in my power to render Service to any one of your Respectable Body as individuals.—*Quebec, 15th November, 1793.*

On *Sunday* the 10th inst. between the hours of 8 & 9 at night, a dreadful FIRE broke out in the house of one Jugon, a Baker, in Sault-au-Matelot Street, in the Lower Town, which communicated to the adjacent buildings on both sides of the street, and burned with great violence till four o'clock on Monday morning. Twelve dwelling houses, besides stores and stables, are entirely consumed; and a number of poor families, have lost their all; are turned out destitute into the street. In Jugon's house, a *Boy* of about eight years of age fell through the floor and was burned to death. Those who have sustained the greatest loss in property by this unfortunate accident, we understand, are Messrs. *Dumas* and *Sauvageau*.

His LORDSHIP and His Royal Highness PRINCE EDWARD, were present throughout the whole night, and afforded every possible aid not only by their presence; but by their Example and personal assistance towards extinguishing the fire, and the relief of the unhappy sufferers. Much praise is also due to the Officers and men, who gave their assistance upon this melancholy occasion; as likewise to the Members of the Fire Society, and other Citizens who co-operated with their exertions.

DIED. At *Quebec*, 6th, Mr. John Taylor Bonfield, aged 82 years.
 _____ 9th, Mr. Robert M'Fie, aged 57.

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 _____ le 9, Mr. Robert M'Fie, âgé de 57 ans.

Arrivals in the Port of Quebec.

November 1. Ship Bridgett, Mark Thomas, in 52 days from Plymouth.
 — Ship Ranger, Henry Cooper, in 52 days from ditto.
 — Ship Beaver, John Beatson, in 52 days from ditto.
 16. Schooner Lark, Pierre Aliot, in 34 days from Halifax.
 18. Brig Geo. & Mary, Thomas Alaird, in 56 days from Bristol.