

TO
LIEUT.-COLONEL JOHN HARVEY, C.B.

**DEPUTY-ADJUTANT-GENERAL OF HIS MAJESTY'S FORCES
IN THE CANADAS ;**

**WHO,
BESIDES DISTINGUISHING HIMSELF ON SEVERAL
OTHER OCCASIONS,**

DURING THE LATE AMERICAN WAR,

**DID,
AT MIDNIGHT, ON THE FIFTH OF JUNE, 1813,
LEAD THE ADVANCE OF AN ATTACK,**

PLANNED BY HIMSELF,

**IN WHICH
SEVEN HUNDRED AND FOUR BRITISH
SURPRISED,**

**AND, AFTER A SHORT STRUGGLE,
DROVE FROM THEIR FORTIFIED ENCAMPMENT,
NEAR STONEY CREEK,**

**IN
UPPER CANADA,
THREE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED AMERICANS:**

**AN EXPLOIT
WHICH TENDED, IN A HIGH DEGREE, TO THE SAFETY OF TWO
VALUABLE BRITISH PROVINCES;**

THIS WORK

IS

MOST RESPECTFULLY DEDICATED,

BY

THE AUTHOR.