

Quebec, I have now to inform your Lordship, that Four thousand six hundred and three Pounds have been paid into the Bank of England as the Produce of the Collection in question, and that you are at liberty to draw on the Commissariat in Canada for that Sum.

QUEBEC.

I have, &c.
(Signed) STANLEY.

No. 62.

COPY of a LETTER from JAMES STEPHEN Esq. to CAPTAIN HIGGINSON.

Sir,

Downing Street, 18th October 1845.

IN Lord Stanley's Absence from London at his Residence in Lancashire, I enclose (as the only Means of saving the Mail which is to be despatched this Evening) the accompanying Copy of a Letter which has been received at this Office from the Office of the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury, announcing the Amount of Subscriptions which have been paid into the Bank of England for the Relief of the Sufferers by the late Fires at Quebec. It would seem necessary that Lord Metcalfe should be in immediate Possession of this Intelligence. His Lordship will receive by the next Mail the official Communication of it from Lord Stanley himself.

No. 62.
J. Stephen, Esq.
to
Captain
Higginson,
18th Oct. 1845.

I have, &c.
(Signed) JAS. STEPHEN.

Enclosure in No. 62.

Sir,

Treasury Chambers, 16th October 1845.

WITH reference to the Letter from this Department of the 22d ultimo, I am commanded by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury to acquaint you, for the Information of Lord Stanley, that the further Sums, in addition to the Sum of 4,603*l.* therein stated, which have been received into the Bank of England on account of Subscriptions for the Relief of Sufferers by the late Fires at Quebec amount to 25,635*l.* 5*s.* 9*d.*, and the Officer in charge of the Commissariat in Canada has been directed to pay the same to the Order of the Governor General.

J. Stephen, Esquire,
&c. &c. &c.

I am, &c.
(Signed) C. E. TREVELYAN.

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(No. 451.)

COPY of a DESPATCH from Lord STANLEY to Lord METCALFE, G.C.B.

My Lord,

Downing Street, 3d November 1845.

REFERRING to my Despatch of the 18th September, No. 439., and to Mr. Stephen's Letter to Captain Higginson of the 18th October, on the Subject of the Subscriptions for the Relief of the Sufferers by the Fires at Quebec, I have now to acquaint your Lordship, that the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury have reported to me, that in addition to the Sum of 25,635*l.* 5*s.* 9*d.* a further Sum of 9,649*l.* 3*s.* 10*d.* has been collected, and paid into the Bank of England on this Account.

No. 63.
Lord Stanley
to
Lord Metcalfe,
3d Nov. 1845.

I have, &c.
(Signed) STANLEY.

No. 64.

(No. 468.)

COPY of a DESPATCH from Lord STANLEY to Lord METCALFE, G.C.B.

My Lord,

Downing Street, 29th November 1845.

I HAVE the Honour to inform you that Subscriptions for the Relief of the Sufferers by the Fires at Quebec to the further Amount of 1,939*l.* 5*s.* 9*d.* have been received at the Bank of England, in addition to the several Sums, amounting to 39,887*l.* 9*s.* 7*d.*, of which you have already been apprised, and that the Commissary General in Canada has been instructed to hold this further Sum at your Disposal.

No. 64.
Lord Stanley
to
Lord Metcalfe,
29th Nov. 1845.

I have, &c.
(Signed) STANLEY.

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