

APPENDIX B.

SENTENCE OF CONSECRATION OF THE CATHEDRAL AT QUEBEC, 28TH AUGUST, 1804.

In the Name of God. Amen.

“ Forasmuch as Our Sovereign Lord, George the Third,
 “ by the grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great
 “ Britain and Ireland, King, defender of the faith, hath been
 “ piously disposed to erect and hath erected this the Cathed-
 “ ral Church of the Holy Trinity of the Bishoprick of
 “ Quebec to supply the spiritual wants of his people inha-
 “ bitants of the said Bishoprick. And the same hath pro-
 “ vided with a pulpit, reading desk, communion table, and
 “ all other things requisite for the decent performance of
 “ Divine Worship. And whereas our said Sovereign Lord
 “ the King, by Letters Patent under the great seal of Great
 “ Britain, bearing date the twenty-eight day of June, in the
 “ thirty-third year of his reign and by certain Letters
 “ Patent under the great seal of this province of Lower
 “ Canada bearing date the twenty-fifth day of August in-
 “ stant, the said Cathedral hath endowed And whereas
 “ Sir George Pownall, Kt., the Hon. John Craigie, Esquire,
 “ Jonathan Sewell, Esquire, and Reverend Salter Jehosh-
 “ aphot Mountain, His Majesty’s commissioners by him
 “ appointed for erecting the said Cathedral Church, have
 “ humbly notified unto us that the said Cathedral Church
 “ is completed and in a state fit in all things to be con-
 “ secrated, praying us to consecrate the same. Therefore,
 “ we Jacob by divine permission, Bishop of Quebec, do by
 “ our ordinary and episcopal authority set apart and forever
 “ separate this Cathedral Church so furnished, provided and
 “ endowed, from all common uses and do dedicate and con-
 “ secrate it forever to the service and worship of God,
 “ according to the rites of the Church of England, and