ADVERTISEMENT.

Towards the close of the year 1814, a young naval officer, Lieutenant Chappell, of his Majesty's ship Rosamond, who had recently returned, for the second time, from an expedition to the North-eastern coast of America, brought to Cambridge a collection of the dresses, weapons, &c. of the Indians inhabiting Hudson's Bay*; requesting that I would present these curiosities to the Public Library of the University. This Collection so much resembled another which the Russian Commodore Billings brought to Petersburg from the North-western shores of the same continent, and part of which Professor

* See Appendix (E).