the counsel and direction of his father : and though the voice be not audible, nor the direction always perceptable, or discernable to fense, yet it is equally as real as if a man heard the voice faying, this

is the way, walk in it.

And though this fecret direction of Almighty God is principally fren in matters relating to the good of the foul; yet it may also be found in the concerns of this life, which a good man, that fears God, and bega his direction, shall very often, if not at all times find. I can call my own experience to witness, that even in the external actions of my whole life, I was never disappointed of the belt quidance and direction, when I have, in humility and fincerity, implored the fecret direction and guidance of the Di vine Wifdom."

It appears that this great good man, this ornament of our nation (w'en young,) being in company with other! fludents, one of the party, through excels of wine, fell down (apparently dead) at their feet; he was so affected on this occasion, that he immediately retired to another room, and shutting the door, I fell on his knees, and prayed earnestly to God, that his triend might be reflored to life, and that he himself might be forgiven, for having given countenance to fo much excels-and at the fame time made a folemn vow, that he would never again keep company in that manner, nor, "drink a health," while he lived.

It is faid that his friend recovered, and that he religiously observed his vow to the day of his death. What a pity it is, that we do not more generally follow his worthy example; particularly the youth of the present day, on whom refts our present hope, and our dependence relative to the next generation

A Friend to Religious Improvement.

From the Upper Samua Gazette. Promotions.

On Thursday the 12th inft. the Hon. end Rev. Dr. Strachan was fworn in as | day next. Member, and the Hon William Honorable Executive Council.

On the same day, D'Arey Boulton, | Monday Elquire, was fivorn in as a Judge of His Majelly's ! out of King's Bench ; and lime. John Beverly Robinson, Esq. as Attorney General.

PROVINCIAL LARLIAMENT OF UPPER CANADA.

House of Assembly. Pebruary 11, 1818.

Mr. Hatt moved for leave to bring in a Bil, to enable Robert Cartwright, of Kingston to surrender to our Sovereign | read a third time to morrow. Lord the King, certain Lots therein mentioned, which was granted and the bring in a Bill to Licence Auctioneers, Bill read.

of the House be dispensed with, and that the Cartwright furrender Bill be read a second time, which was granted morrow. and the Bill read.

Hatt.

Mr. Van Koughnett reported progress, and obtained leave to fit again to-mor-

The House went into Committee on the Sanbath profanation Bill, reported progress, and brained leave to lit again to marrow.

The Piffrict School Bill was red a

frond time.

Mr. Van Koughnett moved that the House do go into Committee of the whole on the Dittrict School Bill, which | was agreed to Mr Cotter reported progress, and

obtained leave to fit again to morrow. Mr Rebinson moved that the House do, on Friday next. go into Committee on the contingent accounts of the last Selfion, which was ordered.

Mr. Van Koughnett moved for leave to bring in a Bill to regulate Shop Licences, which was granted and the Bill read. Ordered to be read a second time

to-morrow. Thursday, Feb. 12. The House went into Committee on

the Cartwright furrender Bill. Mr. Van Koughnett reported the Bill amended. Ordered that the Report De received, and that the Bill be engrossed

and read a third time to-morrow. The House went into Committee on the Sabbath profanation Bill, and reported the Bill amended.

Mr. Hatt moved the Sabbath profanation Bill be engroffed and read a third time to-momow.

Mr. Clench in amendment moved that it be engroffed and read a third time and the original queltion ordered.

The House went into Committee on the School Bill, and reported the Bill amended, which was received, and the Bill ordered to be engroffed and read a third time to-morrow.

The Shop Licence Bill was read a

Bround time. The House went into Committee on

waion, hatif it as really as a fon bath of the Shop Licence Bill. Reported pro- | on Monday vext, more for leave to] gref, and obtained leave to fit again bring in a Bill to alter and amend an to-morrow.

in a Bill to repeal an Act paffed in the | Tenements, and Hereditaments, in the 56th year of His Majesty's Reign, entitled, " .n Act for granting to His Majesty a sum of money towards defray- on Tuesday next, move for leave to ing the expences of the Civil Administra- | bring in a Bill, to authorize and emtion of the Government of this Province" Which was granted and the Bill read. Ordered to be read a fecond time on Monday next.

bring in a Bill to repeal and amend the and Court House in the Town of Nia Law now in force for granting Penfions | garato persons disabled in the Service, and to Widows and Children of perfore who may have been killed in the Service. Which was granted and the Bill read. Ordered to be read a fecond time to-

to bring in a Bill to alter the time of which was granted. holding the Court of General Quarter! Seffions of the Peace for the Johnstown Diffrict, which was granted, and the Bill read Ordered to be read a lecond | into the flate of the Militia fines. time to morrow.

up the petition of Rebecca Thompson. | Town of Kingston, which was granted Which was granted, and the petition laid on the table.

Friday 13. read a third time.

furrender Bill do now pass and that it ; for proceeding to outlawry in certain Influental pomp with them will emulate, be entitled, " An Act to enable Robert | cases therein mentioned. Cartwright, fon of the late Honorable Richard Cartwright, deceased, to turrender lands in the Town of Kingfton, to His Majefly, his Heirs and Successors Which was carried, and the Bill Egued | School Bill. by the Speaker.

of the Day as relates to the third read ing of the Diffrict School Bill, be discharged. Which was carried.

The third reading of the Sabbth profanation Bill ordered to be on Mon-

The Honse went into Committee on Claus, as an Honorary Member of the | the Shop Licence Bill. Reported progress, and obtained leave to fit again on

The Pension Bill was read a second

The Poule went into Committee on the Penfion Bill. Reported progret, and obtained leave to fit again to norrow.

The Johnstown Quarte. Sellion Bill was read the fecond time.

The Honfe went into Committee on the Johnstown Quarter Session Bill, and reported the Bill, which was ordered to be received, and to be engroffed and

Mr. Robinton moved for leave to and to impufe a duty on Goods, Wares Mr Hatt moved that the 5th Rule and Merchandize told at Public Auction. Which was granted, and the Bill read. Ordered to be read a second time to-

Mr. M'Martin gave notice, that he The House then went into Committee | will, on Thursday next, move for leave on the said Bill, upon the motion of Mr. | to bring in a Bill to repeal an Act paised in the 58th year of His Majetty's Reign, entitled, " An Act for granting to rdis Majelly a fum of money, and to provide for the appointment of a Provincial Agent for this Province."

Mr. M'Martin gave notice, that he will, on Wednelday next. move for leave to bring in a Bill to continue for a limited time, an Act passed in the 56th year of His Majesty's Reign, entitled, " An Act for granting to His Majefly, duties on Licences to Hawkers, Pedlars, Province to happily enjoy. Petty Chapman, and other persons therein mentioned.

Saturday 14. The Johndown Quarter Seifion Bill was read a third time.

Mr. Van Koughnert moved that the Johnstown Quarter Seffion Bill do now pals, and that it be entitled " An Act to repeal part of an act paffed in the 56th year of His Majelty's Reign, entitled, An Act to alter the time of holding the Courts of General Quarter Sellions of the Peace in the London and Johnstown Diftricte." Which was ordered and the Bill figned.

The Auction Bill was read a fecond licical principles.

The House went into Committee on the Auction Bill. Reported progress and obtained leave to fet again on Monday.

Mr. Burwell moved for leave to bring in a Bi'l for the dittribution of Lands, Hereditaments and Real Estates within this Province. Which was granted and the Bill read. Ordered to be read a fe cond time to-morrow.

Mr Jones moved to bring in a Bill to this day three months, which was lolt, amend an act passed in the 24th year of His Majesty's Keign, entitled, " An act ty repeal and amend, an act passed in the 35th year of His Majetty Reign, entitled, · An Act to afcertain the eligibility of persons to be returned to the House of Affeirbly.' Which was granted and the Bill read Ordered o be read a second

time to merring Mr. Clench gave notice, that he will, bella Smith Gambh ..

Act, entitled, " An Act to afford relief Mr. Burwell moved for leave to bring to perfons holding or possessing Lands, Diffrict of Niagara.

Mr. Clench gave notice, that he will power the Jutlices of the Peace for the Diffrict of Niagara, to loan fuch a fum or luns of money as may be necessary to pay and defray the expences still due Mr. M'Martin moved for leave to and owing for the building of the Gao!

Mr. Burwell moved for leave to bring in a Bill on Monday next, a Bill to repeal the Laws now in force, to eftablish Public Schools in each and every Diffrict of this Province

Mr. Burwell moved for leave to bring Mr. Van Koughnett moved for leave | up the petition of Thomas Bowlby, Efq.

Mr. Howard gave notice, that he will move the House to go into Committee on Wednesday next to make an inquiry

Mr. Frater moved for leave to bring Mr. Clinch moved for leave to bring | up the petition of the Merchants of the

Mr. Van Koughnett gave notice, that he will on Tuefday next move for leave to bring in a Bill to continue an Act, The Cartwright furrender Bill was j encitted, " An Act to supply in certain cases, the want of County Courts in this Mr. Hatt moved that the Cartwright | Province, and to make further provisions

> Mr. Van Koughnett gave notice, that he will, on Monday next, move that the House do resolve itself into a Committee, to reconfider the Diffrict

Mr Jones moved, that Meffes. Du-Mr Robinton moved that the Order | rand, Heward, Hatt, Chrysler, Mills. and Cameron, be a Committee to whom all petitions be referred, with leave to report thereon with Bill or otherwife

Mr. Fraier moved for leave to bring up the petition of Sundry Persons of the Township of Ernest Town, which was

KINGSTON: TUESDAY, March 3, 1818.

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In this days Gazette will be found a second lengthy address to the " Resid ant Annal Abadderson Upper Canada," by Robert Gourlay, E.q.-We publish this with the presumption, that all who read his frormer address, will be eager to read this allo. We do not presume to commet on the subject matter conrained in it; believing it best to let very one read and comment for him-

At a Meeting of a Committee, chosen by the annual Town Meeting of the Inhabitants of the Township of Augusta, in the Johnstown Dift. ict of Upper Canada, to aniwer certain queries proposed to them in an address published by one Rooert Gouriay, & dated at Queenston, October, 1817-it is unanimously Relotved,

1st. That it is the opinion of this meeting, that Mr. Gourlay's address contains principles intmical to the peace and quiet which the Inhabitants of this

2d. That however advantageous, the information might be to Upper Canada, refulting from proper answers to these queries, and placed in proper bands, the prefent meeting cannot feel themselves justified in giving their support to the very injurious confequences which might refult from fuch information, placed at the disposal of a man of Mr. Gourlay's po-

[A True Copy.] (Signed) Solomon Jones, J. D. C. John Bethune, Clerk, H. Walker, C. P. Oliver Luert, J. D. Campbell, I. Heck, R. C. Henderfon, Jacob Heck, J. S. Merwin, John Simpson, Stephen Coluns, Augusta, Fib'y. 1818.

MARRIAD.

On Friday Evening, by the Rev. R. G. Curtois, Chaplain to the forces, COMMUNICATION.

ELEGIAC Verses written on the Death of Sin ROBERT HALL, Kt. & K. C. B. and Knight of the Secilian Order of Ferdinand and Mertt, late Commodore of the Lakes in the Canadas, by J. N. 37th Regt. Scarce was the news thro' Britons empire spread

That her best hopes and Royal flower was dead. Ere other wees succeeded to o'er whealm In deepest grief the subjects of the realm-Cans'd by the sudden and untimely fall, Of the much lamented Late Sir Robert Hall. In him was centered worth of every kind, That could enoble or parich the mind ; For him let bell in soleinn pomp be rung, Let Erin' hasp to peasive notes be strung : Let England's rose no more its edors shed Let Scotland's thistled coop its mournful nead And all lunent. Sir Robert Hall is dead. Let Neptune's sons in Canada deplore, The dath of their belov'd fate Commodore. Let them henceforth hilarity suspend, And spon in the loss of their departed friend. No more shall be that dauntless crew survey, Who his commands did cheerfully obey; No more with them, shall be triumphant ride, The stormy Main nor brave the angry tide; No more shall be beneld old Englands coast Of which he once had been the pride & boas: Alas! to her he is prematurely lost. Briton's to whom he shall be ever dear, For him shall shed many a pensive tear; The lost to them he is not lost to fame, Who on her roll-, oft register'd his name. Alas, the high distinctions which he bore, Were but the transient titles of an nour; Nor were those titles all by Britain shown, Some were conferred from the Sicilian throne, Where he had been for galantry renown'd, And with their laurels .. ill be ever crown'd. When this and news its vine clad shores has

reach d. What matchless grief must reign within each breast,

With unfergu'd sorrow tears shall dim each eye, And every bosom heave the throbbing sigh. In England's grief they will participate, Thence it shall be the poets furnre theme, From Sire to Son, to aggrandize his name; Both countries shall in sable hue be clad, And every heart be melancholy—sad; in sculptur'd some to his commemoration, The grandest trophies of each hostile nation, Shall in each country, splendidly appear, That future ages may his name revere. fave, Chart's and Religion conjoined, With literature form'd his nobie mind : His outward charms each beauteons grace a-

But these he valu'd least and pride he scorn'd; ilem future bards shall sing in living tays, And practing infants lisp his worth and praise. in sweet repose his manes are now at rest, its virtuous deeds on earth has made him blest. rle cares not now what horrid tempests rise, Or dreadful showers contract the vaulted skies, Nor when boreas sweeps the deep profound, and makes the nodding craking woods re-

Nor when the fields their flowry pomp display, Carer'd by the strength of springs reviving ray For him the tenants of the silent grove, rias ceased to Carroll their tender songs of love, The thrush no longer twitters from the spray, Tie blackbird too forgets its tuneful lay; And ail the feather'd songsters of the air, Like Britons seems absorb'd in deep dispair; even the weeds o'er him with drooping head, Pacir daily tribute in dewcy drops doth shed ; rain had I power to enumerate the praise, de metros due han manulimer lays : My heart clate, with gratitude should glow, And loftier numbers would responsive dow. day since the tragge melancholy muse, Through violent grief her aid doth me refuse ; I therefore hope no critic will me held, Presumptive, cash, vain, impudent or bold, For offering this poor tributary lay, The ry token in my power to pay. Kingston, Feb. 19, 1818.

Important to Half Pay Officers.

Circular No. 373

War Office, 24th Od 1817. Sir,-In reference to my Circular of 30th ultimo (No. 475) I annex hereto Bellville, 25th Feb. 1818. a form of affidavit, which every Halfpay Officer will be required to use in drawing for his half-pay after the 24th D. cember next, instead of the form now

I am, Sir, your most obedient humble servant,

PAMLERSTON. appeared personally before me, and made outh, that he had not, during any part of the period from 181 , to the 24th 25th of

181 , both days inclusive, any 77 WO LET, and possession given the other place, or employment of profit civil or military, under his. Britannic Majesty, or in the service of any other Government, besides the allowance granted to him by his Britannie Majesty, as a re-

Regiment of Sworn before me day of

The half-pay Officers who have em barked in the cause of the Patriots in South America, will be rendered unable, by this regulation, to receive their half pay.

ALBANY, Feb. 3.

Mysterious Circumstance.-On Tuesday last, a young lady, residing in the compact part af the city, of irreproachable character and respectable connections, left her father's house about ten in the morning, to call on a female friend and neighbour. She left her friend about eleven o'clock, A. M. as was supposed to return to her father's; since which no information has been had of her, although diligent search and enquiry have been made to the present time. Should this article meet the eye of any one who can give the slightest information to unravel this mystery motives of humanity will alone be sufficient to an immediate communication of it, to relieve the anxiety of Benjain Whitney, Esq. to Jane Issa- the distressed relatives. The young lady is about twenty three years old,

lof short stature and interesting countenance.

NEW-YORY, Feb. 12. Capt. Lane, of the brig Franklin, in 35 days from St Martha, informs us that the patriots were carrying all before them to the windward. About the 26th December, the Patriot troops, four to six thousand strong, were witein a days march of the city of Santa Fee, which was gari-oned by only 200 Royalists, and they in a sickly condi-

About the same time, a fleet of ten sail, said to be commanded by Admiral Lord Cochran, came to the mouth of the harbour of St. Martha, and then stood to the westward for Carthagena, for the purpose as was supposed of blockading that port. CONDUCTOR LANGE CONTRACTOR OF CONTRACTOR OF

PRICE OF PROVISIONS In the Kingston Market, during the past week.

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Notice.

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the fubicribers is this day diffolved by mutual confent. All perfons indebted to the subscribers are requelled to make immediate payment to Neil McArthur, who is duly authorised to receive the fame; and all those who have demands against them are requested to prefent them for Liquidation.

NEIL MEARTHUR. 70HN MCARTHUR. Concecon, 24th Dec 1817.

Notice.

THE Co partnership heretofore exitting at Bellville, under the firm of John Hubbard and company, is this day diffolved, by mutual confent. All persons having claims against the same are requested to present their accounts to Andrew Kimmerly for adjustment; and those indebted to the faid co-partnership are defired to pay the same to Andrew Kimmerly without delay, otherwife they will be but in the hand of an Attorney for collection.

JOHN HUBB RD, ANDREW KIMMERLY.

TAVO LET, and possession given sieft May next, the Shop now occupied y Meffirs. Taylor & Parker. Enquire PATRICK SMYTH.

March 3.

TO LET, and possession given the first May next, the house now occupied by Mr Amos W. Brown En-PATRICK SMYTH. March 3.

It first May next, the new house fronting the Main Guard. Enquire of PATRICK SMYTH.

March 3.

AME into the enclosure of the subferiber some time last autumn, a large Hog, supposed to be two or more years old. The owner can have him by proving property and paying charges. JOHN WILLET.

Kingston. Feb. 28, 1818.

Advertisement.

EUST received, and offered for fale by the subscribers, a quantity of red Currant Jelly, preserved Rhaspberries, Goosberries, Plumbs and Strewberries. TAYLOR & PARKER. 3d March.

A Farm for sale.

WHE farm of the subscriber, being the front half of Lot number 8, in the third concession of the Township of Kingston, with a new framed honte and some other buildings, and a young Orchard thereon, will be fold at VEN-DUE, at Dawfon's Auction fland, in front of the Market in Kingston, on Tuesday the 10th inft. at noon, unless fooner difp. fed of at private fale. For the terms apply to B. OLCOTT, Kingston, or to

Jacob Vanarnum.

Kingston, March 30, 1818.