

FORT ABRAHAM.—This extensive and commanding Fortification, erecting at Brenton's Point, in this Harbor, is now progressing with the greatest activity, nearly 300 laborers, masons, and other mechanics, being daily employed on the works.—the amount expended for labor, &c. is nearly \$2,000 per week.—The work, from its commencement, has been under the direction of that able and scientific officer, Col. J. G. Torrey, of the U. S. Engineers, who is now assisted by Lieuts. Brewerton, Mache, and Brown, of the Engineer Corps.