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### LAND ASSESSMENT.

Treasurer's Office, Charlottetown,  
Prince Edward Island, 30th May, 1843.

IN pursuance of the Act of the General Assembly of this Island, made and passed in the Seventh year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intitled *An Act for levying an Assessment on all Lands in this Island*—I do hereby publicly notify the Owners or Occupiers of Land within this Island, for which the Annual Assessment charged thereon by the said recited Act, of Four Shillings, lawful money of this Island, for every Hundred Acres of wilderness or unimproved Lands contained in the several Townships, and the several Islands belonging thereto, and the sum of Two Shillings for every Hundred acres of cultivated or improved Lands in the said several Townships and Islands as aforesaid; and the sum of Four Shillings for each and every uncultivated or unimproved Town Lot, Pasture Lot, Common Lot and Water Lot, granted in the Town and Royalty of Charlottetown; and the sum of Two Shillings for each and every cultivated or improved Town, Pasture, Common, and Water Lot as aforesaid; and the sum of Two Shillings and eightpence for each and every Town Lot, Pasture Lot and Water Lot, granted in the Towns and Royalties of Georgetown and Princetown; and the sum of One shilling and fourpence for each and every cultivated or improved Town, Pasture and Water Lot, granted in the said last mentioned Towns and Royalties, and so in proportion for a less quantity; and the sum of One penny per acre on each and every acre of cultivated or improved Land in the Royalty of Georgetown, called reserved Lands; and the sum of Two-pence per acre on each and every acre of such Lands as may be deemed uncultivated or unimproved Lands, is payable, that unless the Assessment for the current year be paid into my hands, or the hands of my Deputies, on or before the Twenty-first of December, 1843, I shall, on the last day of the next Hilary Term, at Charlottetown, make Proclamation of all such Lands as shall then be in arrear for non-payment of the sums charged thereon, agreeably to the directions of the said Act.

J. SPENCER SMITH, Treasurer.

Treasurer's Office, 1st July, 1843.

IN compliance with the provisions of the Act of the General Assembly, for levying an Assessment on all Lands within this Island, I have appointed the following persons to be Receivers of the said Assessment:

#### Prince County.

Joseph Pope, Bedeque.  
Thomas C. Compton, St. Eleanor's.  
James Yeo, Port Hill.  
John Cambridge.  
Allan Forsyth, Casumpeque.  
Robert Hyndman, Princetown.

#### Queen's County.

James Pigeon, New London.  
Thomas Fairbairn, Sable.  
Solomon Desbrisay, Charlottetown.  
Allan M. Dougall, Belfast.

#### King's County.

John Jardine, St. Peter's.  
Alexander M. Donald, St. Margaret's.  
William Macgowan, Souris.  
Hugh Macdonald, Three Rivers.  
James Richards, Murray Harbour.

J. SPENCER SMITH, Treasurer.

### LIFE AND FIRE INSURANCE.

THE Subscriber has been appointed Sub-Agent of the following Insurance Companies, viz:

The National Loan Fund Life Assurance Society of London.

The New Loan Fund Life Insurance Company of New York.

The Hartford and Protection Fire Insurance Companies of Hartford, Connecticut.

And as he is furnished with blank Forms of Application, and in possession of all the information which may be desired by persons who wish to effect Insurance, he will be happy to receive applications and transmit the same to the Agent at Halifax. Please apply to

HENRY PALMER.

### ALLIANCE LIFE AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

OF LONDON.

CAPITAL £5,000,000, STERLING.

PREMIUM—MODERATE.

CHARLES YOUNG, Agent.

Charlottetown, P. E. I. June 6, 1843.

### TO BE SOLD, OR LET FOR A TERM OF YEARS.

THAT highly eligible and beautifully situated Estate of KESTON, bordering on the Royalty Road, 3 1/2 miles from Charlottetown, with a substantial new frame House, forty-two feet by thirty-two feet—containing 10 spacious Rooms, besides Cellars, Closets, &c. It has a large Kitchen Garden and Flower Garden; a Barn, Farmer's Cottage, and many Out-buildings. Forty acres of the Land are ready to crop (half grass), and twenty more cleared for the plough, and twelve acres unclaimed. Apply on the spot, for terms, of the Subscriber.

HENRY SHEARMAN.

Keston, 20th April, 1843.

### Steamer St. George.

THE STEAMER ST. GEORGE will ply as follows,

until further notice, viz:  
Leave Miramichi for Charlottetown, every Monday, at 2 p. m.  
Leave Charlottetown for Pictou, every Tuesday, immediately after her return from Miramichi.  
Leave Pictou for Charlottetown, every Wednesday, at noon.  
Leave Charlottetown for Miramichi, every Friday, at 8 a. m.  
She will call at Bedeque, going and returning, every alternate week—commencing Friday, the 19th May.

All Freight and Baggage must be delivered alongside, and received from the vessel's tackle, and every package properly marked or directed, and entries made at the respective Offices of Customs, &c., by the shippers, during the hours of business, that the same may be regularly cleared.

### RATES OF PASSAGES AND FREIGHTS.

PASSAGES:

Between	DECK.	STEERAGE.	CABIN.
Pictou and Miramichi,	£0 10 0	£0 17 6	£1 15 0
Pictou and Charlottetown,		0 7 6	0 12 6
Charlottetown and Miramichi,	0 7 6	0 12 6	1 5 0
Charlottetown and Bedeque,		0 5 0	0 7 6
Bedeque and Miramichi,	0 6 6	0 11 0	1 2 6

#### Freight between Pictou and Miramichi.

Horses, 30s.; Cattle, 20s.; Sheep, 3s.; Pigs, 3s.; Calves, 3s.; Heavy Goods, 25s. per ton; other Goods, per barrel bulk, 1s 9d; Small Parcels, 1s.; Carriages, 4 wheels, 30s.; Gigs or Waggon, 20s.

#### Between Charlottetown and Miramichi.

Horses, 25s.; Cattle, 20s.; Calves, Sheep and Pigs, 2s. 6d each; Heavy Goods, per ton, 15s.; other Goods, per barrel bulk, 1s 9d; Carriages, 4 wheels, 25s.; Gigs or Waggon, 17s. 6d; Parcels, 1s.

#### Between Pictou and Charlottetown.

Horses, 20s.; Cattle, 15s.; Calves, Sheep and Pigs, 2s. 6d each; Heavy Goods, per ton, 15s.; other Goods, per barrel bulk, 1s.; Parcels, 1s.; Carriages, 4 wheels, 20s.; Gigs or Waggon, 15s.

#### Between Bedeque and Miramichi.

Horses, 22s. 6d.; Cattle, 18s.; Sheep, Calves and Pigs, 2s. 6d.; Heavy Goods, per ton, 18s.; other Goods, per barrel bulk, 1s 6d; Waggon or Gigs, 16s.; 4 wheel Carriages, 22s.; Parcels, 1s.

All the above payable in Halifax Currency.

### Irving & Mackay,

QUEEN STREET,

Have received a neat assortment of  
BRITISH AND FOREIGN MERCHANDIZE,

CONSISTING OF

BLACK, blue and other superfine Cloths,

Doestkins, Vestings and Tweeds,  
Red, white and yellow Flannels,  
Mouslin-de-laïne and Chintz Dresses,  
Black and coloured Orleans Cloths,  
Black and coloured Gros-de-Naples,  
Albert Cord, velvet coloured Satins,  
Gauze and Satin Scarfs and Handkerchiefs,  
Crape do.

Muslins, Nets, Insertions, Edgings,  
Quilling and Laces,  
A variety of Bonnet and Cap Ribbons,  
White, grey and printed Cottons,  
Irish Linen and Lawn, Russia Duck,  
A variety of Gloves and Mitts,  
Hose and half Hose,

White and coloured Quilts; Gent's Cotton Pantaloon,  
Beaver, Paris Velvet and Gossamer Hats,  
Glazed and Palm Leaf do.  
Bonnets and Bonnet Shapes.

ALSO,

Pale and coloured Brandy (Martel brand), pale Holland Gin;  
Spirits; Port, Sherry and Madeira Wines; White wine Vinager;  
Porter and Ale; Pilot Bread, sugar and water Crackers, English  
Cheese (an excellent article); Congo and Hyson Teas, Coffee,  
Chocolate, Almonds, Nuts, Raisins, Currants, Spices, Lard and  
moist Sugar, Molasses; Paint and Linseed Oil, Florence Oil,  
mixed Pickles, Gerkins, Capers, Table Salt, Bath Bricks; Digby  
Herrings; India Rubber Blacking, Black Lead, Whiting, Arrow  
Root; No. 1 Tobacco, Snuff, prime Havannah Cigars; Earthen-  
ware, Glass and Hardware; Sole and Upper Leather.

The whole of which will be sold at the lowest possible rate,  
for cash on delivery.

June, 1843. 6w

### NO. 1, QUEEN STREET.

Lydiard & Finlayson

HAVE RECEIVED, per late arrivals, a large and

well assorted Stock of

BRITISH AND FOREIGN MERCHANDIZE,

suitable for the season, consisting of, viz:—

Orleans Cloth, Mouslin de Laines, Balgerines, Printed Lawn  
and Muslin for Ladies' Dresses; Black, blue and coloured Cloths,  
Gambroons, Bolanos, Doestkins and fancy Tweeds, Satin Velvet  
and Cashmere Vestings, Printed Cottons and Cambrics, White,  
striped and grey Shirtings, Grass bleached Irish Linen and Long  
Lawn, Linen Drill; Aromas and Drawing Silk for Bonnets,  
Modena, Rice, Tuscan and Dunstable Bonnets; Silk and Cotton  
Fringe; a rich assortment of Shawls, Handkerchiefs and Rib-  
bons; Mull, Book, Jaconet and bordered Muslins; Ladies' and  
Gentlemen's Kid and Lisle Gloves, in great variety; a large  
assortment of Silk and Cotton Hosiery, India Rubber Bras,  
Silk and Satin Stocks and Scarfs, and a variety of Small Wares.

ALSO,

Hyson, Souchong and Congo Teas; green and ground Coffee,  
Chocolate; London double refined Loaf Sugar, superior Puerto  
Rico Sugar; boxes, half-boxes and quarter-boxes Raisins; Zante  
Currants and Jamaica Ginger; Soap and Candles; Martell's  
Brandy, Gin, Jamaica Spirits; Port, Madeira and Sherry Wines;  
London Porter and Brown Stout; the whole of which will be  
sold at unprecedented low prices for Cash on delivery.

June, 1843.

### New Grocery Store,

Queen Street, second door below Queen Square.

THE Subscriber begs leave respectfully to acquaint

the public, that he has just received,

Golden Sherry, Malaga and Port WINES,

BOTTLED ALE and PORTER,

BRANDY, GIN and RUM,

Prime SUGAR; Best Porto Rico MOLASSES.

Hyson, Congo and Twankay Tea; Coffee, Chocolate, White-  
wine Vinager, best Jamaica Ginger, Sallad and other Oils, To-  
bacco, Palma Cigars, Snuff, Spermaceti Candles, Saleratus,  
Confectionary, Spices, Rice, Crackers, Pickles and Sauces, and  
a large assortment of Groceries of various descriptions—all of  
which he will dispose of at unusually low prices, for Cash on  
delivery.

June 19, 1843.

GEORGE F. COOPER.

### DRAPERY, GROCERIES, &c.

THE Subscriber has just received, per CYGNET and

SPECULATION, a considerable addition to his previous

Stock of

LINEN and WOOLLEN DRAPERY, HARDWARE,

GROCERIES, PAINTS, OILS, &c. &c.

BOTTLED PORTER and Leith ALE, (a prime article), in pack-

ages of 3 & 4 dozen. Prime Havana CIGARS.

ALSO,

100 Sides SOLE LEATHER.

JOHN DAVIS, junior.

Charlottetown, 26th June, 1843.

### SPRING, 1843.

Er ANN KENNY, from London, and ANTELOPE, from Liverpool.

THE Subscriber has just received a well selected

assortment of

BRITISH MANUFACTURED GOODS,

direct from the Manufacturers, which he now offers for sale, at

the Store formerly occupied by Mr. George Hooper, Great George

Street, and nearly opposite the Market House, at very reduced

prices for ready money only.

ALSO,

TEA, SUGAR, MOLASSES, COFFEE, SOAP, CANDLES,  
INDIGO, STARCH, &c. &c.

May 22d, 1843.

JOHN S. MACDONALD.

### SPRING IMPORTATION.

JUST ARRIVED, per BARQUE CIVILITY,

A CHOICE SELECTION OF

NEWEST STYLE OF

British and Foreign Goods.

ALSO,

A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF MAHOGANY, IN

BOARD AND VENEER; PIANO, &c. &c.

FOR SALE AT THE STORE OF

WILLIAM HEARD.

Great George Street, May 20th, 1843.

### SIDNEY MILLS.

THESE excellent MILLS are now in full operation,

and the public are hereby informed, that a conveyance will

leave the Subscriber's residence, in Queen's Square, every

Thursday morning, at about 7 a. m., for the purpose of conveying

Grain thither; the Flour from which will be returned, free of

expense, to the owner, save the toll for grinding allowed by law.

J. SIDNEY DEALY.

Charlottetown, 28th Oct. 1842.

### Drugs and Medicines.

WILLIAM R. WATSON

BEGS leave to announce to the Inhabitants of Char-  
lottetown, and the Island in general, that he has commene-  
ed in the above line in the Store adjoining the late Mr. Donald  
Macdonald's, and next to Mr. P. Macgowan's, where he will  
keep constantly on hand a general Supply of Drugs, Medicines,  
Chemical Apparatus and Tests, Seidlitz, Soda and Ginger Beer  
Powders, Medicinal and Culinary Herbs, French and English  
Perfumery, Robertson's patent Groats and Barley.

Also,  
A few thousand Cuba Company Cigars; Rone, Hobson & Co's.  
celebrated Soda Water, Ginger Beer and Lemon Syrup. The  
above are all imported from approved sources, unsurpassed for  
quality, and at moderate prices, for Cash.

W. R. W., from the experience which he has had in Scotland  
and Nova Scotia, trusts he shall be able to give satisfaction to  
those who may favour him with their custom.

June 23d, 1843.

### VICTORIA HOTEL.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. ISLAND.

THE Subscriber, in returning thanks for the very  
liberal patronage bestowed upon him while conducting his  
establishment at St. John, N. B., begs leave to notify the Inhabi-  
tants of Prince Edward Island, the neighbouring Provinces, and  
the public generally, that he has removed to Charlottetown, and  
taken that large and pleasantly situated House in Water Street,  
near the Queen's Wharf, which he has furnished in a neat style,  
and hopes, by unremitting attention, to obtain a share of public  
support.

ISRAEL FELLOWS.

P. S.—An excellent STABLE and COACH HOUSE attached to  
the premises.

Charlottetown, 27th June, 1843.

### COMMERCIAL INN.

THE Subscriber begs leave to acquaint the public

that he has taken the above well known Premises, and  
having furnished the same with every article requisite for a com-  
fortable BOARDING HOUSE, hopes, by the moderation of his  
charges, and strict attention to the wishes of those who may favour  
him with their custom, to merit a continuance of that patronage  
which was for so many years awarded to his predecessor in that  
Establishment.

DAVID CONNORS.

Charlottetown, July 8th, 1842.

### PRIVATE BOARDING HOUSE.

THE Subscriber having made considerable altera-  
tions in his premises, begs leave to inform his friends gene-  
rally that he is now prepared to accommodate a few persons with  
general board, combined with a comfortable and quiet home.  
Every attention will be paid to those who may honor him with a  
call.

A few yearly Boarders can be well accommodated on rea-  
sonable terms.

JAMES DAVIS.

Billsborough Street, (near King's Square.)

Oct. 1st, 1842.

THE Subscribers having been duly appointed the sole  
Agents of DAVID STEWART, Esquire, for his Estates on  
Lots or Townships Nos. 7, 10, 12, 27, 30, 46, 47, and Lennox  
Island, beg to intimate, that they are prepared to lease lands,  
with a liberty of purchasing, and to sell on the most liberal terms;  
and that all persons indebted to that gentleman, for rent or other-  
wise, are hereby required to make immediate payment of the  
same.

All persons found trespassing on any of the above properties,  
either by cutting Timber, or in any other respect, will be pro-  
secuted with the utmost rigour of the Law.

H. D. MORPETH,  
PETER EMERY.

December 10th, 1840.

FOR SALE.—About 18 or 20 acres of excellent  
Land, situate in Charlottetown Royalty—one half cleared  
and in a high state of cultivation. There are a good Draw-well  
and some small Buildings on the premises, which are within three  
and a half miles of Charlottetown, and half a mile from the St.  
Peter's Road. It is bounded on one side by the road leading from the  
St. Peter's to the Princetown Road, and in front and rear by roads  
coming out to the St. Peter's Road; on the other side by a ditch.  
Apply to JOHN WHELAN, on the premises, or to EDWARD  
KICKHAM, Charlottetown.

### TO SHIPOWNERS AND OTHERS.

WATSON DUCHEMIN, Pump and Blockmaker,  
returns thanks to those who have, for many years past,  
favoured him with their patronage and support in his line of busi-  
ness; and begs to intimate, that he has now on hand a large  
quantity of SHIP'S BLOCKS, of all descriptions and sizes,  
DEADWEYS, and all other materials in his line required for the  
outfit of Vessels. He has also on hand a few Mahogany and  
Birch WHEELS, CAPSTANS, &c.

Ships' Pumps, and Pumps for Wells not exceeding 100 feet in  
length, made on an improved principle to work with ease.  
All descriptions of Turning in brass, iron or wood, executed  
with taste and dispatch, and on moderate terms.

WANTED, a respectable lad from the country, about 14  
years of age, as an Apprentice to the above business. Inquire at  
the Workshop, head of the Queen's Wharf, or at the Block-  
making Establishment, Prince Street.  
Charlottetown, 11th May, 1843.

### BOOT AND SHOE MAKING.

THE Subscriber intimates to the public that he has  
commenced business in the above line, in his Shop, in  
Sydney Street, near the Wellington Hotel, where he trusts, by  
diligence in his occupation and good workmanship, to merit a  
share of public patronage.

THEOPHILUS CHAPPELL.

Charlottetown, April 1, 1843.

### Thomas Morris,

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Boot and Shoe Manufacturer,

HAVING just arrived from England, where he has  
carried on business for the last Twenty years, and given  
general satisfaction to his employers, begs leave to acquaint the  
Inhabitants of Charlottetown, and its vicinity, that he has

Removed to a part of the House now occupied by Mr. N.  
Le Page, at the Corner of Upper Queen and Kent Streets,  
where he hopes, by strict attention to business and moderate  
charges, to merit a share of public patronage.

T. M. has brought with him a large assortment of Goods in his  
line, of the best quality, viz: Sole Leather, Calf Skins, Kips,  
Spanish Cordovan, black Spanish Morocco, enamelled Seal,  
rough and smooth; Seal Binders; white and stained Sheep and  
Lambs; coloured Roans, black Lastings, wide and narrow Boot  
Webbs, Shoe Thread, Cord Twist, Barber's Twist, &c. &c.

T. M. intends keeping up a correspondence with persons in  
England, in order to have on hand a constant supply of such ar-  
ticles as will give satisfaction to all who may favour him with  
their support.

Charlottetown, 1st July, 1843.

### BOOKBINDING.

THE Subscribers are prepared to execute all orders  
in the BOOKBINDING line in the first style of workman-  
ship, at moderate prices, and with punctuality and dispatch.

COOPER & BREMNER.

### PROSPECTUS OF A LIBERAL NEWSPAPER

To be published in Charlottetown Twice a Week.

To the People of Prince Edward Island.

GENTLEMEN; The subject upon which we have  
interests of us all, that so closely concerns the common  
interests of a friend—all the boldness and manliness of  
spirit inseparable from an integrity of purpose and firm attach-  
ment to the truth. We have to address you on the propriety of  
establishing in this Colony a FREE and INDEPENDENT Press; and  
in doing so, we shall avoid the indulgence of that flippant battery  
and servile dissimulation so common to a Prospectus, which is as  
useless as it is disgusting.

To assert that you have no such Press, is to assert that which  
you all know. It is notorious that the whole population of this  
Island—save a miserable, arrogant and purse-proud faction,  
draining the life-blood of the country, and insulting its emaciated  
form—have not the power of proclaiming their injuries and de-  
gradation, and establishing the tyranny and infamy of their rulers.  
That tyranny has existed for years, and still exists in more than  
its original deformity, and no journalist in the Colony has been  
found fearless and honest enough to expose and condemn it.

When you have to appeal to the Press of another Country to  
assert your rights and chastise your oppressors, there can be lit-  
tle doubt of the partiality, venality and corruption of your own,  
or, rather, that which calls itself yours. There can be little doubt,  
that truth and justice have been bartered for the smiles of place-  
men and the patronage of power, and that perfidy and  
apostasy by some are regarded with higher favour than constancy  
and integrity. To render such appeals unnecessary, we purpose  
to establish in this community a Semi-weekly Periodical, under  
the title of

### The Palladium.

To this step we are encouraged by your friends—the People's  
friends—whose solicitations and assurances of support are too  
urgent and flattering to be disregarded or unacknowledged. The  
object of this paper will be, emphatically, the defence of your  
rights, and the promotion of your interests. "This is not the  
cause of party, or of faction, but the cause of every man in Bri-  
tain." It will be its object to investigate and assail, if not remedy,  
the evils which have grown out of the Landocracy System, a  
system whose principle is "monopoly," whose effect is  
oppression; and wherever fraud or corruption may be found to  
exist, THE PALLADIUM will show itself its most uncompromising  
enemy.

To the Government, as at present constituted, THE PALLA-  
dium will present an opposing front, because it is unconstitutional  
and un-British—because it is the Government of an  
Oligarchy, and not that of a FREE PEOPLE, subsisting rather on  
the exercise of Military power than on the affections of the  
Colonists—and because it is a living lie on the system of Colonial  
Policy conceded by Her Majesty to her Provinces in America.  
We believe—we are sure—you desire an Administration based  
upon the uncorrupted principles of the British Constitution; and  
you have as good a right to such an Administration as the Pro-  
vinces of Canada, Nova Scotia or New Brunswick. Though not  
so extensive in territory as either of her elder Sisters, the Island  
of Prince Edward has all the elements of national importance,  
in common with them; and the time has arrived when she should  
assert her claim to that position among these Colonies which her  
resources entitle her to maintain. And if we have life to execute  
the purpose we have in view, those claims shall not want an  
asserter or defender.

### AGRICULTURE AND THE FISHERIES.

We are aware that the full development of the Agricultural  
and Fishing Resources of the Island is essential