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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, intituled *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 eight-pence 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 four-pence 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, Casempeque.
Robert Hyndman, Princetown.

Queen's County.

James Pigeon, New London.
Thomas Fairbairn, Sable.
Solomon Desbrisay, Charlottetown.
Allan McDougall, 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 to the undersigned for terms of the Subscriber.

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, unweighed 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, the same may be regularly cleared.

RATES OF PASSAGES AND FREIGHTS.

PASSAGES:

	DECK.	STORAGE.	CABIN.
Pictou and Miramichi,	£0 10 0	£0 17 6	£1 15 0
Pictou and Charlottetown,	0 7 6	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 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.; Carriages, 4 wheels, 25s.; Gigs or Waggon, 17s. 6d.; Parcels, 1s.

Between Charlottetown and Miramichi.

Horses, 25s.; Cattle, 20s.; Calves, Sheep and Pigs, 2s. 6d. each; Heavy Goods, per ton, 18s.; other Goods, per barrel bulk, 1s. 6d.; Small Parcels, 1s.; Carriages, 4 wheels, 20s.; Gigs or Waggon, 15s.

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. 6d.; 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 MERCHANDISE,

CONSISTING OF

BLACK, blue and other superfine Cloths,

Dooskins, 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, velvete coloured Satins,

Gauze and Satin Scarfs and Handkerchiefs,

Crape do.

Mushins, 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,

Glozed and Palm Leaf do.

Bonnets and Bonnet Shapes.

ALSO,

Pills and coloured Brandy (Martel brand), pale Holland Gin;

Spirit and Ale; Pilot Brand, sugar and water Crackers, English

Cheese (an excellent article); Congo and Hyson Teas, Coffee,

Chocolate, Almonds, Nuts, Raisins, Currants, Spices, Loaf and

moist Sugar, Molasses; Paint and Linseed Oil, Florence Oil,

Herrings, Goggles, Capers, Table Salt, Bath Bricks; Digby

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.

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NO. 1, QUEEN STREET.

Lydiard & Finlayson

HAVE RECEIVED, per late arrivals, a large and well assorted Stock of

BRITISH AND FOREIGN MERCHANDISE,

suitable for the season, consisting of, viz:—

Orleans Cloth, Mouslin de Laïne, Balergines, Printed Lawn

and Muslin for Ladies' Dresses; Back, blue and coloured Cloths,

Gambroons, Bolanos, Dooskins 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; Armesin and Drawing Silk for Bonnets,

Modena, Rice, Tiscan 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 Braces,

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 Porto

Rico Sugar; boxes, half-boxes and quarter-boxes Raisins; Zante

Currants and Jamaica Ginger; Soap and Candles; Martell's

Brandy, Gin, Jamaica Spirit; 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.

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.

Also, per DOVER and LEITH ALE, (a prime article), in pack-

ages of 3 & 4 dozen. Prime Havanna CIGARS.

ALSO,

100 Sides SOLE LEATHER.

Charlottetown, 26th June, 1843.

JOHN DAVIS, junior.

SPRING, 1843.

Ex 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 BOARDS 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 7 a. m., for the purpose of conveying Grain thither; the Freight will be returned, free of expense, to the owners, on the toll for grinding.

J. SIDNEY DEALEY.
Charlottetown, 29th (1843)

Drugs and Medicines.

WILLIAM R. WATSON

BEGS leave to announce to the Inhabitants of Charlottetown, and the Island in general, that he has commenced 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 Inhabitants 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.

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 comfortable 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.

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 otherwise, 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 prosecuted 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, favored him with their patronage and support in his line of business; and begs to intimate, that he has now on hand a large quantity of SHIPS' BLOCKS, of all descriptions and sizes, DEADWEIGHTS, 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.

WHEREAS JAMES BARRETT, my indentured Apprentice, has left my employment, and if rightly informed, through the persuasion of some unprincipled person, desirous of obtaining his services, knowing him to be an apprentice: Therefore, this is to caution all persons not to harbour or employ the said Apprentice, as they will be dealt with according to law—the said Apprentice having Nineteen Months more to serve.

WATSON DUCHEMIN.

17th June, 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 Rones, 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 articles 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 workmanship, at moderate prices, and with punctuality and dispatch.

COOPER & BRENNER.

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 to address you is one that so closely concerns the common interests of us all, that we do not hesitate to approach you with all the familiarity of a friend—all the boldness and manliness of spirit inseparable from an integrity of purpose and firm attachment 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 flattery 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 emancipated form—have not the power of proclaiming their injuries and degradation, 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 little 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 placemen 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 propose 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 British territory." 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 PALLADIUM 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 Provinces 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 assertor or defender.

AGRICULTURE AND THE FISHERIES.

We are aware that the full development of the Agricultural and Fishing Resources of the Island is essential to its wealth and prosperity; and, in the discharge of our Editorial duties, these subjects shall often occupy our consideration.