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By His Excellency Major-General GEORGE STRACEY SMYTH, (L. S.) Lieutenant Governor and Commander in Chief of the Province of New-Brunswick, &c. &c. &c. G. S. SMYTH.

A Proclamation.

THEREAS the General Assembly of this Province stands prorogued Wednesday the rixth of this instant June: I have thought fit further to prorogue the said General Assembly, and the same is hereby prorogued to the first Wednesday in September next ensuing.

at Fredericton, the second day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-one, and in the second year of His Majesty's Reign. By His Excellency's Command,

GEO. SHORE, Dep. Sec.

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THEREAS (in pursuance of an Act passed in the forty-sixth year of the Reign of King George the Third, for relief against abscouding Debtors) We the Subscribers have been duly appointed and sworn before the Honourable JOHN SAUNDERS, one of the Justices of His Majesty's Supreme Court of Judicature for this Province, as Trustees for all and every the Creditors of JAMES ROBSON and ALEXANDER ROBSON, late of the City of Saint John, Sadlers and Ironmongers, Trading as Copartners, absconding Debtors: Wedo therefore, in pursuance of such an appointment, require all persons indebted to the said JAMES ROB-SON and ALEXANDER ROBSON, Trading as Copa there as aforesaid, to pay to us on or before the twentieth day of August next, all such surn or sums of money, debts, duties and things, which they owe to the said JAMES ROBSON and ALEXANDER Rosson, Trading as Copertners aforesaid, and to deliver to us all other effects of the said JAMES ROBSON and ALEXANDER ROBSON, Trading as Coportners as aforesaid, which they or any of them may have in their hands, power or possession:

And all the Creditors of the said JAMES ROB-SON and ALEXANDER ROBSON, Trading as Copartners as aforesaid, are also requested to deliver to us on or before the twentieth day of February next, their respective accounts and demands against the said TAMES ROBSON and ALEKANDER ROBSON, Trading as Copartners as aforesaid

Witness our hands at Fredericton, this 14th day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-one EDWD J. JARVIS, JAMES BURNS,

JAMES ROBERTSON, Jun. By THOMAS WYER, Esquire, one of His Majesty's Justices of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas for the County of Charlotte.

To all whom it may concern Greeting: TOTICE is hereby given, that upon the application of Robert Pagan, John Campbell, Thomas Wyer, jun. and David W. Jack, to me duly made according to the Act of Assembly in such case made and provided, I have directed all the estate as well real as personal, within the said County of Charlotte, of James Bracket, late of the Parish of Saint George, in the said County of Charlotte, (which said James Bracket is departed from and without the limits of this Province, with intent and design to defraud the said Robert Pagan. John Campbell, Thomas Vyer, junr. and Divid W. Fack, and the other Creditors of the said James Bracket, if any there be, of their just dues, or else to avoid being arrested by the ordinary process of the Law as it it alleged against him) to be seized and attached; and that unless the said James Brucket, do return and discharge his said debt or debts within three months from the publication hereof, all the estate as well real as personal of the said James Bracket, withment and satisfaction of the Creditors of the taid James Bracket.

Dated at Saint Andrews, in the said County of Charlotte, this twentypinth day of May, in the very of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-one.

THOS. WYER, J. C. P.

By ROBERT PAGAN, Esquire, one of the Justices of His Majesty's Inferior Court of Common Pleas for the County of Charlotte, in the Province of New-Brunswick.

TOTICE is hereby given, that upon the application of Lachlin Cameron, of the Parish of Saint Patrick, in the County of Chailotte, Yeoman, to me duly made, pursuant to the directions of the Act of Assembly in such case made and provided; I have directed all the Estate as well real as personal, within the said County, of Benjamin Follet, late of the Parish of Saint Patrick in the said County, Yeoman, (which said Benjamin Follet is departed from and without the limits of this Province, or con-Given under my Hand and Seal, cealed within the same, with intent and de-Isign to defraud the said Lachlin Cameron, and the other Creditors of the said Benjamin Follet, if any there be, of their just dues, or else to avoid being arrested by the ordinary process of Law, as it is alledged against him, to be seized and attached; and that unlesss the said Benjamin Follet, do return and discharge his said debt or debts within three months from the publication hereof, all the the estate as well real as personal of the said Benjamin Follet, will be sold for the payment and satisfaction of the Creditors of the said Benjamin Follet.

> Dated at Saint Andrews, in the said County of Charlotte, the thirty-first day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-one.

ROBT. PAGAN, J. C. P. H. HATCH, Atty.

By the Honourable JOHN ROBINSON, Esquire, Mayor of the City of Saint John, and one of the Justices of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas for the City and County of Saint John: TOTICE is hereby given, that upon the application of John Godard, of the City of Saint John, Brewer, to me duly made, according to the form of the Act of Assembly in that case made and provided; I have directed all the Estate as well real as personal, within this Province, of Usher Pilkington, late of the said City, Trader, (which same Usher Pilkington, is departed from and without the limits of this Province, or remains concealed within the same, with intent and design to defraud the said John Godard, and the other Creditors of the said Usher Pilkington, if any there. be, of their just dues, or else to avoid being arrested by the ordinary process of Law as it is alleged against him) to be seized and attached; and that unless the said Usher Pilkington, do return and discharge his said debt or debts, within three months from the

publication hereof, all the Estate as well real as personal of the said Usher Pilkington, within this Province, will be sold for the payment and satisfaction of his Creditors. Dated at Saint John, the second day of July, 1821.

R. PARKER, Jun.

Att'y. By the Honourable JOHN MURRAY BLISS, Esquire, one of the Justices of His Majesiy's Supreme Court of Judicature for the Province of New-Brunswick.

JOHN ROBINSON.

To all to whom it may concern, Greeting: TOTICE is hereby given, that upon the application of William Secord, . to me duly made according to the form of the Act of Assembly in such case the said County, will be sold for the pay- lately made and provided; I have directed ail the estate as well real as personal, within this Province, of Charles French, late of the Parish of Norton, County of King's, Yeoman (which same Charles French, is departed from and without the limits of this Prevince, with intent and design to defraud the said William Secord, and the other Creduors of the said Charles French, (if any

there be) of their just dues, or else to avoid being arrested by the ordinary process of Law, as it is alledged against him) to be seized and attached, and that unless the said Charles French, do return and discharge his said debt or debts within three months from the publication hereof, all the estate as well real as personal of the said Charles French, within this Province, will be sold for the payment and satisfaction of the Creditors of the said Charles French.

Dated at Saint John, the thirty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-one.

J. M. BLISS.

Provincial Secretary's Office, 4th June, 1821. Military Allotments of Land.

QUCH of the Military Allotments of Land, as shall be found unoccupied or uncultivated by the Original Locatee on the 1st of May 1822, will be forfeited and revert to the Crown, and be open to application after the above period.

> By Command, GEO. SHORE, Depy. Sec'y. NOTICE.

LL Persons within the County of York, who are indebted to the Province for any Supplies granted to them, under and by virtue of an Act made and passed in the fifty-seventh year of His late Majesty's Reign, intituled "An Act to pro-" vide for the necessities of the Province, " occasioned by the failure of the late " crop," are hereby notified that unless they pay the sums so due by them respectively, either in labour to be performed by them upon any Great Roads, Bye-Roads, Streets or Bridges, or in money to the Commissioners or one of them, on or before the first day of November next, pursuant to the Provisions of an Act passsed at the last Session of the General Assembly, suits will be commenced against them according to the directions of the same Act.

Dated at Fredericton, the 12th June, 1821.

THOMAS WETMORE, ARCHD M'LEAN, DANIEL MOREHOUSE, Commissioners. RICHARD KETCHUM, THOMAS C. LEE.

MONTREAL, June 30.

Sixty Indians of the Courtes Oreilles tribe arrived a few days ago at the Lake of the Two Mountains, in deep mourning, to demand of the Algonquins the reputed murderer of their tribe; but finding that he is in the gaol of this city, they intend, it is said, to ask their Father (His Majesty's Representative) to deliver him up to them, promising that they will not " stain the soil of the Whites with the blood of the dog, but will stain the soil of his own nation with it." The circumstances that have led to this embassy were reported to be as follows: - Last spring twelve months, an Algonquin, his wife, and two sons, in their canoe, accompanied by a Courtes Oreilles and his wife, in their canoe, proceeded from Mackinac down the Grand River, the latter wishing to avail himself of the former's knowledge of the navigation. The party had been seen together in the Ottawa; but after having passed the Long Sault, the Courtes Oreilles and his wife were missing. The Algonquin being known to have formerly committed two murders, the Chiefs of the Village of the Lake of the Two Mountains, became suspicious, sent for him, and demanded what had become of his companions; he replied that he had passed the Sault on the north side, they on the south, and, that as he had not seen them since, he supposed they were drowned. Some time after, the canoe of the missing was found on shore, with a gun and other articles dry, so that it evidently had not been upset; and a tavern keeper gave information that the Algonquin had sold him a woman's silver breast plate. These facts strengthening their suspicions, the Chiefs sent pri-

rogated her; but she persisted in giving the same account as her husband. When, however, she returned to her hut, her husband, who was intoxicated, regarding her with a look of suspicion, asked her whether she had been telling something to the Chiefs; she denied it; upon which, declaring his belief that she had, he seized his gun, struck her on the head, and would have despatched her had not his intoxication enabled her to outstrip him and gain the woods. After wandering about some time, without food, apprehensive for her life, and from her knowledge of his disposition, certain that he would sooner or later kill her, she went to the Chiefs and disclosed as follows :--- She said that after the party had passed the Long Sault, they encamped upon a small island. The Courtes Oreilles having a keg of spirits, he and the Algonquin set to drinking, till the former declared they had drank enough, and that he would give no more. The latser insisted he should, and upon a repetition of the refusal, plunged his knife into the bowels of his unfortunate companion and ripped open his stomach. His wife, alarmed by his cries, running to the spot, the assassin seized a club, chased her round the island, and, overtaking her, brought her to the ground with a blow, sprung upon and strangled her. He dispoiled her corpse of its clothes and ornaments, and threw it into the river, together with that of her husband, which he had ripped open in order that it might not float; while no marks of violence appearing on the body of the wife, would, he imagined, gain credit for the supposition that she had been drowned. But the body of the latter being thrown on shore naked, corroborated the account of the murderer's wife. The Chiefs knowing that the wives of the Indians had sometimes invented such stories from a desperate hatred of their husbands, and unwilling in such a serious matter to give implicit credense without further information, sent for the youngest son, about ten years of age, and bid him tell all he knew about the affair. He said he would if they would give him half a dollar, otherwise The Chiefs he would not utter a word. were for immediately giving the money; but Captain Ducharme, (the active and intelligent Justice of Peace for that part of the country) representing that evidence procured by promises, bribes, or menaces, would not be received in our Criminal Court, the boy was informed that any information he might give should be voluntary, and that he should not receive a farthing. Upon which he corroborated in toto the information of his mother. His father's guilt being deemed no longer doubtful, the Chiefs had him seized, and would have had him executed (according to Indian formality, by the nearest male relation of the deceased) had not Captain Ducharme interfered, and claimed him as being within the jurisdiction of this government. He was therefore sent to our gaol, where he has remained ever since, without being brought to trial, owing to the ahsence of the tavern keeper before mentioned, who went, shortly after his purchase of the woman's ornament, into the United States, and without whom the proof would be incomplete. Such are the circumstances which having been communicated to the Courtes Oreilles nation, have brought them down. It is very probable that before this paper goes to press, the whole body may be in town, (where they are expected) and have an audience of His Excellency to-day. The Algonquin (who is said to be a man of a fierce disposition and dauntless intrepidity) declares, we have been told, that if he is delivered up to the Courtes Oreilles, he will certainly be put to death; but he will sell his life dearly, and three or four shall perish first. It is also said the same person twice attempted to assassinate Captain Ducharme, but was baffled by the latter's uncommon