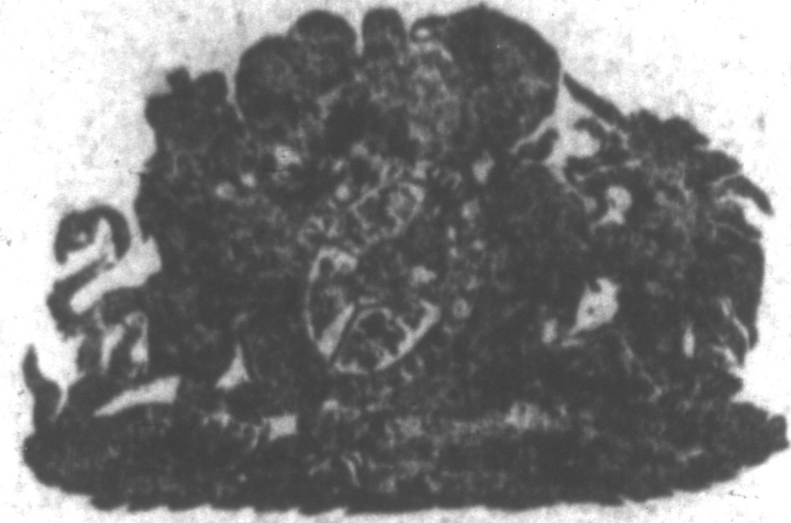


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BY His Excellency Major-General Sir Howard Douglas, Baronet, (L. S.) Lieutenant-Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Province of New-Brunswick, &c. &c. &c.

HOWARD DOUGLAS.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the General Assembly of this Province stands prorogued to Monday the Fifth day of December next; I have thought fit further to prorogue the said General Assembly, and the same is hereby prorogued to Thursday the nineteenth day of January next ensuing, then to meet at Fredericton for the dispatch of business.

Given under my Hand and Seal at Fredericton, the fifteenth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-five, and in the Sixth year of His Majesty's Reign.

By His Excellency's command.

W. M. F. ODELL.

BY His Excellency Major-General Sir Howard Douglas, Baronet, (L. S.) Lieutenant-Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Province of New-Brunswick, &c. &c. &c.

HOWARD DOUGLAS.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the Right Honourable Earl Bathurst, one of His Majesty's principal Secretaries of State, has transmitted to me, the following order of His Majesty in Council:—viz:

At the Court at Carlton-House, 23d March, 1825.

PRESENT,

The King's most Excellent Majesty,

IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it has been represented to His Majesty at this board, by the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, that they have given directions, that His Majesty's Troops, serving in the several British Colonies and Possessions abroad, should in certain cases be paid in British Silver, and Copper Money, and that with a view of securing the circulation of such Money in those Colonies it would be expedient that an order in Council should be issued, declaring that in all those Colonies where the Spanish Dollar, is now either by Law, Fact, or Practice, considered as a legal tender for the discharge of Debts, or where the duties to the Government are raised or collected, or the Individuals have a debt to pay in the description of Coin, that the tender and payment of British Silver Money, to the amount of Four Shillings and Four Pence, should be considered as equivalent to the tender or payment of one Spanish Dollar, and so in proportion for any greater or less amount of Debt.

And Whereas it has been further represented by the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, that with respect to the Cape of Good Hope, where there are not any Spanish Dollars in circulation, consists entirely of paper Rix Dollars and its proportions, and with respect to Ceylon, where the circulation consists of Silver and Paper Rix Dollars, as well as of a variety of other Coins, which are generally received and paid with relation to their value as compared with Rix Dollars, it would be expedient that a tender and payment of one Shilling and six pence in British Silver Money, should be considered as equivalent as a tender and payment of one such Rix Dollar, so current at the Cape of Good Hope, and Ceylon, respectively, and so in proportion, for any greater or less sum, and also, that British Copper Money, should be made a legal tender in all the British Colonies for its due and proper proportions of British Silver Money, as by Law established in Great Britain, but that no person shall be compelled to take more than said in Copper Money, in any one payment. His Majesty having taken the said representation into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to approve of what is therein proposed, and the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, and the Right Honourable Earl Bathurst, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, are to give the necessary directions, herein as to them may respectively appertain.

(Signed,) C. C. GREVILLE.

I do therefore hereby make known the same to all His Majesty's loving subjects in this Province, and all persons concerned, will take due notice, and govern themselves accordingly.

And I do also hereby further make known that the holders of British Silver Money, may demand from the Officers in charge of the Commissariat Department.—Bills upon the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury at thirty days sight, in Exchange for whatever sums may be tendered by them in British Silver, not less in amount than one hundred Pounds at the fixed rate of a Bill for one hundred Pounds, for every one hundred and three Pounds of British Silver Money, so tendered.

Given under my hand and Seal at Fredericton, the Twenty second day of October, in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Eight hundred and Twenty-five, and in the Sixth year of His Majesty's reign.

By His Excellency's Command.

W. M. F. ODELL.

BY AUTHORITY.

NOTICE.—Those persons who are in possession of UNGRANTED LANDS without legal authority, and who may think they have equitable claims to the

favorable consideration of the Government, are hereby notified that unless such claims are preferred, by petition, before the 1st day of May next, they will be proceeded against as INTRUDERS and TRESPASSERS upon the Crown Lands.

By order of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor.

Crown Lands Office, Fredericton, 26th May, 1825.

Notice by Authority.

A Committee consisting of the under-mentioned Gentlemen having been established at Fredericton, for the purpose of corresponding with other parts of the Province, and collecting and arranging such information as may be requisite for ascertaining the amount of losses sustained by the late fires throughout the Province generally, in order to form a just and equitable principle of distribution of the Funds which may be raised for the relief of the sufferers.

The Committees in the several Counties and Parishes of the Province are requested to transmit to this Central Committee, under cover to

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the Secretary, all Reports and Information which it may be in their power to communicate respecting the amount of Losses sustained, and contributions for relief made in their respective districts.

NAMES OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

The Hon. George Shore,

The Hon. Thomas Baillie,

The Rev. George Best,

The Rev. James Somerville,

E. W. Miller, Esq.

Wm. J. Bedell, Esq.

Wm. Taylor, Esq.

H. G. Clopper, Esq.

Fredericton, November 29, 1825.

By the Hon. William Boisford, one of the Justices of His Majesty's Supreme Court of Judicature for the Province of New-Brunswick.

WHEREAS upon application to me duly made by John Billevean, of Dorchester, in the County of Westmorland, and Province of New-Brunswick, Acadian, it has been sufficiently attested that John Melancon, late of Dorchester, in the County and Province aforesaid, Acadian, is justly and truly indebted to the said John Billevean, in the sum of twenty-five pounds and upwards, over and above all discounts; and whereas it has been proved to my satisfaction that the said John Melancon, hath departed this Province since the said debt was contracted, and hath not resided within the same, within six months next preceding the said application: I do therefore in pursuance of the