

been secured for sea, in consequence of which they took more time in being cleared away, and I was half-way to shore before I heard the running crackling of the rackets and the boat splash into the water. The noise seemed so near to me that I looked round, but saw nothing: soon, however, I heard the rolling of the oars in the hullocks, and my hopes began to fail me, when a sight of the fretting surf on the rocks cheered and saved me from sinking with despair. I plied every nerve, and in a few minutes more was close to the breakers. None but swimmers can conceive the narrow limits of the view when the head only is above the surface; every wave is a boundary; and to a person pursued as I was, and in search of a landing-place, mountains could not have been a more agonising barrier. I at last perceived a black shelving point of rock, on which the surf was rolling heavily on one side, while on the other the water appeared smoother. For this point I immediately swam, as a forlorn hope. On approaching, I found myself between two white ridges of foaming water, and occasionally sunk in the hollow abyss of the waves, and sometimes dashed about amidst the foam on their tops. When about to pass the shelving rock, I was thrown head foremost into its margin by one of those sovereign waves which lord it over all the rest, and left in a kind of niche, which prevented its recoil sweeping me back. On recovering from the stun I received, I found that my head was cut and bleeding, but that the wound on my heel was of no consequence. Soon the noise of oars and voices assailed my ears, and I distinctly heard the midshipman of the boat say, "The fellow never could land here: he must have been dashed to pieces on the rocks, or drowned in the surf, and we shall find his body in the morning." This convinced me I was not discovered.

### SHERIFF SALES.

#### COUNTY OF YORK.

To be sold by Public Auction, at the Market-House, in Fredericton, on Wednesday the first day of October next, between the hours of 12 and five in the afternoon;

**All the right and title of David Bruce,** to that farm on the Nashwalk, on which he now resides, in the 42d Settlement, by virtue of an execution issued out of the Supreme Court at the suit of Mark Needham.

Also, at the same time and place,

**All the right, title, and claim of John Pond, sen.,** to three lots of land, No. 1, 2, and part of No. 3, on the Nashwalk, or so much of said lots as will satisfy an execution, issued out of the Supreme Court, at the suit of Mark Needham.

E. W. MILLER, Sheriff.

Fredericton, March 25, 1828.

To be sold by Public Auction on the 14th day of September next, between the hours of twelve and five o'clock in the afternoon at the County Court-House, in Fredericton;

**All the right and title of Ezekiel Slood,** and James Slood, or either of them, of, in, and to the following lots or tracts of land taken by execution issued out of the Supreme Court at the suit of Hugh Johnston, John R. Partelow, and William Scouller, viz: that lot and house in Wellington-Street a little below the Windmill. Also, the upper part of block No. 17, under lease from the Church.

Also, all the right, title, interest, property, claim, and demand whatsoever, of Ezekiel Slood, and James Slood, or either of them, of, in, and to the following lots or tracts of land, viz: the farm now in the occupation of Ezekiel Slood, situate, lying and being on the Mactiquack, in the Parish of Douglas, known by the Wort farm; Also the right and title of the said Ezekiel Slood, of, in, and to that farm or lot of land, now in the possession of Abraham Slood, in the said Parish of Douglas, situate on the Mactiquack; Also, Lot No. 6, in the said Parish of Douglas, in the Grant to Daniel Sawyer and others, containing 212 acres, more or less; Also, the Farm and Sawmill on the Naswaakeis, in the said Parish of Douglas, now in the possession of Aaron Estey; Also that Farm in Northampton, known by David Betts' Lot No. 10, containing 200 acres; Also, Lot No. 62, 63, 64, Farm occupied by Benjamin Miller in Northampton; Also, a lot and barn on the upper side of Wm. Bailey's, King street, in the Parish of Fredericton; Also, a pasture lot, in the rear of the Poor House; Also, a lot bought of Robert Ogden, in the rear of Fredericton; Also, the right, title, and interest of James Slood, of, in, and to that certain lot or tract of land, situate, lying and being in the Parish of Kent, lately occupied by

Wm. Greenlow: The same lots and tracts having been taken by execution issued out of the Supreme Court, at the suit of Hugh Johnston, John R. Partelow, and William Scouller.

E. W. MILLER, Sheriff.

Fredericton, March 3, 1828.

#### COUNTY OF WESTMORELAND.

To be sold at Public Auction on Thursday the eleventh day of December next, at the Court-House, in Dorchester, in the County of Westmoreland, between the hours of twelve and five o'clock in the afternoon of said day;

**The following real estate, or such part,** and so much thereof as will be sufficient to satisfy an Execution issued out of the Supreme Court of this Province at the suit of John Brown, against Humphrey Gilbert, Esq., viz:—All that lot or parcel of land, situate in Dorchester aforesaid, on which the said Humphrey Gilbert now resides, being lot No. 30 and containing 200 acres more or less. Also, the Marsh Lots No. 32 and 34, lying contiguous thereto, and adjoining marsh land owned by John Chapman, Esquire. Also, all other the lands and premises of the said Humphrey Gilbert, wheresoever situated in the County of Westmoreland aforesaid.

W. P. SAYRE, Sheriff of Westmoreland.

Dorchester, May 29, 1828.

To be sold by Public Auction, on Tuesday the 8th of July next, between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court-House in Dorchester.

**All the right, title, claim and demand** of Anthony Fields, of, in, and in two certain pieces or parcels of Land, situate lying and being in the township of Botsford in this County, and known in Grant No. 1856, as Lots Nos. 1 and 2, fronting on the Gulf of Saint Lawrence, and adjoining Land granted to George Spence, containing five hundred acres more or less, together with the improvements thereon, the same being granted to Anthony Fields and George Oulton Fields. Taken in Execution at the suit of Titus Knapp.

W. P. SAYRE, Sheriff.

Dorchester, County of Westmoreland, 26th Dec. 1827.

To be sold at Public Auction, at the Court House in Dorchester, on Saturday the ninth of August next, between the hours of twelve and five o'clock in the afternoon,

**All the real estate of Henry Smith and Johnathan Smith,** situate in the Parish of Sackville, in the County of Westmoreland, or so much thereof as will satisfy an Execution issued out of the Supreme Court at the suit of Titus Knapp.

W. P. SAYRE, Sheriff.

Dorchester, January 31, 1828.

To be sold at Public Auction, at the Court-House, in Dorchester, in the County of Westmoreland, on Saturday the tenth day of January next, between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of the said day;

**All the right, title, interest, property,** claim, and demand of Solomon Trites, of, in, and to the following pieces, parcels, and lots of land, situate in the County aforesaid, viz: All those pieces, parcels, and lots of land, situate in the Parish of Hillsborough, and County aforesaid, nearly opposite to the Bend of the Petitcodiac River, consisting of marsh and upland, containing by estimation 650 acres more or less, with the buildings thereon. Also, divers other lots, pieces, and parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the Parish of Monckton, in the County aforesaid, that is to say; all that farm and land devised to the said Solomon Trites, by his father Abraham Trites, consisting of marsh and upland, containing by estimation 1500 acres, more or less. Also, a certain piece of land, being the rear part of land granted to Donald McDonald, purchased by said Solomon Trites from one David Mills, containing by estimation 50 acres, more or less. Also, another lot of land, situate in the Lower Mountain Settlement, also purchased by the said Solomon Trites from the said David Mills, containing 300 acres more or less, and all other the land and premises of the said Solomon Trites, whatsoever, situate in the Parish of Monckton aforesaid, in the County aforesaid: The same having been taken by virtue of several executions issued out of the Supreme Court of this Province, now in my hands.

Dated at Dorchester, the 26th June 1828.

W. P. SAYRE, Sheriff.

To be sold by Public Auction at the Court House in Dorchester, in the County of Westmoreland, on Thursday the sixth day of November next, between the hours of twelve and five o'clock, in the afternoon;

**All the real estates of Thomas Stevens,** and Aaron Stevens, situate in the Parish of Hopewell, or so much thereof as will satisfy an execution issued out of the Supreme Court, at the suit of Thomas T. Hanford.

Also, at the same time and place,

**Will be sold, the real estate of William Berney,** situate in the Parish of Westmoreland, taken by Execution issued out of the Supreme Court at the suit of Christopher Boltonhouse.

Also, at the same time and place will be sold,

**All the real estate of James M. Kelly,** situate in the Parish of Monckton, or so much thereof as will satisfy an Execution issued out of the Supreme Court at the suit of Douglas M'Monagle.

W. P. SAYRE, Sheriff.

Dorchester, April 30, 1828.

#### COUNTY OF SUNBURY.

To be sold by public Auction, on Saturday the 27th day of September next, between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock, in the afternoon, at the Court-House, in the Parish of Burton:

**All the right, title, interest, and claim** of Jeremiah Tracy, of, in, and to lot No. 9, containing 170 acres, be the same more or less, situate at the north branch of the Oromocto, and in the Parish of Lincoln: The same having been taken by virtue of a writ of Execution issued out of the Supreme Court, at the suit of George P. Nevers.

J. HAZEN, Sheriff of Sunbury.

Burton, March 17, 1828.

To be sold by Public Auction, on Saturday the 15th November next, at the Court-House in Burton, between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock, in the afternoon;

**All the right, title, interest, claim, and demand whatsoever,** of Andrew Mersereau, of, in, and to that valuable farm or tract of land, with all and singular the buildings and improvements thereon, known and described as Lot No. 88, containing 500 acres, more or less, situate in the Township of Mauderville: The same having been taken by virtue of an execution issued out of the Supreme Court, at the suit of John M. Wilmet, Esq.

JOHN HAZEN, Sheriff of Sunbury.

Burton, April 3, 1828.

To be Sold by Public Auction, on Monday the 18th August next, between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court House in Burton,

**All the right, title, interest, and demand whatsoever** of Solomon Perley, Esquire, in and to the following lots or tracts of Land, together with all and singular the buildings and improvements thereon, viz. Lot No. 89, containing 500 acres more or less, situate in the Parish of Mauderville. Also, One acre on the front of Lots No. 84 and 85 in the Parish aforesaid. Also, Lot No. 1, containing Seven acres and one half acre, more or less, situate on the Oromocto Island so called.

Also, Lot No. 12, in the Gary Settlement, granted to Benjamin Rockwell, containing 385 acres more or less.

The same having been taken by Virtue of a Writ of Execution issued out of the Supreme Court for the sum of £1039 12s 6d.

J. HAZEN, Sheriff of Sunbury.

Burton, February 5th, 1828.

To be Sold by Public Auction, on Saturday the 4th October next, between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court House, in Burton;

**ALL the right, title, interest and claim** of Ammon S. Hubbel, in and to lot No. 55, situate on the Oromocto Island, and in the Parish of Mauderville, containing 7 acres and one half acre, be the same more or less, with all and singular, the buildings and improvements thereon.

Also, all his right, title, interest, and claim, in and to a piece or parcel of land, containing acres, more or less, situate on the point, so called, and in the Parish of Lincoln, bounded as follows: Notherly, by the river St. John; Westerly, by land owned by John Dow; Southerly, by the river Oromocto; and Southeasterly, by land owned by Stephen Smith; The same having been taken by Execution issued out of the Supreme Court, at the suit of Samuel Nevers.

JOHN HAZEN, Sheriff of Sunbury.

Burton, March 31, 1828.

To be sold by Public Auction on the second Monday in July next, between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court-House in Burton.

**All the right and title of Thomas Smith,** in, and to that Farm or Tract of Land on which he now resides, together with all and singular the buildings and improvements thereon, situate in the Parish of Lincoln, and bounded on the south by the southwest branch of the Rushagonish, and on the east by land owned by Stephen Peabody, Esquire.

Also, his right and title, in, and to one half of a double Saw Mill, and one fourth part of a Mill privilege. Also, all his right and title, in, and to Lot No. known and designated by the Cameron Lot, and situate on the west side of the Rushagonish aforesaid: The same having been seized and taken by virtue of several Executions issued out of the Supreme Court at the suit of Samuel Nevers and Messrs. James Taylor and Co.

J. HAZEN, Jun. Sheriff of Sunbury.

Burton, Dec. 24, 1827.

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