

sufficient for this object has been advanced to the Sessions, on the guarantee of the Magistrates, with which Indian Meal and Indian Corn has been purchased and placed in the hands of Thos. Pickard, Esquire, and Mr. Spafford Parker, of Fredericton, which will be distributed agreeably to the following list, on the Order of George J. Dibblee, Esquire, Clerk of the Peace for the County.

The attention of the Magistrates and Overseers of the Poor in the different Parishes, is particularly requested to the Circular Letter to the Overseers of the Poor hereto subjoined, in which specific directions are given as to the manner and the terms on which the supplies of Meal and Corn will be furnished.

These supplies will become a Parish charge, and whatever amount remains unpaid by the individuals to whom the relief is extended, will be included in the assessment of the Poor Rate of the Parish, to be made at the January Sessions.

SCHEDULE.

Parish of Douglas, to be furnished by Mr. PICKARD, viz:—

12 Barrels Corn Meal.

10 Sacks (2 bushels each) Corn.

Queensborough, to be furnished by Ditto.

10 Barrels Corn Meal.

6 Sacks (2 bushels each) Corn.

Southampton, to be furnished by Ditto.

10 Barrels Corn Meal.

6 Sacks (2 bushels each) Corn.

St. Mary's, to be furnished by Mr. S. BARKER.

8 Barrels Corn Meal.

5 Sacks Corn, (2 bushels each.)

Dumfries, to be furnished by Ditto.

8 Barrels Corn Meal.

10 Sacks (2 bushels each) Corn.

Prince William, to be furnished by Ditto.

8 Barrels Corn Meal.

5 Sacks Corn, (2 bushels each.)

Kingsclear, to be furnished by Ditto.

12 Barrels Corn Meal.

8 Sacks (2 bushels each) Corn.

The price to be charged by the Overseers of the Poor, is 22s. 6d. per Barrel for Meal, and 11s. 3d. per Sack for Corn, —not to be delivered by MESSRS. PICKARD and BARKER in less quantities than a Barrel of Meal or Sack of Corn.

Fredericton, 21st July, 1842.

GENTLEMEN,—At the Meeting held by the Magistrates on Monday last, a Resolution was made, sanctioning a loan for the several Parishes of this County, with the view of relieving those persons who may be destitute of the means of providing themselves and their families with food. To carry into effect this object, several of the Magistrates have procured on their present personal guarantee, the advance of a sum, which it is hoped, will be sufficient to relieve actual want and destitution. The extent of relief each Parish will be allowed, if required, is stated in the accompanying Schedule; but it will only be advanced on the undertaking of the Overseers of the Poor for your Parish, and of one of the resident Magistrates.

The form of the undertaking is hereby enclosed, and is made payable to the Clerk of the Peace for the County, which must be executed before the advances are made.

From all persons whose circumstances you may consider such as to render them fit subjects of relief, you will be required to take Notes, payable on the first day of November next, agreeably to the Printed Forms, enclosed; and from such persons as may possess property, re-payment will be rigidly enforced.

The deficiency which may exist, and which cannot be collected from the persons thus relieved, will be assessed next January Sessions on the Parish for the support of the Poor thereof—and when collected, your undertaking to George J. Dibblee, Esquire, the Clerk of the Peace, will be cancelled.

You will, in conjunction with the resident Magistrate or Magistrates of your Parish, endeavour to relieve such persons as are incapable of getting food for their own support from any other source, as the assistance is to be extended only to such as are entitled to be relieved by the Parish in which they reside.

(Signed) GEO. J. DIBBLEE, *Clk. Peace.*

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of —.

Form of Notes taken from Persons receiving relief, by Overseers of Poor.

For Value received in Provision, I, the undersigned, promise to pay _____, in the County of York, or to their Order, the sum of _____ on the 1st day of Nov. next, with interest from the date hereof.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 1842.

Form of Securities taken from Magistrates and Overseers of Poor, by Clerk of Peace.

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For Value received in Provision, we promise to pay George J. Dibblee, Esquire, Clerk of the Peace for the County of York, or his Order, the sum of _____, payable on the 1st day of January next.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 1842.

FERRY REGULATIONS.

QUEEN'S GENERAL SESSIONS.

June Sessions, 1842.

Ordered, That all former Rules and Regulations made for the government of the Ferries heretofore established at the mouth of the Jemseg Creek, in the Parish of Waterborough, from Ship Yard Point, so called, to the opposite shore of the said Creek, and also for the Ferry leading across the Washademoak Lake, from the landing of Mr. William Straight, on the Great Road of communication between Fredericton and the Finger Board, to the opposite shore of the Washademoak Lake, on said Road, and also the Ferry leading across the said Lake, at the Narrows, near Philip White's, be and the same are hereby revoked.

And further Ordered, That the aforesaid Ferries be and the same are hereby re-established: and that the Ferryman to be Licenced for the proper care and management of such Ferries, respectively, shall be subject to the Rules and Regulations hereafter made and ordained for the Government of the said Ferries respectively.

1st. That each Ferryman shall, before he undertake the management of any of such Ferry, procure a Licence from the Court for that purpose.

2nd. That every Ferryman so duly licenced as aforesaid, shall be provided with good and sufficient Boats and other Crafts, for the comfortable and safe conveyance of Passengers, Cattle, &c., under the penalty of five pounds for each and every offence, to be recovered as provided in and by the Act of Assembly in such case made and provided.

3rd. That any Ferryman so licenced, as aforesaid, who shall, without good and sufficient cause, wilfully detain any Passenger, or other, &c., from passing over such Ferries respectively, shall forfeit for each and every offence a sum not exceeding Three pounds, to be recovered in the manner provided in the foregoing Rule.

4th. That no other person or persons, other than such Ferryman, so to be licenced and appointed, shall, under any pretence whatever, transfer and carry over any person or persons, horses, cattle, or any other things, liable to Ferriages, by virtue of these Rules, save of his own Family or property, within one half mile of such Ferries respectively, under the penalty of Ten Shillings for each and every offence, to be recovered as aforesaid.

5th. Ordered, That the following Rates of Ferriage shall be charged, demanded, and taken by the Ferryman, to be appointed and Licenced as aforesaid, that is to say:—

For the Ferry at the Jemseg.

For each person,.....	£0	0	6
For each person and horse,.....	0	1	0
For horse, sleigh, or waggon, and persons,.....	0	1	3
For carriage and two horses, and such passengers and luggage as it may contain,.....	0	2	0
For horses and neat cattle, each,.....	0	0	6
For hogs, sheep and calves, each,.....	0	0	2

For the Ferry at the Washademoak, between Straight's and Watson's.

For each person,.....	0	1	0
For each person and horse,.....	0	2	0
For horse, sleigh, or waggon, and persons,.....	0	3	0
For carriage, two horses, and such persons and luggage as it may contain,.....	0	4	0
For horses and neat cattle, each,.....	0	0	9
For hogs, sheep and calves, each,.....	0	0	3

For the Ferry at the Narrows, the same as at the Jemseg.

6th. That it shall be the duty of each Ferryman, at the time of obtaining his licence, to provide himself with copies of the foregoing Rules and Regulations, and to have a true copy of the same posted up, and kept in some conspicuous place, at the Ferries respectively, when the public may at all times have access and knowledge of the same, under a penalty of Five Shillings for each and every offence.

Extract from the Minutes.

J. R. WETMORE, Clerk Pleas.

HEADS OF REGULATIONS FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A

LOAN AND LABOR FUND

in each County, proposed to be raised by a Society to be called

"THE LAND AND EMIGRATION SOCIETY OF THE COUNTY OF —."

At a period when distress is so prevalent throughout the Country from the failure of the ordinary resources on which the People have depended for subsistence, and when consequently the difficulty of obtaining employment, and, to employers, of paying for the labour required on their Farms, may injure the prospect of a good harvest, it is proposed to raise a fund from which every inhabitant having a demand for labour on his Farm, may derive immediate accommodation. The ordinary Farm work at the present time and till the hay harvest, being chiefly in hoeing and weeding, it is probable that many persons, men, women and children, could be advantageously employed at once, and continuously throughout the season.

The wages of labour, it is proposed should be fixed at 1s. 6d. a day for men, 1s. for women, and 6d. for boys and girls under 12 years of age and able to perform light work. The labourers also to be subsisted, and their wages agreed to be paid weekly in money.

All persons desirous of procuring labourers on these terms, are