

By Command.

(Circular.)

Downing Street, 9th March, 1843.

SIR,—In compliance with a recommendation to that effect, addressed to this Department by desire of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, I have to request that you will apprise all Officers in the Colony under your Government, authorized to draw for Salaries quarterly, that the amount to be drawn for any portion of a quarter, should be computed with reference to the number of days in that quarter, and not to the number of days in the whole year.

I have, &c.

(Signed)

STANLEY.

Lieutenant Governor Sir Wm. M. G. Colebrooke.

(Circular.)

Copy.

Downing Street, 22d March, 1843.

SIR,—In consequence of the great inconvenience which has attended the detention at Boston or Halifax, of the Royal Steam Packets, to await the arrival of Mails from the interior, Her Majesty's Government have instructed the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, that the non-arrival of the Mails from Washington or from the North American Provinces, is not an emergency that would justify any delay in the departure of those Vessels.

I have, &c.

(Signed)

STANLEY.

Lieutenant Governor Sir Wm. Colebrooke.

(Circular.)

Copy.

Downing Street, 7th March, 1843.

SIR,—I have the honor to transmit to you the copy of an Order passed by Her Majesty in Council on the 24th ultimo, regulating the Trade of Her Majesty's Subjects with China and India, and I have to request that you will cause the utmost publicity to be given to the Regulations contained in this Order in Council, in the Colony under your Government.

I have, &c.

(Signed)

STANLEY.

Lieutenant Governor of New Brunswick.

AT THE COURT AT BUCKINGHAM PALACE,
The 24th day of February, 1843.

PRESENT:

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the third and fourth years of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act to regulate the Trade to China and India," it was amongst other things enacted that it should and might be lawful for His Majesty, by any such Order or Orders, Commission or Commissions as to His Majesty in Council should appear expedient and salutary, to give to the Superintendents in the said Act mentioned, or any of them, powers and authorities over and in respect of the Trade and Commerce of His Majesty's subjects, within any part of the Dominions of the Emperor of China, and to make and issue directions and regulations touching the said Trade and Commerce, and for the Government of His Majesty's subjects within the said Dominions, and to impose penalties, forfeitures or imprisonments for the breach of any such directions or regulations, to be enforced in such manner as in the said Order or Orders should be specified.

Now therefore, Her Majesty in Council is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council to prohibit, and doth hereby prohibit Her subjects from resorting, for the purposes of Trade and Commerce, to any other Ports in the Dominions of the Emperor of China, than those of Canton, Amoy, Foo-chow-foo, Ningpo, and Shanghai, or than may be in the occupation of Her Majesty's forces; and Her Majesty is pleased to order, that any of Her subjects committing a breach or violation of this direction, shall upon conviction thereof, in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record, or Vice Admiralty, be for every such offence liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds, or to imprisonment for a time not exceeding three months, at the discretion of the Court before which the conviction shall take place; and Her Majesty is hereby further pleased to order that all proceedings which may be had under this order, shall be, as far as circumstances will permit, in conformity with the Law of England.

And the Right Honorable the Earl of Aberdeen, and the Right Honorable Lord Stanley, two of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, and the Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral, are to give the necessary directions herein, as to them may respectively appertain.

WM. L. BATHURST.

REGULATIONS FOR THE DISPOSAL OF CROWN LANDS,
[By Orders of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor in Council,
1st December, 1842, and 27th February, 1843.]

1st.—No Land to be sold unless in locations previously surveyed under the directions of the Government.

2nd.—Purchasers of Lots of 50 acres and under, not being indebted to the Crown for any Land previously purchased, may be allowed to claim credit for the purchase money, upon giving Bonds to the Crown, payable with interest annually in advance, at the rate of six per cent. and paying the first year's interest at the time of

sale, together with three-pence per acre for the expense of survey made before sale, upon executing which Bond, a grant to be passed to the purchaser.

3rd.—In default of regular payment of the interest annually when due, or under other circumstances injurious to the effective settlement of the Land, the Bonds will be put in suit.

4th.—Persons purchasing more than fifty acres, must pay the whole amount of the purchase money down at the time of sale, it being clearly understood that the fifty acres is the limit of the Government credit to any individual settler.

5th.—Persons who have occupied and improved without title or permission, portions of Crown Land included within any surveyed location, are not to expect any compensation or consideration for such improvements, but if they become purchasers of such portion, they may have credit for the purchase money to the extent of fifty acres, in common with other settlers, and receive titles on executing Bonds, and paying interest as aforesaid.

6th.—Reserves to be made in every location of lines of road, and allotments for Schools and places of Worship, which Reserves will not be allowed to be broken or sold.

Persons desirous of forming a settlement, may make application at the Crown Land Office, stating their names, and pointing out the situation where they may wish to settle, when, if approved of, a survey will be ordered, and the lots, when surveyed, will, after due notice in the Royal Gazette, be put up for sale at Public Auction, at an upset price to be fixed by the Government.

Purchasers at such sale are distinctly to understand, that they must come prepared, either by themselves or their agent, to pay the first year's interest on the purchase money at the time of sale, and that no grant will be passed, or permission given to occupy the land, without such payment being made, nor until the Bond for payment of the purchase money shall have been duly executed and delivered; and that the Bonds will be peremptorily enforced against any purchaser who may neglect to clear and settle the land, or who shall be found cutting off and disposing of the Timber without making efficient settlement.

The attention of persons desirous of purchasing more than fifty acres is also called to the fourth article of the Regulations, by which they will observe, that no part of such purchase is to be on credit, but the whole purchase money is to be paid down at the time of sale.

By order of the Lieutenant Governor.

WM. F. ODELL.

Secretary's Office, 2nd December, 1842.

IN COUNCIL, APRIL 1, 1843.

THAT all persons getting Timber or Logs, be required to report to the Surveyor General, on or before the 20th day of April, the quantity of Timber or Logs cut by them, and if they neglect to do so, the Timber and Logs to be seized.

That Bonds or other satisfactory security be given to the Surveyor General for the amount of Duties on such Timber and Logs, payable on or before the 1st day of July.

NOTICE.—Whereas by an Order in Council made on the 1st day of April instant,—“All Persons getting Timber or Logs” were required to report to the Surveyor General, on or before “the 20th of April, the quantity of Timber or Logs cut by them, “and if they neglect to do so, the Timber and Logs to be seized;”

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to extend the time for making such report from the 20th day of April to the 10th day of May, 1843.

THOS. BAILLIE, Surveyor General.

Crown Lands' Office, 20th April, 1843.

SURVEYS have been made of Settlement Lands, of good quality, in the following situations: and all persons who may desire further information regarding them, are requested to make application to the respective Deputy Surveyors.

Acres.	Situation.	County.	Deputy Surveyor.
2448	Nackawicac River,	York,	John Davidson.
2000	Bel River,	Carleton,	H. M. G. Garden.
2000	Clones Settlement,	Queen's	Samuel Mahood.
4000	Newburg Settlement,	Carleton,	H. M. G. Garden.
10000	Grand Falls,	Ditto,	Ditto.
34000	Mechanics' Settlement,	Westmorland and King's,	S. S. Wilmot and J. Cunningham.
7100	Miramichi Road,	Gloucester,	A. M'Niel.
	South Branch Oromocto,	Charlotte,	Andrew Blair.
8000	East side Nashwalk,	York,	Allan M'Lean.
9000	Victoria Settlement,	Sunbury and Queen's,	Samuel Mahood.
10000	S. side New Canaan River,	Queen's,	S. Fairweather.
4000	Williamston,	Carleton,	H. M. G. Garden.
4000	Trout Creek,	King's,	N. Arnold.
11000	Saint Martins,	Saint John,	T. O'Keleher.
5000	Upham,	King's,	Ditto.
3000	Inniskillen Settlement,	Queen's,	Samuel Mahood.
4000	Restook Portage,	Carleton,	H. M. G. Garden.
5000	Tattigouche River,	Gloucester,	A. M'Niel.
4000	Lyon Stream,	York,	B. R. Jouett.
2000	Howard Settlement,	Do.	John Davidson.

THOS. BAILLIE, Surveyor General.

Crown Land Office, March 10, 1843.