

431	WILLIAM M'KAY & ABEL POND, SENR. Towards building a Scow to ferry across the South West, at Portage Pond, Ludlow,	£10 0 0
432	GEORGE JOHNSTON, Chatham. Balance on bridge over the Napan, near John Nicholson's,	7 12
433	JOHN JOHNSTON & JAMES FLETT. Balance due them for bridge at Chatham Head,	1 12 6
434	DAVID STEELE & CHARLES STEWART. To improve road from the Weldfield Settlement to Black River, and towards continuing the same to the high landing on the Barnaby River,	25 0 0
435	RICHARD SUTTON & ROWLAND CROCKER. Towards building a bridge across Barnaby River, above or below John Aylward's, at such place as may be fixed upon by the Commissioners to be appointed to expend the same,	40 0 0

ERRATA.

BYE ROADS, CARLETON, (*Last Gazette.*)No. 18. For Thomas *Pickard* read Thomas *Pritchard*.No. 28. For James *Estey* read *Jarvis Estey*.

GOVERNMENT NOTICE.

THE attention of the Supervisors and Commissioners of Roads is hereby called to the following Instructions, and to the second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth clauses of the Act 14 Victoria, Chap. 14, to which they are enjoined strictly to adhere; and on sending their Accounts to the *Auditor General*, as required, they are to make Reports to the Lieutenant Governor of the state of the Roads; in which Reports are to be noted any alterations that may have been made in them, and also the state and number of the Bridges on the Lines under their charge.

By His Excellency's Command.

Secretary's Office, 28th May, 1851.

J. R. PARTELOW.

The several Supervisors and Commissioners appointed to expend the Road Grants of 1850 and 1851, are hereby directed and required to send in their Accounts to the Auditor General on or before the tenth day of October next, and are strictly enjoined to keep the expenditure within the amount of the sums granted; and in cases where they may consider that injury or inconvenience would result from delay in executing work which would require a further outlay, they are to report the circumstances to the Government, and are on no account to take upon themselves to expend more than the sums intrusted to them; and in case of any deviation from this rule, they will be surcharged with the amount so expended.

No payment is to be made to any person for Work or Materials on Roads or Bridges except in Cash, or in Cheque *bona fide* payable at sight.

No Order for Goods on Store or Shop is to be tendered or given in payment for Work or Materials of any kind.

No Supervisor or Commissioner is allowed to set off money due for Work or Materials on the Public account against any claim or debt due to himself or others, nor receive any allowance as per centage on Goods, Materials or Provisions furnished for the Public Service, on any pretence whatever.

All Supervisors and Commissioners are to observe the utmost caution in making the Advertisements for Contracts full and specific; and that all Contracts framed in pursuance of such Advertisements do *bona fide* correspond with such conditions, and be strictly observed.

The fact of any violation of these Rules will be brought before His Excellency and the Council, in order that the unfitness of the person violating them may be specially recorded.

Extracts from the Act 14 Victoria, Chap. 14.

II. And be it enacted, That the several sums of money granted for the Bye Roads in the several Counties of this Province in and by an Act made and passed in the thirteenth year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled *An Act to provide for opening and repairing Roads and erecting Bridges in the Province*, and not drawn from the Treasury and expended, as provided in and by the said Act, (save and except such parts thereof as are hereinbefore re-appropriated,) be and the same are hereby re-appropriated for the improvement of the said Bye Roads, and shall and may be applied and expended as directed in and by the said Act, on or before the first day of October next.