

Militia Scrip.

Each claimant to file or transmit his original discharge or certificate of service, accompanied with an affidavit stating that the said discharge or certificate of service is his own, that he served as therein mentioned, and has never yet obtained, directly or indirectly, by himself or through any other person, the Militia or Army Bounty, either in land or scrip.

When the discharge or certificate of service cannot be produced, the claimant will have to describe,

The Battalion or Corps in which he served, the name and grade of the person who commanded his company; and to state,

Whether he served under his present or what other name.

What space of time, and in what capacity he served.

Whether he was regularly discharged, and if so, when and where.

The preceding, and all other statements and declarations required, in connexion with Militia Claims, to be made under oath, before some person authorized to administer such oath.

Lists of claims will be published as admitted, and the parties will then be satisfied in Scrip as prescribed by the Land Act, after the following scale:—

For a Lieutenant Colonel, Scrip to the amount of £240, being the commuted value of 1200 acres of land, at 4s. per acre.

For a Major, Scrip to the amount of £200, being the commuted value of 1000 acres of land, at 4s. per acre.

For a Captain, Surgeon or Pay-Master, Scrip to the amount of £160, being the commuted value of 800 acres of land, at 4s. per acre.

For a Subaltern, Assistant Surgeon, Adjutant, or Quarter Master, Scrip to the amount of £100, being the commuted value of 500 acres of land at 4s. per acre.

For a Sergeant Major or Quarter Master Sergeant, Scrip to the amount of £60, being the commuted value of 300 acres of land, at 4s. per acre.

For a Sergeant, Scrip to the amount of £40, being the commuted value of 200 acres of land, at 4s. per acre.

For a Corporal or Private, Scrip to the amount of £20, being the commuted value of 100 acres of land, at 4s. per acre.

The Scrip thus granted will be received by the Government in payment of old or new purchases of Crown Lands, as provided by the said Land Act.

Individuals applying for Scrip, as Attorney to a Militiaman or his representatives, will be required to produce a power legally made.

Discharges or other papers filed or transmitted by or on behalf of persons whose claims may be disallowed, will only be returned to the parties interested (on application) after the investigation of all the claims preferred be terminated.

Then on motion of Mr. *Duggan*,

The House adjourned.

Jovis, 16° die Januarii.

ANNO OCTAVO, VICTORIÆ REGINÆ, 1845.

Middlesex con-
tested Election.

THE hour appointed for taking into consideration the Petition of *William Notman*, of *Dundas*, in the *Gore* district, complaining of the undue election and return of *Edward Ermatinger*, Esquire, to represent the county of *Middlesex* in the present Parliament, being come,

The House proceeded to the appointment of a ^{Middlesex con-} ^{tested Election.} Select Committee, to try and determine the merits of the said Petition.

The Sergeant-at-Arms was directed by Mr. *Speaker* to go with the Mace to the places adjacent, and require the attendance of the Members on the business of the House.

And he went accordingly;

And being returned, the House was called, and more than thirty Members being present,

Mr. *Speaker* called upon the Petitioner, his counsel or agent, to appear at the Bar.

W. B. Richards, Esquire, appeared at the Bar, as counsel for the Petitioner.

Mr. *Speaker* called upon the Sitting Member, his counsel or agent, to appear.

The Honourable Mr. Solicitor General *Sherwood* appeared in his place, as counsel for the Sitting Member.

Mr. *Richards*, counsel for the Petitioner, presented a list of witnesses in behalf of the Petitioner, which was read by the Clerk as follows:—

LIST OF WITNESSES

On the part of the Petitioner, against the Election and Return of EDWARD ERMATINGER, Esquire, for the County of MIDDLESEX, to Serve in this present Parliament.

NAMES.	RESIDENCE.
Christopher Bear	Township of Adelaide.
Robert Johnston	do do
Baptiste McIlvane	do do
J. B. Winlow	do do
John Bouly	do do
Francis Enwich	do do
Richard W. Beannan	do do
Martin Carty	do do
Thomas Cooper	do do
John Bulger	do do
George Dodd	do do
Robert Gripton	do do
William Rounde	do do
Charles Napkin	do do
Richard McCutcheon	do do
Thomas Caddy	do do
Bernard Knight	do do
Arthur McCallum	do do
R. P. Tooth	do do
Charles Proston	do do
Thomas Burgess	do do
Timothy Cana	do do
Thomas Rounde	do do
John Arthurs	do do
John Keys, senior	do do
Hugh Eckliass	do do
Samuel Morrow	do do
Daniel Ingram	do do
Thos. Thompson, Deputy Returning Officer	do do
David M. Thompson, Poll Clerk	do do
John Lang	do do
William McClutchy	do do
Mathew Wilkins	do do
Joseph Brady	do do
Henry Font	do do
Jonathan Miller	do do
Thomas James	do do
William Randle	do do
Walter McNizer	do do
John Freeman	do do
John Cully	do do
Oliver Nuss	do do
Michael Griffiths	do do
John Small	do do
James Foster	do do
H. D. Woods	do do
Patrick Mee	do do
Samuel Paterson	do do