

such sum as may be determined upon under any instructions that may be considered necessary.

The Company will thereupon proceed with the undertaking, and on its completion lay before the Governor or person administering the government, a statement of the actual expense incurred in effecting it, with the vouchers, and if he is satisfied the Company will then either receive payment of the amount, if there is money in the hands of government belonging to the Improvement Fund, provided by the sixth article of the memorandum of agreement before referred to, or be allowed credit for the amount in the next ensuing payment of the purchase-money, according as it may have been previously arranged. It is understood that the Company are to make no charge for or on account of their officers superintending the undertaking, or expending the money in the manner authorized by the Governor or person administering the government.

In case of such protracted differences of opinion between the Governor or person administering the government and the Company, on the mode of laying out the amount to be expended on public works, as shall appear to the Governor or person administering the government to render any further attempt to conclude a mutual agreement in the colony useless, the question shall be referred to the Secretary of State, whose decision shall be final.

Signed by Mr. Secretary Spring Rice, Downing-street, 6th August 1834.

T. Spring Rice.

Signed by Nathaniel Gould, Chairman of a Court of Directors, in pursuance of a resolution to that effect, 4, Barge-yard, Bucklersbury, 6th August 1834.

*Nathaniel Gould, Deputy-Governor,
Chairman of the Court of Directors.*

AMOUNT paid by the BRITISH AMERICAN LAND COMPANY, under the Agreement with His Majesty's Government of 3 December 1833.

	£.	s.	d.
20 March 1835. First Instalment, Without interest - - - - -	6,000	-	-
20 March 1836. Second Instalment, With two years' interest at four per cent -	6,480	-	-
20 March 1837. Third Instalment, With three years' interest at four per cent -	6,720	-	-
	19,200	-	-
Expended by the Company on public works within their land, in conformity with the Supplementary Article of 6 August 1834 -	15,754	5	6
£.	34,954	5	6

The above is presumed to be a correct statement of the sums paid by the British American Land Company. As, however, no late accounts on the subject have been received from the Earl of Gosford, His Lordship has been directed to furnish a Report forthwith.

Downing-street, 1 April 1837.

COPIES of a REPORT of the Select Committee of the House of Assembly of Lower Canada, respecting Mr. Thompson, Judge of the Inferior District of Gaspé, and of any CORRESPONDENCE between the Earl of Gosford and Lord Glenelg, on the subject of the Charges preferred against Mr. Thompson.

— No. 1. —

COPY of a DESPATCH from the Earl of Gosford to Lord Glenelg.

My Lord,

Castle of St. Lewis, Quebec, 6 Dec. 1836.

I HAVE the honour to transmit herewith certain accusations preferred by the House of Assembly, in the session of 1835-36, against the Honourable John Gawler Thompson, Judge of the Provincial Court of the Inferior District of Gaspé, arising out of a petition from Joseph Francois Deblois, esquire, an advocate practising in that court, and one of the members for the county of Bonaventure, together with the judge's vindication of himself.

The case is contained in the Sixth and Ninth Reports of the Standing Committee of Grievances, and in the ten accompanying documents, furnished by Mr. Thompson as his defence.

Agreement between
H. M. Government
and the British
American Land
Company.

Correspondence
respecting
Mr. Thompson.

Nos. 1 & 2.