

ted as a free grant, shall be hold to have been liable to taxation since the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, and all such lands shall be liable to taxation thenceforward, under the Act respecting the assessment of property in Upper Canada, in the same way as other land, whether any license of occupation, location ticket, certificate of sale, or receipt for money paid on such sale, has or has not been, or shall or shall not be issued, and (in the case of sale or agreement of sale by the Crown) whether any payment has or has not been, or shall or shall not be made thereon, and whether any part of the purchase money is or is not over-due and unpaid; but such taxation shall not in any way affect the rights of Her Majesty in such land.

10. The one hundred and thirty-eighth section of the said Act respecting the assessment of property in Upper Canada shall apply to all sales and conveyances which may be hereafter made under the authority of this Act.

11. Section one hundred and eight of the said Act, chapter fifty-five of the Consolidated Statutes for Upper Canada shall be amended, by inserting after the word "granted," in the third line, the words "sold, or agreed to be sold by the Crown."

12. Section one hundred and three of the said Act, chapter fifty-five of the Consolidated Statutes for Upper Canada shall be amended, by substituting "May" for "March," in the third line.

REGULÆ GENERALES.

MICHAELMAS TERM, 27 VICTORIA.

The following Rules shall come into force and take effect upon and after the first day of Hilary Term next, but shall not apply to any rules granted or issued before that day.

NEW TRIAL, &c. LIST.

1. The party who obtains any rule nisi for a new trial, or for entering a nonsuit or a verdict, or for increasing or reducing a verdict on leave reserved, may, on or after the fourth day inclusive after the serving such rule, file the same, together with an affidavit of service, with the Clerk of the Court granting such rule.

2. The party served with any such rule may (if the same has not been already filed by the party who obtained the same), on or after being served therewith, file the copy served, with an affidavit of the fact and time of such service, with the Clerk of the Court granting such rule.

3. In case the party to whom any such rule is granted shall neglect or delay to draw up and serve the same, the opposite party may, on or before the fifth day after the granting such rule, and upon filing with the Clerk an affidavit that the rule has not been served, enter a *ne recipiatur* with such Clerk; after which the Clerk shall not receive or enter such rule in the book hereafter required to be kept by him, and such rule shall be deemed to be abandoned, and the opposite party may proceed as if no such rule had been moved for or granted.

4. The Clerk shall, immediately on the receipt of any rule or copy under the first or second rule, enter a memorandum thereof in a book to be kept for that purpose, in the order in which the same shall be delivered to him; such memorandum to be according to the following form:

TERM, (year).

Plaintiff's name.	Defendant's name.	Description of Rule.	When filed with the Clerk	How disposed of.

5. On the first Saturday, the second Tuesday, and the second Friday of every Term, the Court of Queen's Bench, after going through the bar to hear motions for rules nisi or motions of course, will hear the rules so entered, according to the order in which they stand, in preference to any other business. And on the first Friday, second Monday, and second Wednesday of every Term, the Court of Common Pleas will, after going through the bar to hear motions for rules nisi or motions of course, hear the rules so entered according to the order in which they stand, in preference to any other business.

6. Each Court, in its discretion, will hear any rule so entered, when both parties are present and prepared to proceed.

7. If, when a rule is called on in its proper order, the party who obtained the same does not appear to support it, and the opposite party attend and applies to have it discharged, such rule may be discharged accordingly.

8. If the party called upon to show cause does not appear when the rule is called on in its proper order, the Court will hear the other side *ex parte*, and dispose of the rule.

9. If neither party appear, the rule may, in the discretion of the Court, be treated as having lapsed, and be struck out of the Clerk's books.

10. In the absence of other business, the Court may in their discretion hear rules so entered on any other days during term besides those mentioned in the fifth rule—the parties to the rule being present and desirous to proceed.

11. Each court will, on sufficient ground shown upon affidavit, enlarge a rule so entered to a subsequent day in the same Term, or to the following Term, and the Clerk shall alter the entry accordingly, and place the enlarged rule at the foot of the list.

12. All rules entered by the Clerk as aforesaid, which remain unheard at the end of any term, shall be enlarged as of course on filing a motion paper to that effect, to the following term, and shall be forthwith re-entered in the Clerk's book in the order in which they then stand, for hearing in the next ensuing term.

PLEADING SEVERAL MATTERS AND DEMURRING.

In all cases in which a judge's order to plead and demur, or to plead several matters, is rendered necessary according to the Consolidated Statutes of Upper Canada, chapter 22, sections 109 and 110, the original order or a copy thereof shall either be attached to the Nisi Prius record or demurrer book, or shall be copied in the margin thereof; and in case of non-compliance with this rule, the Clerks or Deputy Clerks of the Crown shall not pass the record, nor shall the demurrer be argued.

(Signed) W. H. DRAPER, C. J.  
 WM. B. RICHARDS, C. J. C. P.  
 JOHN H. HAGARTY, J. Q. B.  
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 ADAM WILSON, J. C. P.  
 JOHN WILSON, J. C. P.

Michaelmas Term, Nov. 28, 1863.