

loyalty and attachment to Her Majesty's person and Government, but also their firm determination to resist to the utmost of their power whatever may tend to dismember the British empire, of which they rejoice to consider the North American colonies a part.

Deeply sensible of the many blessings which the North American colonies have enjoyed under the British constitution, and thankful to Divine Providence for the peace and happiness which continue to reign in this section of the island, the inhabitants of Prince Town, Prince Town Royalty, and vicinity, humbly request your Excellency to acquaint their beloved Sovereign with the sentiments expressed by them on the present occasion; and also that their firm obedience to the laws may at all times be with confidence relied on.

Prince Town Royalty,
20 January 1838.

On behalf of the meeting,
(signed) *Joseph Pope*, Chairman.

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EDWARD
ISLAND.

No. 41.

Sir C. A. Fitzroy
to Lord Glenelg,
29 January 1838.

Encl. 2, in No. 41.

— No. 42. —

COPY of a DESPATCH from Sir *Charles A. Fitzroy*, K. H., to Lord *Glenelg*.

Government House, Prince Edward Island,
2 March 1838.

My Lord,

I HAVE the honour to transmit to your Lordship an Address from the inhabitants of the North-west Section of Prince County in this island, expressive of their regret at the insurrection in the Canadas, and of their loyalty and attachment to the British Crown and constitution, which I am requested to forward to your Lordship, with a view to its being submitted to Her Majesty.

I have, &c.
(signed) *Charles A. Fitzroy*, Lieut.-Governor.

No. 42.

Sir C. A. Fitzroy
to Lord Glenelg,
2 March 1838.

Enclosure in No. 42.

To His Excellency Sir *Charles Augustus Fitzroy*, K. H., Lieutenant-Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Island, Prince Edward, and its Dependencies, Chancellor and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c. &c. &c.

Encl. in No. 44.

May it please your Excellency,

THE inhabitants of townships, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 14, and their vicinity, avail our selves of this opportunity of expressing our loyalty and fidelity to the British Crown and constitution, and, at a public meeting this day convened for that purpose, have declared our sentiments, deeply deploring the unfortunate situation of affairs in the Canadas, and loss of so many brave men, who fearlessly offered their services in defence of their Queen, constitution, and country; at the same time we cannot but rejoice at the signal victory that Her Majesty's loyal troops and militia have obtained over such numbers of rebellious subjects, and trust that their diabolical proceedings may soon be terminated.

Duly appreciating the numerous blessings and advantages we derived in this fertile island, and patronized as we have been by our most gracious Queen's much revered and lamented father, and thankful to Divine Providence for the innumerable benefits we enjoy, and in particular for having been favoured with a humane and wise governor, who we believe to have the prosperity of this island at heart.

We, therefore, beg leave to request that your Excellency will condescend to convey to our beloved Sovereign our sentiments on the present occasion, hoping that peace and tranquility may flourish in all the British colonies.

Signed on behalf of the meeting,
James Yeo, Chairman.

Port Hill, 15 February 1838.