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1835. July 3. Drogheda.

Battersby to the same. Sends copy of Minute in Council approved by the Lieut. Governor and asks for a favourable decision on the matter.

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Enclosed. Copy of the minute referred to on the petition of Battersby for a grant of land.

July 3, Treasury.

Sends copies of letters and certificates of the payment Stewart to Hay. of the proceeds of clergy reserves received at Toronto. 100

Enclosed. Routh to Stewart. Sends copy of certificate to Peter Robinson of payment of the proceeds of clergy reserves on 27th February, 1835.

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Routh to Stewart. Sends copy of certificate to Peter Robinson for payment of the proceeds of clergy reserves on 5th February, 1835. Certificate.

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July 6,

Mackenzie to Glenelg. Sends copy of petition from U. E. loyalists sent Williamstown to Colborne to be transmitted to the King. Sends also list of loyalists and their families except a few who are absent, all of whom are affected by the provincial Act of 1819 and solicit a favourable consideration of their case.

> Enclosed. Petition of Scotch Highlanders, U. E. loyalists, representing that the exemption from taxation had been cancelled by a provincial Act. As many of the grants have been forfeited under this law they are willing to bear their share of the taxes but they ask for such a revision of the law as will secure to them and their children the lands granted by the King's bounty.

> List of U. E. loyalists and their descendants in Glengarry in 1835. are 80 heads of families and the number of descendants is given down to great grand children.

> James to Glenelg. Reminds His Lordship that he is on the list for an appointment. His qualifications.

July 6. Camberwell. July 7, Admiralty.

Wood to Hay. Requests he would bring under Glenelg's consideration the propriety of promoting the establishment of an observatory in Upper Canada. One half of the globe is connected by a chain of observatories, whilst the other is destitute of the means of furthering the purposes of astronomy. It is equally wanting in the material objects of geography. The subject has been strangely overlooked. The observatory at St. Helena is about to be dismantled and the instruments in it would be available for the proposed observatory, thus saving expense. Should this suggestion be approved of, an inventory might be sent to the Admiralty to ascertain what further instruments are wanted.

Boulton to Grey. Had left a letter from his brother D'Arcy Boulton with a memorial to which he was told no answer could be made until a As he understands that Dunn dispatch was received from Colborne. brought the dispatch is anxious to know if his brother's application has been favourably considered as he proposes to for leave Canada shortly. 180

Wood to Hay. The Lords of the Admiralty have requested Gosford to forward the establishment of an observatory in Canada and especially take

measures for selecting the proper site.

Lack to the same. Remarks on the charter of Banks in Upper Canada by the Lords of Trade, who cannot recommend the approval of the Gore Bank Act, nor, as at present advised, the extension of the Midland District

July 20, London.

July 10,

London.

July 14,

July 15. Whitehall.

Admiralty.

Francis to Glenelg. Submits for approval copies of the Upper Canadian Land Advertiser. Several arrivals have taken place already through its means, even with the circulation Talbot can give it and the support of government would give it increased effect to attract the tide of emigration.