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1822. February 20, London.

James George to Gordon. He has lately travelled through Upper and Lower Canada and now reports on the method of contracting for flour. There should be ascertained the nature and extent of the contracts and the quality, rate and period of the last contracts. Respecting the quality and quantity, 40,000 barrels of superfine flour, can be produced fit for export to the West Indies; a second quality marked fine is sufficiently so to make the best bread, but is reported without proof, as not likely to keep in a warm climate like the West Indies. That is the kind of which the largest quantity could be furnished 100,000, being rather an understatement, and any encouragement would increase the supply largely. The improvement that could be effected in the trade by the St. Lawrence, were a check put on the smuggling of the United States, by allowing Canada to participate in a direct trade to India, under conditions which might be favourable to the East India Company and afford an extensive trade through Canada with the Western States. Page 170

Memorial of merchants for a share of the contracts for flour to the West Indies. 174

August 26, Kingston.

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January 21, Whitehall.

W. Sheriffe to Bathurst. Has been informed that the explanation respecting his complaint against Joel Stone has been satisfactory, but does not know, if other steps are to be taken. The delays in the case. Is afraid that unless a higher power intervene, he will be denied justice. 500 Hobhouse to Wilmot Horton. He (Horton) has written down, Blener-

hasset an ass; he may now write him a knave; if sent to colonise, it should be to New South Wales. 146

February 26, York.

(See Blenerhasset's letter to Wilmot Horton, 5th July, 1824.)
Notice by the Board of Education of the sale of school reserves. Lists attached.

March 8. Treasury.

Harrison to Maitland. Enclosed in Herries to Wilmot Horton, 12th August, 1824. Enclosed in Planta to Wilmot Horton, 16th Decem-

June 6. Council Office. ber, 1824.

J. B. Robinson to W. Atkinson. Enclosed in Barrow to Wilmot

York August 5,

July 28.

Horton, 13th September, 1824. -to Wilmot Horton. Enclosed in J. B. Robinson to Wilmot of

London. 1824. 18th February, 1824. Memorial of Daniel Koehler for land, in Upper Canada, for his son,

January 2 Enniscorthy.

and prays for an order that it be given free of fees. Note with the above, that no such scale of fees exists in Upper Canada.

Had always understood that the fees on 500 acres amounted to £20 10s.  $2\frac{1}{2}$ d. The writer of the memorial states them to be £125.

Memorandum to Bathurst. That the fees in Upper Canada, appear to be too high, and that advantage might be taken of the petition to make

January 2, Temple.

inquiry and to ask for a table of fees.

J. W. Bannister to Wilmot Horton. Hearing that a number of people are to be sent to Canada next summer, offers his services.

January 8, Grand River.

Memorial of Alexander Glen for land which had been refused him on the ground that he had not served during the war, which he had done as a naval officer and complied with the conditions prescribed.

January 8, J. B. Robinson to Wilmot Horton. If the question of union has again York. been taken up by the Cabinet, hopes that that of a more general