

NO. 124.
Sundry Reports.

No. 20.	64 patterns to centre flowers.....	5 17 4
No. 21.	12 large raffaled leaves to centre pieces, cast solid, and under cut and fixed up with screw bols and nuts.....	18 18 0
No. 22.	24 seed leaves, and seeds to crisps of do.....	2 16 0
No. 23.	20 Moulded trusses and clasps cast solid, and under cut, and fixed at intersections.....	21 10 0
No. 24.	4 Laurel leaves cast solid and under cut.....	19 5 0
No. 25.	2,343 Yards 6 feet superficial of two coat plastering at 1s. 6d.....	213 4 6
No. 26.	951 Yards 5 feet of lathing only, at 7d..... £27 14 9	27 14 9
	This amount we presumed considered the whole of the lathing as finished	
	There is only 742 yards done at 7d.....	21 12 10
	£1129 8 10....£	4325 6 6½

We consider the items passed without remarks to be reasonable charges.

All of which is most humbly submitted by your most obedient humble servants.

JOHN EWART,
THO'S PARKE.

April 16th, 1832.

To GRANT POWELL, Esq. Commissioner.

No. 5.

The Government of Upper Canada, by the Commissioners for the Parliament Buildings,
To Joseph Turton, Dr.

To deductions made from his account by Messrs. Parke and Ewart, as follows :

On measurement of Brick.....	£163	5 9	
On Plaster Cornices.....	57	2 4½	
On Lathing.....	6	1 11	
On Scaffolding.....	10	0 0	
On Pugging or Deafening Floors.....	8	9 1½	
			£244 19 2
To deduction made by the Commissioners for making brick yard.....			35 0 0
To an estimate made by order of the Commissioners for their information, of the work that had to be done after the plastering, the amount being £313 12s. 3d.—2 per cent on it is.....			6 5 0
To 95 yards of plastering in 1832, at 11d.....			4 7 1
To omission by self in item No. 4 of 8,200 bricks, labour only, at 15s.....			6 3 0
			£296 14 3
By use of brick yard made by M. Priestman, two months, a proportion.....			5 18 7
			£290 15 8

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The undersigned does solemnly swear that he drew out the contract between Joseph Turton and Matthew Priestman for the building of the Parliament House, and that it was clearly understood by the parties that sixteen bricks would be allowed per foot.

THOMAS APPLETON.

Sworn before me
this 14th day of April, 1835. }

T. D. MORRISON,

Alderman,

No. 6.

We the undersigned, Master Masons and Carpenters of the Town of York, do hereby certify that the usual customary and proper method of measuring brick work, when the wall is one and a half brick thick or what is technically called reduced brick work, is by allowing bricks 16 per foot. We instance several buildings in this Town, both public and private, that are built with statute bricks, and which have been measured and allowed 16 and in some buildings 17 per foot. The College buildings and the Attorney General's private house are of the latter description. The College buildings measured by Mr. Duncan Kennedy, and approved of by Colonel Fitz Gibbon. The Scotch Kirk measured by Mr. Parke the partner of Mr. Ewart. The Honorable Colonel Allan's private house. Also the Jail and Court House and many others to numerous to mention.

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| Sheldon Ward, | Allan Simpson, | William Shaw, |
| Robert Stewart, | Daniel Morrison, | James Turner, |
| William Bennet, | Jacob Latham, | W. Thorn, |
| Christoph Clarke, | Wm. Bolton, | Philip Thorn, |
| Joseph Hill, | Richard McAdams | John Hay, |
| John Thomson, | John Ritchey, | Wm. Hutchinson, |
| Thos. Summers, | Robert Petch, | Robert Ford, |
| Richard Watson, | William Bulliver, | John Mills, |
| Samuel Hill, | John Lacey, | Thomas Mills, |
| Joseph Radford, | A. Wallace, | W. C. Bell, |
| Harvey Gilbert, | Edward Shaw, | Joseph Martin, |
| Wm. Heather, | James Dunn, | John Harper, |
| Daniel Simmons, | William Paine, | Isaac White, |

No. 7.

I certify that I have had occasion to make enquiry respecting the measure of Brick laid up in Walls, and that I have ascertained the number required for each foot, to be from sixteen to seventeen and a half, but most commonly sixteen which is the number used in my own buildings.

J. G. CHEWETT.

York 3d March 1834.