

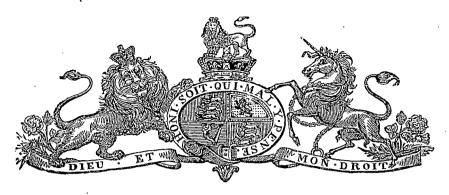
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## PETITION AGAINST ADDITIONAL TAXATION

FRON THE DISTRICT OF DELORAINE.

Presented by Mr. Rooke, and ordered by the House to be printed, 12 February, 1857.



To the Honourable the Members of the House of Assembly, in Parliament assembled.

The Petition of the under-mentioned Inhabitants of the District of Deloraine.

## RESPECTFULLY SHOWETH:

That the present Expenditure of the Government is excessive, and ought to be reduced within the amount derived from the present system of Taxation; and that your Petitioners suggest the propriety of postponing the imposition of any new Taxes until the Commission enquiring into the various Departments have reported.

That your Petitioners consider the financial scheme proposed by the Treasurer is in opposition to sound principles of political economy, and if carried into effect would be inimical to the best interests of the Colony.

Your Petitioners therefore pray that your Honourable House will not sanction additional Taxation until it is seen that the present Expenditure of the Government cannot be reduced.

And your Petitioners, &c.

C. Grant, junior William M'Coy Fleming Campbell William Callaghan H. S. Hutchinson J. M. Roberts Martin Blake P. Keane John Bramich George Cape Wm. Blair Thomas Bramich John Yupper Joseph Bramich N. Poole W. Eastley James Powlett W. B. Kingswell John Nunce James Buck, his x mark F. R. Bonner Patrick Connelly John Buckley H. Bentinck Wm. Boneley Jas. Johnstone J. F. Johnstone David W. Hay John Hay Jas. Hay Wm. Grice A. Fowler, his  $\times$  mark H. Jones

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A. J. Horne John Spencer J. Heath Wm. Cooney Robert Smith John M'Cairgue, his x mark Sam. Henry John Conroy, his x mark Richard Edgecumbe William Betts Thomas D. Boyd William Shepperd Thomas Andrews Stephen Stacey John Jago, his × mark Joseph Jibbles
Daniel Bailey
Walton Whiteley Harry Payne Bryan Conn James Lockett Jeremiah Fielding William Morris Donald Duff John Morris Angus M'Nele Andrew Nettage Thomas Clare John Stone, his × mark James Riddle Charles Stone, his  $\times$  mark Edward Warren William Eley John Frazer, his x mark

William Harris, his imes mark William Stamford James Browne John Sweeney John Ward Henry Ward William Dudley Daniel Keating James Keating James Harrick Patrick Gray Thomas Casey James Green J. Daves John Speed Denis Leady Thomas Betton John White John Lambert James Connor James Green James Jubb Benjamin Sykes George Grant William Exall William Jackson David Robertson Robert Pease John Hicks Daniel Griffin David Reynolds Wm. Drinkwater Francis Reynolds

William Heathcote, his×mark

Owen Reynolds
Henry Riggs
Amos West
Patrick Burns
Thomas Crawley
John Addison
Thomas Addison
James Nairne
Charles Downing
James Stone
Wm. Wright
Jonathan Lumsden
Wm. Morgan
John Willock
William H. Cay
John Cubit
John Hawkes
Daniel Foster
James Foster
John Roberts
T. O. Harrow

J. Needman
Wm. Brown
John Brown
Joseph Graham
John Hart
Wm. Johnston
Ambrose Nichols
Sam. Sepey
W. A. Johnstone
Thos. Duncan
R. H. J. Johnstone
W. J. Johnston
James Ganeon
Alexander Robertson
Fredk. Stone
Adam Elphinstone
Isaac Thamar
William Presnell
Daniel Fenton
John Grenaye
William Lippett

William Simes
Michael M'Cormick
Richard Burton
Robert Burney
M. L. M'Cormick
George Coltman
Denis Martin
Thomas Tye
Archibald Thompson
James John Lane
Edward Young
William Humphreys, Deloraine
C. Hortley, Cheshunt
Richard Coffey, his × mark,
Dunarlin
John Grigg, Deloraine
Matthew Hares, Red Hill,
Deloraine
H. S. J. Edgecumbe, Deloraine

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