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To His Excellency Sir John Colborne  
Kt. C.B. Lieutenant Governor of the  
Province of Upper Canada, Major  
General Commanding His Majesty's Forces  
therein &c &c &c In Council

The petition of Joseph Hall of the  
Township of Missouri in the London District  
Yeoman

Humbly sheweth

That your petitioner  
in 1824 obtained a grant of 100 acres of  
Land with others similarly situated,  
with the privilege of having 100 acres  
more, under the then existing regulations  
of 1820, upon paying the stipulated  
fees; your petitioner therefore paid  
the fees <sup>in part</sup> and was allowed to locate  
the West half of No. 5 in the 2<sup>d</sup> Concession  
of Missouri, paying the sum of Five pounds  
as a first Instalment, he then paid the  
sum of 1. 5. 0, to the Deputy Surveyor  
of the District, for his inspection, and  
Certificate that the Lot was vacant, and  
without Improvement, your petitioner  
then expended the further sum of Three  
pounds fifteen Shillings, for cutting  
and clearing of the Road; this being  
effected, your petitioner conceived himself  
secured in the Lot, and returned to Ireland  
for the purpose of bringing out his family  
but from severe sickness amongst them,  
and under causes, over which your  
petitioner had no controul, he was prevented  
~~to~~ from fulfilling his Intentions  
until the commencement of last year,  
when your petitioner returned accompanied

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92p by his family, and took possession of the  
Lot, but not having fully complied at the time  
with the regulations of 1820, in  
consequence of his unavoidable absence  
he is now in difficulty, and prays your  
Excellency, that he may be allowed  
to fulfil the conditions contained in  
the regulations of 1820, so that  
in due time he may be enabled  
to procure his Deed

Your petitioner supplicates it  
under no other Intention but  
of making it a permanent  
location for himself and  
family, which can be fully  
attested,

and your petitioner  
as in Duty bound  
will ever pray

Signed Joseph Hall

Jos. Talbot  
Land Agent

King's Post  
Yorks  
21. Aug. 1833

Answer given to Mr. Talbot 11. October 1833

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In Council  
27 September 1833.  
Recommended

Peter Robinson  
J.C.  
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Order of Council  
2 October 1833

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Petition of

Joseph Hall

of the Township of

Referred to the

Surveyor General

to report hereon

for the information

of the Hon<sup>ble</sup> the

Executive Council

By Command

W. Ross

On the 29 December

1839. The Petitioner was

granted 100 acres of land

under the Regulations

of the 6 July 1834 which

was located on the East

Half of the 10<sup>th</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> in the

100<sup>th</sup> Concession of the said Township and a description for

the same of the said Township on the 7<sup>th</sup> Jan<sup>y</sup> 1824.

An additional grant of 100 acres was made

there upon which the first instalment of

fee was paid, and a location of the said

Half of the 10<sup>th</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Concession of the

same Township was made there on the 8<sup>th</sup> of

the same Month and year, subject to the

usual settlement duties within two years

from the date of the location, The said

remains as located to the Petitioner and Mr

Deputy Surveyor Canoll reports the roads

clear in front of the said Half lot, nothing

else done

W. Ross

27<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1839.

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