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To His Excellency Sir John Colborne M.C.B.
Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Upper
Canada & & in Council

The Petition of Selah Stiles the
Younger of the Township of Norwich in the
London District Yeoman

Humbly sheweth

That Your Petitioner is the son of
Selah Stiles of the Township of Norwich
aforesaid Yeoman an enrolled M.C.
Loyalist who has attained the age of
Twenty one Years and upwards has
taken the oath of allegiance to His
Majesty as will appear by the annexed
Certificate and has never drawn any
lands or order for Lands from the Crown

Wherefore Your Petitioner humbly
prays Your Excellency may be pleased
to grant him two hundred acres of the
waste lands of the Crown And your
Petitioner

as in duty bound
Recommended by
Thomas Talbot
Super^r

Will ever pray
his
Selah X Stiles
Mark

London 14th April 1831-

London District
to wit

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We Nathlon Burwell Justice
Chairman and John Btshin Clerk of
the peace certify that Selah Stiles
personally appeared in open Court of General
Quarter Sessions of the peace this day is
recognized by the Magistrates of the London
District to be the son of Selah Stiles of the
Township of Norwich Vermont an enrolled
M^c C Loyalist who retained his loyalty
during the late war without suspicion of
aiding and assisting the Army And
that the said Selah Stiles the Younger
was not then of age to do duty in
defence of the Province

(Dated in open General Quarter
Sessions of the Peace held at London
this 14th day of April in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and thirty one

M. Burwell
Chairman

John Btshin
Clerk of the Peace
London District

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No 158.
Selah Stiles.
The younger, for Land in N. W. Co.

Gov. House
16 July 1831
Referred to the ~~Commissioner~~ Inspector
General to report thereon
for the information of
the Honble the Ex: Council
By command
W. M. Mackenzie
Secy

J. W. C. C.
J. B. W. C.
Inspector

In Council 21st July 1831.

Recommended.
J. B. W. C.
7th 1831

Manant N. 174th signed 23rd July 1831

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London District
to wit

I hereby certify that below
files of the Township of Norwich in
said District Roman has taken and
subscribed the oath of allegiance as
required by Law in open Court of General
Quarter Sessions of the Peace held at London
this 14th day of April 1831

M. B. ...
Chairman

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London District
to wit

Selah Stiles of the Township of
Norwich German maketh oath and
swath that he is the person he describes
himself to be in the within Petition
is of the full age of Twenty one years
and upwards and has never
received any Land or order for
Lands from the Crown.

Sworn before me in Open General
Quarter Sessions of the Peace held
at London this 14th day of January 1831
having been first read & explained

his
Selah Stiles
Mark

John Bestwick, J.P.

London District
to wit

Robert Robson of the Township of
London German maketh oath and
swath that Selah Stiles is the person
he describes himself to be in the
within petition is of the full age
of twenty one years and upwards
and has never received any lands
or order for lands from the Crown
to the best of this deponents belief

Sworn before me in Open General
Quarter Sessions of the Peace held at
London this 14th April 1831

Robert Robson

John Bestwick, J.P.