

To His Excellency Sir John Colborne, K. C. B.
 Lieutenant Governor of the Province of
 Upper Canada, Major General Commanding
 His Majesty's Forces therein - &c &c &c
 The Petition of Sarah Dietz, Widow of the late
 Lieut Arthur Dietz

Merrill Sheweth

That the late Lieut A. Dietz under
 order in Council granting him his quota of
 Lands upon the usual conditions received
 a location of Lot No Twenty Six in the fourth
 Concession of Nipouri 115 Acre and the West
 part of the Lot No Twenty Seven in the ^{third} ~~fourth~~
 Concession of Terra 135 Acre as the amount
 of the remission of the purchase Money to which
 he was entitled according to the Scale.

That the said Lieut A. Dietz died
 intestate 3^d April 1835 - leaving issue four
 Children one Daughter married, a Son about fifteen
 and two Daughters one fifteen the other eleven
 and now with the most inadequate means
 to their support and bringing up -

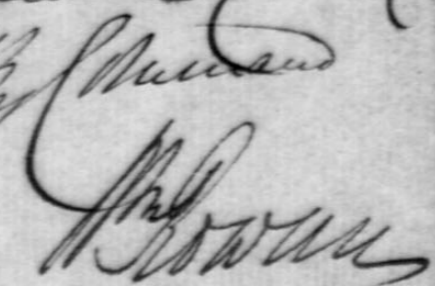
Your Petitioner therefore prays Your
 Excellency may be pleased to order that the
 Patent may issue in her name in trust for
 the

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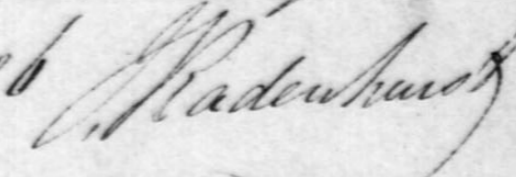
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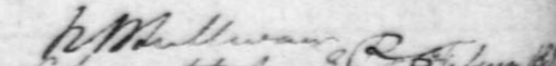
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The Petition V 20
of
Lieut. Deitch No 17
widow of the late
Lieut. Col. Deitch.

Yr. Hon^r
20 July 1838
Referred to the
Survey General
Department
for the information
of the Hon^r the
Executive Council
By 

20 July 1835.

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Under Certificate from the Commissioner of
Crown Lands dated 30 June 1834. Lieut
Arthur Deitch late of the 9th Royal Veteran
Regiment was allowed a concession
of 5 173 - 1 - 6 1/4 and a Location
of 24 40 28 in the 14th Concession of
Tippuani 115 Ares and the front Part
of 24 40 27 in the 14th Concession of
Lona 116 Ares was made to him
for which no description has issued
19th March 1838 

another location, of rather more than equal
value than the one lost. The legal right to
the Deitch's land is in the heir at law, who
is not of age. his course is to claim under
the heir and division commission after which
he can make such equitable division as
he may think proper. 
Communicated 10 July 1837. 70th copy sent to him 24 Feb 1837.

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The benefit of the Children above mentioned
 of the said Lieut. G. Bitch deceased upon such
 conditions as under the circumstances Your
 Excellency may be pleased to direct.

Your Petitioner begs further to add
 that her Son is perfectly willing to abide by
 the arrangement as above proposed for
 and as in duty bound

Your Petitioner will ever pray

Janet Vitch

City of Toronto
 17th July 1835.

by G. W. W. W. W. W.
 Agent

address

M^{rs} Vitch
 Toronto
 Playford
 Toronto District

Northrock 27th Nov 1835

Sir

With reference to the petition who you drew up some months ago for Mr. Ketch, I have now to request that you will make enquiry as to what progress it has made and acquaint me of it - When I was at Toronto last the petition was lying with the Surveyor General for his Report, and from the conversation I had with him I had reason to anticipate that whatever report he might make it would be favorable, or that at least it would not be against us - Mr. Ketch is the more anxious to have the affair brought to a termination as the person who obtained a Location Ticket for part of the Land subsequently to theirs seems determined to put Mr. Ketch to as much trouble in the matter as possible - and has after having once declared that he would have nothing more to do with the Land, gone upon it again - When you write I will thank you to inform me what method of procedure we ought to

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adopt to put an end to this antiquated system of annoyance -

I am

Yours

Your most obedt servant

Wm. L. Rice

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Spragg Esq
Land agent
Woodstock M^{rs} Churchs Buildings
1 Dec^r 1835
Toronto

17d

What date is July 1835

To the Honble Peter Robinson
Commissioner of Crown Lands

Hc Hc

Sir

With reference to the petition
to His Excellency the Lieut Governor by
my ^{mother} Mrs Janet Beitch praying that His
Excellency would order that the patent for
the Lands for which my father the late
Lieut Arthur Beitch was located Lot No 26
in the 14th Concession of Missouri & West
part of 27 in the 1st Concession of Lona may
issue in my Mothers name in trust
for the benefit of their children jointly
I have to state that I am perfectly agree-
able that the patent should issue in
the manner above mentioned it being
my wish as I know it was my fathers
intention that the Land should be divided
among the children equally. If you wish
any more formal document from me on the
subject I am perfectly willing to sign it
and I bind myself to execute any other writ-
ing that may be deemed necessary at a future
period giving up all claim which I have to
the said Lands as the heir of my father and
corroborating the present arrangement
prayed for by my mother

Woodstock

9th Sept

1835

I am Sir

Your most obed^t Serv^t
John Beitch

Witnessed
John Wiley
James Hanson

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To
The Surveyor General
Toronto

Wm. Beitch.

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See that Point in the book of survey
Legal weight to which Nelson should
attach his relinquishment

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