

Document List

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MIC-Loyalist FC LSC .N6U5B4C6

- Cossitt, Rev. Ranna** (1744-1815), an Anglican clergyman who came to Cape Breton from Connecticut. A will drawn up at Sydney, 1810, and another at Yarmouth, 1818. Letterbook, 1785-1810. This book includes several pages of mathematics lessons.
- Cox, Capt.**, a farmer and retired military man, personal papers. A memo to Cox to mention to Messrs. Pryor and Gauge the need to secure a conveyance of real estate to Mrs. John O'Brien, n.d.
- Gibbons, Richard** (1734-1794), first Chief Justice of Cape Breton, personal letter. Letter to Dr. Alex Stewart concerning the medical profession, 1785.
- Gibbons, Richard** (1734-1794), personal papers. Appointment as 2nd Lieutenant, Regiment of Militia, N.S., 1753, and death certificate, 1794.
- Jones, Jonathan** (1741-1806), a farmer who was Baddeck's first settler, last will and testament. He was born in Connecticut, moved to New York and from there to Baddeck, Cape Breton.
- McKinnon, William** (d. 1817), a soldier during the War, personal papers. He later emigrated to Cape Breton where he became a member of the Executive Council and Registrar of Deeds. Land grant, 1793.
- MacLellan, Allan, and Taitt, David**, indenture, 1827, and mortgage, 1830.
- Meloney, John** (1738-1807), Loyalist, personal papers. He was a farmer at New York, and later Sydney, Cape Breton. Deed from Meloney to James Muggah, 1831.
- Meloney, John** (1738-1807), Sydney's first settler, personal papers. Born in Ireland, he moved to New York and then to Sydney, Cape Breton. The papers include his appointment as attorney for John Bond, and others, 1799. There is one document only.
- Muggah, John**, carpenter. Appointment as Lieutenant in the First or Northern Regiment of the Militia of the Island. Signed by Brigadier-General Swayne.
- Muggah, John**, crown lease. Signed by Benjamin Smyth, 1812.
- Nepean, N.**, character reference re Richard Gibbons, Jr., 1813.

Nepean, N., letter to Richard Gibbons, Jr., 1814.

O'Brien, John, memorial to His Excellency, Lieutenant-Governor J.F.W. DesBarres, concerning a land and water lot at Sydney, 1787.

Peters family history, 1066-1793.

Peters, John (1740-1793), Lieutenant-Colonel, Queen's Loyal Rangers, narrative. The narrative was written to a friend in London, 1786.

Storey, John, Surveyor-General of Nova Scotia, 1797, land grant. The grant extended from Sydney Harbour to St. Peter's Road.

Taitt, David (1740-1834), a survey engineer, land grant dated October 1802. The land was located at Miree (Mira), Nova Scotia.