Nelson August 29th 1848

Sir

In answer to your Circular of the 11th July last, requesting an answer to the following Queries; I beg to give you the following Explanation:

What is the Extent of Grounds you occupy? About 2 Roods.

Where situation? Haven Road

Date of Occupation?? About August 1843

By whose authority or under what circumstances you took possession?

Being Locker and Tidewaiter I was ordered by Mr Carkeek to have a House convenient to the Custom House.

The Value and Description of any Buildings or improvements on the Land?

A Wooden House with shingled Roof & Sheds = Value about 8£

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your Obedient Servant

John Gibson

To
His Honour
The Superintendent
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Nelson
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Nelson August 24th 1848

Sir

I answer to your Circular of the 11th July last, requesting an Answer to the following Queries: I beg to give you the following Explanation Viz

What is the Extent of Ground you occupy? about 2 Roods.

When situated? Hasen Road.

Date of Occupation? about August 1843

By whose authority & under what circumstances You took possession? Being locked & Ordered away by Mr Bartlett to leave a House connected to the Custom House

The Value and description of any Buildings or Improvements on the Land? a Wooden House with Shingled Roof & Sheds. Value about 8£.

I have the honor to be Sir Your Obedient Servant

Thos Eaton

To His Honor The Superintendent &c &c Nelson