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WHEREAS the *Plymouth* Proprietors (so called) have impowered *John North* Lieut. of *Pemaquid Fort*, and *Samuel Goodwin* of *Charlestown*, to survey large Tracts of Lands at the Eastern Parts of this Province; and in consequence thereof, the said *John North* (who by the Way eats the Governments Bread, and ought in our Apprehension to be attending his Duty at *Pemaquid Fort*) and *Samuel Goodwin* have of late taken a Survey of *Jeremy-Squam* or *Long-Island* lying in *Sheeps-cutt* River, as also the Lands on each Side of said River, which for more than Eighty Years past have been possessed and improved by Mr. *George Davie* and his legal Descendants, and by their Insinuations and Intreaties have prevail'd on several Inhabitants there to take up and hold under them, suggesting that the *Plymouth* Title is the only true Title to be depended on.

In Order to prevent such mean and abusive Constructions for the future, The Proprietors of the Lands formerly belonging to Mr. *George Davie* at the Adjournment of their Meeting in *Boston*, March 7. 1750, Voted, That an Extract of the Patent of the *Plymouth* Proprietors be herewith Printed, that every Person might judge for himself, and so prevent his being imposed upon, as many have heretofore been, as also to caution all Persons against making any Encroachments, Strip or Waste on said Lands, as the Proprietors thereof are determined to prosecute in the Law, any Person or Persons that shall Presume to do the same.

By Order of the Proprietors,

James Halsley Clerk.

BOSTON, March 7. 1750.

“ *Extract of the Plymouth Patent. viz.*

“ All that Tract of Land or Part of *New-England* in AMERICA aforesaid, which lieth
“ *within* or *between* and extendeth itself from the utmost Limits of *Cobbetscontee* alias
“ *Comasecontee*, which adjoineth to the River of *Kenebeck*, alias *Kennebeckite*, towards the
“ Western Ocean, and a Place called the *Falls* at *Nequumbite* in AMERICA aforesaid,
“ and the Space of Fifteen English Miles on each Side said River commonly called *Kennebeck*
“ River, and all the said River called *Kennebeck* that lieth *within* the said Limits and Bounds,
“ Eastward, Westward, Northward and Southward, last above mentioned, and all Lands,
“ Grants, Soils, Rivers, Waters, Fishings, Hereditaments and Profits whatever, situate
“ lying and being, arising, happening or accruing, or which shall arise, happen or accrue
“ *in* or *within* the said Limits or Bounds or either of them; Together with free Ingress,
“ Egress and Regress with Ships, Boats, Shallops or other Vessels, from the Sea commonly
“ called the Western Ocean to the said River called *Kennebeck*, and from said River to the
“ said Western Ocean, together with all *Prerogatives*, Rights, Royalties, Jurisdiction
“ ons &c.-----

