

Captain Southey's Instruction to Mr. Nicholas  
Loring

11th June 1812. Instruction formerly sent  
you & Brother Loring how he was particularly directed  
before making any law or leases of any part of the  
Injunctions when he found himself obliged to the few  
privileges left open. I have to consider Mr. Thelmon

Loring, my Will now is that no lease or leases be made  
thereof without my further orders having some thoughts  
to guard the Inhabitants of some parts thereof to the  
steps that are carrying on the Town Works thereabouts  
You can therefore as soon as possible send me a good  
account of your care of the value of those lands by the  
time which I have considered that I may know the  
better conduct. I am under a sense of them being the more  
concerned I would not have the expectation of the people in  
the least but that the said lands will be shortly par-  
cellled out by some such persons as are willing to pay  
reasonable considerations for the same.

After reading theforesaid Instructions his Ex: C: ac-  
quainted the Board that Mr. Nicholas Loring desired  
their advice and opinion how he should act with refer-  
rence to those Instructions there having been several  
times mentioned the not yet delivered and several sur-  
veys returned pursuant to the form of those Instructions

The Board taking the same into their Con-  
sideration of opinion return that according the publications  
in his Lordship's letter instruction that it is expedient  
according to his Lordship's own sense of it in the Case