

## TUCKERS TOWN JURY AWARDS LAND CLAIMS

On Tuesday last two cases were decided by juries in connection with the acquisition of land in Tucker's Town by the Bermuda Development Company, and the Commissioners inspected several properties and heard two claims which had been adjourned from a previous hearing.

The first case dealt with by the jury was that of Henry Nelmes, owner of about six acres of land and a cottage situate thereon. He was awarded £750.

John Peter Smith, owner of about 3½ acres of land and a cottage adjoining the property of Nelmes, was awarded £650 by the jury.

While these cases were under way, the Commissioners—Major R. W. Appleby, Mr. J. S. Pearman, M.C.P., and Mr. C. E. Astwood, M.C.P.—visited other properties, and also heard two cases.

T. O'Connor, whose case had been adjourned for him to consider an offer of £625, refused this, and it will therefore go to a jury.

In the matter of Charles Hollis, at the request of Mr. F. Goodwin Gosling, secretary of the Company, a further adjournment was granted.

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