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TORONTO, SIMCOE AND LAKE HURON RAILROAD.

The County of Simcor, formed in the township, being about 83 feet wide and 9 feet year 1843, is divided into 23 townships, and, deep. Its whole fall is 170 feet; and in Teaccording to Bouchette, contains 1,468,800

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In 1842 its population was....12,59225,753 ln 1850 do. Increase in eight years, equal to 1041 per cent.

The census of 1848 shews produce and live stock in the county, as follows, viz.

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Wheat grown293,071 bushels. Horses 3,327 The census report of 1850 shews that the

eight southern townships then contained a population of 15,924, equal to 621 per cent. of that of the whole county, and a similar proportion of produce and live stock.

The wheat is principally brought to the mills on the Humber river, for sale and to be ground

The water-power of Simcoe is superior to that of many other counties.

The NOTTAWASAGA RIVER, with its tributaries, flowing nearly midway through the township of Essa, from south to north, swells

cumseth, Adjala, Tosorontio and Essa, its aggregate motive power, with that of its branches, is setimated to be equal to that of 130 or 140 steam engines of 20 horse power each. This water-power is conveniently situated for converting into flour the grain produced in its immediate vicinity, which comprises the bulk of the grain of the grain to the grain produced in its immediate vicinity, which comprises the bulk of the growth of the whole county.

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A railroad rightly placed would at once make this water-power available as a source of wealth, add to the prosperity of the county, and furnish an easy down-hill transit to Toronto for its products.

The RIVER SEVERN is estimated to have power equal to two hundred 20 horse power steam engines, which, with that of the other streams, is not only sufficient to propel all the necessary machinery for home demands, but also to grind a large amount of wheat from the Western States; and a glance at the map will shew, that the water-power of the county of Simcoe needs but; the construction of the Northern Railroad to render its position for the latter purpose superior to that of either Oswego or St. Catherines, as regards capacity, distance, into a magnificent stream at the centre of that cheapness of transport and facility of cupply.

The COUNTY OF YORK and Canada West compared in area, population and property.

Canada West has 29 counties, and, according to Bouchette, contains 18,358,800 acres. The County of York (formerly Home District) contains 1,361,600 acres. Equal to 1-14th, or 71d per cent of the whole.

The tillage and pasture land of Canada West, in 1848, comprised 2,546,920 acres.

The tillage and pasture land of the County of York comprised 377,000 acres. Rating as 1-7th or 141 per cent. of the whole.
In Canada West, the ratable property, in 1848, was 8,567,0012.

In the County of York, the ratable property, in 1848, was 1,105,396l. Being nearly 1-8th or 12 per cent. of the whole.
West Canada population, in 1850, was 791,000.

York County population, in 1850, was 113,007. Equal to 1-7th or 14,0ths per cent. of that of the Upper Province.

York County and West Canada compared in Produce and Live Stock.

, -	West Canada.	1848. York County.	Portion of York County to the whole.		West Canada,	York County.	Portion of York County 1902 to the whole.
Wheat Oats Pease Barley	7,055,730 1,752,834	1,526,935 384,721		Cattle	151,389 565,845 833,807 484,241	66,262 105,033	$= \frac{1}{7} \text{ or } 14\frac{4}{10} \text{ p.ct.}$ $= \frac{1}{6} \text{ or } 11\frac{5}{6} \text{ p.ct.}$ $= \frac{1}{6} \text{ or } 12\frac{6}{10} \text{ p.ct.}$ $= \frac{1}{7} \text{ or } 14\frac{5}{10} \text{ p.ct.}$
	16,883,064	3,473,859	= 1 or 20 p.ct.	<i>P</i> = 0	2,035,282	263,797	= 1 or 13 p.ct