

An Act to alter the survey of that part of the Third Concession of the Township of Onondaga, commonly called "Martin's Bend," and to confirm a new survey thereof and for other purposes.

**W**HEREAS the Lots laid out in that part of the Third Concession Preamble.

West of Fairchild's Creek in the Township of Onondaga in the County of Brant, commonly called Martin's Bend, being part of the Indian Lands on the Grand River, according to the survey of the said Township made by James Kirkpatrick, Deputy Provincial Surveyor, are not adapted to the peculiar topographical position of the land in the said Bend: And whereas all the land in the said Bend has been settled upon, and the settlers have made improvements upon the lands occupied by them without reference to the shape or boundaries of the lots as defined by the said survey, and such settlers are desirous of purchasing the lands held by them without reference to such survey: And whereas a survey of the said Bend has been made by Lewis Burwell, a Deputy Provincial Surveyor, and a diagram thereof bearing date the thirty first-day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, subdividing the said Bend in accordance with the respective possessions of the several settlers in the said Bend has been submitted to His Excellency the Governor in Council, and is now among the plans in the Indian Department: And whereas the settlers in the said Bend have petitioned to be allowed to purchase the lands held by them in accordance with the said survey of the said Lewis Burwell, and that the several roads marked on said diagram should be established and confirmed as public highways: And whereas it is expedient that the said survey of the said James Kirkpatrick as far as the same relates to lots numbers twenty-one, twenty-two, twenty-three, twenty-four, twenty-five, twenty-six, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, twenty-nine, thirty and thirty-one of the said third Concession of the Township of Onondaga, being the Lots contained in the said Bend, should be set aside, and that the said survey of the said Lewis Burwell should be adopted in the place thereof; Therefore Her Majesty, &c., enacts as follows:

I. It shall and may be lawful for the Superintendent General of Indian Lands at Martin's Bend may be granted according to the Survey of Lewis Burwell.  
 30 affairs to sell and dispose of and cause to be granted all or any of the lands in the said Bend lying and being to the south west of the limit between Lots numbers twenty and twenty-one, and embracing lots from twenty-one to thirty-one both inclusive in the said Third Concession of the said Township of Onondaga, in accordance with the survey of the said Lewis Survey of Burwell substituted for that of Kirkpatrick.  
 35 Burwell, and without reference to the survey of the said James Kirkpatrick or the boundaries of Lots thereby established.

II. From and after the passing of this Act, the said survey of the said James Kirkpatrick, as far as the same relates to the subdivision of the said Bend south westerly from the said limit between lots numbers twenty and