

An Act to separate the front of the Township of Escott from the front of the Township of Yonge in the United Counties of Leeds and Grenville, for Municipal and other purposes.

**W**HEREAS certain of the inhabitants of the Front of the Township of Escott have represented by their Petition that their union with the Front of the Township of Yonge greatly retards the improvement, interest, and prosperity of Escott, and have prayed for an Act to dis-  
 5 unite and separate the Front of the Township of Escott from the Front of the Township of Yonge, and to erect the same into a separate Municipality; And whereas it is desirable to grant the prayer of such Petition: Therefore Her Majesty, &c., enacts as follows:

Preamble.

I. Upon, from and after the first day of January next after the passing  
 10 of this Act, the Front of the Township of Escott shall be disunited and separated from the Front of the Township of Yonge; and the broken front and first, second, third, fourth, fifth and sixth concessions of the said Township of Escott, together with the Islands in the River St. Lawrence in front thereof, shall for all municipal and election purposes, form  
 15 and become a separate and independent Township and Municipality, to be called "The Township of the Front of Escott," and shall be such separate Municipality for all municipal, school, judicial and other purposes whatsoever, in the same manner to all intents and purposes as though the said Front of the Township of Escott had never formed part  
 20 of the "Front of Yonge and Escott," and shall enjoy and exercise all the rights, powers, and privileges conferred by any Acts or Laws whatsoever upon Township Municipalities in Upper Canada.

After 1st Jan. the front of Escott to be separated from the front of Yonge, and to be a separate Municipality.

II. The front of the Township of Yonge, as heretofore constituted as part of the Municipality of the "Front of Yonge and Escott," shall, on  
 25 and after the said day, constitute a separate Township Municipality, by the name of the "Township of the Front of Yonge," and shall enjoy and exercise all the rights and privileges conferred upon Township Municipalities by the Acts and laws in force in Upper Canada.

The front of Yonge to be a separate Municipality.

III. The fifty-ninth, sixtieth, sixty-first, sixty-second, sixty-third, and  
 30 sixty-fourth sections of the *Act respecting the Municipal Institutions of Upper Canada* shall apply to the dissolution of the union between the said Front of Yonge and the said Front of Escott, the Front of Escott being reckoned the Junior Township, and the Front of Yonge the Senior.

Provisions of Municipal Act to apply as to present debts and obligations.

IV. For the purposes of the first Municipal Elections after the passing  
 of this Act, the Town Clerk for the Front of Yonge and Escott shall act as Returning Officer for the Front of Yonge, and the Reeve of the

Who shall be returning officers in first Municipal