

12. Any claim to land arising under any Act or under any Order in Council or other regulation of the Government heretofore in force, shall be determined by the Commissioner of Crown Lands, subject to such arrangement and order in respect to improvements on any particular lands as the Commissioner may think just; or the same may be satisfied by issuing to the party entitled, Land Scrip, or a certificate entitling him to purchase land to such an amount as the Commissioner of Crown Lands may find just; But no claim for land arising from Militia, United Empire Loyalist, or Military Rights, shall be entertained unless the same was actually located or admitted, or proof in support thereof sufficient in the opinion of the Commissioner of Crown Lands furnished, before the passing, on the fourteenth of June eighteen hundred and fifty-three, of the Act sixteenth Victoria, chapter one hundred and fifty-nine; and all land scrip or certificates entitling parties to purchase land issued prior to the passing of the said Act, shall be recognized and redeemed, in land or as payment for land; provided that such scrip and certificates be presented and established in the office of the Commissioner of Crown Lands before the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two.

13. The Governor in Council may appropriate any Public Lands as free grants to actual settlers upon or in the vicinity of any Public Roads opened through the said Lands in any new settlements, under such regulations as shall from time to time be made by Order in Council; But no such free grant shall exceed one hundred acres.

14. The Governor in Council may set apart and appropriate such of the Crown Lands as he deems expedient for the sites of Wharves or Piers, Market Places, Gaols, Court Houses, Public Parks or Gardens, Town Halls, Hospitals, Places of Public Worship, Burying Grounds, Schools, and for purposes of Agricultural Exhibitions, and for other like public purposes, and for Model or Industrial Farms; and at any time before the issue of Letters Patent therefor, may revoke such appropriation as seems expedient;—and may make free grants for the purposes aforesaid, the trust and uses to which they are to be subject being expressed in the Letters Patent;—But no such grant shall be for more than ten acres in any one instance and for any one of the purposes aforesaid; except for a Model or Industrial Farm, which shall not exceed one hundred acres.

SALES AND LICENSES OF OCCUPATION AND ASSIGNMENT THEREOF.

15. The Governor in Council may, from time to time, fix the price per acre of the public lands, and the terms and conditions of sale and of settlement and payment.

16. The Commissioner of Crown Lands may issue, under his hand and seal, to any person who has purchased or may purchase or is permitted to occupy or has been entrusted with