An Act to confirm a certain survey of the Concession Lines between the 8th, 9th and 10th Concessions of the Township of Hope, made by John Hewston, P. L. S., and for other purposes.

WHEREAS the eighth and minth and tenth concessions of the Town-Preamble. ship of Hope in the County of Durham, have been occupied for more than twenty years, according to the Surveys thereof made by the late Deputy Provincial Surveyor, John Hewston, according to which surveys, so made 5 by the late John Hewston, the settlers have entered into possession of their several lots or parts of lots, and made and arranged valuable and permanent improvements. And whereas, under instructions from the Crown Lands Department, a survey of the said concession lines was conducted by Deputy Provincial Surveyor, George A. Stuart, the adoption of which late surveys so conducted by the said George A. Stuart, would be productive of injurious consequences to the settlers generally; Therefore Her Majesty, &c., enacts as follows:

I. The survey conducted and made by the said Deputy Surveyor, George A. Stuart, of the said concession lines, of the Township of Hope aforesaid, shall be and is by this Act set aside and rendered null and void.

Survey of Stuart set aside.

II. The lines of the said concessions in front thereof, shall be and by this Act are established, as indicated by the original survey, and as intended by the survey made by the said John Hewston.

Hewston's survey confirmed.

20 III. Each and every the dividing monuments now known or acknowledged as having been fixed as such by the said John Hewston along the said concession lines, shall be and by this Act are made, constituted and established as so many of the dividing monuments between lots.

Hewston's monuments confirmed.

IV. Each and every the roads as now opened and travelled between 25 the lots in the said concessions, shall be severally, and by this Act are, established and declared to be on their proper allowances respectively.

Present roads confirmed.

V. The Honorable the Commissioner of Crown Lands is by this Act authorized and required to appoint a Surveyor who shall, and by this Act is authorized and required to fix monuments at the points of the lots— 30 to survey the unsurveyed side or dividing lines, according to the monuments fixed by the said John Hewston where such monuments are known, and where such monuments are not known, to divide the land equally between the two nearest of such monuments according to the number of lots and allowances for roads, and to draw the said intermediate side 35 lines in accordance with the bearings of the aforementioned side roads, to divide such lots in the said concessions, as are owned by two or more persons, according to the titles of the several owners thereof, to fix posts at the several corners of the several lots or parts of lots so surveyed, to

Commissioner of Crown Lands to appoint a surveyor to complete Hewston's survey.