

An Act to settle the Northern Boundary Line of the City of Toronto.

WHEREAS the Concession Line now forming the northern limit of the liberties of the City of Toronto, (being the allowance for road between the Park Lots and the Second Concession in the Township of York,) has been found to diverge from the proper course, and the Common Council of the City of Toronto caused the same to be made straight and expended a large sum of money in turnpiking and otherwise improving the said line of road and in building stone culverts thereon, and after such expenditure was made it was discovered that the said line in the original survey thereof had been either through carelessness or inadvertence run irregularly and crookedly, by means whereof the line of road upon which such expenditure was made is without the liberties of the said City, and the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of Toronto have no power to retain possession thereof or arrange with the owners and proprietors or others interested in the land so taken in the straightening of the said road for the value thereof or for damages claimed by them; And whereas it is expedient that authority be given to the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of Toronto, to straighten the said road and to arrange with the said proprietors or owners of the land necessarily taken for that purpose or other persons interested therein, and that such straight line should be made the northern boundary of the said City of Toronto; Therefore Her Majesty, &c., enacts as follows:

I. From and after the passing of this Act the said Concession Line so straightened as aforesaid shall be taken to be and shall be the northerly boundary line of the liberties of the said City of Toronto; and all the land lying between the line so straightened and the line as originally run, together with the land contained within the said original line, shall be vested in the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of Toronto for the purposes hereinafter mentioned.

Concession Line straightened to be the limit. Land between it and old line vested in the city.

II. All claims for compensation to parties whose property shall be taken by virtue of the preceding section, shall be settled and adjusted by arbitration in the manner prescribed by the thirty-third section of the Act passed in the sixteenth year of Her Majesty's Reign and chaptered one hundred and eighty-one.

Claims for compensation, how settled.

III. All the land lying between the new line of road so straightened as aforesaid and the southern limit of the old line, and vested in the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of Toronto by this Act, shall be held by them in trust, from time to time to convey the same to the respective owners or proprietors of the land lying to the south of and immediately

Land taken by the city under this Act to be conveyed to the parties in front of whom