
UPPER CANADA.

COUNCIL-CHAMBER,

NAVY HALL, FEBRUARY 2, 1793.

P R E S E N T

His Excellency JOHN GRAVES SIMCOE, Esquire;
Lieutenant-Governor, &c. &c. &c. = IN COUNCIL.

HIS Excellency acquainted the Board, that He wished to call their attention to the Situation of the several Persons occupying Lands or claiming to be entitled thereto under various Authorities since the first Settlement of the Province, and to consult on the most effectual means of carrying his Majesty's gracious Intentions into Execution by making out regular grants of Allotments of Land to such Persons as are respectively entitled thereto.

RESOLVED,

That immediate steps be taken to fulfill his Majesty's Gracious Intentions progressively throughout the Province, and that the same be publicly made known; and for that purpose that notice be given to all Persons claiming any Allotment of Land within the HOME DISTRICT of this Province that they do forthwith bring in to the Attorney-General of this Province the certificate, ticket of occupation, warrant, or other document whereon they severally found their claim; or transmit to him an attested copy thereof, that He may report thereon to his Excellency in Council, in order that regular and effective grants of Estates of inheritance in the said allotments may without delay be made out to all persons entitled thereto conformably to his Majesty's Royal Proclamation, to the Rules and Regulations for the conduct of the Land Office Department heretofore severally declared and made public, and in pursuance of an Act of Parliament, passed in the Thirty-first Year of his present Majesty's Reign, entitled, an Act to repeal certain parts of an Act passed in the Fourteenth Year of his Majesty's Reign, entitled an Act for making more effectual provision for the Government of the Province of Quebec in North-America, and to make further provision for the Government of the said Province.

And further, that due notice shall from time to time be given to all persons claiming Lands within the remaining Districts of this Province as soon as it shall be convenient and practicable to proceed on their Claims.

Extracted from the Minutes,

E. B. LITTLEHALES,

Acting Clerk of the Council.