

cove west of Point au Baudet in the limit between the Township of Lancaster and the seigneurie of New Longueuil, running along the said limit in the direction of north thirty-four degrees west to the westernmost angle of the said seigneurie of New Longueuil; thence along the north-western boundary of the seigneurie of Vaudreuil, running north twenty-five degrees east until it strikes the Ottawa River, to ascend the said river into the Lake Temiscaming, and from the head of the said lake by a line drawn due north until it strikes the boundary line of Hudson's Bay, the Province of Upper Canada to comprehend all such lands, territories and islands lying to the westward of the said line of division as were part of our said Province of Quebec.

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MEMORANDUM throwing light on boundary between Ontario and Dominion Lands.
 Authorities—Chisholm's Papers.

Pages 8 and 9.—Extract from King's Proclamation for erecting the 4 new Governments, of Quebec, East Florida, West Florida and Grenada, 7th October, 1763.

1st. The Government of Quebec, bounded on the Labrador coast by the River St. John, and from thence by a line drawn from the head of that River, through the Lake St. John to the south end of the Lake Nipissing; from whence the said line, crossing the River St. Lawrence and the Lake Champlain in forty-five degrees of north latitude, passes along the high lands which divide the rivers that empty themselves into the said St. Lawrence River from those which fall into the sea; and also along the north coast of the Bay de Chaleurs and the coast of the Gulf of St. Lawrence to Cape Rosieries, and from thence, crossing the mouth of the River St. Lawrence by the west end of the Island of Anticosti, terminates at the aforesaid River St. John.

2nd. The Government of East Florida, bounded to the westward by the Gulf of Mexico and the Assalochicola River, to the northward by a line drawn from that part of said river, where the Catahouchee and Flint Rivers meet, to the source of St. Mary's river, and by the course of the said river to the Atlantic Ocean, and to the east and south by the Atlantic Ocean and the Gulf of Florida, including all the islands within six leagues of the sea coast.

3rd. The Government of West Florida, bounded to the southward by the Gulf of Mexico, including all islands within six leagues of the coast, from the River Assalochicola to Lake Pontchartrain to the westward by the said lake, the Lake Manrepas and the River Mississippi, to the northward by a line drawn east from that part of the River Mississippi which lies in thirty-one degrees of north latitude to the River Apalachicola or Catapouchoe, and to the eastward of the said river.

4th. The Government of Grenada, comprehending the island of that name, together with the Grenadines and the Islands of Dominica, St. Vincent and Tobago. And to the end that the open and free fishery of our subjects may be extended to and carried on upon the coast of Labrador and the adjacent islands, we have thought fit, with the advice of our said Privy Council, to put all that coast from the River St. John to Hudson's Straits, together with the Islands of Anticosti and Madaline, and all smaller islands lying upon the said coast, under the care and inspection of our Governor of Newfoundland.

We have also, with the advice of our Privy Council, thought fit to annex the Islands of St. John and Cape Breton, or Isle Royal, with the lesser islands adjacent thereto to our Government of Nova Scotia.

We have also, with the advice of our Privy Council aforesaid, annexed to our Province of Georgia all the lands lying between the Rivers Attamaha and St. Mary's.

Page 11.—And whereas it is just and reasonable, and essential to our interest and the security of our colonies, that the several nations or tribes of Indians with whom we are connected, and who live under our protection, should not be molested or disturbed in the possession of such parts of our dominions and territories as not having been ceded to us, are reserved for them or any of them as their hunting grounds, we do therefore, with the advice of our Privy Council, declare it to be our