

April 19th, 1830.—The site of the town of Brantford, 807 acres.

April 19th, 1831.—A part of the township of Cayuga, 20,670 acres.

February 8th, 1834.—The residue of Cayuga, the township of Dunn, and a part of Canboro and Moulton, 50,212 acres.

March 26th, 1835.—A confirmation of the preceeding surrenders.

January 18th, 1841.—The residue of the land, with the exception of a reserve of 20,000 acres, and the lands actually in the occupation of Indians, amounting to upwards of 220,000 acres.

Of the earlier surrenders, the greater portion has been sold, and the proceeds invested either in consols in England, or in the Grand River Navigation Stock.

In reference to the first surrender, the schedule specifies the following tracts :

Block No. 1, now forming N. & S. Dumfries, about 94,305 acres, was sold to P. Steadman for.....	£8,841
Block No. 2, sold to Richard Beasley, James Wilson, and John B. Rosseau.....	94,012 “ 8,887
Block No. 3, Wm. Wallace	86,078 “ 16,364
“ “ 4, Hon. Thomas Clark—no price named	28,512 “
“ “ 5, now forming the township of Moulton, to W. Jarvis, afterwards sold by him to Lord Selkirk, and subsequently to Henry J. Boulton, 30,800	5,775
Block No. 6, given originally to John Dochstader, and by him sold to Benjamin Canby, now forming the township of Canboro.....	19,000 “ 5,000
	352,707 £44,867

These transfers were subsequently the cause of great annoyance and perplexity. The views of the Indians were expressed in an address made by them to the Superintendent-General of Indian Affairs, dated April 18th, 1811, in which the following sentences occur :

“ We thought when the Servant of our Father (Governor Haldimand) gave us, in his name, the lands on the Grand River, that we should be secure, and, without interruption, enjoy it as our own. In this we have been most-egregiously deceived, and to our great surprise and grief we find ourselves, by the contrivance of artful, faithless and wicked men, stript of our property. What little is yet left us we are denied the lawful right of controlling or disposing of without our master's leave.”

The townships comprising the counties of Haldimand and Brant, with the exceptions of Rainham and Walpole in the former, and Burford and Oakland in the latter, were comprised in the original Indian reserve.