

APPENDIX.

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TORONTO, 19th January, 1838.

Honourable and Venerable Sir,

We, the undersigned, Trustees of St. Andrew's Church, having frequently asserted that we had never received any lands in aid of our church from the Government of this Province, think it due to our character to advert to certain statements which have been published in newspapers throughout the country, in the form of letters, written by you, and also in a pamphlet under the authority of your name, alleging that the Presbyterian church in connexion with the church of Scotland in this city has received from the Colonial Government various grants of land, all of which you specify in said letters and pamphlet; the terms whereof as respects Toronto, are as follows:—

"Toronto.—Granted on 3d September, 1835, southerly half
"of lot No. 2, in the 4th concession, east of Yonge street, 100
"acres; again, 7th April, 1836, on relinquishing the above, the
"Commissioner of Crown Lands is instructed to set apart 200
"acres in some convenient place for the purposes prayed for,
"besides the Government lot north side of Dutchess Street, con-
"taining half an acre; granted a tract on 1st December, 1824, for
"a burial ground."

We assure you, on the contrary, that though *granting* may have been with you equivalent to receiving something, the case is widely different with us. Notwithstanding the statements so confidently set forth, we pray you to be informed that we have received no lots, nor piece of ground whatever, not so much as space to build our church upon. It is true, that some time ago the Commissioner of Crown Lands was instructed to set apart 200 acres in some convenient place, and for the purposes prayed for, but, in point of fact, whatever lots were made known to us as so set apart, were found upon examination to be of little value to any one, and to us, so far from being in some convenient