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HEREAS the inhabitants of the Village of Bowmanville, by Preamble. petition, have prayed the Legislature to incorporate the same into a Town, the population now exceeding the number required by law; And whereas it is expedient and necessary, and would tend to promote 5 the benefit and convenience of the inhabitants if the prayer of the said petition were granted: Therefore Her Majesty, &c., enacts as follows:

I. The tract of land within the boundaries or limits of the present Town of Village of Bowmanville, shall, upon from and after the first day of Jan-Bowmanville uary, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-10 eight, be incorporated into a Town, to be called and designated as the Town of Bowmanville.

II. So much of the Upper Canada Municipal Corporations Act as re- Provisions of lates to incorporated Towns, shall, upon from and after the day last U.C. Municiaforesaid apply to the said Town of Bowmanville, which shall have and Towns to 15 exercise all and singular the same rights, powers, privileges and juris- apply to diction as are given, granted or conferred upon, or as shall by virtue of Bowmanville. any Act or parts of Acts now in force in Upper Canada, or which shall hereafter be in force, belong to incorporated Towns; and all the rules, regulations, provisions and enactments therein contained or which shall 20 in any wise relate or belong to the same, shall apply to the Town of Bowmanville as fully as if the said tract of land had become a Town under the ordinary operation of the said Upper Canada Municipal Corporations Act, with the exception hereinafter made as regards the first Exception. election.

III. The said Town of Bowmanville shall be divided into three Wards, Wards. to be called respectively the West Ward, South Ward, and North Ward.

1. The said West Ward shall be bounded as follows: that is to say, West Ward commencing at the north west angle of said town, thence in a southerly how bounded. direction along the boundary to the base line road, thence easterly along 30 the base line road until it intersects the allowance for road between lots numbers twelve and thirteen, late of the Township of Darlington, thence northerly along the said allowance for road until it intersects Queen Street, thence easterly along the centre of Queen Street until it intersects Temperance Street, thence northerly along the centre of Temperance Street 35 until it intersects Wellington Street, thence westerly along the centre of Well ngton Street until it intersects the Street east of and next to the building occupied as a public school house, thence northerly along the centre of the said Street to the concession line between the first and second concessions, thence easterly along the said concession line to the junction

of High Street, thence northerly along the centre of High Street and the division between lots Nos. eleven and twelve, late of the Township of Darlington, to the northern boundary of the Town, thence westerly along the northern boundary to the place of beginning.

South Ward how bounded.

2. The said South Ward shall be bounded as follows, that is to say, commencing where King Street intersects Ontario Street, hence southerly along the centre of Ontario Street to where it intersects Queen Street, thence in a westerly direction along the centre of Queen Street to its junction with Seugog Street, thence in a southerly direction along the allowance for road between Lots numbers Twelve and Thirteen, late of 10 the Township of Darlington, to the Base Line Road, thence easterly along the Base Line Road to the division between Lots numbers Eleven and Twelve, thence in a southerly direction along said division to the Lake shore or southern boundary, thence in an easterly direction along the Lake shore to the division between Lots numbers Eight and Nine, thence 15 northerly along the said division to the base line road, thence easterly along that road to the eastern boundary of the Town, thence northerly along the said boundary to King Street, thence westerly along the centre of King Street to the place of beginning.

North Ward.

3. The said North Ward shall be bounded as follows, that is to say, com- 20 mencing where Ontario Street intersects King Street, thence easterly along the centre of King Street to the boundary of the Town thence northerly along the boundary to the northeast angle of the Town, thence westerly along the northern boundary of the Town to the division line between Lots numbers Eleven and Twelve, late of the Township of 25 Darlington, thence southerly along the said division line to High Street, thence in the same direction along the centre of High Street until it intersects the line of road between the first and second Concessions, 'hence westerly along the said road to its junction with Silver Street, thence southerly along the eastern boundary of West Ward until Silver Street 30 intersects Wellington Street, thence along the centre of Wellington Street until it intersects Temperance Street, thence southerly along the centre of Temperance Street to Queen Street, thence easterly along the centre of Queen Street to Ontario Street, thence northerly along Ontario Street to the place of beginning.

Returning officer and deputies of first election under this Act.

IV. The Clerk for the time being of the said Village of Bowmanville shall be ex officio Returning Officer for the purpose of holding the first Municipal election under this Act, and shall, on or before the twenty-first day of December next after the passing of this Act, by his warrant, appoint a Deputy Returning Officer for each of the three Wards into 40 which the said Town of Bowmanville is hereby divided, to hold the first election therein; and in the discharge of their duties each Deputy Returning Officer shall severally be subject to all the provisions of the said Upper Canada Municipal Corporations Acts applicable to first elections in Towns incorporated under the said Acts.