

No. 265.

2nd Session, 5th Parliament, 19 Victoria, 1856.

(LOCAL BILL.)

BILL.

An Act to incorporate the Village of Elora,
in the County of Wellington.

Received and read, first time, Friday, 9th May,
1856.

Second reading, Monday, 12th May, 1856.

MR. CLARKE.

TORONTO:
PRINTED BY JOHN LOVELL,
YONGE STREET.

An Act to incorporate the Village of Elora, in the County of Wellington.

WHEREAS the inhabitants of the tract of land hereinafter described, Preamble.
 in the Townships of Nichol and Pilkington, have petitioned the
 Legislature to be incorporated as a Village; And whereas the number of
 inhabitants within the proposed limits of the said Village is more than
 5 would be necessary under the Act in that behalf, though such does not
 appear to be the case by the last census :

And whereas it would greatly tend to promote the interests and convenience of the said inhabitants if the prayer of their petition were granted, and it is expedient to grant the same : Therefore Her Majesty, &c., enacts
 10 as follows :

I. The tract of land within the boundaries or limits described in the
 Schedule to this Act, shall, upon and after the first day of January, in the
 year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, be constituted a Village,
 to be called and designated the Village of Elora, and the inhabitan s
 15 thereof shall be incorporated with the rights and privileges of an incorporated Village.

Village of Elora incorporated.

II. So much of the Upper Canada Municipal Corporations' Act as
 relates to incorporated Villages shall, upon, from, and after the day last
 aforesaid, apply to the said Village of Elora, which shall have and exercise
 20 all and singular the same rights, powers, privileges and jurisdiction
 as are given, granted, or conferred upon, or as shall, by virtue of any
 Acts or parts of Acts now in force in Upper Canada, or which shall
 hereafter be in force, belong to incorporated Villages, and all the rules,
 regulations, provisions, and enactments therein contained or which shall
 25 in any wise relate or belong to the same, shall apply to the Village of
 Elora as fully as if the said tract of land had become an incorporated
 Village under the ordinary operation of the said Upper Canada Municipal
 Corporations' Acts, with the exceptions hereinafter mentioned.

Provisions of U. C. Municipal Corporations' Act, to apply to Elora.

III. The Municipal Council of the Township of shall and may
 50 at any time after the passing of this Act, appoint a fit and proper person
 to be the Returning Officer for holding the first Municipal Election under
 this Act, and in the discharge of his duties such Returning Officer shall
 be governed by the provisions of the Upper Canada Municipal Corporations'
 Acts applicable to the first elections in Villages incorporated under
 35 the said Acts.

Appointment of first Returning Officer.

IV. This Act shall be deemed a public Act.

Public Act.

SCHEDULE.

DESCRIPTION OF THE VILLAGE OF ELORA.

To consist of all that part of this Province situate within the County of Wellington, and lying within the following limits, that is to say:—Commencing at the point of intersection of the northerly limit of the allowance for road between the broken front and first concession on the southerly side of the Grand River, in the Township of Nichol, with the easterly limit of the allowance for road between the said Township and the Township of Pilkington, (formerly Woolwich;) thence along the easterly limit of the allowance for road last mentioned, north-westerly, to the southerly angle of lot number eighteen in the eleventh concession of the said Township of Nichol; thence along the south-easterly boundary line of the said lot and of lot number eighteen in the twelfth concession, north-easterly, to the intersection of the boundary line between lots numbers four and five in the broken front, on the northerly side of the Grand River, produced north-westerly; thence south-easterly along the said boundary line produced, to the northerly margin of the Grand River; thence along the said margin, against the stream, to the intersection of the boundary line between lots numbers four and five in the broken front on the southerly side of the Grand River produced; thence across the said river and along the boundary line last mentioned, south-easterly, to the northerly limit of the allowance for road between the said broken front and the first concession; thence along the said northerly limit, south-westerly, to the place of beginning.