

the same should they wish so to do, Be it therefore enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of the Province of Upper Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of Great Britain, entitled "An Act to repeal certain parts of an Act passed in the fourteenth year of His Majesty's Reign, entitled "An Act for making more effectual provision for the Government of the Province of Quebec in North America, and to make further provision for the Government of the said Province" and by the authority of the same, That it shall and may be lawful for any person or persons who hath or have heretofore entered, or who shall or may hereafter enter any claim or claims against the proceeds of or the absolute estate or inheritance of any lands, tenements or hereditaments vested or to be vested in the said Commissioners, by virtue of the said last mentioned Act, whither any decree may have passed upon the same or not, to relinquish or withdraw such claim or claims at any time during the continuance of the commission appointed under the said Act, upon signifying his, her or their intention and desire so to do, to the said Commissioners or the majority of them, by an instrument in writing, signed by such claimant or Claimants respectively, in presence of two subscribing witnesses and that upon receipt thereof, it shall and may be lawful for the said Commissioners or the majority of them, to discharge such claim or claims, and reverse any decree they may have passed in favor of such Claimant so relinquishing his, or her claim, after which, the Estate or Property thereby claimed, shall be and remain vested in the said Commissioners for the purposes in the said Act specified, in like manner and as fully to all intents and purposes as if no claim or claims had been exhibited against the same, any thing in the said Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

Persons preferring claims before the Commissioners of forfeited Estates, may withdraw the same; and all proceedings had thereon shall cease & be vacated.

C H A P. XIII.

An Act requiring the publication of the expenditure of monies raised under any Law, establishing a Police in any Town or Towns in this Province.

[Passed 17 January, 1822.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS, it is expedient that an account of the expenditure of the monies authorised to be raised and collected by the Laws now in force, establishing a Police in several Towns in this Province should be annually published, Be it therefore enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of the Province of Upper Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of Great Britain, entitled "An Act to repeal certain parts of an Act passed in the fourteenth

year of his Majesty's Reign, entitled "An Act for making more effectual provision for the Government of the Province of Quebec in North America, and to make further provision for the Government of the said Province" and by the authority of the same, That the Justices of the Peace for the several Districts of this Province, wherein a Police now is or hereafter may be established, for any Town or Towns within the same, shall at the General Quarter Sessions next after the first day of April in each year, direct the Clerk of the Peace in each of the said Districts to make up an account of all monies raised and levied under and by virtue of any Act now or hereafter to be made, regulating the Police in any Town or Towns as aforesaid, together with an account of the expenditure thereof, which account they are hereby required to publish immediately after the Sessions at which the same shall be required to be stated, either by causing a Copy thereof to be put on the Door of the Court House in such District or by publishing the same at the expense of the District in any Newspaper circulated therein.

Justices of the Peace to render an account annually of the receipt and expenditure of the Police Tax levied in their respective Districts and to cause the same to be published.

C H A P. XIV.

An Act to establish the division line between the Second and Third Concessions of the Township of Osnabruck, in the Eastern District.

[Passed 17th January 1822.]

WHEREAS divers disputes have arisen between the Inhabitants of the Second and Third Concessions of the Township of Osnabruck in the Eastern District of this Province, as to the division line between the said Concessions, *And whereas*, it appears that in consequence of an erroneous survey of the said line by the late Patrick McNiff—the same has been resurveyed under the direction of Government, by Lewis Grant, Esquire, Deputy Provincial Surveyor, whose line was intended and considered as the division line between the said Concessions, till the passing of an Act in the 5th year of His late Majesty's Reign, entitled "An Act to repeal an ordinance of the Province of Quebec passed in the twenty-fifth year of His Majesty's Reign, entitled "An ordinance concerning Land Surveyors and the admeasurement of Lands, and also to extend the provisions of an Act passed in the thirty eighth year of His Majesty's reign, entitled "An Act to ascertain and establish on a permanent footing the boundary lines of the different Townships, of this Province and further to regulate the manner in which Lands are hereafter to be surveyed" by which Act the survey of the said Patrick McNiff being the first survey intended to fix the boundary between the said Concessions hath been established, and it is expedient in order to quiet the disputes which have arisen and to prevent litigation, that the line run by the said Lewis Grant between the said Concessions should by Law be established, Be it therefore enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with

Preamble.