

Laws of Her Majesty's Province of Upper Canada, passed in the year 1840. York: Robert Stanton, 1840.

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An Act to attach certain Townships to the County of Huron. Passed 10th February, 1840.

Whereas by an Act passed in the fifth year of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, entitled, "*An Act to form certain Townships in the London District into a County, and to attach certain Townships to the Counties of Middlesex and Kent, in the London and Western Districts,*" it was enacted, "That the Townships of Williams, McGillivray, Stephen, Hay, Stanley [Port Stanley], Goderich, Colborne, Hullet [Hullett], McKillop, Tuckersmith, Hibbert, Logan, Fullarton, Usborne, Biddulph, Blanchard, Downie, Ellice, North East-Hope [Easthope], and South East-Hope, do constitute and form the County of Huron, in the London District": And whereas by another Act passed in the first year of the reign of Her Majesty, entitled, "*An Act to authorise the erection of the County of Huron, and certain other Territory adjacent thereto, into a separate District,*" it was enacted, that the said County of Huron should be erected into a separate District, and that on any future survey of the Territory lying to the Northward of the said County of Huron, one range of Townships lying immediately contiguous to the Northerly boundary of the said County, should be attached to and become part of the said intended New District: And whereas it is expedient that the said range of Townships, being part of the said intended New District, should be added to the County of Huron: Be it therefore enacted by the Queen'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 Township of Ashfield, and such other Townships as may hereafter be surveyed, being the first range of Townships lying immediately contiguous to the Northerly Boundary of the said County, be attached to and form part of the County of Huron, in the said intended New District.