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To John Colborne, Lieutenant-Governor
of Upper Canada.

The Petition of Daniel Pound and
others, Inhabitants and free holders of the
Township of Bertie in the Niagara District
Newell

That they Petitioners have been settled
in the aforesaid Township of Bertie, for upwards
of thirty years, and the Farms of they Petitioners
join the base line of the said Township,
which line was never disputed till a few
years ago. That at the Assizes for this District last
year one of they Petitioners (Daniel Pound)
was a severe sufferer and nearly ruined by
the alteration of the said Base Line. Now
we would take it very kind of thee if thee
would appoint a Commission of three
persons together with a Deputy Surveyor, dis-
interested persons, to examine and determine
the true Base Line of the said Township. It
might save the other of they Petitioners vex-
atious law suits, and would continue them
in what they always considered to be their
own property.

And they Petitioners as