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 PLAN  
 of the  
**TOWN and HARBOUR**  
 OF  
**YORK**  
 UPPER CANADA  
 and also  
 of the  
*Military Reserve*  
 showing the site of the new Barracks  
 and Work around them,  
 as proposed to be erected near the  
**Western Battery.**



*Remarks.*  
 The actual condition of the company is not set down, as it is proposed to ascertain it, this winter, it is however known to be only very small, at Niagara it is nothing.  
 The shoal has extended of late years greatly to the westward.  
 The soil on the Reserve and about the town is a strong clay, with large granitic boulders on and in it, also it is full of small fragments of the same of Limestone and of bituminous coal slate, it reposes on Limestone rock full of Crinoids, this rock has some good Building layers near its surface, is uncovered on the beach at French Fort Point, but the beds being horizontal as the land rises, is too thickly covered to pay the expense of quarrying.  
 Building stone of fine quality is therefore only to be had from Kingston, from Queenston, or from Hamilton in Burlington Bay.

Scale of 1000 yards, see to an inch.

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deep water  
 Wharves and herring fishery established along this shore  
 there are several shifting banks and shoals in this direction which are a series of shelves from the shore and arise by reason of any rise to keep a good offering  
 these are generally  
 and so not  
 but in very dry seasons are left extended  
 ponds  
 and the space between it and the bank is a deep swamp full of intricate channels through which the Don finds an outlet by a breach in the sands at the N.E. corner

this there is a marshy meadow with deep runs of water

Kingston road 24 miles passing through Port Hope Colony &c.

Libs and contains several large books and the front is being rapidly built upon

bank is very high and extends over the mouth of Hunter  
 and the side of the narrow dell of sand  
 is a series of fine and in places  
 is a series of sand covered  
 and is very fertile