the Twelfth day of October next, and except also the Writs for the Province of Manitoba and the Province of British Columbia, which will be returnable on the Twelfth day of October next.

In Testimony Whereof, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed. Witness, Our Right Trusty and Well-Beloved Cousin and Councillor the Right Honorable Sir Frederick Temple, Earl of Dufferin, Viscount and Baron Clandeboye of Clandeboye, in the County Down, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom, Baron Dufferin and Clandeboye of Ballyleidy and Killeleah, in the County Down, in the Peerage of Ireland, and a Baronet, Knight of Our Illustrious Order of Saint Patrick, and Knight Commander of Our Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor General of Canada, and Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Prince Edward. At our Government House, in Our City of Ottawa, in Our said Dominion, this Eighth day of July, in the year of Our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, and in the Thirty-sixth year of Our reign.

By Command,

EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN,

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, Canada.

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VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c.,

To all to whom these Presents shall come—Greeting:

A Proclamation.

KNOW YE, that We being desirous and resolved, as soon as may be, to meet Our People of Our Dominion of Canada, and to have their advice in Parliament, do hereby, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council for Canada, summon and call together the House of Commons in and for Our said Dominion, to meet at Our City of Ottawa, in Our said Dominion, on Saturday, the Twelfth day of October next, then and there to have conference and treaty with the Great Men and Senate of Our said Dominion.

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