

concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion; and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear for the purposes aforesaid in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden: and this you are in no wise to omit.

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 the Right Honourable Sir Frederick Arthur Stanley, Baron Stanley of Preston, in the County of Lancaster, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor-General of Canada. At Our Government House, in Our City of Ottawa, in Our Dominion of Canada, this Twenty-eighth day of November, in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight hundred and Ninety-two, and in the Fifty-sixth Year of Our Reign.

By Command,

SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU,  
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, Canada.

Whereupon the Honourable Mr. Primrose came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by Law, which was administered by Edouard Joseph Langevin, Esquire, one of the Commissioners appointed for that purpose, and took his seat accordingly.

The Honourable the Speaker then acquainted the House that the Clerk of the Senate had laid upon the Table the Certificate of one of the Commissioners setting forth that the Honourable Mr. Primrose, a Member of the Senate, had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required by the British North America Act, 1867.

The Honourable the Speaker presented to the House, a communication from the Governor-General's Secretary.

The same was then read by the Clerk, and it is as follows:—

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,  
OTTAWA, 24th January, 1893.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that His Excellency the Governor-General will proceed to the Senate Chamber, to open the Session of the Dominion Parliament, on Thursday, the 26th instant, at 3 o'clock p.m.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

J. ST. AUBYN, Major,

*Governor-General's Secretary.*

The Honourable  
The Speaker of the Senate.

The House was adjourned during pleasure.

After some time the House was resumed.

His Excellency the Right Honourable Sir Frederick Arthur Stanley, Baron Stanley of Preston, in the County of Lancaster, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor-General of Canada, being seated in the Chair on the Throne.

The Honourable the Speaker commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the House of Commons and acquaint that House,—“It is His Excellency's pleasure they attend him immediately in this House.”

Who being come with their Speaker,