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# ELECTORS OF ADDINGTON.

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Gentlemen,—

The General Elections for the Dominion of Canada, no doubt, will be held during the present year. I beg, therefore, to say that I am in the field asking for your suffrages as an Independent Conservative.

I am strongly in favor of the Fiscal and Trade policy of the present administration. Unrestricted Reciprocity or Free Trade with the United States, as advocated by the Opposition, would necessitate the adoption of their tariff and be disastrous and ruinous to the trade of the Dominion.

I am strongly opposed to any interference by the Dominion Parliament with the Provincial Legislatures in the management of their educational institutions.

I am well known throughout the County, having represented the riding to the best of my ability during two Parliaments.

I shall, as I always have done, oppose any extravagance, corruption or wrong-doing, and will support only such legislation as I consider will be in the interest of the County and the Dominion.

Therefore it is with confidence I solicit your votes and influence.

I am, Gentlemen, Obediently yours,

**JNO. W. BELL.**

Desmond, 13th April, 1896.

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