



# PROCLAMATION.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY

SIR JOHN GASPARD LE MARCHANT,

*Knight, knight commander of the orders of Saint Ferdinand,  
and of Charles the third of Spain, lieutenant-governor  
and commander in chief, in and over her majesty's  
province of Nova-Scotia, and its dependencies, chan-  
cellor of the same, &c., &c., &c.*

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J. GASPARD LE MARCHANT.

WHEREAS by the writs issued for the general election of members to serve in general assembly, bearing teste on the 24th day of April last, the several sheriffs of the several counties in this province were commanded to summon the persons who should be elected and chosen according to the exigency of said writs, to attend her majesty's service in general assembly, at such time and place as should be notified by proclamation for that purpose :

I do accordingly, by this proclamation, give notice, that I have appointed Thursday, the thirty-first day of January next, at Halifax, for the meeting of the said general assembly, *for the despatch of business* ; and I hereby require the members of the legislative council and the house of assembly, to attend in general assembly on the said day, at Halifax—whereof they, and all others concerned, are desired to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Given under my hand and seal at arms, at Halifax, this  
24th day of December, A. D. 1855, and in the  
19th year of her majesty's reign.

*By his excellency's command.*

LEWIS M. WILKINS.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.