

In Witness whereof We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent. Witness Ourselves at Westminster, the Fifth day of October, in the Forty-second Year of Our Reign.

By Warrant under the Queen's Sign-Manual.

C. ROMILLY.

LETTERS PATENT constituting the Office of
GOVERNOR GENERAL of the Dominion of
CANADA.

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DRAFT OF INSTRUCTIONS passed under the Royal Sign-Manual and Signet to the
Governor General of the Dominion of Canada.

Dated 5th October, 1878.

VICTORIA R.

Instructions to our Governor General in and over Our Dominion of Canada, or, in his absence, to Our Lieutenant Governor or the Officer for the time being administering the Government of Our said Dominion.

Given at Our Court at Balmoral, this Fifth day of October, 1878, in the Forty-second year of Our Reign.

Preamble.

Recites
Letters-
Patent, dated
5th October,
1878, consti-
tuting the
office of Gov-
ernor-Gen-
eral.

WHEREAS by certain Letters-Patent bearing even date herewith, We have constituted, ordered, and declared that there shall be a Governor General (hereinafter called Our said Governor General) in and over Our Dominion of Canada (hereinafter called Our said Dominion), And We have thereby authorized and commanded Our said Governor General to do and execute in due manner all things that shall belong to his said command, and to the trust We have reposed in him, according to the several powers and authorities granted or appointed him by virtue of the said Letters-Patent and of such Commission as may be issued to him under Our Sign-Manual and Signet, and according to such Instructions as may from time to time be given to him, under Our Sign-Manual and Signet, or by Our Order in Our Privy Council, or by Us through One of Our Principal Secretaries of State, and to such Laws as are or shall hereafter be in force in Our said Dominion. Now, therefore, We do, by these, Our Instructions under Our Sign-Manual and Signet, declare Our pleasure, to be that Our said Governor General for the time being