

Tuesday, 15th February, 1916.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable PHILIPPE LANDRY, Speaker.

The Honourable Messieurs

Baird,	Davis,	Legris,	Pope,
Béique,	Dennis,	Lougheed,	Prince,
Beith,	Derbyshire,	Mason	Ratz,
Belcourt,	Dessaulles,	(Brig.-General),	Ross
Bolduc,	De Veber,	McCall,	(Moosejaw),
Bostock,	Douglas,	McHugh,	Sharpe,
Bowell	Frost,	McLean,	Sproule,
(Sir Mackenzie),	Gillmor,	McLennan,	Talbot,
Boyer,	Jones	McSweeney,	Tessier,
Casgrain,	(Sir Lyman),	Milne,	Thibaudeau,
Choquette,	King,	Mitchell,	Thompson,
Cloran,	LaRivière,	Montplaisir,	Watson,
Daniel,	Lavergne,	Owens,	Yeo.

PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that there was a Senator without, waiting to be introduced.

The Honourable William Henry Sharpe was introduced between the Honourable Mr. Lougheed and the Honourable Mr. LaRivière, and having presented His Majesty's Writ of Summons, it was read by the Clerk, as follows:—



CANADA.

ARTHUR.

[L. S.]

GEORGE THE FIFTH, *by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, KING, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.*

To Our Trusty and Well-Beloved William Henry Sharpe, Esquire, of Manitou, in Our Province of Manitoba, in Our Dominion of Canada.

GREETING:

KNOW YE, that as well for the especial trust and confidence We have manifested in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and