PRAYERS.

The Honorable the Speaker reported to the House that the Clerk had received a communication from the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, and

The same was then read by the Clerk.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journal, and it is as follows :---

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CROWN IN CHANCERY, CANADA,

OTTAWA, 9th January, 1890.

This is to certify that His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased to summon to the Senate, by Letters Patent, under the Great Seal, bearing date the thirtieth day of May, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (1889), Edward Murphy, Esquire, of Montreal, for the Division of Victoria, in the Province of Quebec, vice the Honorable Thomas Ryan, deceased.

SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU,

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery for Canada.

To EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN, Esquire,

Clerk of the Senate.

The Honorable the Speaker informed the House that there was a Member without ready to be introduced,

When the Honorable Edward Murphy was introduced between the Honorable Messieurs Smith and Ogilvie.

The Honorable Mr. Murphy presented Her Majesty's Writ summoning him to the Senate.

The same was then read by the Clerk, and

Ordered, to be put upon the Journal, and it is as follows :----

CANADA.



Stanley of Preston.

[L.S.]

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdon of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c.

To Our Trusty and Well-Beloved Edward Murphy, Esquire, of Our Province of Quebec, in our Dominion of Canada.

GREETING :

KNOW YE, that as well for the especial trust and confidence We have manifested ir you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion, and We do appoint you for the Victoria Electoral Division of our Province of Quebec, 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 Honorable Sir Frederick Arthur Stanley, Baron Stanley of Preston, in the County of Lancaster, in the Peerage of Great Britain; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor General of Canada. At our Government House, in Our City of Ottawa, this Thirtieth day of May, in the Year of Our Lord, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eightynine, and in the Fifty-second Year of Our Reign.

By Command,

SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU,

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, Canada.