

CANADA.



PROCLAMATIONS

By His Excellency the Right Honorable Sir FREDERICK TEMPLE, Earl of Dufferin, Viscount and Baron Clandeboye of Clandeboye, in the County Down, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom, Baron Dufferin and Clandeboye of Ballyleidy and Killeleagh, in the County Down, in the Peerage of Ireland, and a Baronet, one of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council, Knight of the Most Illustrious Order of Saint Patrick and Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor General of Canada, and Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Prince Edward.

To all to whom these presents shall come—GREETING :

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS Her Majesty the Queen, by Letters Patent, under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date at Westminster, on the TWENTY-SECOND day of MAY, in the Thirty-fifth year of Her Majesty's Reign, has been graciously pleased to constitute and appoint me to be Her Majesty's Governor General in and over the Dominion of Canada, for and during Her Majesty's will and pleasure, and Her Majesty did thereby authorize and command me to do and execute all things in due manner that should belong to my said command, and the trust reposed in me according to the several powers and directions granted or appointed me by that Her Majesty's Commission, and of the Act of Parliament passed in the Thirtieth Year of Her Majesty's Reign, and entitled "The British North America Act, 1867," and the instructions given me with such Commission, or by such further instructions as may hereafter be given by Her Majesty under Her sign manual and signet, or by Her Majesty's order in Her Privy Council, or through one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and according to such laws as are now and shall hereafter be in force in the said Dominion ; Now, KNOW YE, and I have therefore with the advice of the Queen's Privy Council for Canada, thought fit to issue this Proclamation to make known Her Majesty's said appointment ; and I do also hereby, and with the same advice, require and command that all and singular Her Majesty's Officers and Ministers in the said Dominion of Canada, do continue in the execution of their several and respective offices, places and employments, and that Her Majesty's loving subjects and all others whom it may concern, do take notice hereof and govern themselves accordingly.

Given under my Hand and Seal at Arms, at QUEBEC, this TWENTY-FIFTH day of JUNE, in the Year of Our Lord, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-two, and in the Thirty-sixth year of Her Majesty's Reign.

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By Command,
J. C. AIKINS,
Secretary of State.