

" I do hereby Certify, That the within named *William Smith*, Esquire,  
 " the Younger, personally appeared before me this day, and took  
 " the Oath of Office of Clerk of the Legislative Council for the Pro-  
 " vince of Lower Canada, and likewise took and subscribed the Oaths  
 " of Allegiance, Supremacy and Abjuration, and made and subscribed  
 " the Declaration against Transubstantiation appointed in this  
 " behalf.

" Given under my hand at *Quebec* this 15th. Day of December  
 " 1792."

" By virtue of Dedi- }  
 " mus Potestatem:" } " GEO: POWNALL."

The Speaker read a Certificate from the Clerk of the Crown of the  
 list of the Legislative Counsellors, to whom Writs of Summons had  
 been issued under the Great Seal.

" Office of the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery. *Quebec*, Monday  
 " 17th. December 1792."

#### " RETURN"

Of the Members called to the Upper House of Assembly, by Writs  
 of Summons in the following Words :

" **G**EOERGE the Third, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain,  
 " France and Ireland King, Defender of the Faith, &c. To  
 " our Beloved and Faithful Subject Esquire,  
 " GREETING. Whereas by the advice and consent of our Council, for  
 " certain arduous and urgent Affairs, Us, the State and defence of Our  
 " Province of Lower Canada and the Church thereof, concerning,  
 " Our Assembly at our City of *Quebec*, on the tenth day of July next,  
 " we