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SESSION, 1859.

Saturday, 29th January, 1859.

A MESSAGE from His Excellency the Governor General, by *René Kimber*, Esquire, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod :—

Mr. Speaker,

His Excellency the Governor General desires the immediate attendance of this Honorable House in the Legislative Council Chamber.

Accordingly, Mr. Speaker, with the House, went to the Council Chamber ;

And being returned ;

Mr. Speaker reported, that pursuant to the Orders of the House of last Session, he had issued his Warrants to the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, to make out new Writs of Elections, to fill up the vacancies occasioned by Members of the House having accepted offices of profit under the Crown, or otherwise, and that the Clerk of this House had received from the said Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, the following Certificates, *viz.* :—

Province of Canada.

This is to certify, that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the eleventh day of August instant, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to the Sheriff of the District of *Saint Francis*, (*G. F. Bowen*, Esquire,) Returning Officer, *ex-officio*, for the Town of *Sherbrooke*, for the election of a Member to represent the said Town of *Sherbrooke*, in the Legislative Assembly of this Province, in this present Parliament, in the room of the Honorable *Alexander Tilloch Galt*, who, since his election as the Representative of the said Town, had accepted an office of profit under the Crown, to wit, the Office of Inspector General of the said Province, by means whereof the seat of the said Honorable