

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 Kennebec 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, and Vice-Admiral of the same. At our Government House, in Our City of Ottawa, this First day of December, in the Year of Our Lord, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty eight, and in the Fifty-second Year of Our Reign.

By Command.

SAML. E. ST. O. CHAPLEAU,
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, Canada.

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

When the Honorable Charles Séraphin Rodier was introduced between the Honorable Messieurs Abbott and Lacoste.

The Honorable Mr. Rodier 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.

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

To Our Trusty and Well-Beloved Charles Séraphin Rodier, Esquire, of the Province of Quebec, in our Dominion of Canada.

GREETING :

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