one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five (1895), Josiah Wood, Esquire, M.P., of Sackville, N.B., for the Province of New Brunswick, vice Honourable Amos Edwin Botsford, deceased.

SAML. E. St. O. CHAPLEAU,

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery for Canada.

To EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN, Esquire, Clerk of the Senate.

> Office of the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, Canada, Ottawa, 4th January, 1896.

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 second day of the month of January, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six (1896), James O'Brien, Esquire, of the City of Montreal, for the Division of Victoria, in the Province of Quebec.

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

To EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN, Esquire, Clerk of the Senate.

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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 second day of the month of January, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six (1896), Joseph O. Villeneuve, Esquire, of the City of Montreal, for the Electoral Division of De Salaberry, in the Province of Quebec.

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

To EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN, Esquire, Clerk of the Senate.

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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 second day of the month of January, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six (1896), William Owens, Esquire, of the City of Montreal, for the Electoral Division of Inkerman, in the Province of Quebec.

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

To EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN, Esquire, Clerk of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that there was a Member without ready to be introduced.

When the Honourable Sir William Hales Hingston, Knight, was introduced between the Honourable Sir Mackenzie Bowell and the Honourable Mr. de Boucherville.

The Honourable Sir William Hales Hingston presented Her Majesty's Writ summoning him to the Senate.