

To Our Beloved and Faithful the Legislative Councillors of the Province of Canada, and the Knights, Citizens and Burgesses elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our said Province, summoned and called to a Meeting of the Provincial Parliament of Our said Province, at Our City of Toronto, on the Second day of November next, to have been commenced and held, and to every of you—

GREETING :

A PROCLAMATION.

**W**HEREAS on the Twenty-fourth day of the month of September last, We thought fit to prorogue Our Provincial Parliament to the SECOND day of the month of NOVEMBER next, at which time, at Our City of Toronto, you were held and constrained to appear. Now KNOW YE, that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our Loving Subjects, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time aforesaid, hereby convoking and by these presents enjoining you and each of you, that on SATURDAY, the ELEVENTH day of the month of DECEMBER next, you meet Us, in Our Provincial Parliament, at Our CITY of TORONTO, there to take into consideration the state and welfare of Our said Province of Canada, and therein to do as may seem necessary.—HEREIN FAIL NOT.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Our said Province of *Canada* to be hereunto affixed : WITNESS, Our Right Trusty and Well-Beloved the Right Honorable Sir EDMUND WALKER HEAD, Baronet, one of Our Most Honorable Privy Council, GOVERNOR General of British North America, and Captain General and Governor in Chief in and over Our Provinces of Canada, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and the Island of Prince Edward, and Vice Admiral of the same, &c., &c., &c. At Our Government House, in Our CITY of TORONTO, in Our said province of Canada, this THIRTIETH day of OCTOBER, in the year of Our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight, and in the Twenty-second year of Our Reign.

By Command,

L. R. FORTIER,

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery.