

NEWFOUNDLAND.

COMMISSION

OF

His Excellency **ANTHONY MUSGRAVE, Esquire.**

VICTORIA, by the Grace of GOD, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, to Our Trusty and Well-beloved ANTHONY MUGRAVE, Esquire, Greeting :

I. **WHEREAS** We did, by certain Letters Patent under the Great Seal of Our United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date at Westwinster the Fourteenth day of February, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-seven, in the Twentieth Year of Our Reign, Constitute and Appoint Our Trusty and Well-beloved Sir ALEXANDER BANNERMAN, Knight, to be Our Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Our Island of Newfoundland, and the Islands and Territories within the limits therein described, as by the said recited Letters Patent, relation being thereunto had, may more fully and at large appear.

Now **KNOW** You that We have revoked and determined, and do by these Presents revoke and determine, the said recited Letters Patent, and every clause, article, and thing therein contained.

AND FURTHER KNOW You, that We, reposing especial trust and confidence in the prudence, courage, and loyalty of you, the said ANTHONY MUSGRAVE, of our especial grace, certain knowledge, and mere motion, have thought fit to constitute and appoint, and do by these Presents constitute and appoint you, for and during Our Will and Pleasure, to be Our Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over our Island of Newfoundland and the Islands adjacent, and all the Coast of Labrador, from the entrance of Hudson's Straits to a line to be drawn due North and South from Anse Sablon on the said Coast to the Fifty-second degree of North Latitude, and all the Islands adjacent to that part of the said Coast of Labrador, as also of all Forts and Garrisons erected and estab-