

Montmagny, and *John O'Farrell*, duly elected Member of the said Legislative Assembly, to represent therein the County of *Lotbinière*, do hereby make known and declare unto you the said *Louis Victor Sicotte*, that the Honorable *Pierre Joseph Olivier Chauveau*, who, by the Report of the Returning Officer for the County of *Quebec*, was returned to you as duly elected to represent the said County of *Quebec* in the Legislative Assembly of this Province, hath, since being so returned, accepted the Office of Superintendent of Education for *Lower Canada*.

And we do hereby require you the said *Louis Victor Sicotte*, in your capacity aforesaid, to issue a Writ for the Election of a new Member to represent the said County of *Quebec*, in the room and stead of the said Honorable *Pierre Joseph Olivier Chauveau*, in the manner and form prescribed by the Statutes in such case made and provided.

Witness our hands and seals at the City of *Quebec*, in the said Province of *Canada*, this tenth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five.

N. Casault, M.P.P., (L.S.)

J. O'Farrell, M.P.P., (L.S.)

To the Honorable *Louis Victor Sicotte*, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of *Canada*.

We, *James Smith*, Member of the Legislative Assembly for the County of *Victoria*, and *Joseph C. Morrison*, Member of the said Assembly for the Town of *Niagara*, do hereby inform you, that a vacancy has happened in the said Legislative Assembly, by the acceptance, by *John Langton*, Esquire, Member of the same for the County of *Peterborough*, of the Office of Auditor, from the Crown; and we inform you thereof, with the view of having the said vacancy filled.

Dated at Toronto, the twenty-second day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, as Witness our hands and seals.

James Smith, (L.S.)

Joseph C. Morrison, (L.S.)

Mr. Speaker then acquainted the House, That the Clerk of this House had received from the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, the following Certificates:—
Province of *Canada*.

This is to certify, that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the twelfth July last past, issued by His Excellency the Governor General, and addressed to the Registrar of the County of *Quebec*, *Charles Nathaniel Montizambert*, Esquire, Returning Officer, *ex-officio*, for the County of *Quebec*, for the election of a Member to represent the said County of *Quebec* in the Legislative Assembly of this Province, in the present Parliament, in the room of *Pierre Joseph Olivier Chauveau*, Esquire, who, since his election, as the Representative of the said County of *Quebec*, had accepted an Office of profit under the Crown, to wit: the Office of Superintendent of Education for Lower Canada, by means whereof the seat of the said *Pierre Joseph Olivier Chauveau*, Esquire, as the Representative of the said County of *Quebec*, had become vacant; *François Evanturel*, Esquire, has been returned as duly elected accordingly, as appears by the Return to the said Writ of Election, dated the seventh day of August, instant, which is now lodged of record in my office.

Office of the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery,
Quebec, 21st August, 1855,

Félix Fortier,

Clerk of the Crown in Chancery.

William Burns Lindsay, Esquire,
Clerk, Legislative Assembly.